

MUSIC

Local talent blares in music games

One listen to the Summer Music Games will blast away your preconceived notions about drums and bagles. One look will forever change your definition of marching.

The Summer Music Games return to southeast Michigan July 25 and 26 when the Drum Corps International Preview of Champions, a competition featuring North America's top 20 drum and bugle corps, comes to Eastern Michigan University's Rynearson Stadium in Ypsilanti.

Several local musicians will participate in the Summer Music Games with corps from Rockford and Rosemont, Ill.; and Toledo, Ohio. Each corps is made up of 123 young musicians, no older than 21, who rehearse for several months to prepare a single competitive marching show that is presented in shows throughout the summer.

Local participants and their bands include: from Canton, Erik Messaros of the Phantom Regi-

ment, Kevin Borowski of the Cavaliers, Anna Miller and Jonathan Miller of the Glassmen; from Plymouth, Doug Fry and Jeff Kendall of the Cavaliers and Michelle Mangin of the Glassmen; and from West Bloomfield, Chris Rosen of the Glassmen. Corps are made up of four sections. The brass line consists of a variety of bagles, evolved from the tinny-sounding squawk boxes of yesteryear to powerful brass instruments. The drum line is made up of snare, bass drums, cymbals, tom-toms and any percussion instrument that can be carried. The color guard is a con-

tingent trained in dance and visual expression. And the pit features some stationary percussion equipment — anything that makes a sound when struck.

The two-day competition begins with preliminaries on Friday and concludes with the top 12 corps competing in the finals Saturday evening. Tickets for the Friday event, which begins at 3 p.m., are \$15. Admission to Saturday's finals, which begin at 7:30 p.m., is \$20. Tickets can be purchased from the Ypsilanti Area Visitors and Convention Bureau at 1-800-483-4660 or Drum Corps International (708) 495-0866.

Folk and bluegrass come to Northville

Folk and bluegrass music fans can kick up their heels in Northville Sunday, July 30.

The 19th Annual Folk & Bluegrass Festival will take place from noon until 8 p.m. at Ford Field near downtown Northville. A dinner/music show featuring festival performers will take place Saturday night, July 29, at Geniti's Restaurant in Northville. Proceeds from both events will benefit the Huntington's Disease Society of America.

The event kicks off with a pancake breakfast at 10 a.m.

This year's lineup of talent includes headliners Claudia Schmitt, Josh White Jr. and Peter and Lou Berryman, as well as The Immigrants, Neil Woodward,

Dennis Cyprian, Fred's Not Irish, Pat Donahue and the Hooked on Country dancers.

Advance tickets for the festival are \$10 and are available at the Giftfinder in Northville or by calling Ticketmaster at (810) 645-6666. Tickets can also be bought at the gate for \$12.

Saturday night's show at Geniti's will feature a seven-course family-style dinner followed by Schmitt and White's performance in the Geniti's Little Theatre.

The festival, expected to draw about 2,000 people, is sponsored jointly by the University of Michigan Health Center, the Giftfinder, Geniti's, Papa Romano's, Northville Collision and the Northville Rotary Club.

CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS
SUMMARY OF PROCEEDINGS
CITY COUNCIL PUBLIC HEARING MEETING
JULY 24, 1995

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Smith at 7:30 p.m.
Members Present: Bates, Grant, Lichtman, Oliverio, Sever, Smith and Vagnoni.
Members Absent: None. Others Present: City Manager Costich, City Clerk Dornan, Assistant City Managers Brock and Call, Directors Connegans and Foster, and Attorney Donahue.

COUNCIL:

- Took no action on proposed zoning change request 3-4-95 for south side of Twelve Mile, east of Halsted and 3-4-95, east side of Orchard Lake Road, south of Twelve Mile.
- Denied rezoning request 4-4-95 for Sisters of Mercy property located on Eleven Mile Road.
- Introduced Ordinance/rezoning request 3-4-95 for west side of Drake, south of Twelve Mile.
- Authorized the Reactivation of the Detroit Edison Citizens Committee; approved letter to be sent to Detroit Edison re: electrical service reliability.
- Authorized staff to develop a joint meeting between the Planning Commission and City Council re: land development, density, and preservation options for future land use planning for October.
- Authorized City Manager to pursue grant for additional transportation vehicle through MDOT/SMART and related computer software.
- Set dates of September 29th for dedication of Ice Arena and September 30, and October 1, 1995, for grand opening festivities.

APPROVED:

- Concept of Public Safety Millage proposal for November election ballot.
- Language for November election ballot question asking voters to amend City Charter re: filling of vacancies of City Council positions.
- Resolution supporting a "zero tolerance" philosophy to control teenage alcohol and drug use.
- For the Ice Arena Facility: Logo and name of "Farmington Hills Ice Arena"; Advertising plan; Soft drink/concession contract and fall/winter schedule for ice time.
- Parade permit for North Farmington and Harrison High School Homecoming Parades on October 7, 1995.
- Executive session to discuss various land acquisition options.
- City Manager's employment contract and amended agreement.

AWARDED BIDS/PURCHASE ORDERS FOR:

- Night vision equipment for Police Department to DE Meyers in the amount of \$3,595, and Sirchie Group in the amount of \$3,650.
- Ice Arena equipment to: Nevco Scoreboard for two scoreboards at \$4,954 each; Aspen General for skates, one skate sharpener, one ice edger, and three goal frames; and Midwest Skate for skates.

JOANNE SMITH, Mayor
KATHRYN A. DORNAN, City Clerk

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
ROAD RESURFACING OF BRITTANY DRIVE AREA
CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS
OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN

Sealed proposals will be received by the City of Farmington Hills, Oakland County, Michigan at the City Clerk's Office at 11555 Eleven Mile Road until 12:00 a.m., Friday, August 4, 1995, at which time and place, all proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud.

This project consists of road repair of approximately 1.23 miles of residential roads using base repair techniques, installation of under drain, edge milling and some resurfacing. The approximate quantities of major work items are as follows:

Milling 2" Wide	1,500 L.Y.
4" Under Drain, Installed	1,700 L.Y.
Pavement Removal, Undercut and Base Repair	1,100 S.Y.
Bituminous Surface Course (1100 SMAA)	6,000 S.Y.

Plus, all miscellaneous items necessary for a completed project.

Plans, specifications, and proposal forms may be obtained at the City Clerk's Office at the above address on or after Tuesday, July 25, 1995, upon deposit of \$10.00, which is non-refundable. Proposals must be submitted on proposal forms furnished by the City of Farmington Hills. Each proposal shall be accompanied by a Certified Check or Bid Bond by a recognized surety company in the amount of five percent (5%) of the bid, payable to the City of Farmington Hills, as security for acceptance of the Contract.

The City reserves the right to waive any or all proposals, to waive irregularities and/or informalities, and to make the award, that is in the opinion of the City Council is in the best interest and to the advantage of the City of Farmington Hills.

KATHRYN DORNAN
City Clerk

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CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed proposals, bearing the title of the work and the name of the bidder, will be received by the City Clerk's Office of the City of Farmington Hills located at 11555 Eleven Mile Road, Farmington Hills, Michigan until Ten O'clock (10:00) A.M. local time, on Tuesday, August 8, 1995, and will be opened and publicly read aloud immediately thereafter, for furnishing the materials and performing the labor for the execution and construction of:

Police Storage Building

- Bid Package "A" — Site Clearance & Earthwork
- Bid Package "B" — Fencing & Gates
- Bid Package "C" — Concrete
- Bid Package "D" — Masonry
- Bid Package "E" — Miscellaneous Iron & Metal Roof System
- Bid Package "F" — Carpentry & Related Work
- Bid Package "G" — Steel Overhead Doors
- Bid Package "H" — Painting
- Bid Package "I" — Electrical

In accordance with the plans and specifications prepared by John Allen Architects, Inc., 13411 Liberty Street, Farmington, MI. Copies of the plans, specifications, instructions to bidders and Proposal Forms may be secured after 12:00 Noon on Monday, July 24, 1995 from the office of the Architect, Alitz J. McDonald (810) 474-3350. Contractors may obtain one (1) set of plans, specifications, and contract documents for a non-refundable fee of \$10.00.

Bids exceeding \$10,000 will require a bid bond, bank check, or letter of credit in an acceptable form, equal to ten percent (10%) of the bid amount accompany each proposal.

The City of Farmington Hills reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive informalities or irregularities in bids received, and to accept the lowest and/or best bid which is in the project's own best interest.

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