

community calendar

● **YMCA REGISTRATION** Monday, Jan. 4: Registration for all classes offered in Farmington YMCA's winter term begins this date. Persons who did not receive a brochure can have one sent by calling the Y, 553-4020. All classes begin the week of Jan. 11.

● DOG OBEDIENCE

Monday and Wednesday, Jan. 4 and 6: Registrations taken for all-breed beginners' dog obedience training at 7 p.m. Monday, and for all-breed advanced dog obedience training at 7 p.m. Wednesday in American Legion Post, 31775 Grand River Ave. Classes are sponsored by Detroit German Shepherd Dog Obedience Training Club Inc. Persons attending the Monday session should not bring their dog. Those attending the Wednesday session are asked to take their dog. Inquiries taken by Theima Gothan, 935-4225.

● STOP-SMOKING CLINIC

Monday through Friday, Jan. 4-8: Stop-Smoking Clinic led by Dr. Arthur Weaver at 7:30 p.m. each evening in Franklin High School, 31005 Joy Road, Livonia. Registration is not necessary. Donation will be asked on last evening of the clinic.

● BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 4-5: Registrations for Adult Men's "A" Basketball teams taken by Farmington Hills Parks and Recreation Office, 31555 11 Mile Road, for team play which begins Jan. 7. Fee payable with in-person registration.

● EUROPE BY TRAIN

Wednesday, Jan. 6: "Europe by Train," continues Novi Lions' Travel Adventure Series at 7:30 p.m. in Novi High School, Taft and 10 Mile Roads. Admission of \$3 asked at the door.

● DISPLACED HOMEMAKER

Wednesday, Jan. 6: Program at 9:30 a.m. in Women Center, Room 308, Orchard Ridge Campus, Oakland Community College, spells out eligibility requirements for divorced and widowed women interested in joining the Displaced Homemaker Program which begins the week of Jan. 11. There is no charge for the six-week class, which also offers tuition assistance for those qualified who wish to re-enter school after completing the program.

● MOTHERS-BABIES EXERCISE

Wednesday, Jan. 6: Postpartum class of exercise for mothers and babies or small children begins at 10 a.m. in Memorial Church of Christ, 35475 Five Mile Road, Livonia. Six-week class is sponsored by Lamaze Childbirth Education Association. Fee of \$22 includes babysitting for other children. Registrations taken by Yvonne Bouchard, 464-1215.

● PREPARED CHILDBIRTH

Thursday, Jan. 7: Classes in the LaMaze method of prepared childbirth begin at 7:30 p.m. and continue for seven Thursdays in Shiawassee Center, 30415 Shiawassee, sponsored by Professional Associates in Childbirth Education. Early registration is encouraged for those who expect a birth within the next five or six months by calling 425-3750.

● PRESCHOOL NIGHT

Thursday, Jan. 7: Directors of 19 area day care and nursery centers set up a mart for parents who are shopping for preschools, from 7-9 p.m. in Farmington Hills Community Library, 12 Mile Road, east of Farmington Road. No charge. Sponsored by Farmington Area Preschool Council.

● CENTER REGISTRATION

Friday, Jan. 8: Arts and crafts instructors show samples of their work and answer questions from guests from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. when in-person registration opens for Farmington Community Center's winter term of classes, workshops and special events. In-person registration continues in the center, on Farmington Road north of 10 Mile Road until all class loads are filled. Most classes begin the week of Jan. 25.

● PAINTED SURFACES

Saturday, Jan. 9: "Painted Surfaces," invitational show of clay works by ten ceramic artists, opens with reception

from 2-5 p.m. in Birmingham Bloomfield Art Association, 1516 S. Cranbrook Road, Birmingham. Exhibit remains through Jan. 30. No charge.

● SWEET ADELINES CONCERT

Saturday, Jan. 9: Farmington Hills Sweet Adeline Chorus in concert at 8 p.m. in Our Lady of Mercy High School, corner of 11 Mile and Middlebelt. Donation is \$5, or \$3 for seniors and students, at the door.

● THE NEW PANAMA

Monday, Jan. 11: "The New Panama" continues Kiwanis Travel and Adventure Series at 8 p.m. in Louis E. Schmidt Auditorium, Clarenceville High School, Middlebelt between Seven and Eight Mile roads. Tickets available at the door.

● THE JUGGLING ACT

Tuesday, Jan. 12: "Working Parent from the Child's Viewpoint" leads off "The Juggling Act: Issues Facing the Employed Parent," a seven-part series sponsored by MSU Cooperative Extension Service, Farmington Youth Assistant and OCC Women Center at 7:45 p.m. in Nardin Park United Methodist Church, 29857 11 Mile Road. Admission of \$1 asked at the door.

● READING AND WRITING

Wednesday, Jan. 13: "Waldorf Methods for Reading and Writing," demonstration of imaginative use of stories for teaching and reading skills, at 7:30 p.m. in Waldorf Kinder House, 16945 14 Mile Road, Birmingham. No charge.

● BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE

Thursday, Jan. 14: Farmington Beautification Committee regular monthly meeting at 8 p.m. in Farmington City Hall on Liberty Street. Open to all interested persons.

● OPEN HOUSE

Thursday, Jan. 14: Open house sponsored by the Waldorf Institute introduces guests to the Waldorf method of child and adult education from 7-10 p.m. in the institute, 23399 Evergreen Road, Southfield. No charge.

● JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT

Saturday, Jan. 16: Junior Achievement's annual display and sale runs throughout mail hours in Livonia Mall, Seven Mile and Middlebelt roads.

● INTERMEZZO

Sunday, Jan. 17: "Intermezzo," Farmington Community Center's chamber music series, begins at 3 p.m. in the center on Farmington Road.

north of 10 Mile Road with flutist Ervin Monroe, accompanied by pianist Fontaine Laing. Tickets are \$4, or \$3 for students and seniors, at the door.

● SKIING BY MOONLIGHT

Monday, Jan. 18: Reservation deadline for Moonlight Cross Country Ski Outing on Cranbrook Institute of Science grounds Friday, Feb. 5. Bus leaves Oakland Community College Orchard Ridge Campus at 7 p.m. for nature program and ski tour through the grounds' nature trails. Reservations are \$15 or \$25 per couple which includes transportation and refreshments, taken in Farmington Community Center, 24705 Farmington Road. Skiers must have their own equipment.



Dr. James Hartway



Larry Nozero

'Cityscapes' makes its world premiere

Detroit Symphony Orchestra and the Larry Nozero Jazz Quartet perform "Cityscapes" in the world premiere of a concerto that joins the symphony with a jazz combo Jan. 7-9 in Ford Auditorium.

The piece, written by Dr. James Hartway, is dedicated to Robert Semple, chairman of the symphony, who is also a part-time clarinetist and jazz buff.

Nozero, a Farmington resident, is a jazz musician with 20 years of diversified experience in a variety of musical fields.

He has performed and recorded both as a saxophone soloist and with his quartet, made up of Ned Mann on bass, Joe Perez on drums and Hartway on piano.

He will solo in "Cityscapes," which is made up of programmatic movements titled "Sunday Morning," "Weekdays" and "Saturday Night."

HARTWAY is an associate music professor at Wayne State University who has received numerous commissions from both professional and educational organizations.

Among his awards is one for composition from the Young Musicians Foundation of Los Angeles.

He has served as artist-in-residence for Livonia Secondary Schools and as project director of Young Audiences. He is the recent past chairman of Music Advisory Panel for Michigan Council for the Arts.

Late in December he directed performances of his "Ebeneszer" for Harbinger Dance Company in Music Hall.

"Cityscapes" will be conducted by Detroit Symphony Orchestra's resident conductor Kenneth Jean.

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