

community calendar

PRETTY FACES Thursday, June 24: "Pretty Faces" workshop teaches the correct use of make-up, with Marlene Coffey beginning at 7 p.m. in the Community Center. Registrations taken in the center on Farmington Road north of 10 Mile Road.

ONE WOMAN SHOWS Thursday, June 24: Viola Agresta shows her work in a one-woman show at Farmington Hills Branch Library on 12 Mile Road and Marjorie Chollstorp exhibits her one-woman show in Farmington Branch Library on Liberty Street through June 30.

YOUNG VOLUNTEERS Friday and Wednesday, June 25 and 30: Organizational meeting for young adults interested in helping librarians and library staff this summer at 2 p.m. Friday in Farmington Branch Library on Liberty Street and at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Farmington Hills Branch Library on 12 Mile Road. Inquiries taken by Luarene Bowman, Farmington Hills Branch, 553-0390, or Denise Moll, Farmington Branch, 474-7770.

WASTEPAPER DRIVE Saturday and Sunday, June 26-27: Storage containers on Antioch Lutheran Church parking lot, northeast corner of 13 Mile and Farmington Roads, is there from 8 a.m.-4 p.m. each day to receive bundled and bagged newspapers in the drive sponsored by the congregation. Funds are given to area needy families.

PARENT SKILLS Monday, June 28: "Parent Skills Training," lecture by Dr. David Wartel at 7:30 p.m. in Farmington Community Center. Lecture deals with common behavior problems and appropriate adult responses but will also address the concerns of those attending the lecture. Recommended for teachers and those who work with children as well as parents. Pre-registration is requested in the center on Farmington Road, north of 10 Mile Road.

TEEN CENTER OPENS Monday, June 28: Summer Activities Center for teens opens from 4-6 p.m. and 7-10 p.m. Mondays through Fridays in Shiawassee Recreation Center, Shiawassee Road between Orchard Lake and Middlebelt roads. Center remains open through Aug. 11. All activities offered without charge for teens with parental permission slip, sponsored by Farmington Youth Assistance.

MODEL AIRPLANES Tuesday, June 29: "Model Airplane Building and Flying," program headed by representative of Joe's Hobby Center at 7 p.m. in Farmington Hills Branch Library, 32737 12 Mile Road. No charge.

BRIGHT MORNING STAR Tuesday, June 29: "Bright Morning Star" in concert to benefit nine area sponsoring groups at 8 p.m. in Southfield Civic Center, 26000 Evergreen Road. Admission of \$5 asked at the door.

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SUMMER DESSERTS Wednesday, June 30: Barb Dermody shows and tells new ideas for summer desserts in a lecture-demonstration at 7 p.m. in Farmington Community Center. Advance reservations, at \$8, are taken in the center on Farmington Road, north of 10 Mile Road.

FABULOUS 50s Wednesday, June 30: "Fabulous 50s," dance party sponsored as a fund-raiser for Wayne-Westland Chapter of Parents Without Partners, at 9 a.m. in Bonlie Brook Country Club, Telegraph Road south of Eight Mile Road. Prizes given for best '50s costume. Music furnished by Interstate Band featuring 'A Tribute to Elvis.' Admission is \$4 at the door.

BLACKWORK Thursday, July 1: "Blackwork," a counted thread embroidery technique, taught in a one-session workshop at 12:30 p.m. led by Pat Donaldson in Farmington Community Center. Fee of \$7 payable with registration in the center.

BROOM CORN BASKET Thursday, July 1: Theresa Ohio teaches how to create a decorative basket from the same plant that a straw broom is made of in a one-session workshop from noon-2 p.m. in Farmington Community Center. Registration taken in the center.

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FASHION AWARENESS Thursday, July 1: "Fashion Awareness," workshop from 7-9 p.m. with Marlene Coffey, who tells how to build a "seasonless" wardrobe and gives individual attention to participants' fashion problems in Farmington Community Center. Fee of \$8 payable with registration in the center.

CLUTTERBUG SYSTEMS Wednesday, July 7: "Clutterbug Systems," two-session workshop gives tips on organizing oneself, home, time, space and paperwork runs from 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m. for two Wednesdays in Farmington Community Center with Dorothy Lehmkuhl. Fee is \$26 payable with registration in the center.

INTERNATIONAL COOKING Wednesday, July 7: "International Cooking," lecture-demonstration led by Judy Antishin followed by dinner at 8:30 p.m. in Farmington Community Center. Cost of \$10 is payable with in-person registration in the center on Farmington Road, north of 10 Mile Road.

NEEDLEPOINT APPLIQUE Thursday, July 8: "Applique in Needlepoint," two-session workshop begins at 1 p.m. in Farmington Community Center with Pat Donaldson. Fee is \$11 plus materials. Registration taken in the center, Farmington Road north of 10 Mile Road.

OFF-LOOM WRAPPING Thursday, July 8: Basic wrapping techniques for use in creating decorative accessories shown in "Off-Loom Wrapping," one-session workshop from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. in Farmington Community Center led by Helen Liljergren. Fee of \$10 payable with in-person registration in the center.

PORCELAINIZED FLOWERS Thursday, July 8: Two-session workshop teaches how to create porcelainized flowers with Betty Haynes beginning at 9:30 a.m. in Farmington Community Center. Registrations taken in the center on Farmington Road north of 10 Mile Road.

Independent Schools offer summer options

The Parents League of Independent Schools of Michigan (PLIS) has just published a booklet listing a wide variety of camps member schools offer youth for the summer.

"Independent Schools of Michigan Summer Camps 1982" is now on sale in local bookshops, the first booklet of its kind the parents league has compiled.

Gale Perrin, a Farmington Hills resident who was instrumental in getting the booklet published, stressed that the summer activities offered are not restricted to students who attend private schools.

The 22 schools in the league, most of them in the immediate area, offer day camp, resident camp, some workshops and a host of camps for those with special interests.

Special interests run the gamut from cheerleading to college board preparatory, from drama to computers.

Though most of the camps are geared for school-aged children, several have sessions for tots, and Kingswood School, Cranbrook lists a session for those over 60.

Although educational techniques may differ within the member schools, they share the objectives to recognize the student's individuality, provide academic challenge with creative freedom and give individual attention.

PLIS acts to foster communication between member schools and act as a channel of information on matters of parental concern.

Teens summer center ready to open June 28

By Sandi Horne
special writer

The Farmington Summer Activities Center is opening again this summer to provide a place for area teens to drop in or take part in planned activities.

The program runs for seven weeks, June 28-Aug. 11, with a field trip planned every Tuesday in Shiawassee Recreation Center on Shiawassee between Nine Mile and Orchard Lake roads.

All Farmington area teens, ages 13-17, are welcome to take advantage of the program, open Monday through Friday, from 4-6 p.m. and 7-10 p.m. There is no charge for any of the activities or trips.

All teens, however, must have a signed permission slip before taking part in any of the activities or trips.

Darrel Emerson, a Livonia teacher, will be the center's director for the third straight summer. Three college students will be assisting Emerson.

Field trips this summer will include horseback riding, a Tiger baseball game, a trip to the Oakland County Wavepool, some canoeing, roller skating and a visit to area metroparks.

Activities within the center include parties, movies, table tennis, pool, basketball games, pinball, arts and crafts and an open gym. Refreshments will be available for sale in the center.

Following tradition of past summers, the center operates on a drop-in basis. Teens are welcome to drop in, listen to music, have a pop or just say hello.

EQUIPMENT FOR THE CENTER, such as the pool and air hockey tables and pinball machines are for the most part on loan from members of the community.

Joan Placido, the coordinator for the activities center, which is sponsored by Farmington Youth Assistance, said more equipment is needed.

"We really need more pool tables," she said. "If anyone can help by donating equipment, they can contact Farmington Youth Assistance at 476-3840."

Placido said the center's workers are planning to have more personal involvement with teens this year.

"We're planning some group sessions with the teens," she said. "We also plan to bring in people from various types of careers to talk to the teens, such as beauticians to talk to girls."

The center is financed by United Community Services and the cities of Farmington and Farmington Hills.

"We're hoping to expand our funds, so we can expand the program," Placido said.

The center's planning committee would like to expand to a year-round operation or open another summer site at the north end of town, she said.



Darrel Emerson (at left) confers with aides on the next venture scheduled for Summer Activities Center. The drop-in center for teens started as an experimental program five summers ago, and it will open its doors again Monday, June 28.



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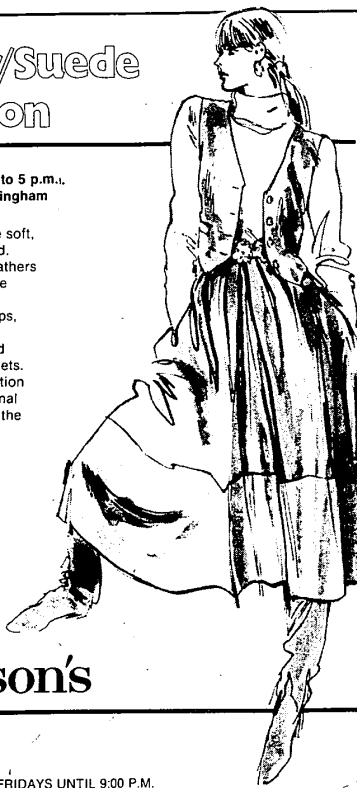
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Friday, June 25, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
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