RETAIL DETAILS

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Free pumpkins at Jacobson's With every purchase from the Children's Store in downtown Birmingham, Jacobson's young shoppora can pick out a little pumpkin for Halloween. Free while supplies last through Oct. 31.

Scary stories for adults
Borders Books in Birmingham
(Southfield and 13 Mile) celebrates Halloween with a discussion of three Victorian thrillers,
Thursday, Oct. 22 at 7 p.m.
Cappy Beins discusses three
masterpieces of moral dilemma:
"Dr. Jokyil & Mr. Hyde" by R. L.
Stevenson, "The Turn of the
Screw" by Henry James, and
"The Picture of Dorian Gray" by
Oscar Wilde.
On Sunday, Oct. 27, drop in to
Jean storyteller Pam Harris
'recite shivery tales for grown
ups at 7 p.m. For more information call (310) 644-3571.

Now spice shop

The Caribbean Spice Co. is open at MeadowBrook Village Mall in Rochester Hills. Fiery gourmet foods are the specialty of owners Kris and Kim Werner and Scott and Julie Jenney.

Nordstrom trunk shows

It's a busy week for special events at Nordstrom in the Som-erset Collection North, Troy: On events at Nordstrom in the Somerset Collection North, Troy: On Oct. 23-24 see the fine jewelry designs of Parisian designer Charles Garnier. On Oct. 26 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. meet Kenneth Cole representative Jeff Miller in the men's shoe department. Also in fashion accessories, a Bierner & Sons hat trunk show from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. with representative Denise Woods. And in the gift gallery from 1-3 p.m. register to win a Waterford Crystal and meet their crystal expert.

From Oct. 24-28, an American and European designer gown show with couture buyer Michele Revers on hand for questions. Light refreshments will be served each day from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. during informal modeling of the gowns.

Search for Great Pumpkin
Nino Salvaggie International
Marketplace in Troy at South
Blvd. and Rochester Road,
invites kids to pick up a pumpkin picture to color for the
chance to win a \$25 Toys R Us

gift certificate. Winners in two age groups 5 and under, and 6-10, will be chosen on Oct. 31.

On Saturday, Oct. 28 from 8-10 a.m. older ghouls (11 and up) can bring in the monster pumpkins they've craved in their laboratories for display throughout the store. Fearless shoppers will vote for their favorite from Oct. 26-27. The top three carvers win sift certificates of \$100, \$50 and \$25 for groceries at Nino's.

Boardwalk fall sale
The Boardwalk Shopping
Plaza on Orchard Lake in West
Bloomfield holds its annual sale
Oct. 24-26, Look for mark downs
at Sundance Shoes, Hersh's,
Rears Ends, Tressa's Boutique,
Peanuts, Marguerite, La Brot
Jewelers, Zobn, Patricia Miles
and more.

New book sheds light

Two East Lansing women have penned "Ways You Can Help: Creative, Practical Suggestions for Family and Friends of Patients and Caregivers." Margaret Cooke and Elizabeth Putnam combine experiences with a child's leukemia and living with multiple selerosis to shed light to helping loved ones through difficult times. The book is \$7\$ and available through most book and available through most book

Home fashion shopping

Phyllis Strom of Bloomfield Hills and partner, have incorpo-rated both the French Rags and Don Kaster Collections in their home shopping practice. French Rags is a knit line, and Kaster offers career and casual contem-perary clothing. For an appoint-ment or more details, call (810) 646-2092.

Git Wrapping Class
Lisa Glesson of Troy, owner of
Git Wrappers Inc., hosts a class
to inform holiday gift-givers
about the latest ways to present
their treasures, Wedneaday,
Nov. 13 from 7-9 p.m. at Lasher
tigh School in Bloomfield Hills.
Glesson's class is booked
through the city's recreation
offices (810) 433-0885. There is a
\$15 fee for the class. Sources and
instructions will be shared for
Hanukkah, Christmas Kwanzaa.

Paper store and lots more
Marty Raskin opened "World
of Paper" at 725 S. Adams in
Birmingham's Adams Square.
He deals in paper memorabilia
with his specialty plat maps
from Michigan counties 1870s1920s. He also has old ads, political buttons and antique prints.
He welcomes inquiries at (810)
594-8237.

Hudson's opens Ski Zone



New shop for "peak" season: Hudson's is calling New shop for "peak" season: Hudson's is calling fashion inspired by the snow "The Ski Zone," including technical wear for the discriminating sports enthusiast and "Nordic lodge" looking fun wear in patterned polar fleece and sherpa. The shop includes merchandise for each member of the family, plus home items like blankets, flannel sheets, Nordic-inspired dinnerware, novelty items and winter sport luggage. Look for Ski Zone shops at all Hudson stores beginning in mid-October, and on Hudson's website at "http://www.shop-at.com."

Jacobson's has cookbooks to benefit Salvation Army

The money received from the cookbook will be used to send disadvantaged children to camp, 21st Annual
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The Salvation Army has collected the recipes of local media chefs and the town's best restantants in 'Etegant to Easy Cookbook,' on sale now at all Jacobson's stores for \$10.

"We are very grateful to Jacobson's for handling the sale of our book," said Sharon Rees, Auxiliary president. 'Jacobson's will not keep a penny from the sale of the books. Every cent will go to the Salvation Army." Linda Lanci, Eric Smith, members of Jacobson's corporate staff, The Townsend Hotel, Rattlesnake Club, The Lark, The Grand Hotel, and The Dearborn Inn, to name a few.

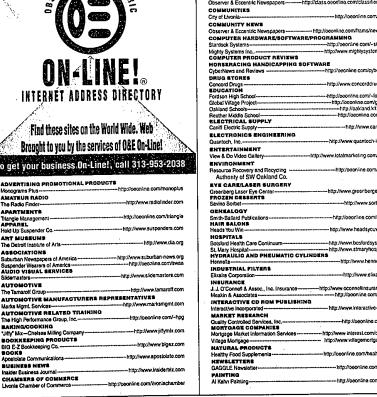
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