

CALENDAR

YOUR GUIDE TO EVENTS IN AND AROUND FARMINGTON AND FARMINGTON HILLS

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FARMER'S MARKET
Farmington Farmer's Market will offer flowers, fruits, vegetables and more 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturdays in the Village Commons parking lot in downtown Farmington.

BOOK SIGNING
David Bergman, survivor of the Nazi Holocaust and author of a special booklet entitled "My Testimony and Legacy," will speak and sign copies of his book at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 9, at Border's Books in Farmington Hills.

BENEFITS

GARAGE SALE
St. Alexander's Parish will hold a garage sale 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. today, Sept. 3, and 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Friday, Sept. 4, at the church, 27835 Shinwassee in Farmington Hills.

CRAFT/BAKE SALE
Detroit Baptist Manor will hold a craft and bake sale with raffles and a silent auction from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 19, at 30251 W. 13 Mile Road.

RUMMAGE SALE
Orchard United Methodist Church will hold its annual Rummage Sale from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday, Sept. 25 and 9 a.m. to noon, Saturday, Sept. 26. The church is located at 30450 Farmington Road.

MOMS SALE
Our Lady of Sorrows will host its annual Moms to Moms sale from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, Sept. 19, at the church, 23816 Power Road. There will be door prizes and a bake sale. Admission \$1.

DANCE/AUCTION
The Church of St. Alexander will host its "Over the Rainbow" Dinner Dance with live and silent auctions from 2-7 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 27, at Vladimir's of Farmington Hills. The ticket price is \$30 per person. Call Mary Ann Fletcher 474-3015.

CRAFTERS NEEDED
St. Paul's Lutheran Church is looking for crafters for its 11th annual Holiday Craft Show Nov. 14. Tables are \$25. Call 476-0841.

MORE CRAFTERS
Farmington High School Football Backers are looking for crafters for their ninth annual Arts and Crafts Show on Nov. 14 at Farmington High School. Exhibit fees are \$45 for a 10-by-10 booth space. Call Denise at 478-2397 or Ron at 473-1538.

SEWING FUN
Kids can make their own bean bag pumpkin, gingerbread boy, football or snowman in celebration of National Sewing Month. The fun starts at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 12, at the Farmington Hills Library. Children must be at least eight years old. To register call 848-4315.

RALLY DAY
North Congregational Church will celebrate Rally Day with a picnic and fun and games for kids starting at 10:30 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 13, at the Church, 36520 Twelve Mile Road.

MUSICAL REVUE
The Farmington Players present "Broadway Banned" a Musical Revue.

Sept. 11, 12, 13, 18, 19, 20, 25 and 26. All shows will be performed at the Players Barn, 32332 West 12 Mile Road. Tickets are \$20. Call the box office at 653-2955.

GOOD HEALTH

HEALTHY COOKING
Healthy cooking demonstrations are available throughout the month at Botsford's Health Development Network in Novi. Classes fill quickly so register early. The cost is \$9. Call 477-6100.

GET IMMUNIZED
The following locations will offer immunizations for Farmington and the surrounding areas:
Providence Medical Center - Farmington Hills 4-8 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 15, 30055 Northwestern Highway, 865-4000.
Clarencville United Methodist Church - 9 a.m. to noon, Wednesday, Sept. 9, 20300 Middlebelt Road, Farmington Community School - 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 16, 30415 Shinwassee Road, 858-1747.

SENIORS (55 PLUS)

COMPUTER CLASS
Brush up on the latest technology with a computer demonstration at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 15, at the Farmington Community Library in downtown Farmington. The cost is \$2. Call 473-1830. Presented by the Senior Division and the Farmington Community Library.

WELCOME TOUR
All newcomers 55 and better can tour the Costick Center, meet the staff and explore options for continued growth and fellowship at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 22, at the Costick Activities Center in Farmington Hills. Call 473-1830 to register.

MEN'S CLUB
The Senior Men's Club will hold its first meeting at 10 a.m. Friday, Sept. 25, at the Senior Center. All senior men 55 and better are welcome to join. Register at 473-1830. Regular meetings will be held at 10 a.m. the last Friday of each month.

SHALL WE DANCE
Spread your wings and try the mambo, fox trot and the waltz with Glen Clark from the Stardust Ballroom and the Farmington Hills Senior Program. A five-week series of classes are scheduled from 11 a.m. to noon Sept. 4, 18, and 25 and Oct. 2 and 16. The cost for the 5 week series is \$15. Call 473-1830 to register.

FALL WALK
Enjoy a fall walk from 10-11 a.m. Monday Sept. 14 at Woodland Hills Nature Park. City Naturalist, Joe Derek will lead the walk. Meet in the parking lot and wear comfortable shoes. To register call 473-1830.

BOOK TALK
Join your friends and neighbors for an informal book discussion at 1 p.m. today, Sept. 3, at the Senior Center of Farmington Hills. This month's book to be discussed will be "Book of Ruth" by Jane Hamilton.

MEMORIES AND MORE
Share your recollections of the past with Memories and More. This senior



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group will meet 10 a.m. to noon every Friday at the Farmington Hills Senior Center. Call 473-1830.

BALLROOM DANCING
Dance to live Big Band sounds from the '40s and '50s at 1 p.m. Fridays at the Costick Center, 11 Mile and Middlebelt roads. Admission is \$2.50 and includes refreshments, which are served at 2 p.m. Call 473-1830.

BRIDGE & PINOCHLE
The Farmington Senior Drop-in Bridge and Pinochle Club meets Mondays at the Farmington Masonic Temple. Call William at 474-4308.

SINGLES

PARK VOLLEYBALL
Join in for fun and exercise 6 p.m. to dusk Tuesdays at Heritage Park in Farmington Hills. All skill levels are welcome.

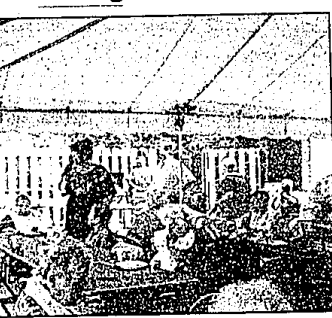
SINGLE MINGLE
Enjoy the first Single Mingle Dance of the month from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, Sept. 4, at the Historic Botsford Inn in Farmington Hills. Admission is \$7. Call 851-9909.

WALK IN THE PARK
Single Place Ministries of First Presbyterian Church of Northville meets for a walk through Heritage Park 10 a.m. every Saturday. Call 349-0911.

CLASSES

AGING PARENTS
The Oakland County Health Division is offering a series of four Aging Parent Classes from 7-9 p.m. Tuesdays, Sept. 8, 15, 22 and 29 at the Costick Activities

Relaxing



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Center in Farmington Hills. The cost is \$10 per family. Call 473-1830.

LONGACRE CLASSES
The Longacre House of Farmington Hills will offer the following classes during the fall season: Tai Chi, ballet, jazz, voice, business, magic, ballroom dance, baton, parenting, Hollywood special effects, and drama. For dates, times and registration information call 477-8404.

LONG TERM CARE
Botsford Hospital and Eldermed present a seminar on Medicaid and Long Term Care from 2-3:30 p.m. Sept. 16, 17 or 18 at Botsford Commons Campus in Farmington Hills. This presentation is free. To register call 442-5045.

DELTA PARENTING
Farmington Public Schools, DELTA Gifted Department, will sponsor six-week sessions of parenting classes to increase understanding of the social and emotional needs of highly able students and their families. Session one is scheduled from 7:30-9 p.m. Sept. 14, 28, Oct. 5, 12, 19 and 26. To register call 489-3399.

HOME SELLING
Farmington Community Education is sponsoring a Home Selling Workshop from 7-9:30 p.m. Mondays, Sept. 28 and Oct. 5. To register call 489-3333.

ADULT CPR
Day and evening CPR classes are available through Community EMS. The cost is \$20. Call 356-3900.

CLUBS
TOASTMASTERS
The Windbaggers Toast-

masters, an International Speech Club, meets 6:30-8:30 p.m. Thursdays at Ponderosa Restaurant. Contact Derek at 615-9191.

FARMINGTON GARDEN
The Farmington Garden club will meet at noon Monday, Sept. 14, at the Longacre House. Visitors welcome. Call 615-3616.

AMERICAN LEGION
American Legion Groves Walker Post & Auxiliary will meet at 7:30 p.m. today, Sept. 3, at 31775 Grand River.

HILL & DALE
Hill & Dale Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 10, at the Farmington Hills Library at 12 Mile and Farmington Road. Call Chris at 344-8239.

JAYCEES
The Farmington Area Jaycees will hold a general membership meeting at 7 p.m. Tuesday, September 8, at the Longacre House in Farmington Hills.

NEIGHBORS
The Farmington Neighbors will hold a luncheon at noon Wednesday, Sept. 16, at Glen Oaks Country Club in Farmington Hills. Call Peggy at 553-3653 by Sept. 11.

RETIRED SCHOOL PERSONNEL
The Farmington Area Association of Retired School Personnel will meet for lunch at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 8, at the Farmington Hills Beef House.

LIONS
The Farmington Area Lions meet at 7 p.m. the first and third Tuesday of the month at Botsford Inn. Dinner will kick off the new

year. New members welcome. Call 476-6257 or 471-4361.

SEWING GROUP
The Mary Stoll Volunteer Sewing Group fall sessions meet from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. every Thursday starting Sept. 10, at the Longacre House in Farmington Hills. Home sewers, machine sewers or hand sewers welcome. We make clothing for needy children distributed through the Goodfellow and the Women's Survival Center. Call Jo Markovich at 626-6776.

BNI
Business Network International Farmington Hills Chapter will meet at 7 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 2, at the Grand Cafe in downtown Farmington. The NW Farmington Hills Chapter will meet at 7 a.m. Friday, Sept. 4, at Jaz Restaurant, 33572 Grand River. Call the regional office at (734) 397-9939.

VOLUNTEERS

ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION
The Alzheimer's Association is seeking volunteers to provide companionship to those with memory loss. Volunteers receive an orientation that provides them with the information and skills to brighten the life of someone with Alzheimer's disease. Call 657-8277.

SEXEX
Sexex, a program for older adults, provides home-bound people with extra care and a variety of activities. To learn more about this program or to volunteer, call 473-1830.

MEAL DRIVERS
Substitute drivers needed to fill in periodically, one day per week, Monday through Friday, one to two hours per day. Call Diane or Chris at 473-1825.

NUTRITION VOLUNTEERS
Kitchen volunteers are needed 9:30-11 a.m. Tuesday and Thursday. Call Chris or Diane at 473-1825.

FOCUS:HOPE
Drivers are needed for an hour or two to deliver food boxes to eligible senior citizens once a month. Call Gail at 473-1826.

COMMON GROUND
Common Ground, Oakland County's 24-hour crisis center, needs volunteers to provide telephone crisis intervention counseling. Call Liz Christopher at 456-8128.

CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES
Volunteers are needed to help improve relationships between parents and children in a program sponsored by Catholic Social Services of Oakland County. Training for the program is provided. Call Francine Adams, 334-3595.

DRIVERS NEEDED
If you have some free time to transport cancer patients in your area to nearby treatment centers, call Ivory Underwood at 443-6800.

SUPPORT GROUPS

MODERATION MANAGEMENT
MM is a free self-help group and nine-step program that provides guidelines for moderate drinking and support to change your drinking habits. Not intended for alcoholics. Meets 7:15-8:15 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month at Universalist Church, 25301 Halsted in Farmington Hills. Meetings are anonymous, with no fees. Call 788-5040.

A.I.M.
Agoraphobics in Motion is an organization to help people overcome panic/anxiety attacks. Call 547-0400 for a listing of individual chapters.

PROJECT RACHEL
Project Rachel can help heal the wounds of abortion in a sensitive and confidential 11-week program. All faiths are welcome. Call 1-888-Rachels. Sponsored by the Catholic Archdiocese of Detroit.

PEER SUPPORT
The teen peer support group is a 12-week educational program for teens ages 12-18 struggling with chemical abuse, family problems, and other life stress issues that affect them and their loved ones. It is 3:30-5 p.m. Tuesdays at the Farmington Area Counseling Centers, 23332 Orchard Lake Road. Call 473-1290.

DIABETES SUPPORT
An educational support group at Botsford Hospital's Health Development Network offers day and evening classes. Call 477-6100.

PROSTATE CANCER
The prostate cancer educational support group meets 7 p.m. the third Monday of each month at Botsford Hospital in Farmington Hills. This support group provides both encouragement and education about prostate cancer. Call 477-6100.

PARENTING
Pathways to Parenting, sponsored by Botsford Hospital, is a new monthly support group that meets 12:30-2 p.m. the first Monday of each month at Holy Cross Episcopal Church in Novi. New moms can share concerns and obtain information and network with peers. Call 477-6100.

GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS
Gamblers Anonymous meets at 7:30 p.m. every Wednesday at Grace Chapel in Farmington Hills. Call (313) 882-0489.

TOPS
Take Off Pounds Sensibly - TOPS - is a support group dedicated to providing information to those seeking to lose and control their weight. TOPS meets 9:30-10:30 a.m. Wednesdays at Nardin Park Church in Farmington Hills.

OVEREATERS
Learn how to take steps toward changing your relationship with food permanently in a comfortable, supportive atmosphere at Botsford General Hospital in Farmington Hills. Sessions are scheduled on a weekly basis. The cost is \$10 per session. Call 477-6100.

CALENDAR FORM

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 249-477-9722. 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.: _____