

# Farmington Socially Speaking

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Friends toasted a remarkable woman, Helen Cope of Glen Cove Drive, on her eightieth birthday. The grand occasion was celebrated Oct. 28 in the home of Norma Peters, where a luncheon was planned.

Mrs. Cope is a long-time resident of Farmington and past president of the American Association of University Women in Farmington. Friends say she is an active, remarkable person. We, of Farmington, wish to extend our belated birthday greetings.

ON A 10-DAY hunt in the Shoshone National Forest, near Meeteetse, Wyoming, were Ray Arvidson Sr., of Quail Hollow and his son, Ray Arvidson Jr., of Plymouth. They hunted on horseback under the capable guidance of Tuff Remmer, a rancher of Meeteetse, in the mountainous area, 10,000 feet

above sea level, where there was lots of snow and the temperature was eight below zero in the early hours of the morning. When the day progressed, the snow melted on the sunny side of the mountain.

The Arvidsons brought back two deer and two elk, packed in dry ice, in an insulated trailer they had prepared before the journey. So, you are invited to the Arvidsons for an elk cook-out but don't tell them I said so.

The Nine-Out Club of Farmington recently enjoyed a Nine-Out at the Raleigh House where the magnificent part of the dinner was the standing rib

dinner, a specialty of a Swiss chef. Among those dancing into the early hours of the morning were: Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Palizzi, Mr. and Mrs. Carl

Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. Luc Martini, Mr. and Mrs. Al Little, Mr. and Mrs. Hal McDavid, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Riggs, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. Dickwood, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bulman, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Steggle, Mr. and Mrs. Marden Baker, Mr. and Mrs. John McDougall, Mr. and Mrs. John Haine, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Passfield, Mr. and Mrs. John Harward, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Norven, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jewsbury, Mr. and Mrs. McCrumb, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Anderson and others.

Dick and Doris Knop, formerly of Canterbury Commons, came into town, to guest with the John Passfields of Foxgrove and also to attend the Nine-Out Club party as former members of the group.

BRUCE AND LOIS McALLISTER entertained 13 couples at a Halloween costume party Saturday evening, Nov. 1.

The party started in their dunebuggy 96-year-old stone basement. After a few of the taller members of the party banged their heads on steam pipes, the party moved upstairs for the rest of the evening.

Ruth Simmons, dressed in black beaded tights, came as a trapeze artist and won first place in the women's division. Her husband came as a lion tamer.

Wally Kraft came as a big gypsy. His black horn-rimmed glasses and three-inch plastic nose half of water won him first place for the men. Special acclaim went to Marion Gusmano who came as a mafia reject in a 1945 suit with the entire back cut out. John Allen was awarded a special prize for coming at all.

Judy and David Yates received special mention from the hostess for the most official costume at the party. Judy had made matching brocade oriental conical and wigs which were beautiful.



CENTER RESIDENTS - They look very solemn, but the Hagedorn family from Germany are happy as the new caretakers at the Farmington Community Center. From left are Manfred, Stefan, and the mother of the family, Jutta. In back is Joachim.

(Evert photo)

## German Couple Keeps Center Spick and Span

FARMINGTON That spick and span look at Farmington Community Center is due to the efforts of a live-in family, the Hagedorns. Manfred, Jutta, and their two boys, Joachim, 5, and Stefan, 7, arrived from Germany last summer.

A brother of Jutta's, who lives in Farmington, heard of the center's need for someone to keep house and thought of his sister's family.

Even though the boys were kept busy at first preparing the big house ready for its official opening.

Pupils at Alameda School, the boys find it far different from their previous life in Westfalen. There, Stefan attended school for only three hours a day but had to spend that much more time at home with his studies. There was no time for sports and no school bus to take him back and forth.

Here life is more carefree,

Room For More At Center

FARMINGTON There are still some openings for Mrs. von Rosen's two-session holiday workshop to be held Nov. 19 and Dec. 5 in the Farmington Community Center, also for Beginners' Bridge on Thursdays from 1 to 3 p.m. An intermediate class will be started if requested.

Joseph Raleff, a professor on the faculty at Julliard School of Music, will conduct a recital demonstration on Nov. 20, under the joint sponsorship of Oakland Community College and the Farmington Arts Council.

Mrs. Irene MacKinnon can accept more members for the three sessions on creative crafts still remaining in her series of classes. They will include instructions on covering shoes, and creating handsome holiday ornaments from such everyday items as newspapers and eggshells.

A ballet class will be started especially for morning kindergartners on Mondays at 2 p.m. and there is room for more pupils in the four to six age bracket in the late afternoon. Information on all events may be had by calling Mrs. Alberta Taylor at 474-0970.

There are still openings in the Weight Watchers class which meets from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. on Tuesdays.

### Thank Teens

EDITOR: I wish to publicly thank the 40 Farmington Junior High School students for participating in the Teen Clean-up on Nov. 2 from 1-4 p.m.

These dedicated teens cleaned-up areas in the Downtown, Plaza and Bel-Air Shopping Centers.

The students are to be commended for their cooperation and effort in this community endeavor, and giving up a Sunday afternoon to help "Keep Farmington Beautiful."

Many thanks also to the City DPW Department, Bel-Air Drugs, Green's Hamburgers, and the Historical Society for their contribution to the Teen Clean-up.

MRS. JOHN RICHARDSON, Chairman, City of Farmington Beautification Committee

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By Joy Stokan

Renting equipment is a must for those of you who are planning to try skiing for the first time. It will allow you to decide whether or not you like skiing enough to warrant investment. Renting can also let you experiment with different types of equipment and see what suits you.

It is important when renting to be sure that the equipment is in good condition. An experienced skier will be able to give you a good idea of what to look for. Do not let a salesperson tell you that top notch equipment when properly fitted, and secured, the learning process of beginning skiers.

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## Supervisors Approve \$29.9 Million Budget

The Oakland County Board of Supervisors, at their meeting of Nov. 6, adopted the 1970 county budget after amending it to provide \$29,900,000 for Senior Citizens' Programs to be implemented by the O.C.C.E.O. subject to approval of such programs by the Human Resources Committee, the Finance Committee and the full Board of Supervisors.

The total budget amount for 1970 is \$29,954,644 which includes the operating budget and the salaries budget.

Also approved at the meeting was an appropriation of \$8,500 which represents the Oakland County share of the \$125,000 needed to complete the \$4.5 million TALUS (Transportation and Land Use Study) by Jan. 1. Six counties in the Southeastern Michigan Region, which sum has been exhausted, will share proportionately in the cost needed to complete the study.

Charles B. Edwards Jr., chairman of the Oakland County Board of Supervisors, presented the county's check of \$8,500 to William L. Mainland, chairman of the Southeastern Michigan Council of Governments, at the council's general assembly meeting on Nov. 6, in the supervisor's auditorium in the County Service Center.

The Human Resources Committee of the Oakland County Board of Supervisors took action at their meeting of Nov. 7 to recommend to the board of supervisors that an additional appropriation of \$25,000 be made for ADC emergency cash.

Previously the board had appropriated \$90,000 which sum has been exhausted.



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