

Teens aid promotion of interest in music

By LORRAINE McCLISH

Concert-goers who are buying refreshments during the "summer in the Park Series" have probably been served by members of the Glockenspiels. The activity is an eight-week fund raising project, taken on by the Farmington Musicals' junior group whose aim is to further the interest of music in the community.

But at the concert on Sunday, July 20, eight of their number will be on stage, after putting together a new woodwind ensemble which will perform them for the first time.

The Glockenspiel ensemble will share the bill on "Youth Day" with Solo Dancers, the O. E. Dunkel Choir and the Plymouth Pipe and Drum Corps for the program that gets under way at 4 p.m.

IT WILL PROBABLY be one of the last performances Debbie Cross shares with the group. She's the outgoing president, on her way to study music at Schoolcraft College next fall, and will no longer fill the membership requirements which limit members to those who are in from seventh to 12th grades.

She turned the presidency over to Ruth Kowaleski this spring, a junior at Our Lady of Mercy High School, but not before new by-laws were written.

"There were too many jobs to do and too few officers. We added new officers and new chairmen to spread out some of the work," Miss Cross said.

Both of the girls are flutists. (Miss Kowaleski also plays piccolo) and both are members of the Farmington Community Concert Band. They are both in the new woodwind ensemble, which will be playing a varied score, from classic to pop.

"All of our members," Miss Kowa-

leski said, "are affiliated with some bands or choruses in addition to school music groups. We're all interested in developing our musical talent and interested in fulfilling the purpose of the group."

WHEN THE GIRLS began talking about getting new members into the Glockenspiels, Miss Cross said, "We do have some outstanding kids (music-wise) and I think it scares some of the others away. They think they have to be really good. They think we're going to demand that they play for us and we have high standards or something they can't meet."

The girls insist this is not the case. "We have a program chairman who arranges programs, mostly by our members, at every meeting, but nobody is forced to play. There are plenty of things to do to promote music interest. We want active members who are just interested in music," Miss Kowaleski said.

Within the Glockenspiels there are small ensembles of many kinds "not one big Glockenspiel orchestra," and members may join these or even create new ones.

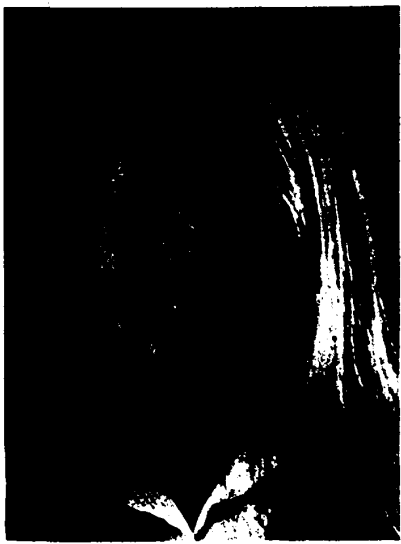
THE MONEY THAT they are raising now will go towards their one big event of the year, the scholarship competition limited to members only. Last year they raised \$350 to further music education among themselves.

That money was raised through bake sales, "selling refreshments at every local concert we know about," holding rummage sales of their own, and setting up their own booth at their parent organization's rummage sale, "Dollars for Scholars."

The Glockenspiels hold meetings once a month, from September through May, in University Hills Christian Church.



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JOE SMOTHERMAN



Farmington hair stylist brings home top prize

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Keith Jones has been a walking advertisement for his barber since his new hair style won a trophy for Joe Smotherman who works out of Gino's in Farmington.

Smotherman took first prize in the "free style" category for men's hair styling in state competition this spring sponsored by the Barber's Union of Michigan.

Jones, who served as model for the competition, had two or three inches

of hair clipped and styled during the 50 minutes allotted to entrants during the contest held in June at the Troy Hilton.

Smotherman called the styling a "geometric layer cut shaped to the bone structure of the model) so each cut comes out different. No two heads are exactly the same so no two cuts are exactly the same."

Jones said he had no qualms about going into the contest. "I have full faith and trust in my barber, but it

did change my appearance drastically and friends keep asking me, 'what did you do, what did you do?'"

JONES HAS BEEN a client of Smotherman's for about two years and Smotherman turned hair stylist a few years ago, about the same time "we started differentiating between stylists and barbers. He has taken one other prize, a third place, three years ago.

The bulk of the requests that come to him now, he says, is for a style

that "is short but gives the appearance of looking long."

He has just had a permanent for a "natural look that doesn't demand any upkeep but it can't be done," he said, "without first having a good cut." And though most of his clients are asking for a shorter cut, "there are very few asking for a sculptured cut."

Because of his win, Smotherman is now an automatic contender in the international competition which will be held in September in Chicago.

Community Calendar

COMMUNITY CONCERT BAND

Tuesday, July 15: "Summer in the Park" continues with the Farmington Community Concert Band in Shiawassee Park, 7:30 p.m. No charge.

BOOK DISCUSSION

Thursday, July 17: A discussion of Moby Dick by Herman Melville leads off the Thursday Book Discussion series sponsored by the Farmington Public Libraries at 7:30 p.m. No charge.

FLINT COMMUNITY CONCERT BAND

Thursday, July 17: "Summer in the Park" continues with the Flint Community Concert Band in Shiawassee Park, 7:30 p.m. No charge.

FATHER-SON OPEN TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Friday, Saturday and Sunday, July 18-20: Father-son open tennis tournament in Southdowns Tennis Club on

Friday from 4-8 p.m., on Saturday from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. and Sunday from 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

CHICKEN BARBEQUE

Sunday, July 20: Chicken barbeque in the Masonic Temple, served from noon-4 p.m.

LILY SHOW

Saturday and Sunday, July 19-20: Lily show, sponsored by the Michigan Regional Lily Society in Building "J" on the Orchard Ridge Campus of Oakland Community College, on Saturday from 2-9 p.m. and Sunday, from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. No charge.

MEADOW BROOK MUSIC FESTIVAL

Sunday, July 20: Bus leaves the Farmington Community Center for the performance of Cleo Laine, jazz vocalist, at Meadow Brook at 8:15 p.m. Package priced tickets includes transportation and seat in the pavilion. Reservations through the center are necessary.

CHICKEN BARBEQUE

Sunday, July 20: Chicken barbeque in the Masonic Temple, served from noon-4 p.m.

YOUTH DAY

Sunday, July 20: "Summer in the Park" continues with Youth Day featuring The Glockenspiels, Solo Dancers, Plymouth Pipe and Drum Corps and the O. E. Dunkel choir in Shiawassee Park, 4 p.m. No charge.

MISS FARMINGTON PRELIMINARY

Monday, July 21: Preliminaries for selecting 1975's Miss Farmington in Vladimir's begins at 6 p.m.

SUMMER IN THE PARK

Tuesday, July 22: "Summer in the Park" continues with program to be arranged in Shiawassee Park, 7:30 p.m. No charge.

FOUNDERS FESTIVAL HIGH-LIGHTS

Wednesday, July 23: salad luncheon and card party in the Masonic Temple begins at 11:30 a.m. Farmington Hills police and fire equipment display in Kendallwood Center from noon-4 p.m. Pasta supper in the Masonic Temple from 5-7 p.m. Miss Farmington 1975 finals in Vladimir's, at 6 p.m. Concert by the Franklin Village Brass Band in the Downtown Shopping Center begins at 8 p.m. The band also will provide background music for the presentation of Miss Farmington 1975, in the Downtown Shopping Center 8-45 p.m.

CRAFTERS CORNERS

Thursday through Saturday, July 24-26: All crafts on display throughout Founders Festival will be housed in Crafters Corners in the Masonic Temple, from 9 a.m.-9 p.m. each day.

HELICOPTER RIDES

Thursday through Sunday, July 24-

27: Helicopter rides from the grounds of Dunek Junior High School begins at noon each day.

OX ROAST

Thursday through Saturday, July 24-26: Ox roast, sponsored by the Farmington Elks, in the Downtown Shopping Center from 10 a.m.-10 p.m. each day.

BINGO

Thursday through Saturday, July 24-26: Bingo games run continuously from noon-10 p.m. in Downtown Shopping Center.

FOUNDERS FESTIVAL HIGH-LIGHTS

Thursday, July 24: In Downtown Shopping Center, Orchard Ridge Children's Players at noon, Farmington and Farmington roads on Friday at 8 p.m., on Saturday at 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Advance tickets available at Blaney's Ranch House, 2833 Grand River, are less expensive than those bought at the gate.

Sweet Adelines of Farmington Hills from 7:30-8:30 p.m. In Masonic Temple, old-fashioned smorgasbord served from 5-7 p.m. In World Wide Center, auction from 6-9 p.m. In First United Methodist Church, old-fashioned hymn sing begins at 7:30 p.m.

CARNIVAL

Thursday through Saturday, July 24-26: Carnival, sponsored by Kiwanis Club of North Farmington, in Kendallwood Center on Thursday from noon-10 p.m. On Friday and Saturday from 10 a.m.-10 p.m.

RODEO

Friday and Saturday, July 25-26: World Championship Rodeo sponsored by the Farmington Area Jaycees on the southwest corner of Twelve Mile and Farmington roads on Friday at 8 p.m., on Saturday at 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Advance tickets available at Blaney's Ranch House, 2833 Grand River, are less expensive than those bought at the gate.