

Additions for Bond School Approved by School Board

At a regular meeting last Monday night, the Farmington School Board took action on a request made at a previous meeting by Wendell Pett, principal of Bond School.

Mr. Pett had requested that several alterations and additions be made at Bond School to bring the old building up to similar standard as that of the newer buildings.

Members of the Board visited the school on Monday morning, July 7, to inspect the items requested. As a result of the visit, the Board approved Mr. Pett's request for a master clock and bell system, new doors at the south entrance, acoustical tile for two class-

room ceilings, and the grinding down of marble door sills so that pianos could be moved in and out more easily.

No action was taken on Pett's request for other items such as a small clinic, a more adequate teachers' lounge, a special education room, checking of the boiler and incinerator, and improvement of corridor lighting. These items were table pending further investigation and study by the Board members.

In laughing wholeheartedly a man must attain a certain freedom from selfishness, a certain purity, and the greatest saints are the merriest-hearted people.



FARMINGTON JAYCEES are planning an outdoor program which promises to include the whole family and is scheduled to take place in the Farmington City Park.

Namecho, John Rowe and Dr. John Richardson. The August event will be planned to include the whole family and is scheduled to take place in the Farmington City Park.

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Kendallwood Komments

By STEFANIE KUESTER 474-1420

The newly surfaced tennis courts at the Kendallwood Farms Pool are very popular this summer and the backboards also are getting a lot of practice play. Tom Davidson, son of Don and Helen Davidson of Westbrook, is giving tennis lessons to the younger set this season; ages eleven and over at 10:00 a.m. and over at 11:00 a.m. on Thursdays. On Tuesday and Wednesday mornings the ladies play will start at 9:30 a.m. Some of the regulars are Cam Stevens, Nancy Armstrong, Val Kurtele, Marcia Wyatt, Marcy Yutendale, Vayle Lorion Sr., and Helen Streng.

Missing from the ranks is Marcellie Howard who is on a tour of the western states with her family. Marge Mallen played doubles last week and we hope to see her often now that the golf session is over. Incidentally, she won the twen-

ty-seven hole tournament at Glen Oaks recently.

Vayle Lorion Sr., is leaving for the American Historical and Cultural Society classes at the Farmers Museum in Cooperstown, New York. Nancy Armstrong will also be leaving us for a number of weeks. She is going East with Dick and her sons to visit grandparents and see the sights.

FOUR Kendallwood Farms Swimming Club boys were members of the championship North Farmington tennis team coached by Ken Dean. They are Bo Stevens, Larry Pederson, Tom Zubick and Dick Streng. At the end of the school semester Dick competed in the Walled Lake Invitational against players from Walled Lake, Pontiac, Waterford and Bloomfield, winning the singles championship. He has also played in a number of tournaments this summer, finishing in a cashier at Scott's Store in Grand Rapids; in the semi-finals in the Michigan State Jay-Cee tournament at Lasky Field in Detroit, and in the quarter finals at the Ann Arbor Open last weekend.

Evelyn Scott of Craftsbury is back home after a second visit to the hospital this summer. War is becoming very quiet around the house and in the kitchen.

Len and Jack Heimforth and family returned recently from a trip east to visit friends and view the fair. They saw the Kings in New Jersey and old neighbors in Westport, Connecticut. After returning home, they packed up and drove to Traverse City to visit Jack's parents. Cathy Heimforth, her vacation over, is now working as a cashier at Scott's Store in downtown Farmington.

Marcia and Jim Wyatt, Mike, Dennis and Mary spent an enjoyable week in Cincinnati visiting relatives recently. Mary is now attending morning classes at St. Fabian's School. Dennis is playing tennis and baseball and Mike is working at the church grounds. He will enter the University of Michigan in September. Earlier this spring Jim spent two weeks fishing in Northern Canada.

THE BOB PURGE'S had group over last Sunday evening to view the color movies taken at the recent unforgettable Hawaiian Luau given by the Stan Mallens and the George Kuester.

Another coffee at Merle Glicks of Craftsbury last Thursday. This one in honor of Gale Gerolmi who is the latest member to be on Craftsbury.

Thursday evening July 15 was the date of the first inter-club

meet between Kendallwood Farms Swimming Club and Westbrook. They are members of the Northwest Suburban Swimming Clubs and meetings will be held every Thursday evening for the next five weeks.

Members of the winning relay teams for Kendallwood are: Linda Oldershaw, Debby Cairns, Denise Milne and Lee Ann Wernet, the Michigan Ray Roberts, Tom O'Connor and Charlie Kapernoris. All parents and members are urged to come out and support your hard working team and coach Bill Fulton.

The rains held off just long enough Friday evening, July 10, to make the family picnic of Kendallwood Farms a happy occasion. Swimming, tennis, shuffleboard and tether ball occupied the lots and teens while mothers set the tables and drinks not caught up on men's talk. Seen enjoying picnic food were our President Don Achtenbury and family with our popular swim manager Bill Fulton, the Bill Oldershaws, Clark Pedersons, Jack Glessners, Bengt Brogrens, Harley McIntoshes, Bill Wyatt, Dick Griswold, Bill Strengs, Fran O'Connors, George Cairns and Joe Armstrongs.

The scribe and her niece, Peggy Marshall of Farmdale, were hostesses to a shower given for another Pamela Ann Chadwick of Detroit who will soon be a bride.

(Editor's note: This article appeared in the Plymouth State Home and Travel School Publication, "The Link".)

The wonderful Women of Kendallwood Farms have done it again! Their annual Benefit Car Party was "sold out" at 1200 tickets, well in advance of the party.

Many of these Farmington-area women are faithful PSH Volunteer Auxiliary members, serving throughout the year in almost every phase of volunteer activities. In addition, they have held a card party for the past three years with PSH support and the recipient of these hard-earned dollars.

Co-chairman Mary Jane Curme and Elaine Dempster reported that there were women from all over the Detroit area attending and that over 100 door prizes were donated by generous merchants in the area. It was also learned, that in addition to the hours spent preparing for the party, many of the Farms women made contributions for refreshments so that the expenses would be less and the profits greater.

At their May 23 meeting, the Women of Kendallwood Farms presented Wm. Boyd, PSH Community Relations Director, with a check for \$616. They requested that \$176 be allocated to the special programs for the blind children in 14, and that \$500 be used for Doug, an 11-year-old PSH resident.

For Doug, this money placed in his account will mean a new wheelchair; new braces, new crutches, and most important of all - a new home! The doctors feel that, with special therapeutic equipment and training, he can become semi-independent, physically. The Women of Kendallwood Farms are making this possible! One of the volunteers, who is the parent of a severely retarded child at Plymouth, is going to officially adopt Doug. With an IQ in the eighties, in spite of being in the institution, 11½, his chances of coping with special education classes in the community are excellent, especially when his "new" family will be there to help him.

Diane, last year's recipient of the \$500 card party profits, is presently walking with the use of parallel bars. It is felt that, due to the financial and moral support she has received, she won't be too long before she will be walking independently.

The children at Plymouth are unfortunate in many ways, but having so many wonderful friends who care so much, certainly goes on the credit side of the ledger.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

MARIE LONG GR. 4-3114

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Campbell and family of Glenview Drive, visited the New York World's Fair in June. Accompanying them on the camping trip were Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lovett and children; and Mrs. Lovett's mother, Mrs. Greta Breunen, all of Kendallwood Farms. After leaving New York, the group visited Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire, Connecticut, and Canada, before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gilson of Haggerty Road and two of their grandsons, Kern and Todd, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gilson of Caryn Drive, recently took a sightseeing trip in Washington, D.C. and Gettysburg. Accompanying them were Mr. Gilson's mother, Mrs. Yvonna Gilson, and John Fazel of Benton Harbor, Michigan.

Lols Jones is currently attending Camp Michawana at the Long Lake Outdoor Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sallow of Nine Mile Road vacationed recently at Long Lake in Alpena.

MR. AND MRS. LUIS FELU and children of Boca Raton, Florida, are enjoying several weeks' vacation with Mrs. Felu's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. William Tamm, 13 Mile Road, Farmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kline and Mrs. Maude Baxter of Fort Pierce, Florida, are visiting of Lake Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren L. Pell of Cass Court in Alta Loma, left on July 15, to make their home in New Castle, Pennsylvania, where Mr. Pell will be sales manager for Shenango Refractories. Son Gary, who will enter Alfred University in New York this fall, left with them. Greg, who will return to M.S.U. this fall as a junior, and Bill, who will be a junior at Nebraska High School in New Castle, are staying with friends in Farmington for a few more weeks.

Reverend Albertus C. van Raalte, both a minister and a physician, led to this state in 1846 the group of Calvinists from the Netherlands who established Holland on the shore

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