## Hills video producers win national, regional awards

Two videos produced by David Tietmeyer and Jacob Nothstine of the Farmington Hills Video Production Division have been selected as the 2001 National Hometown Video Festival Award winners.

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"Storm Drains Aren't Garbage
Cans," a video designed to educate the public about the proper
use of storm drains, was selected
as a National Hometown Video
Festival Winner. "Teon
Extreme," a video about a teon
program offered through the
Farmington Hills Youth & Famiy Services division, received an ly Services division, received an honorable mention.

The videos were selected from among 1,700 entries. The National Hometown Video Festival is spensored by the Alliance for Community Media, an organization dedicated to the preservation and promotion of Public Access Television. The awards will be presented in Washington, D.C., in July.

These video awards are just two of 11 awards the Farming-ton Hills Video Production Divi-sion has received over the past

They include:

■ Two National Videographer

Awards for "Storm Drains Aren't Garbage Cans," and "Adolescent Depression: Helping Depressed Teons." The Videographer Awards is a national awards organization that helps set the standards for the video production industry.

■ Two Notional Telly Finalist Awards for "Storm Drains Arent' Garbage Cans," and "DPW Employee Safety Training," The prestigious Telly Awards recog-nize outstanding television com-mercials, video productions, and films.

■ Three regional Philo Awards

for "Nature in the Hills," "Farmington Hills Police Department 1999 Annual Report," and Teen-Age. The Philo Awards are sponsored by the Central States Region of the Alliance for Community Media, and recognize regional excellence in video production.

production.

In addition to national and regional awards, the Video Division was recognized by the Farmington Hills Youth & Family Services division with a plaque of appreciation for video programming informing residents about our Youth Centers and teen information on Chan-

nel 8.

David Tietmeyer of the Video
Division was also given a Civilian Citation by the Farmington
Hills Police Department for his
contributions to a police training
video, "Traffic Stop and Racial
Profiling." The police video has
been distributed to many police
departments throughout Michigan.

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Most of these award-winning videos can be seen throughout the month on local cable Channel 8. For more information, call (248) 442-7534.

## **REC NEWS**

FRIDAY MIGHT MADNESS

Kids ages 6-12 can enjoy an ovening of swimming, movies, food and organized games 7-1; p.m. Friday, July 20 at the Costick Activities Center in Farmington Hills. Pre-register, by 4:30 p.m. July 20. The cost \$10 per person. Call 473-1800.

TEDDY SEAR PARADE

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TEDDY BEAR PARADE
On Thursday, July 19, come
enjoy all the festivities of Kids
Day and don't forget your Teddy.
Bear for the parade. March
through Shiawassee Park and
show your Teddy Bear with
pride. Register July 19 at Shiawassee Park from noon-3 p.m.
Judging starts at 3:30 p.m. and
the parade kicks off at 4 p.m.
YALENT SHOW

the parade kicks of in 4 4 p.m.
TALENT SHOW. July 24 come see
area youth show off their talents on the Show Mobile at Heritage Park from 7 to 8 p.m. Any,
kids between the ages of 5 and
12 interested in being in the
show can call Emily at 4731800.

MUD OLYMPICS

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Here's your chance to play in the mud and not get yelled at. Join the City of Farmington Hills Special Services from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 11 at Heritage Park in Farmington Hills for a day of messy fun that will begin with lunch and end in a big muddy mess. Sign up with your team of five, or we can put you on one. Please wear clothes that can get dirty and bring a change of clothes. The cost is Sper person or \$10 for non-residents.







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