

## GARDEN CLUBS

**FARMINGTON GARDEN**  
- Meets the first Monday of the month at the Longacre House at noon. Feb. 5: "Preview of Spring with Colorful Rhododendrons" presented by Carolyn Dana Lewis who is a founding member of the Ann Arbor chapter of the Great Lakes Rhododendron Society.  
- March 5: "Creative Nightscapes" presented by Sue Grubba who specializes in landscape night lighting.  
- Contact Dottie Young at 616-5916.

**HILL AND DALE**  
- Meets at the Spicer House in Heritage Park at 7 p.m. on the second Thursday of the month. Feb. 8: "The World of Flower

Shows" with Jean Moran, floral design course chairman, district 1 blue ribbon master judge.  
- March 8: "Organic Gardening and Fertilization" with Dale White from Uncle Luke's Feed Store.  
- For more information, call 601-2353.

**NORTH FARMINGTON**  
- Meets at noon on the second Tuesday of the month at the Spicer House in Heritage Park. Feb. 13: "Heirloom Bulbs, Four Seasons, Forty Centuries" with Scott Kunst, owner of Old House Gardens.  
- March 13: "Time of the Tall Grass Prairie" with Dan Farmer, science educator and naturalist.

## Dancing at Lughnasa at WSU

Wayne State University's Bonstelle Theatre presents Brian Friel's Tony Award-winning play, *Dancing at Lughnasa*, playing Jan. 26-28 and Feb. 2-4. This spirited drama looks for beauty in the strength of everyday life and exhilaration in the freedom of acceptance.  
- Brian Friel's luminous memory play is the story of a desperately poor, but never desperately dependent, rural Irish family in 1936; it is a deeply compassionate drama, leaving as much unsaid as said. The play has a haunting quality, as the Irish playwright paints a brilliantly shaded canvas of five unmarried sisters and their missionary brother.  
- *Dancing at Lughnasa* features Mack Shock as the reminiscing

youth Michael; Jamie White, Kelly Rossi, Cathy Harr, Shelley Fager and Sash Heinzman as his aunts. The production will be directed by Joe Calarco of the WSU Theatre Department faculty.  
- The Bonstelle season also includes *One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest* and *The Boy Friend*. Performances are scheduled Friday and Saturday evenings at 8 p.m. and Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m. Tickets range from \$8-\$10 and group discounts are available for groups of 15 or more. Student rush tickets, priced at \$7, go on sale the day of the performance. For more information and for tickets to *Dancing at Lughnasa*, call the box office at (313) 577-2960.

## Library group honors children's literature

Richard Peck, author of *A Year Down Yonder* and David Small, illustrator of *So You Want To Be President*, are the 2001 winners of the John Newbery and Randolph Caldecott medals, the most prestigious awards in children's literature.  
- They were among award winners announced by the American Library Association during its midwinter meeting in Washington, D.C.  
- Four Newbery Honor Books were also named: *Hope Was Here* by John Bauer, *The Wanderer* by Sharon Creech, *Because of Winn-Dixie* by Kate DiCamillo, and *Joy Pigas Loses Control* by Jack Gantos.  
- Three Caldecott Honor Books were also named: *Casey At The Bat: A Ballad of the Republic Sung in the Year 1888* illustrated by Christopher Bing and published by Handprint Books, *Click, Clack, Moo: Cows That Type* illustrated by Betsy Lewin and published by Simon & Schuster, and *Olivia*, illustrated by Ian Falconer and published by Simon & Schuster.  
- Jacqueline Woodson, author of *Miracle's Boys* and Bryan Collier, illustrator of *Uptown* are the 2001 winners of the Coretta Scott King Awards honoring African American authors and illustrators of outstanding books for children and young adults.

*Let It Shine! Stories of Black Women Freedom Fighters* by Andrea Davis Pinkney was the lone King Author Honor Book selected. It was illustrated by Stephen Alcorn and published by Harcourt/Gulliver Books.  
- Three King Honor Book illustrations were chosen: *Fresh Air* by Brian Collier, *Virgie Goes to School With Us Boys* illustrated by E.B. Lewis, written by Elizabeth Fitzgerald Howard and *Only Passing Through: The Story of Sojourner Truth* illustrated by R. Gregory Christie, authored by Anne Rockwell.  
- David Almond, author of *Kir's Wilderness* was named the second annual winner of the Michael L. Printz Award for excellence in literature for young adults.  
- Robert Lipsyte was named the recipient of the 2001 Margaret Edwards Award honoring lifetime contributions in writing for young adults.  
- Milton Meltzer, best known for his works of historical non-fiction, is the 2001 Laura Ingalls Wilder Award winner. This award honors an author or illustrator whose books have made a substantial contribution to literature for children.  
- All of these titles can be borrowed from the Farmington Community Library.

## Borders offers Super Bowl Sunday alternative

Are you tired of first downs? Pre-game shows? And what does a nose tackle do anyway?  
- If you need a break from the hoopla of Super Bowl Sunday, come to Borders to soup it up. Bring in a can of food and receive a free cup of soup in the cafe.  
- Bring in a soup recipe and 15 percent of your purchase that day will be donated to the Capuchin Soup Kitchen in Detroit. Recipes will be printed in upcoming newsletters and the chosen chefs will receive a special gift. Make sure your recipe is typed or printed legibly and identified with your name and

telephone number. Don't forget to credit your source if it's not your original recipe. Give your recipe to the cashier and she will be sure to apply it to the soup kitchen's tally. The total will be printed in February.  
- This event is slated for Sunday, Jan. 28, all day.  
- Also on Jan. 28 between 2-4 p.m., Liz Mills, local handwriting analyst, will be in the store to tell you what your handwriting says about you. Call 737-0110 to schedule your appointment.  
- Borders is at 30995 Orchard Lake Road in Farmington Hills.

## After school program open

Farmington Hills Area Youth and Family Services invites all middle school students in Farmington and Farmington Hills to join the fun in its after school program.  
- Four youth centers are open across the school district Monday through Friday from right after school until 5:30 p.m.

Kids can play air hockey, use computers, ice skate, enjoy open gym, play ping-pong or pool, swim, play video games or get help with homework.  
- It's never too late to join. There is no cost to be a member. Applications are available at school or call the youth center office at 473-4841.

## JCC membership drive is on

Adults, singles and families looking to get fit and healthy for the new year are invited to join the Jewish Community Center at discounted rates during its winter 2000 campaign.  
- General members are entitled to use the indoor and outdoor pools, Inline Hockey Center, w/leisure courts and racquetball courts (West Bloomfield only), tracks, gym and Olympic weight room. Health club members can take advantage of the state-of-the-art fitness centers, whirlpools, premier locker rooms, beauty and barber shop, massage and more. Personal trainers are available at an extra charge. Babysitting is available to all members at a fee.  
- JCC members also get discounts on classes and special events, and receive a monthly news magazine, Centerline, to inform them about upcoming events, such as holiday observances, family programs, concerts, lectures, travel programs,

Jewish educational opportunities and more.  
- Many activities  
- The JCC has programs for every interest and ability, including persons with special needs. There are sports and recreation programs for children through adults; cultural events, such as the Lenore Marwil Jewish Film Festival and concerts; educational programs, such as seminars for adult Jewish enrichment; classes in dance, theater and the arts and activities for teens.  
- Special membership rates will be offered during January and February. Reduced rates are available at both JCC locations: the D. Dm and Betty Kahn building in West Bloomfield and the Jimmy Prentiss Morris building in Oak Park.  
- For membership information, call the Kahn building at 661-7821 or the Morris building at 967-4030.



Featured artist: Art in the Corridor series continues at Farmington and Farmington Hills city halls with the works of painter/sculptor Kesham Tazian.

## Thomasville's Premium Bedding Clearance Sale

3 Days Only this Friday, Saturday & Sunday

# Save 50%

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- Plus get an Instant In-Store Rebate up to \$200
- Plus No Interest, No Payments for 12 Months or We Pay Your Sales Tax!
- Plus Free Removal of Old Bedding!

### Renaissance Queen Set \$949

	Reg.	Sale	Instant Rebate	YOUR PRICE
Queen Set:	\$2000	\$999	-\$50	\$949
King Set:	\$2600	\$1299	-\$50	\$1249



### River Roads

	Reg.	Sale	Instant Rebate	Your Price
Queen Set:	\$2200	\$1099	-\$50	\$1049
King Set:	\$2400	\$1199	-\$50	\$1149

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	Reg.	Sale	Instant Rebate	Your Price
Queen Set:	\$3000	\$1499	-\$75	\$1424
King Set:	\$3600	\$1799	-\$75	\$1724

### Euro Latex

	Reg.	Sale	Instant Rebate	Your Price
Queen Set:	\$3400	\$1699	-\$100	\$1599
King Set:	\$4200	\$2099	-\$100	\$1999

### Innovations

	Reg.	Sale	Instant Rebate	Your Price
Queen Set:	\$4000	\$1999	-\$100	\$1899
King Set:	\$4800	\$2399	-\$100	\$2299

### Feather Pairs

	Reg.	Sale	Instant Rebate	Your Price
Queen Set:	\$2000	\$999	-\$180	\$819
King Set:	\$2600	\$1299	-\$180	\$1119

**Visco Elastic Foam**  
Visco elastic foam reduces body pressure better than traditional mattresses, and promotes more comfort and better circulation - more evenly distributing body pressure!



**Hand-Stitched Borders**  
Our 100% upholstered cotton sidewalls eliminate shifting of the comfort levels and provide a solid edge that will never sag or break down. The result is a sleeping surface that is just as supportive and comfortable at the edge as the center.



**Cotton Encased**  
The innerspring unit is encased in over 16 pounds of supportive 100% cotton. This process ensures flexibility, a long lasting firm seating edge, and uniform comfort over the entire sleeping surface.



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**8-Way Hand Tied**  
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**Roll Edge Process**  
The mattress perimeter is stitched with a "roll edge" creating a one-of-a-kind material border that eliminates the border roll.



**Cotton Upholstery**  
Cotton provides the ultimate in sleeping comfort and is found in only the finest mattresses. Only the finest grade 100% cotton is used in the Thomasville Mattress Collection.



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