

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.

BURROUGHS REUNION
Burroughs and Copper Country will hold a reunion 7-11 p.m. Saturday Oct. 3, at the Finnish Center, 35200 W. Eight Mile in Farmington Hills. The cost is \$7 per person. Call Jane at (734) 542-9276.

ODYSSEY OF THE MIND
Farmington Public Schools begins its 16th year offering this creative problem solving program to all students K-12. The kick-off meeting is 7-9 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 24, at the Farmington Training Center, training room 1. Call 489-3399.

BOOK TALK
The Farmington Branch Library is holding a book discussion for fourth and fifth graders on the children's novel, "Fridgie" by Andrew Clements at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 19, at the downtown library.

FAITH, FUN & FITNESS
Exercise, fellowship, crafts and food from 9:30-11:30 a.m. every Thursday through Nov. 19 at Faith Covenant Church in Farmington Hills, 14 Mile and Drake. Babysitting is available. Call 661-9191.

VEGAS NIGHT
The American Legion Post 346 will host a Vegas Night starting at 6 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 3, 31776 Grand River in Farmington. Call 478-9174.

BLOOD DRIVE
The Red Cross will hold a blood drive 2-8 p.m. Monday, Sept. 28, at the First Presbyterian Church of Farmington, 26165 Farmington Road.

BENEFITS

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

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

MOMS SALE
Our Lady of Sorrows will host its annual Moms sale 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, Sept. 19, at the church, 23815 Power. There will be door prizes and a bake sale. Admission \$1.

SECOND HAND SALE
Farmington Area Community Women will host "Mom's Second Sale" 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, Oct. 3, at the Costick Activities Center in Farmington Hills. Admission is \$1.

RUMMAGE/BAKE SALE
The Women's League of Prince of Peace Lutheran Church in Farmington Hills is having a rummage and bake sale 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (Bag sale 3-4 p.m.) Friday, Sept. 25. The church is at 12 Mile and

Farmington roads.

MULTIPLES SALE

Tri-County Mothers of Multiples will have a clothing, equipment and toy sale from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 26, at the Costick Activities Center in Farmington Hills. No strollers please.

SILENT AUCTION

Cloverdale Developmental Training Center and the Parent Energy Partnership will host a silent auction gala 7-10 p.m. Friday, Oct. 2, at the Longacre House in Farmington Hills. For ticket information, call Mari-anna Tucker at 615-9370 or Michelle Proulx at 448-0311.

DANCE/AUCTION

The Church of St. Alexander will host its "Over the Rainbow" dinner dance with live and silent auctions 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.

MUSICAL REVUE

The Farmington Players present "Broadway Banned" a musical revue, Sept. 18-20, 25 and 26. All shows will be performed at the Players Barn, 32332 W. 12 Mile. Tickets are \$20. Call the box office at 553-2955.

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 \$6. Call 477-6100.

SENIORS (55 PLUS)

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.

FLU SHOTS

The Oakland County Health Division will offer flu shots 9 a.m. to noon Monday, Sept. 28 at the Senior Center in Farmington Hills.

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 men 55 and better are welcome to join. Register at 473-1830. Regular meetings will be at 10 a.m. the last Friday of each month.

SHALL WE DANCE

Try the mambo, fox trot and the waltz with Glen Clark from the Stardust Ballroom and the Farmington Hills Senior Program.



Thanks

A boon: Farmington Hills Mayor Aldo Vagnozzi accepts a \$35,000 donation from Richard Daguanno of the Farmington Community Foundation for Children, Youth and Families, as board members John Anhut, Mark Jensen, Dennis Fitzgerald and Nancy Bates, city council member, look on. The foundation contributed the money to the city's summer youth program, which had more than three times the kids involved than originally expected.

ton Hills Senior Program.

A series of classes are scheduled 11 a.m. to noon Sept. 18, and 25 and Oct. 2 and 16. The cost for the five-week series is \$15. Call 473-1830 to register.

MEMORIES AND MORE

Share your recollections with Memories and More. This senior 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. 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.

CLASSES

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, country line dance as exercise, yoga, reflexology, antiques, make-up, flattering clothes, baton, parenting, Hollywood special effects, and drama. For dates, times and registration information, call 477-8404.

GREAT EXPECTATIONS

This program is designed

for couples thinking of having a baby or already expecting. This five-hour seminar is scheduled 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 26, at Botsford General Hospital in Farmington Hills. The cost is \$15 per couple or \$7.50 for individuals. To register call 477-6100.

BUILDERS' CLASSES

Farmington Community Education offers classes in home building, remodeling and licensing. For dates, cost and registration information call 489-3333.

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 7:30-9 p.m. Sept. 28, Oct. 5, 12, 19 and 26. To register, call 489-3399.

HOME SELLING

Farmington Community Education is sponsoring a home-selling workshop 7:30-9 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

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.

FARMINGTON GARDEN

The Farmington Garden Club will meet at noon Monday, Oct. 5, at the Longacre House in Farmington Hills. The topic will be ornamental grasses. Call Dorothy at 615-3616.

GLASS CLUB

The Glass Study Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 6, at the Farmington Hills Library.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Farmington Historical Society will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 23, at downtown Farmington Library. A slide presentation of "Mill Race Village" will be shown.

SEWING GROUP

The Mary Stoll Volunteer Sewing Group fall sessions meet 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. every Thursday at the Longacre House in Farmington Hills. Home sewers, machine sewers or hand sewers welcome. Group members make clothing for needy children distributed through the Goodfellows and the Women's Survival Center. Call Jo Markovich at 626-8776.

BNI

Business Network International Farmington Hills Chapter will meet at 7 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 23, at the Grand Cafe in downtown Farmington. The NW Farmington Hills Chapter will meet at 7 a.m. Friday, Sept. 18, at Jaz Restaurant, 33572 Grand River. Call the regional office at (734) 397-9939.

SINGLES

SINGLE MINGLE

The Farmington Single Professionals will host a Single Mingle dance 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, Sept. 18, at the Excalibur Convention Center in Farmington Hills. The cost is \$7. Call 851-9909.

BIKE/WALK/BLADE

Enjoy some exercise at noon Sunday, Sept. 20. Meet at the East Boat Launch at Kensington MetroPark. Call 851-9909.

FUN & FOOD

Join in for this week's Fun & Fine Dining after-work party 5-7:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 24, at Dick O'Dows Irish Public House in Birmingham.

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.

SENEC

Senec, 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 443-5800.

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 the Universalist Church, 25301 Halsted in Farmington Hills. Meetings are anonymous, with no fees. Call 788-8040.

A.I.M.

Agoraphobics in Motion is an organization to help people overcome panic/anxiety attacks. Call 647-0400 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 education 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.

DIVORCARE

DivorceCare divorce recovery seminar and support group meets at 7 p.m. each Tuesday at Forest Park Baptist Church in Farmington Hills. Experts on divorce and recovery topics will be featured guests. Call 476-0080.

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 248-477-9722. 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.: