

SPORTS SHORTS

WHALENS NEED INTERNS

The Plymouth Whalers are accepting applications for game night interns for the upcoming season. Whaler interns will assist with game night activities, including give-aways, promotions, assisting in running the matrix board and music and reporting game scores to the media.

While this is a non-paying position, interns will receive two game tickets for each home game along with Whaler apparel to be worn on game nights. Interns will be required to work all home games and make possible outside appearances during the season.

If interested, contact Scott Kelley at (734) 453-8400 or fax a resume to (734) 453-4201 by Aug. 30. The Whalers season starts Sept. 13 at Windsor.

GOLF EVENT BENEFITS HOCKEY

Farmington Schools Hockey Booster Club is hosting a golf outing Sunday, Aug. 19, at the St. John's Golf and Conference Center on Five Mile Road in Plymouth.

Cost for the outing is \$110 per person or \$400 per foursome. It includes breakfast, golf, door prizes and dinner. A silent auction is also planned.

The Hockey Boosters are also accepting gift donations and hole sponsorships. Gifts may be monetary or in the form of a tournament prize. Sponsorships are \$50 per hole.

Call Robert Picard at (248) 473-0571 or Sue Patterson at (248) 553-8119 with questions.

SUBURBAN HOCKEY SIGNUP

Registration is under way for the Breakfast Club and Prime Time Program. Suburban Hockey's weekly skills and conditioning series for adult hockey players of all ability levels.

Suburban Hockey will have two 10-week sessions (October to December and January to March) of the Breakfast Club at four locations, including Suburban Training Center in Farmington Hills and Novi Ice Arena.

In addition to the weekly morning sessions, Suburban is offering an Advanced Program at Suburban Training Center on Thursday mornings and a Prime Time Program at STC on Tuesday evenings.

For more information or to register, call Suburban Hockey at (248) 478-1600 or visit www.suburbanhockey.com.

HOCKEY PLAYERS NEEDED

The Farmington Hills Hockey Association has openings for its fall season. Boys and girls born in 1995 or 1996 are eligible. Call the FHHA at (248) 478-8193 and press key No. 2.

Registration forms and additional information will be available at the Farmington Hills Ice Arena, 35600 Eight Mile Road.

2002 BASEBALL TRYOUTS

Fall tryouts are being scheduled for the 13-year-old Michigan Rattlers travel baseball team for the 2002 season.

Players and parents of players interested in playing should call Jim Martin at (248) 477-9830.

The South Farmington Blues will have tryouts for age groups 10-16 for the 2002 season 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, Aug. 25, at Founders Sports Park on Eight Mile Road.

Tryouts for the 9-year-old Blues will be the same day and time at City Park (Shiawassee and Power roads).

Questions should be directed to the appropriate manager: 9-year-old team, Steve Sutton, 538-4685; 10, Jeff Zanetti, 473-0133; 11, Steve Pelletier, 476-8968; 12, Jeff Scott, 478-1971; 13, Rick Tuyn, 474-8895; 14, Jay Cummings, 477-3523; 15, Ed Loabs, 478-3393; and 16, Al Zatkun, 477-4537.

The Farmington Tornados, an 11-year-old travel baseball team, will have tryouts 9 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 18, at Drake Park, Field No. 2, in Farmington Hills. For information call David Mattio at (248) 476-2114.

Tryouts for the Michigan Indians, a 13-and-under travel baseball team, will be 4-7 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 26, at Massey Field in Plymouth.

The Indians will play a 50-game schedule and offer winter conditioning and instruction. For more information, call Mark Glerer at (248) 349-3392.

F&C REGISTRATION OPEN

The Farmington Soccer Club has room for additional players for its fall soccer season. Registration forms are available at both Farmington libraries and the Costick Activities Center.

For more information call Fred Nassar at (248) 428-7146.

ACTIVITIES

**TOP BASS TOURNAMENT TRAIL**  
Top Bass Tournament Trail will conduct an open singles draw bass tournament Aug. 25-26 on Wixom Lake (Albright Shores Ramp). For specific times and fees, details and registration information, contact Elmer Daniels at (734) 729-4792 or Steve Randles at (734) 422-5813.

**OAKLAND COUNTY SPORTFISHING**  
The Oakland County Sportfishing Association meets at 7:30 p.m. the third Wednesday of every month at Santa Hall, 1985 Cass Lake Road, Keego Harbor. Call (248) 693-4263 or visit the club's web site at http://go.to/ocsa for information.

**DOWNRIVER BASS ASSN.**  
The Downriver Bass Association, a non-tournament bass club, meets at 6:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of every month at the Gander Mountain (14100 Ferndale Road) in Taylor. For more information, call Ron Fodor at (734) 676-2863 or send an e-mail to riverat12@home.com.

**METRO-WEST STEELHEADERS**  
Metro-West Steelheaders meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month in the cafeteria at Garden City High School, Call Dominic Liguoro at (248) 476-5027 for more information.

**MICHIGAN FLY FISHING**  
The Michigan Fly Fishing Club meets at 7:30 p.m. the first and third Wednesdays of each month at Livonia Clarenceville Middle School, located on Middlebelt Road between Seven and Eight Mile roads. Visit www.mff.org on the Internet for information.

**FOUR SEASONS**  
The Four Seasons Fishing Club meets 7:30-9:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month at the

Livonia Civic Park Senior Center, 15218 Farmington Road. Call Jim Kudaj at (734) 591-0843 for more information.

**HURON VALLEY STEELHEADERS**  
The Huron Valley Steelheaders meets the third Thursday of each month at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 27600 Hall Road, Flat Rock. Call Carroll White at (734) 285-0843 for more information.

**SOLAR**  
The School for Outdoor Leadership, Adventure and Recreation (SOLAR), a non-profit organization interested in promoting the appreciation of outdoor activities, meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at the Colony Hall in Southfield. Call (248) 988-6658.

**CLINTON RIVER BASS 'N RATS**  
The recently organized Clinton River Bass 'n Rats meets their first Monday of every month at 7:30 p.m. at the Gander Mountain Lodge. Call (610) 247-9900 for direction and additional information. The club is an affiliated chapter of the B.A.S.S. National Federation.

METROPARKS

**METROPARK REQUIREMENTS**  
Most Metropark programs are free while some require a nominal fee. Advanced registration and a motor vehicle permit are required. Call the parks at the following numbers: Stony Creek, 1-800-477-7766; Indian Springs, 1-800-477-3192; Kensington, 1-800-477-3178; Hudson Mills, 1-800-477-3191.

OAKLAND PARKS

**COUNTY PARK REQUIREMENTS**  
Advanced registration and a motor vehicle permit are required for all nature programs at Oakland County Parks. Call (248) 625-6473 to register.

**FISHING CONTESTS**  
Addition Oaks and Independence Oaks county parks will be the site of fishing contests through Labor Day weekend. A valid Michigan fishing license is required. Call (248) 693-2432 or (248) 625-0877.

STATE PARKS

**STATE PARK REQUIREMENTS**  
Maybury State Park, Proud Lake Recreation Area, Bald Mountain Recreation Area, Highland Recreation Area, and

Island Lake Recreation Area offer nature interpretive programs throughout the year. A state park motor vehicle permit is required for entry into all state parks and state recreation areas. For programs at Maybury call (248) 349-8390.


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**HAVE YOU BEEN AROUND THE WORLD?**  
The prestigious Circumnavigators Club, for persons who have circled the globe, has chapters in many states and countries and offers members contact with other world travelers at luncheons, dinners and other events.  
*An Ice Cream Social is being held on Sunday, August 26, at the estate of Michigan Chapter President Lee Barthel. The cost is only \$7.00 per person.*  
If you have traveled around the world, you are cordially invited to attend and learn more about membership in the Club.  
**For further information and to reserve for this event, please contact President Barthel at (248) 476-0702 or Secretary-Treasurer Don Luther at (313) 963-8547.**

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