

Farmington Socially Speaking

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There's always a conclusion I discover, much, much later than most people do. The conclusion I've just discovered, though I thought it for a long time but just didn't want to admit it, is that whoever dreamed up holidays, must have been a man or several men.

Holidays were dreamed up without the mother or woman in mind. Those holidays didn't bother me when I was a kid—they were great! But now that I'm a woman and a mother, there's just a bit different feeling and a little resentment connected with each passing holiday, but I still look forward to each and every holiday.

Now that you've done such a nice job, ladies, on the past holiday, take a break and enjoy yourself with one or all of these fun activities.

THERE'S the Women of North Farmington annual card party to be held Tuesday, April 30, in Our Lady of Sorrows Church. Proceeds are for a worthwhile cause and as in the past, it will probably be a sell-out. It's one of the well put together fun parties. Tickets may be purchased from Mary Jane Curme at 474-2806, Rachel Marberg, 474-7990, or Marcy Yutendale



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WILLING WORKERS — With township roads in their usual terrible spring condition, members of Farmington WHAR (Why Have Awful Roads?) have had no trouble collecting over 600 signatures on petitions for road repair which will be sent to the township, the county and the County Road Commission. Mrs. Robert Phillips, 20904 Parker, and William Hatton, 34526 Nine Mile Rd., are among the many who have been circulating the petitions.

Thayer Thanks Police, City

During Monday night's session of the Farmington City Council, the citizens and the city police department were publicly thanked for a "fine job" by Councilman Howard Thayer.

In a prepared statement, Thayer asserted:

"I should like to take this opportunity on behalf of myself and the rest of the council to thank the citizens of this city for the fine cooperation which was displayed during the recent curfew enacted by the Governor due to the untimely death of Dr. Martin Luther King.

"We realize the inconvenience and loss of income to many business people of our community but I have yet to hear of even one complaint.

"Our police department is to be commended for the excellent job of patrolling our streets and looking out for the welfare during the hours of curfew. I have heard from a few people who were stopped during the curfew hours how polite and courteous our police department was in handling the situation.

"Finally I want to speak out not only for the city council but for all the people of the City of Farmington in adding our voice of shock and sorrow (even though it be a little late) at the tragic death of this great leader of men, Dr. Martin Luther King."

Councilman John Allen also commended the police department on the "fine job" turned in by the officers during the curfew.

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