

Eks Ask Zoning For Clubhouse

Farmington Township Planning Commission has set two public hearings on rezoning for 8 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 26. One requested by the Eks Club for a clubhouse on Orchard Lake Road affects the greatest number of residents.

THE ELKS petition calls for rezoning for the east side of Orchard Lake (the west side is City property) from just south of Lee Lane to just south of Rockdale. The Club proposes a \$250,000 facility for the site.

If the rezoning goes through, the Farmington VFW Building will also benefit. At present, the VFW is a non-conforming use and can make no renovations of its building.

Charles Lehman, Township planner, proposes office category zoning for a portion of the lots and re-zoning of the remainder to multiple classification.

Under his plan, a total of seven lots would be zoned for office and 17 lots would be zoned for multiples. The present zoning of the area is RA-3 (residential).

The multiple zoning would allow for 150 apartments. A total of about 15 acres is included in the plan.

THE SECOND public hearing will be on a request from D. H. Winegard, executive manager for the owners, for light industrial zoning for two lots south of Medbury Street, a short distance north of 10 Mile Road.

The original request was denied because the Commission does not feel that this area should be developed as industrial and it does not fit into the master plan as such.

However, because a few lots in the area are now zoned for industry, the Commission wants to make them non-conforming by zoning them from industrial to residential.

On Dean's List Hamlin Cites Need For New Office

Joseph Clark, 30419 Twelve Mile, has been named on the dean's honor list at Ferris State College, Big Rapids. Clark is a junior in electrical and applied arts.

Marzonie Serves With 7th Fleet

Seaman James G. Marzonie, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Marzonie, of 34123 Alta Loma, operates an IBM key-punch machine while serving with the Data Processing Unit aboard the Seventh Fleet at attack aircraft carrier USS Coral Sea.

The Coral Sea is operating in the Tonkin Gulf off the Vietnamese coastline.

Legal notice

TOWNSHIP OF FARMINGTON
29-21 AMENDMENT TO ZONING ORDINANCE No. 29

An Ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 29 of the Township of Farmington, Michigan, as amended.

An Ordinance enacted under Act 164, Public Acts of 1966, as amended, governing the unincorporated portions of the Township of Farmington, Oakland County, Michigan, to regulate and restrict the location and use of buildings, structures and land for trade, industry and business, for public and semi-public or other specified uses; and to regulate and limit the height and bulk of buildings and other structures; to regulate and to determine the size of yards, courts and open spaces; to regulate and limit the density of population; and for said purposes to divide the Township into districts and establishing the boundaries thereof; providing for changes in the regulations, restrictions and boundaries of such districts; defining certain terms used herein; providing for enforcement; establishing a Board of Appeals; and imposing the penalties for the violation of this Ordinance.

IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED by the Township Board of the Township of Farmington, Oakland County, Michigan:

SECTION ONE.

That the zoning map of said Ordinance No. 29 of the Township of Farmington, as amended, be hereby amended to show RC-2 district classification where RA-3 (residential) and R3 (general business) districts classification is now shown in the area described as follows:

Property located in Section 34, Farmington Township, beginning at the intersection of the east line of Section 34, T1N, R9E, and the north line of Freedom Road; thence northerly along said east line of Section 34, 129.64 feet; thence N 82 degrees 20' W, 307.47 ft. to the E line of Ruth Avenue; thence S along said E line of Ruth Avenue to the N line of Freedom Road SE 1/4 to the point of beginning.

SECTION TWO.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed only to the extent necessary to give this Ordinance full force and effect.

SECTION THREE.

The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby ordered to take effect upon publication of the Ordinance in the Farmington Enterprise, Farmington, Michigan.

SECTION FOUR.

This Ordinance is hereby declared to have been adopted by the Township Board of the Township of Farmington, County of Oakland, State of Michigan, at a meeting thereof of duly called and held on the 9th day of January, 1967, in order to be given publication in the manner prescribed by law.

FLOYD A. CAIRNS, Farmington Township Clerk
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Gardeners Plan Class Sessions For Youngsters

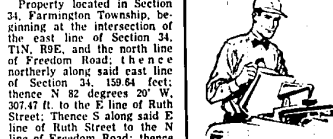
The Farmington Garden Club will sponsor a Junior Garden Club, 3rd through 6th grades, and an Intermediate Garden Club, 7th through 9th grades.

Attendance at organizational meetings is important for membership. Annual dues are 50 cents; interesting programs are planned.

Mrs. Robert Crompton was hostess to the 1967 Board members of the Farmington Garden Club on Jan. 9.

The Juniors will meet Jan. 28 at 10 a.m. All interested please call Mrs. Ralph M. Fredricks, 474-6890. The Intermediate group will organize at a meeting Feb. 4 at 10 a.m. All interested please call Mrs. Travis Bowden, 474-5478.

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A PRELIMINARY COLLECTION for the Mothers March for the March of Dimes was made by Mrs. Jan Hitebeck when she received willing donations from Glenn Chalmers (left) and David Patton (right), both fourth graders at Beechview School. Looking on was Beechview Principal K. C. Lachman. The Mothers March will be held Tuesday, Jan. 31.

How 9 Recall The War

Upon the heels of Pearl Harbor day, various Farmington business men seemed in the mood to reminisce a bit about the war they had been and what those days. The results pointed out once more the rich variety of backgrounds which make up the local populace.

Bruce Tulloch of the Seven Seas aquarium remembered that he was finishing high school in Detroit at the time of Pearl Harbor. He was subsequently drafted in June of 1943, went to boot camp at Great Lakes, Ill., from there to the Philippines, where he was on patrol duty for a carrier base.

Howard West, secretary of the Township Planning Commission, recalls that he headed a group sponsored by the VFW which tried to get news in prisoners in the Philippines. Some of the boys could not believe that their messages would ever reach their parents, so addressed them instead to film stars or fictional persons. For this reason, some of the parents never did hear from their sons. Howard was already living on his 42 acre farm on Nine Mile Rd. at that time and doing some gentleman farming though that has never been his sole occupation.

Michael Sternik, manager of the S & I Green Stamp center, was living in Binghamton, N.Y. when the war began. From '44 to '46, he was radioman on a Navy transport traveling to Japan and the Philippines. Sternik has been a Farmington resident for two years now, transferring here from New York state.

Paul G. Brasch owner of the Danish Cash Shop was attending school in Denmark in the early 40's and acting as a courier in the Danish underground. He continued with his schooling, graduating from the Brooks Business College and immigrated to the States in 1952. He did a hitch in the United States Army out in California before moving here to Farmington.

Stewart Mackenzie of the Farmington Sausage Center was in Detroit working during the 40's and has adopted Farmington as his place of business during the past three years.

Allan M. Warner of the Farmington Holding Co. was attending Farmington High School at the start of the war, he continued on to Washington and Lee University, went to MSU for his master's degree and wound up in the service on Okinawa.

Fred Harrison of Harrison Enterprises vividly recalls being at a dog show in the Tudor Hotel when the news of Pearl Harbor hurtled over the air waves. He did defense work at Chrysler's in Detroit during those years, and remembers that they bought their property in Farmington in '39 just as war was getting under way in Europe.

Ron Tipping, now secretary over at Futurum, was in Toronto, Canada, at the war's beginning working for an automatic food packaging plant. The plant was soon converted to war-work, part of their automatic equipment being used to load cordite into cartridge cases. Part of it was used to gauge sizes of cartridge cases.

He later went on to war-time sub-contracting for Otis Elevator Co. putting gun mountings on tanks and dealing with 54 different sub-contractors. Ron has been in Farmington since October '65 with Futurum and has made his residence here also.

Raymond Koenig of General Auto Repair spent eight long years with the Naval Air Corps during the World War II turmoil. He did his war-time traveling in the South Pacific from Hawaii to the Kwajaleins to the Marianas and whatever other points of interest beckoned at the time. He has been in business in Farmington since 1957 and most of his family are located here also.

Clown Entertains Pack 45 At Circus Meeting Jan. 19

Cub Scout Pack 45 was entertained by a clown as part of its circus Pack meeting January 19 at Cloverdale School. He actually "became" a clown and the club also received Pinewood Derby kits. These cars will be made by the boys and their fathers and brothers and sisters. The club will be held at the Blue and Gold Banquet February 18.

TIE SUBMARINE, S. S. CHASER based at the Broadview Naval Armory was toured by the club as a field trip in November.

Achievement badges have been awarded to club members. Bobcat pins were given to Bob Krueger, Tim Birkan, David Deadman and Paul Weldon.

Wolf badges were received by Gary Keatley, Gary Watson, Joseph Allen, Joseph Petty, Herbert Smith, Kirk Schooley, Dennis Miller and Chris Winans.

Bear badges were given to Greg Hill, David Walker, Dan Walker, Bill Corliss, Matthew Hoffman, and Richard Petty. Lion badges were received by Randy Williams, Harold Oliver and Kevin Schooley. Dan Fair was awarded the Webelos Arrow of Light, Gold and silver arrows were earned by many of the above boys and also Steve Baranay, Bruce Habermehl, Brian Tupper and Ronald Deadman.

Two Lion cubs earned their Webelos badges and graduated to Scout troops. Tom Prochaska entered Scout Troop 161. Randy Williams entered Scout Troop 45.

Fusco To Be In Denison Play

Matthew Fusco, 29648 Lochmoor, will appear in Denison University's Experimental Theater production of "And People All Around." George Sklar's indictment of the murders of civil rights workers in the South.

Fusco is a freshman at Denison, located in Granville, Ohio.

Parent-Teacher Evening Planned At S'hd Church

A parent-teacher evening will be held at the Southfield Community Church, 2122 Inland, between Birch and Inland, North of Eight Mile Sunday, January 29, at 7 p.m., according to Pastor Raymond Bayne.

Following a special music program and a message of particular interest to parents by Billy Zeoli, parents will have an opportunity to visit the teachers of their children in the various classrooms of the Bible School. Refreshments will also be served.

Mrs. Henry Sherrell is superintendent of the Bible School, which had an average attendance of 381 for the 32 Sundays of 1966.

New departmental superintendents elected at a recent annual meeting include Mrs. Carl Walte, Nursery; Mrs. Maureen Hoffman, Beginner; Mrs. Mavis Mardigan, Primary; Mrs. Charles Staples, Junior; Mrs. Lyle Appleby, Junior; Mrs. James Sawyer, High School; and Mr. Frank Oaks, Adult.

Local Highway Picture Gloomy

Oakland County roads in need of immediate improvement, according to State Highway Department Director Howard Hill, include Telegraph Road from 12 Mile north to State Highway and the entire length of both Middlebelt and Orchard Lake Roads.

State, County and local highway officials painted a gloomy picture of Oakland roads at a conference at Oakland University.

Paul Van Rookel, County highway engineer, told the 100 county and local officials that "two-thirds of our county roads are inadequate. He said that the present funds allocated for roads covered less than one-fifth of the total need.

Along with Secretary of State James M. Hare and Hill, he urged support of a tax increase to pay for crucial road construction and maintenance.

Hare said that Michigan's present revenue rate from gasoline and vehicle taxes was lower on the average than any other state. He said he "hoped" State lawmakers would look at the total picture and come up with an equitable solution to the problem.

The proposed tax package calls for:

- A one-cent increase in the present state gasoline tax (now six cents per gallon).
- An approximately 10 percent increase in commercial vehicle weight taxes.
- Restoration of the passenger car vehicle tax to 55 cents per hundred pounds instead of the present 35 cents authorized since 1933 depression days.
- Change in distribution formula for highway funds so that reduction of State and County shares by one percent would add two percent to the cities' and villages' total.

Sixth Graders Dr. Davenport Is Speaker at Science Interest Prayer Dinner

As a direct outgrowth of interest in the school science curriculum and their own particular science hobbies, sixth graders in Kenbrook Elementary School, 32130 Bonnet Hill Road, are emphasizing the fields of the natural sciences, health, and safety during January.

On Wednesday, Jan. 18, Mrs. Northrop's sixth grade held a science workshop in which students shared their findings in wide fields of interest, ranging from microorganisms, molds, and spores, to rockets and even fossils.

Mrs. Arthur Bassette, of Farmington, served as nurse consultant in first aid and taping of Gross Pointe, providing slides and materials from the Children's Poison Center for an illustrated talk to fifth and sixth graders and parents.

William Shea, from the Safety Services of the American Red Cross, brought an illustrated lecture at assembly on the subject of "Water Safety 2." The students completed the workshop feeling they had learned much and opened the way for an expanding school program at Kenbrook where Dr. Jack Cleveland is the principal.

The monthly Prayer Dinner is sponsored by the men of the Northbrook Church at the Hotelford Inn on the second Saturday night. Any man desiring to attend or to receive further information may do so by calling 474-5437. The next dinner is planned for February 11.

The Pioneer Golden Age Club of Farmington will hold its monthly potluck luncheon at noon Wednesday, Jan. 25, at St. Alexander's Social Hall on Shawwassee between Middlebelt and Inland Roads.

For transportation, please call Luther M. Duell, GR. 9-4865 on Saturday or Sunday in advance.

The Club officers met at the home of Mrs. Marie Aldrich, 20920 Goldsmith, Tuesday, Jan. 17, to make plans for next summer's program.

Golden Age Club Leaders Course Plans Pot Luck To be Conducted

A Cub Scout leaders training course will be conducted at Middlebelt School from 7 to 10 p.m. beginning January 26. The course will continue for four weeks, with other meetings on Feb. 2, 16 and 23, 4865 on Saturday or Sunday in advance.

Invited are den mothers, committeemen, cub masters and anyone interested in leader training. William Easton, a Scout leader trainer, will conduct the class.

Scholarships To Local Girls

Farmington residents Diane Schiffman and Nancy Stornott have received Michigan Higher Education Assistance Authority scholarships for the winter semester at Schoolcraft College.

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At that time bids will be opened and read aloud. Detailed specifications may be obtained from J. M. Read, Assistant Superintendent at the Board of Education office, GR 4-1050.

All proposals should be firm for a period of thirty (30) days after the reading of the bids.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to waive any informalities therein.

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