

club circuit

THE QUESTERS, Metro Detroit Area Chapters, host the Michigan state organization's 1983 convention this week in Vladivostok. About 400 members are in attendance for both preconvention and convention activities.

Yesterday, Mrs. Kenneth Willman, state president of the group, was guest of honor at an afternoon tea in Farmington Historical Museum and at a dinner in Bolts Inn.

QUESTERS is a national non-profit organization of about 1,000 members. They do research and study history, along with working to preserve and restore historical landmarks.

In 1962 the state organization gave a major grant for the preservation of the Warner Mansion when it was converted into Farmington Historical Museum.

FORENSIC CLUB of Farmington High School has elected Liz Sardis as its president for the 1983-84 term and has adopted "Fired Up for Forensics" as its motto for the year.

Sardis' vice president is Pam Hornett. Other incoming officers are Liz Berger and Beth Sherman. Club members will be taking part in the school's homecoming parade.

ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE AND RELATED DISORDERS ASSOCIATION (ARA) meets at 7:30 p.m. tonight in Adat Shalom Synagogue, 9901 Middle.

The event is the group's quarterly general meeting, open to those concerned about or caring for one with any form of dementia without charge.

"So Where Do We Go From Here?" is the topic of the address given by Dr. Martin Lubetsky, a psychiatrist at Sinai Hospital. He will talk about the causes of dementia, signs and symptoms, attitudes toward aging, effects on family and patient, nursing home and home care and give some coping suggestions.

The organization strives to provide family support, increase public awareness, advocates legislation for medical and financial benefit and promotes research at national and local levels.

Inquiries are taken by calling ADRA, 540-2373.

DIVORCE SUPPORT GROUP FOR WOMEN meets at 7 tonight in Room B370, Liberal Arts Building, Schoolcraft College campus, 18600 Haggerty.

Carolyn Daltash, a psychologist with Family Human Potential Services in Livonia, will talk on stress management. She believes that stress is a factor that must be dealt with at all stages of the divorce process and will devote some of the program to giving the participants coping strategies.

The group is sponsored by the college's Women's Resource Center. There is no charge, and no registration is required.

BETHANY, a group for separated and divorced Christians, meets at 8 p.m. Friday in St. Alexander Church, 27835 Shalloway. Inquiries are taken by Joan Gray, 478-7343.

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS meets at 9 a.m. Fridays in Women's Center, Building J, Orchard Ridge Campus, Oakland Community College.

There are no dues or fees to men and women who wish to join the sessions which aim to help lose weight or stop eating compulsively.

Inquiries are taken by Leslie, 471-7745 between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m., or Roz, 356-5058, after 5 p.m.

MOONUSTERS, a singles group for those over the age of 35, meets at 9 p.m. Saturdays in Livonia Activities Center, 15218 Farmington Road. Admission is \$3.50 at the door, which includes dancing to a live band and refreshments.

DETROIT STORY LEAGUE meets on noon Saturday in one of the member's homes in Southfield. Visitors are invited to sit in on the storytelling and storytelling workshops by calling Verna Smith, 649-5590.

WEIGHT WATCHERS invites newcomers to a program called Peepstep at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 18 in Farmington Community Center, 24705 Farmington Road. The demonstration and program is without charge to visitors.

PARENTS WITHOUT PARTNERS, Farmington-Southfield Chapter, meets at 8:30 p.m. the first and third Wednesdays of each month in Bonnie Brook Country Club, Telegraph Road, south of Eight Mile. Newcomers are welcome anytime. Inquiries are taken by Barbara Ruck, 476-398.

WESTERN WAYNE COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY meets at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 19 in Carl Sandburg Library, 30100 Seven Mile, Livonia.

Speaker for the evening is Donald J. Sublett. His topic is "The Huguenots."

The meeting is open to the public without charge.

FARMINGTON OPTIMIST CLUB meets at 7:30 a.m. for a breakfast meeting Wednesdays in Honey Tree Restaurant, 38990 Orchard Lake Road. Guests are welcome. Inquiries are taken by Dr. Jacob Eis, 354-0910.

FARMINGTON NEIGHBORS CLUB meets at noon Wednesday, Oct. 19 in Glen Oak Country Club, 30500 13 Mile.

Program for the afternoon is provided by "The Farmington Steppers," under the direction of Magie Lordas, who will perform a varied program of ethnic dances. Luncheon will be a variety of ethnic foods.

Guests are welcome to make reservations with Terri Antczak, 474-9116, or Bev Prentiss, 553-8021.

SPIN, (Single Parent Instructional Network) offers an eight-week course called "Dealing With Adolescents," beginning at 6 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 19, in Women's Resource Center, Schoolcraft College, 18600 Haggerty Road.

A grant from the Michigan Department of Education to the resource center will provide tuition assistance to participants who qualify.

The course is led by John Farer of Livonia Counseling Center. The course consists of films, tapes, lectures and small group discussions.

Registration information is given by calling the resource center, 591-6400, Ext. 430.

All club news and announcements for this column are to be addressed to: Club Circuit, Farmington Observer, 23352 Farmington Road, Farmington 48324. The information must arrive before noon on the Monday before Thursday publication.

Prepare yourself and your furnace

Cold weather is just around the corner. Taking a few minutes to make some simple checks around the house could save customers money on their winter heating bills, says Jim MacInnis, general manager of Consumers Power Co.'s metro region.

The furnace should be high on the checklist. A malfunctioning or poorly adjusted furnace is an energy waster.

A good way to avoid furnace problems is to have a qualified, authorized heating contractor inspect the furnace, its fine ducts and the chimney.

There are some furnace maintenance tips for those who enjoy doing it themselves:

- Clean and lubricate the blower fan and replace the dirty air filter.
- Make sure the furnace maintenance instructions.
- Clean the furnace humidifier.
- Check air ducts and registers for any blocking.
- Visually inspect the vent piping for deterioration or rusting.
- Adequate preparation for wise use of energy will help keep down your energy bill, MacInnis says. There are a number of other steps that are recommended to save energy. These include:

- Set the thermostat as low as is reasonably comfortable. One degree can save about 1 percent of the annual heating usage. A night setback thermostat can save considerable energy.
- Close drapes in the evening and on cloudy days. Open them on sunny days on the windows that face the sun.
- Close off unoccupied rooms.
- Make sure that furniture or drapes do not obstruct the free movement of air from heat registers and cold air returns.
- Weather-strip outside doors or doors to unheated areas. A 1/4-inch crack around a standard door or window frame allows as much heat to escape as a hole the size of a grapefruit.
- Check cracks between window frames and between door frames and the wall. Caulk if necessary.



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TELEGRAPH AT MAPLE ROAD

and to enjoy finding,
Pick up your coupons for our Drawing on Saturday
October 15. You could win "The Lion's Share" our first
prize or 26 other prizes. We're putting the fun back

Joseph Min, stylist extraordinaire, has joined the other experts at Le Salon Dior. You'll be glad to hear his new location. Bobbie continues to teach you how to bring out your best with make-up. Le Salon Dior is located next to Michigan Chandler. Worth looking for. Open Monday, also to celebrate their 20% off on shading, frosting and perms.

Two wonderful examples of serving pieces you should be without. A sleek black thermal beverage server with stunning silver cap and a three quart with ceramic soup tureen or brass or copper butter holder. If you've got part with them, they're marvelous gifts. Just a few of the many beautiful ideas you'll find at Marie Newman's Thermique beverage server \$32. Soup tureen and butter server \$60. Marie Newman 851-5580

Think ahead to Holiday parties. Social or business groups from 10 to 100 can be accommodated in beautiful Macius Red Fox facilities. No problem with their banquet menu choices. Consult Certified Master Chef Leopold Schell for exciting journal selections. Of course, everything in the best of Macius Red Fox 826-4200

Whether you're doing your "one-and-stretch" exercises or not, Leopold's El Cetaria makes the kind of clothes that make you feel perky! Are just a few of the here together styles you'll find. Two pc. Lloyd's Alien top and loophole pant with trapunto trim. Color in ink. Supermon uniform in navy and navy and pink work out shirt and pants so much more at this exciting shop. One visit and you'll be cured of the "blahs." Leopold's El Cetaria 851-5080

All that glitters can be found at Roz and Sherm. Seriously sophisticated accessories and shine. Art Deco evening bags, cocktail gloves with glitz, belt showpieces and shiny shoes. Black diamonds or shiny shoes. Enough bling-bling to make you feel like a 1920's movie star. Trust Roz and Sherm to have every shining example. Roz and Sherm 851-0077

Loretta Lorion has a shop for infants, toddlers and children that makes Moms and Grandmas "ohh and ahh." Clothing, gifts and toys are little wonders. There's even an infant registry with everything to fill all the soft and cuddly needs. Picturesque baby clothes. Two piece red velvet. Dress in cherry red with red and white striped lights. You'll love it. Loretta Lorion 851-3313

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