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■ Dec. 10 — Walled Lake Western High School; Waterford Mott High School.

■ Dec. 12 — Travelers Insurance, Southfield.

■ Dec. 15 — St. Robert Bulgarmino Catholic Church, Redford.

■ Dec. 16 — St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Farmington Hills.

■ Dec. 19 — Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Farmington Hills.

■ Dec. 20 — St. John's Lutheran Church, Farmington Hills.

Here are some statistics to consider:

■ More than 14,000 children in southeastern Michigan use blood products to save their lives each year, with 4,000 of

them being seriously ill.

■ About 70 people in the area are awaiting a lifesaving bone marrow match and there are some 2,000 active searches for matches each day.

■ Our communities need 1,000 blood donors every day to help sick or injured people, but only get donations from about 500.

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This is a listing of gallery exhibits and other art-related events that are continuing, and of galleries that run regular shows. Openings and other events are listed in Thursday's Arts and Entertainment section. Send announcements of Oakland County art gallery exhibitions to: Mary Klemic, Observer & Eclectic Newspapers, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham 48009; fax (810) 644-1314.

SOUTHFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY
Through Feb. 6 — "The Cultural Landscape of the Plantation," a traveling exhibit from the Library of Congress, makes its only stop in the Midwest at 26000 Evergreen. The display offers an unusual look at life on a Southern plantation and the contributions made by African-Americans to the architectural, cultural and social fabric of history. For more information or reservations for groups of 10 or more, call (810) 948-0487.

BIEGAS GALLERY
To Dec. 13 — Exhibit commemorating the fifth anniversary of Ukraine's independence at 35 Grand River, Detroit; (313) 961-0634.

FOCUS:HOPE
To Dec. 13 — "Feeling the Spirit: Searching the World for the People of Africa" by renowned photographer Chester Higgins Jr. at 1400 Oakman Blvd., Detroit; (313) 494-4376. Tours available.

GALERIA CASA DE UNIDAD
Through Dec. 13 — "Infinitad/Infinity," a Day of the Dead exhibit by María Estela Arnaiz, at 1920 Scotten, Detroit; (313) 843-9598.

SISSON ART GALLERY
To Dec. 13 — "Pigmented or Demented — Chicago Style" in the Mackenzie Fine Arts Center at Henry Ford Community College, 5101 Evergreen, Dearborn; (313) 845-6490.

CENTER GALLERIES
Through Dec. 14 — Exhibit by sculptors Joseph Wesner of Birmingham and Tom Phardel in the Park Shelton Building, 15 E. Kirby at Woodward, Detroit; (313) 641-1956.

DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS
To Dec. 14 — "ReDesign: Good Everyday Design from Roused and Recycled Materials" continues at 5200 Woodward. Pronounced "reUSE," the exhibit features 100 everyday products from 17 countries that celebrate

the success of recycling, the transforming power of design and a new definition of design excellence. Included are chairs made from old newspaper, necklaces from used car tubes, stationery from obsolete maps, carpeting from soda bottles and benches from milk jugs. Call (313) 833-7900.

HERMITAGE GALLERY
Through Dec. 15 — "Evening In Paris," a 54-by-83-inch work by Robert Lebron, and acrylic sculptures by Frederick Hart and Michael Milstein, at 235 Main, Rochester, (810) 656-8555.

FARMINGTON LIBRARY
To Dec. 16 — The Farmington Artists Club presents an exhibit of abstract paintings and collage by Sasha Kwaselow of West Bloomfield on Grand River west of Farmington Road.

PIERPONT COMMONS
To Dec. 19 — The Chelsea Painters presents an exhibit of oils, watercolors and acrylics at 2101 Bonisteel Blvd., Ann Arbor; (313) 764-7644. Also, University of Michigan School of Art Professor Vicky Veenstra presents "Roadsides," a collection of photographs using a "lens-less" camera to capture unusual images.

WASHTENAW COMMUNITY COLLEGE ART GALLERY
To Dec. 20 — Paintings by Angelias Jankowski at 4800 E. Huron River Drive, Ann Arbor; (313) 973-3360.

WEARLEY STUDIO GALLERY
Through Dec. 20 — "Moving Boundaries," featuring more than 30 jewelry pieces by metal smith and Cranbrook Academy of Art graduate Nicole Landaw, continues at 1719 W. 14 Mile at Crooks in Royal Oak. Call (810) 549-3016.

PAINT CREEK CENTER FOR THE ARTS
To Dec. 21 — The Holiday Magic Gift Gallery at 407 Pine, Rochester, offers unusual items and beautiful art objects, all specially created for the holidays by professional artists. Also, an exhibit of oil paintings by Mary Johns continues. Call (810) 651-4767.

CREATIVE ARTS CENTER
Through Dec. 23 — The annual Holiday Marketplace Gift Shop at 47 Williams, Pontiac, features works by local artists; (810) 333-7849.

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