

CALENDAR

YOUR GUIDE TO EVENTS IN AND AROUND FARMINGTON- FARMINGTON HILLS

HAPPENINGS

DELTA PARENTING
Session stress special problems and concerns of gifted and other bright students. Session 4 held April 29 and May 6, 13 and 20. Sessions are six weeks long and are held Monday evenings from 7:30-9 p.m. in Farmington Training Center, 33000 Thomas Street. Information, 489-3389.

OAKLAND COUNTY DEPARTMENT
Of Human Services holds weight reduction classes for five consecutive Tuesdays. April 30, May 7, 14, 21 and 28, from 10 a.m. to noon. No charge but you must pre-register by calling 646-1150, Ext. 86136 before April 26.

KENBROOK PTA SCHOLARSHIP
Deadline at 3 p.m., April 26. Applications available at North Farmington and Harrison High Schools. Information, Beth Street, 661-9344.

SPRING EXHIBIT
Farmington Artist Club presents Festival of the Arts in Farmington Hills Activities Center held Sunday, April 28, 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.; Monday through Saturday, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Sunday, May 6, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. The Center is at 26600 N. 11 Mile road. No charge.

IN-LINE SKATE
Hold Wednesdays in the public parking lot behind the Farmington Shopping Center on the southeast corner of Farmington and Grand River, near the Downtown Post Office. Information, 478-8310.

WEIGHT WATCHERS
Join the battle against adolescent obesity for any child or teen between ages 10-16. May join a Weight Watchers meeting free with a paying adult throughout the month of April. A one-time fee of \$10 will be charged to cover costs for printed material. Information, 487-4777.

FREE BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS
Held at Providence Hospital and Medical Centers the first Thursday of every month. The free service is available at 476-01 Grand River, Novi. Information, 380-4226.

ART SHOW
Watercolors presented by Farmington artist Alice A. Nichols until April 27 in the Farmington Downtown Library Quiet Room.

NIGHT FOR VOLUNTEERS
Commission on Children Youth and Families sponsors a Volunteer Recognition Night Thursday, April 26 at 6:30 p.m. at the William Costick Activities

Center. Diana Lewis from Channel 7 TV will be the featured speaker. Anyone who volunteers in the community is invited to attend. Information, Kim Healy, 473-1813.

COWLEY'S OLD VILLAGE INN
Thursday, April 26 at 7 p.m., Brina Barnum Bora.

NATURE FESTIVAL
Team Farmington Special Olympics holds a nature festival May 4, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in Heritage Park. Walk-a-Thon, 9-11 a.m. Information 489-3849.

THE BIG BANG
Dr. John Whitecomb, author of 'The Early Years, The World That Perished' will be guest speaker hosted by First Baptist Church of Farmington, 33400 Shiloh. The conference will be held Friday, Saturday, May 3-5. Friday, 7:30 p.m.; Saturday, 6:30 p.m.; Sunday, 9:45 a.m. and 11 a.m. No charge. Information, 474-0350.

ADOPTION
Interested Adoption from China, Guatemala, Belarus or Russia? Information meeting May 8 at 7:30 p.m. at Farmington Branch Library, Liberty Street. Information, Paula Springer, 474-0990 or Keren Jackson, 294-1990.

EXERCISE WAREHOUSE
First annual health and fitness seminar featuring Scott Foster, Providence Hospital's exercise physiologist held Sunday, April 28 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Warehouse, 20778 Orchard Lake Road, north of Eight Mile in the Orchard Lake Trade Center, Farmington Hills. Information, 810-476-2213.

CRAFT SHOW

ATTIC TREASURES
And Tots. Sale held at Mercy High School, 11 Mile and Middlebelt, Saturday, April 27, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

RUMMAGE SALE
The United Methodist Women of First United Methodist Church of Farmington Hills hold spring rummage sale, 33112 Grand River at Warner, Thursday, May 9 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Friday, May 10, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

SUPPORT GROUPS

WESTERN OAKLAND PARKINSON
Support Group meets 7:30-9 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month at Farmington Hills Baptist Church, 28301 Middlebelt. Information, 478-8310.

Gone fishin' — in Farmington



Trout Derby coming up: Adrian Draghici was proud of his catch in last year's Trout Fishing Derby. This year's edition will be held 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, April 27, in the Rouge River in Farmington's City Park on Shiloh. The stream will be stocked with trout for the event. The event is free, but pre-registration is required. Registration is limited to the first 325 entrants. For more information, call 473-9570.

Information, 476-3404, 478-0189 or 474-0003.

MANIC-DEPRESSIVE
Manic-Depressive and Depressive Associates support group meets 7:30-9 p.m. the first and third Wednesday of each month at Providence Hospital, 47601 Grand River, Novi. Information, 596-3826.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAM
An educational/support group for children 4-11 years impacted by the effects of chemical dependency. Held Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. at Farmington Area Counseling Centers, 23332 Orchard Lake Road. Information, Gina Schafer, 477-6767.

TEEN PEER SUPPORT
The group meets for 12 weeks of educational/support sessions for teens ages 12-18 Tuesdays, 3:30-5:30 p.m. at the Farmington Area Counseling Centers, 23450 Middlebelt Road. Information, 477-6767.

No charge. Information or registration, 477-6767.

CARE MINISTRIES
Have a problem? Want to talk? Call Life Care Ministries at 313-427-LIFE. Monday-Saturday from 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. No charge.

VOLUNTEERS

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES
Boisfort Continuing Health Center is in need of volunteers to give tours, visit residents on a one-to-one basis in the "adopt a resident" program, socialize in a variety of group activities or assist with office work. Prescription benefits and a free meal available (must meet minimum time commitment). Information, Nancy Delport at 477-7400.

SENIORS

DRIVERS NEEDED
To deliver meals-on-wheels for homebound seniors between 10:30 and 11:30 a.m. Monday through Friday. Call Chris or Diane for more information, 473-1825.

ORGANIZE YOUR HOME
Tuesday, April 30 at 10 a.m. Ann Sevell, an organized consultant and author of "How To Organize Your Home or Die Trying," offers creative ways to gain control of your home. Fee \$2. To register call 473-1830.

CLUBS IN ACTION

FARMINGTON COMMUNITY
Farmington Area Community Women meet 7:30 p.m.

the fourth Thursday of every month in Longacre House. Information, Judy, 476-9074. New members welcome. Community service through fund-raising supporting charities for women and children.

BUSINESS NETWORK
Business Network International is a business and professional networking organization that allows one representative from each profession to join. The Farmington Hills chapter meets at 7 a.m. every Wednesday at Maleno's restaurant, 26139 Novi Road, Novi. Information, 642-7725.

EMBROIDERS GUILD
Meets Wednesday, May 1 at 9 a.m. in Faith Covenant Church on 14 Mile and Drake. Information, Bev Weidendorf, 474-6771.

TRUCK COLLECTORS CLUB
Meets April 28, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in Monaghan K of C Hall, 19801 Farmington Road. Information, 810-795-8261 or 313-747-7192.

PRESCHOOL

ARTISTART
Registrations are now being taken for summer day camp at Artistart. The summer program begins June 10 and is open to children from preschool through third grade both full and part-time. Located at 31195 W. 13 Mile Road.

HARDIN PARK COMMUNITY
Nursery School is accepting enrollment for the 1996-97 school year for 3, 4 year olds and enrichment classes. Call Kris Babler at 471-3417 for more information.

MAYFAIR CO-OP
Preschool in Farmington Hills is accepting applications for its Mom-Tot program for the 1996-97 school year. Classes are held Monday or Wednesday from 12:30 to 2 p.m. for children ages 21 months to 3 years. Information and registration, 626-2759.

SUNSHINE PRESCHOOL
Located in Antioch Lutheran Church on 13 Mile and Farmington roads is accepting registration for the 96-97 school year. The class meets Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings. Information, 661-2126.

LONGACRE HOUSE

RASH TO TREASURES
Donations are being sought for the third annual rummage sale sponsored by the volunteers of The Longacre House, 24705 Farmington Road. No admission

charge. Sale will be held from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Saturday, April 27. The volunteers will also conduct a bake sale.

AFTERNOON TEA
And Millinery Fashion Show Friday, May 3, 1-3 p.m. at the Longacre House. Information, 810-477-8404.

SINGLES

FARMINGTON SINGLE PROFESSIONALS
Co-ed softball league forming starting in May; Benefit Dance held Friday, April 26, 7:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. at Novi Hilton Hotel main ballroom to benefit Children's Hospital of Michigan; Coed golf league forming at Westbrook Golf Course on Wednesday or Thursday; coed softball league forming starting Sundays in May. Information on all the above call 861-9909.

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HOW TO PROTECT YOUR ASSETS
From the high cost of nursing home care, held April 30, 1-3 p.m. at the Longacre House, 24705 Farmington Road. No charge. Presented by Financial Expert, Paul Leduc.

ESTATE PLANNING WORKSHOP
Presented by J. Patrick Stillwagon, financial consultant at Smith Barney, Inc. Dates: Tuesday, April 30, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at 6:30 p.m. at the Longacre House, 24705 Farmington Road, Farmington Hills. Space is limited. Call Becky Hiller to reserve your seat at 358-3200, ext. 7150.

CONGREGATION B'NAI MOSHE

ENRICHMENT SERIES
A synagogue based in West Bloomfield announced the debut of a new preschool Jewish enrichment series called "Hava Nagila! Let's Be Happy!" featuring Jewish stories, games, music and movement for 3-4 year olds. It will start with a 10-week spring semester meeting on Thursday afternoons from 1-2:30 p.m. and run from April 25 through June 20. Tuition is \$50 per child and minimum enrollment is required and is open to the community. For more information, call the synagogue's Education Director, Rita Abramson at 768-0600.

The Farmington Observer, without charge, welcomes Calendar items. Items should be from non-profit community groups or individuals announcing a community program or event. Please type or print the information below and mail your item to The Calendar, Farmington Observer, 33411 Grand River, Farmington, MI 48335, or by fax to 810-477-9722. Items will appear at least once. Deadline for Calendar items is noon Friday for the following Thursday's paper.

Event:
Date and Time:
Location:
Telephone:
Additional info.:

CAMPUS PIPELINE

If you have news from a college, university or other campus of higher education — and there's a Farmington-area connection — we'd like to hear from you. Send items to: Campus Pipeline, 33411 Grand River, Farmington 48335.

NAMED FELLOW
Amy Deigler of Farmington Hills has been named an Albion College Fellow at Albion College for the past fall semester. She is a senior majoring in psychology and is a graduate of Mercy High School.

MUSIC RECITAL
Kara Sudheimer of Farmington Hills, a music student at the University of Evansville, Indiana, presented her senior recital February 4 in Wheeler Court. She is pursuing a bachelor of science in music management degree and studying violin.

DEAN'S LIST
Lisa Pike — Grand Valley State University.
Carla Lucas — Baker College of Auburn Hills.

Suzanne Crawford, Amanda Sili and Valerie Schultz — Siena Heights College.
Renee Lacy — Asbury College, Wilmore, KY.
Becky Thureman — Michigan State University.
Lisa Jaks — Emory University.

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NEW GRADUATES
Kimberly Dawn Bantister of Farmington Hills, has earned a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering from GMI Engineering & Management Institute.

Matthew Rauch of Farmington Hills graduated from Grand Valley State University.

Theresa Kuclo, a 1992 graduate of Harrison High School graduates May 3 with a bachelor of arts degree in advertising from the Michigan State College of Communications Arts and Sciences. She is a member of the Golden Key National Hon-

or Society and a member and captain of the MSU Motion Dance Team. After graduation, she has taken a position with the Bozell Advertising Agency with offices worldwide.

VOLUNTEERING
Students from Western Michigan University will be working on their volunteer skills during this year's spring break. Heather Jona, a freshman majoring in elementary education is a member of the team traveling to West Virginia and Daniel Storchan, a senior majoring in secondary education and English is a member of the team traveling to Florida City, Florida.

ON STAGE
Melanie Downie of Farmington Hills, a sophomore at DePaul University, was in the chorus in the university's production of Bedrich Smetana's 'The Bartered Bride'. She is a 1994 graduate of North Farmington High School.

LEADERSHIP AWARD
Terry Griffen of Farmington Hills received a \$2,000 "Leadership Award" from Loyola University in Chicago. He is a Catholic Central High School graduate.

RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP
John Pugno of Northville has been awarded the Academic Achievement Scholarship at Cedarville College for the 1996-97 academic year. He is a graduating senior at Plymouth Christian.

Arizona State University freshman Eileen O'Connell (Mercy '95) was awarded an ASU Regents Scholarship based on academic achievement.

ACADEMIC RECOGNITION
Ryan Sopo of Farmington Hills received the academic recognition of Magna Cum Laude at the University of South Florida. He is a graduate of Orchard Lake St. Mary's.