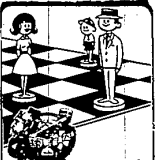


Stroke Club Offers Social Rehabilitation

When you've been through the debilitating experience of a stroke, the road to recovery can look long and painful. Physical therapy helps, of course, but some social contact also can make a great difference. That's the reasoning behind organization of a group that meets each Thursday afternoon in the Nativity United Church of Christ, 9434 Henry Ruff. Regular participants are people in this area who have suffered strokes and thus are crippled in some manner. Meeting with them are their husbands or wives, in some



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reational and rehabilitation program. Dow, stroke coordinator at the Southfield office of MHA, was instrumental in starting the program as an experiment last November. It became so important to the participants that it was continued on a weekly basis. Mrs. Virginia Miller and Terry Heaton of St. Mary's Hospital are in charge of the program, working with the occupational therapy program at Schoolcraft. Volunteers, organized by Bill Zirbis of the Livonia department of parks and recreation, help the stroke patients with various projects. Among the regulars at the Thursday afternoon meetings are Helen Susterka, Ruth Helzer and Myrt Hefner. Some stroke patients have been referred to the group by their physicians, but no official referral is necessary and any interested are invited. Visitors also are welcome. The Michigan Heart Association is sponsor of the rec-

The recent donation of card holders made by shop students at Franklin High School has made card games more fun for the patients. Another donation that

would be of great value. Mrs. Edison, said, is a bumper pool table. "The exercise you get in playing is just what stroke

patients need," she explained. Anyone with one to donate could call Zirbis in the Livonia Parks and Recreation office.



STROKE PATIENTS and volunteers enjoy a card game as activity leader Carol Edison looks on. From left are Myrt Hefner of Redford Township, Mrs. Edison, Trudy Arcand of Dearborn Heights, Opal Neeley of Redford Township and Helen Susterka of Livonia. (Observer photo by Bob Woodring)



CHERYL SHULTZ

Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Shultz of Southfield announce the engagement of their daughter, Cheryl Barbara, to Joel Steven Mutnick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mutnick of Livonia. The bride-elect is a senior in the Wayne State University College of Education and her fiancé is a WSU junior studying business administration. A December wedding is planned.

Moving Styles To Be Shown

Fashions that move - on the wearer and not just off the rack - will be featured in a style show scheduled at 3 p.m. Saturday, May 19, in the E.J. Korvette, Inc. store at Telegraph and West Chicago, Redford Township. "Swinging Rock Fashion Show" is the title of the event that will feature area girls who have attended modeling school at the store. Clothing to be shown was selected because it gives more freedom and movement to the wearer.

UF Women Set Meeting

"We've Come a Long Way, Lady" is the theme of the luncheon and fashion show set for the annual meeting of the Women for the United Foundation on May 23. The event will be held beginning at 11:45 a.m. in the ballroom of the Engineering

Society of Detroit, 100 Farwell. Styles will be from Jacobson's, and fashion writer Marj Kunz will be commentator. Tickets at \$4.50 are available by calling the United Foundation, 1528 Woodward, Detroit.

Varsity Club Plans Reunion

All former athletes (from 1926 through 1967) are invited to attend the 12th annual reunion of the Fordson High School Alumni Varsity Club. It will be held Thursday, May 24, in the Italian American Hall, 5101 Oakman, Dearborn, beginning at 6 p.m. Classes from 1946 to 1950 will be honored. Reservations are required. Call Haig Hagopian, 3940 Wall, Allen Park, or Victor J. Rizzo,

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Women's College Week Is Scheduled

This year's College Week for Women will be held June 18-21 at Michigan State University, E. Lansing. The theme will be "Women Can ... Can You?" Two major assemblies will focus on self-understanding and communicating with others and on women's potential and choices. Ruth Morrison, director of Human Relations Associates in Three Rivers, will be the speaker. During the day, classes will be offered in careers and vocational opportunities for women, communicating with children, population control, getting the most for your money, politics and legal rights. Evening hours will feature get-acquainted activities and demonstrations in collage, creative stitchery, weaving, flower arranging, stone polishing and pottery. The cost for full time participants is \$45. This includes 10 meals and three nights' lodging in MSU's Akers Hall. For those who come just one day, the cost will be \$5. This includes lunch. Interested persons should contact Kathleen R. Bufton, Extension Home Economist, 545 Wayne Road, P.O. Box 550, Wayne, 48184.

Women To Get Fitness Camp

A women's fitness camp, featuring a program of group exercises and a diet of 1,000 calories a day, will be offered by the Ann Arbor Y on Burt Lake from June 17 to 23. Women enrolling also may take advantage of separate programs for children four to 14. The cost is \$5 to a Y member, \$30 for the first child and \$40 for each additional child.

Registration forms are available from the Ann Arbor Y, 350 S. Fifth, Ann Arbor, 48108.

Son Arrives

Mr. and Mrs. Robert DeHetre of Inkster Road, Garden City, announce the birth of their son, Bradley Robert, on April 14. The DeHetres also have a daughter, Becky, and a son, Brian. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. DeHetre of Westland and Mr. and Mrs. R. Reckling of Utica.

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