

Lithographs of old Farmington are Farmington High project

By NANCY STEIN
It's getting harder and harder to find a new way to celebrate Farmington's sesquicentennial, but Farmington High School found a real winner.

The students created a stunning portfolio of 11 drawings of historic buildings from Farmington's past. All except one of the drawings were reproduced from photographs in Lee S. Peel's book, "Farmington: A Pictorial History."

The pictures in the portfolio are suitable for framing. The portfolio will be sold for \$2.50 by the Lettermen's Club as a fund raising project.

"The money will be used to build a combination storage and concession stand," explained Jerry Young. Young is a full-time history teacher and part-time track and cross country coach.

The project has been two months in the making.

First the drawings were done by seven students in the art department. Twelfth graders were: Gail Geersens, Mark Koenig, Lynne Donrando, Brady Harris, Daniel Diehr, and Thomas Ultz. Eleventh grader Marsha Terry also contributed.

The pen-and-ink drawings were done under the direction of art department head, Ray Glenn.

Once completed, they were turned over to Dennis Zaleski, head of the graphics department.

"The students did all the photography and the type at the bottom of the pictures, explained Zaleski.



"I did the actual printing with the aid of one student, Charles Audette, because I felt that it needed to be as professional as possible."

With the completion of the printing, the project went to the retailing department. The Lettermen are expected to be prime salesmen.

Over 3,000 copies were printed and will be on sale in the school's retailing department. Also selling them are members of the Farmington Historical Society.



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Dan Diehr, Lynne Donrando and Mark Koenig look at the lithographs made as a class project.



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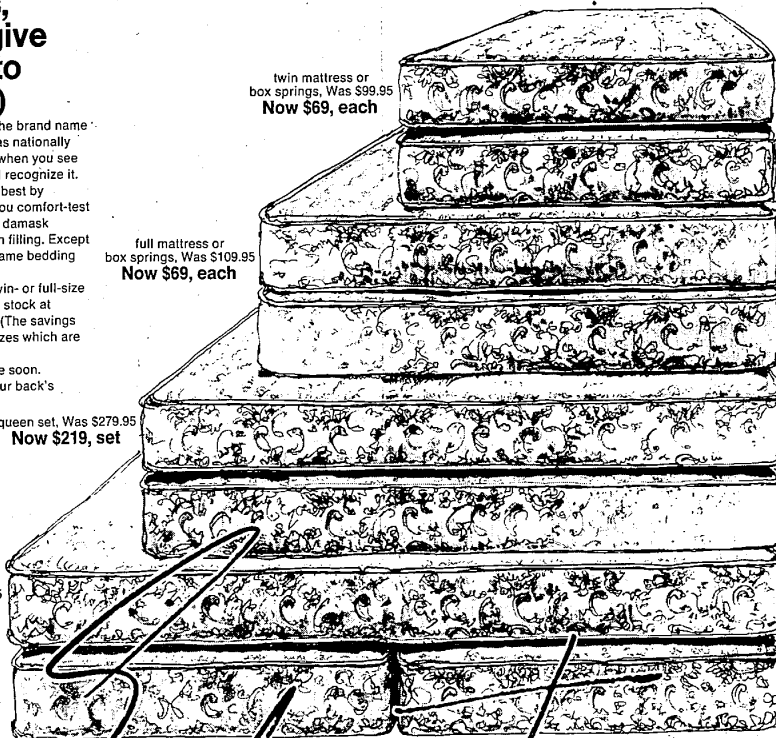
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Writing contest deadline March 31

Deadline for entries in the Orchard Ridge Campus (OCC) English Department's second annual writing contest is nearing. Entries in the four categories—poetry, drama, essay and short story—must be postmarked by midnight, Sunday, March 31.

Oakland County High School students may enter the high school division, while any other county resident may enter the Adult Division. There is a \$1.00 entry fee and prizes of \$10 will be awarded first place winners in the four categories. Proceeds from the contest will be contributed to the Orchard Ridge Child Play Center.

Entrance forms and complete information sheets are available from Mrs. Linda Yessik, English Department, Orchard Ridge Campus, Farmington Hills, 647-9400, ext. 464.

6 are honored as Eagle scouts

Troop 389 in Farmington awarded the coveted Eagle award to six troop members recently at a ceremony at Nardin Park Methodist Church.

Awarded the honor were Douglas Schultz, Richard Jacobs, Steven Martin, Kevin Johnson, Skip Dratow and Mark Torigan.

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