

# FARC Draws Kids For Tiger Game

ROCHESTER — Some 60 women from throughout Southern Michigan will spend a day getting acquainted with the music and musicians of Meadow Brook during the National Federation of Music Clubs "First Official Day" at the famed festival and school July 22.

Those attending will hear talks by the men who keep Meadow Brook moving, sit in on student and Detroit Symphony Orchestra rehearsals, and cap their activities at the evening Meadow Brook concert.

Official hostess for the day will be Mrs. Raymond Reese, 808 W. Woodland, Ferndale, newly elected Michigan Federation of Music Clubs president. Mrs. Ralph R. Curtis, 2020 Nobel Road, Addison Township, is chairman of the event.

Arriving on the Oakland University campus at 10 a.m., the women will have a choice of three morning activities. They can attend rehearsals of the Meadow Brook Chorus or Meadow Brook Orchestra or take a walking tour of the OU campus.

Other special guests expected to attend include Sixten Ehrling, music director of the Detroit Symphony Orchestra; Robert Shaw, music director of the Choral and Orchestral Institute at the Meadow Brook School of Music; Meadow Brook soloist Van Cilburn; and James D. Hicks, Meadow Brook Music Festival manager.

The luncheon in Oakland Center will be followed by a concert of scholarship students at the school of music. From 4 to 6 p.m., the women will attend a rehearsal of the Detroit Symphony Orchestra in the Howard G. Baldwin Memorial Pavilion.

After supper on Trumbull Terrace, they will have an opportunity to browse in the Scholar Shop before the evening performance. The concert will feature Van Cilburn playing the Rachmaninoff Piano Concerto No. 3.

This is the first year that the four-year-old Meadow Brook Festival has been designated by the national organization for an official visit by its members.

# Tests Start July 20 . . .

Students planning to apply for admission to Schoolcraft College as regular students this fall, were reminded this week that the deadline for completing the application procedure, including the college counseling test, is Tuesday, Aug. 8.

The reminder came from Director of Admissions Barbara Geil, who also announced the schedule for the counseling test which is required of all applicants.

Test dates have been set for Thursday, July 20, at 7 p.m.; Saturday, July 29, at 8 a.m.; and Saturday, Aug. 5, at 8 a.m. The tests

Approximately 235 youngsters from Farmington's southern playground sites cheered the Tigers on to victory over the Boston Red Sox July 8.

An added feature of the day was the annual Tiger-Son baseball game in which the boys walloped their dads 12-0.

Children of the north section playgrounds will see the Tigers in action Saturday, July 22. Buses will load from 11:15 to 11:45 a.m. and arrive back at the playgrounds an hour after the conclusion of the game. Children are instructed to bring a lunch.

Many prizes for the FARC Field Day, set for Friday, July 28, are being donated by area merchants according to the director, Evans Bageris.

Registration in the FARC program continues to climb, although commission officials do not expect the total to equal last year's. Cold weather has hampered many activities. A trip to Detroit's Historical Museum has been planned for the next rain-out swim date.

# Schoolcraft Calls Students Aug. 8

Application forms include a test date reservation blank, Miss Geil explained. The test will not be given after the Aug. 5 date, she said. Applicants will have until Aug. 8 to complete other requirements of the application procedure.

Students who do not wish to apply for regular status may enroll in a limited number of courses in the evening program without going through the regular admissions procedure, Miss Geil explained.

These students need only to come to the college during the fall registration period, Aug. 28 through 30, she said.

# Young Vandals Hit Bulldozer on Hill

Workers are making progress removing a mountain of blue clay from a prospective skating site at the rear of Jefferson School despite harassment by vandals.

DPW Director Robert A. Shaw said Lind Asphalt Co. reported \$1,200 damage to its equipment in one week-end.

Instruments on a bulldozer were smashed, and was poured into the hydraulic system and one juvenile was nabbed dismantling fittings with a pipe wrench.

"The parents petitioned for the removal of the hill," Shaw said. "We should have gotten petitions from the kids, too."

# Idled Train Stalls Traffic

Traffic on Farmington Road was held up for about a half hour Wednesday afternoon when a train stalled on the C & O railroad tracks.

A broken air line automatically set the brakes, and the engine was unable to pull the train.

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