

Artwork featured at walk

Art created by residents of Farmington Hills who are living with Alzheimer's disease will be featured in the "Memories in the Making" exhibit at the seventh annual Alzheimer's Association - Detroit area chapter's memory walk at the Detroit Zoo on Aug. 22. Over 1,500 people from Wayne, Oakland, Macomb and St. Clair counties will tour the exhibit at the walk finish line.

Danita Metzler, life enhancement coordinator, initiated the Memories in the Making project as a weekly class for residents of

Hamilton House, an assisted living facility for memory impaired adults, many of whom have been diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease. Alzheimer's is a degenerative disease of the brain for which there is no cure. It destroys the brain's capacity to remember, reason and make judgments.

Since March 1998, residents of Hamilton House have been participating in this program of creative expression. Many of the watercolor pieces are abstract in quality of most Alzheimer art

works.

Alzheimer's now affects more than 65,000 people in the metro Detroit area. Funds raised through memory walk help families and caregivers better cope with the devastating impact of the disease that robs victims of their memories.

Money raised from this event will be used for the Detroit area chapter's telephone helpline, patient and family support groups, education and training programs for professional and family caregivers and in-home and group respite programs that allow caregivers some relief from the stress of caring for patients. For more information call (248) 657-8277.

WEDDINGS & ENGAGEMENTS

Bradley Whitlow and Kellie McGovern were married April 25 in South Bend, Ind.

The bride is the daughter of Robert and Doloris McGovern of South Bend, Ind. and a graduate of Indiana University. She is a corporate training manager at Flip Chip Technologies.

The groom is the son of Wendell and Barbara Whitlow of Farmington Hills. He is a graduate of Purdue University with a bachelor's degree in industrial technology and is an associate with Matrix Technology.

The newlyweds honeymooned in Northern California and make their home in Scottsdale, Ariz.



WHITLOW-MCGOVERN

SMITH-GUNNELL

Megan Kate Smith and Freeman Elvy Gunnell III will be married in September at Birmingham Methodist Church.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Carol and Ralph Mortenson of Farmington and Craig Smith and Elaine Goldman of Southfield. She is a graduate of Michigan State University with a BA in music therapy and is a music therapist at Evanston Hospital.

The groom is the son of Freeman and Dorothy Gunnell. He is a graduate of Central Michigan University with a BS in business and facility director assistant of



Whole Foods Market in Chicago.

to David Johnson Tartoni.

Stephanie is an alumna of Mercy High School and the University of Michigan. She is the owner of Chocolates by Renee in downtown Northville.

David is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tartoni and a graduate of Michigan State University. He is employed by Gordon Food Service and is currently seeking his masters degree in business from Walsh College.

An October wedding is planned at St. Anne de Detroit.



ACHO-TARTONI

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Acho announce the engagement of their daughter Stephanie Marie.

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ANNIVERSARY



JASKOLSKI 50TH

Rosemary and Joseph Jaskolski of Farmington celebrated their golden anniversary by renewing their vows at St. Aidan's Catholic Church followed by a dinner dance hosted by their children.

Joe and Rosemary met through mutual friends in October of 1945 after Joe returned from the Navy.

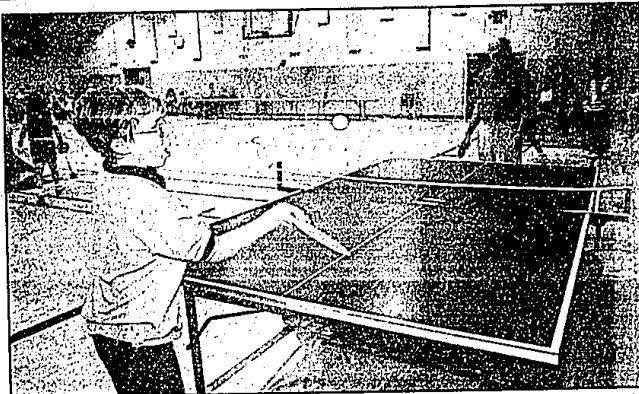
They have seven children; Gary (Mary Ann) of Royal Oak, Lou Ann (Jim) Tompkins of Troy, Paul (Karen) of South Lyon, Don (Sharon) of Farmington, Keith of Waterford, Gail (Joe) Link of Tab, Va., and Linda (Mark) Agnew of Redford; and 10 grandchildren.

Flu shots to be offered

Seniors, mark your calendars.

The Oakland County Health Division will offer flu shots 9 a.m. to noon Monday, Sept. 28, at the Senior Center. The flu shot is recommended every year in the fall for people age 65 or older.

A \$3 fee will be charged.



A grand day for all ages

Tuesday was a grand day for a picnic.

The Farmington Hills senior adult division sponsored its 22nd annual grandchild/grandparent picnic at the Costick Activities Center in Farmington Hills.

From 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., picnickers enjoyed games, sports, face painting, entertainment by magician J.R. McAtee, and of course, a picnic lunch.

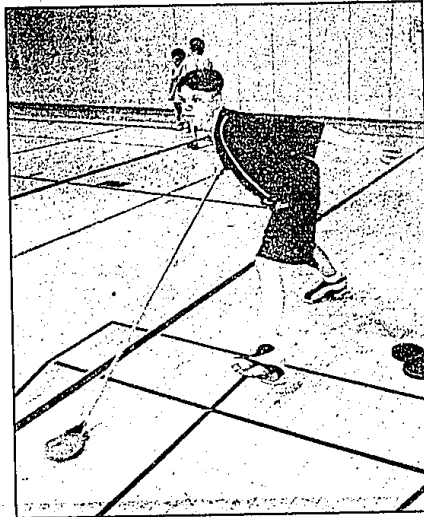
In the top photo, John Derkacz returns his grandfather's serve at the ping pong table. Grandfather Everett Bolen was winning the game at the time the picture was taken.

At right, Alex Wren and his grandpa, Elie, play shuffleboard. Later on in the day, they shot a few hoops.

Grandparents and their offspring's offspring also enjoyed visits by the Farmington High School cheerleaders, clowns, the Hills fire and police departments and a story time orchestrated by the Farmington Community Library.

There was bingo, prizes, and family photos available for a small charge.

Three hundred people attended the festivities.

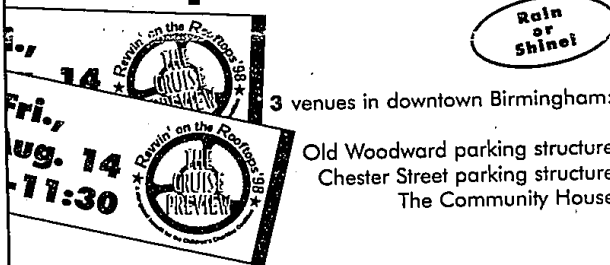


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