



Diane Postula

Artists reception marks VAAL show

The spring art show of Visual Art Association of Livonia opened late last month in the Livonia City Hall lobby and will be on display until June 28.

Best of show award went to Livonia artist Yvette Goldberg for a collage entitled "Celestial Playhouse." A VAAL student for several years, Goldberg recently won a third-place award from the Livonia Artists Club for the same offering.

Other winners are:

- **OIL** — "Racing Form" by Irene Kallas of Dearborn Heights, first place; "Girl in Blue Sweater," by Jean Herr of Plymouth, second; "Skirts" by Diane M. Lee of Redford, third place. Honorable mentions went to "Miss C" by Helen Lewicki of Dearborn Heights and "State River Park" by Marge Slock of Farmington.
- **WATERCOLOR** — "Autumn's Celebrities" by Kay Ridley of Livonia, first place; "Moneghen Monday" by Elbert Weber of Livonia, second place; "Pots of Petunias" by Audrey Harkins of Livonia, third place. Honorable mentions went to "Detroit: Abandoned" by Celia Kirkpatrick of Canton; "Dimensions" by Helen Kryson of Westland; and "Linda" by Elbert Weber of Livonia.
- **MIXED MEDIA** — Two honorable mentions were given: "Floral Fantasy" by Edna Chester of Livonia and "Two" by Pat Cronyn of Detroit.
- **PHOTOGRAPHY** — "Untitled" by Norb Davert of Livonia, first place; "Untitled" also by Davert, second place; "Work Cart" by Dean Wagner of Livonia.

Judging was done by Diane Postula of Detroit. Postula has studied at the Center for Creative Studies and has a bachelor of fine arts degree from Wayne State University. Her art background includes teaching at the Birmingham-Bloomfield Art Association, Paintnecre Center for the Arts and the Royal Oak Public Schools. Her work has been displayed in a number of public galleries and in many private collections.

There is no admission charge. The art work will be on display daily from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday in the city hall lobby.

Concert in the park opens summer series

The Farmington Community Band (FCB) will open its summer series at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, June 9, with a concert in the park at the foot of the hill behind the Farmington Board of Education building, corner of Silwassee and Farmington roads.

The band just concluded its 19th consecutive season with the annual tribute to area handicapped and senior citizens. More than 300 concertgoers were billed in, and helped make it the most successful such concert since its inception several years ago.

"We wanted to present a concert particularly oriented to community service," said Paul Barber, FCB conductor, when asked about the origins of the concert.

"The Community Band is obviously a community group, and we felt a strong desire to serve some special needs in the Farmington-Farmington Hills area. We came to realize that everyone visits shut-ins during the Christmas and holiday season, but that not nearly as much happens to or for them the rest of the year.

"So we made arrangements with the assistance and support of the area Kiwanis Club and Boy Scout troops, to bring area handicapped and senior citizens to a concert played especially for these people. It's been a tremendous success ever since the beginning.

"Now entering its 20th year, the band has several special events planned to mark this anniversary.

By Shirlee Rose Iden
staff writer

If there ever were a recipe for getting the generations together, well it's been concocted.

Just take a group of sixth graders from Hillel School in Farmington Hills, stir in vivacious seniors a generation or more detached from the kids and let them sing together.

The results of just such an undertaking, Dor le Dor (generation to generation) by the National Council of Jewish Women (NCJW), will be seen and heard at 7 p.m. Thursday, June 6, at Temple Beth El, Birmingham.

"This has been a tremendous experience for young and older people who were really brought together," said Stu-

art Rogoff, music director of Hillel. "They learned so much from each other."

The concert is patterned after the Emmy Award winning film "Close Harmony" which depicts how young children truly get to know a group of seniors by sharing a musical experience.

SHELLY COOPER, chairman of Dor le Dor, of West Bloomfield, says the senior chorus came from the Jewish Federation Apartments. Helen Naimark oversaw the program there, while Amatal Amatal Rudavsky, assistant principal of Hillel was also involved.

"Around 73 persons participated at-

together," Cooper said. "We stated this as a social action with Federation Apartments and with the cooperation of Hillel.

Rehearsals began in January and the final concert will be the end of the program. Cooper says that the council created the vehicle "but the seniors and kids have carried it on in the rehearsals, caring, and pen pal letters."

"I would hope that area synagogues who have both young and older people in their auspices will continue it."

Admitting the kids were not interested at first, Cooper believes this is because today's youngsters have little contact with elderly people.

"MY GENERATION learned at a young age about the cycle of life. We

watched our grandparents who lived with us and saw what our parents did."

The Hillel students experienced the positive side of interaction with seniors and weren't hesitant after that, Cooper says.

Part of the program was a pen pal exchange between the generations which proved a fine vehicle for bridging the gap between young and old.

"The crux was to learn, share and enjoy," she said. "The music idea is that music is the international language. For me, it brought back memories of my grandmother singing to me."

English, Jewish and Hebrew songs are included in the concert for which there is no charge.

For information, call NCJW at 258-6000.

Upward slope suggests optimism

Dear Mrs. Green:

I am visiting with my daughter and family in this area.

I am from out of state (Ohio) and always look forward to and do so enjoy your column. And am amazed as to how you can summarize their personalities, habits, goals and careers.

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Please accept my sincere thanks and appreciation in advance.

Your graphology column and the job you do are super.

M.A.
Garden City

Dear M.A.:

Thank you for your nice comments. Hope you had a good visit with your



graphology
Lorene Green

Dear Mrs. Green

I am visiting with my daughter and family in this area. (Livonia City)

I am from out of state (Ohio) and always look forward to and do so enjoy your column.

And am amazed as to how you can summarize their personalities, habits, goals, careers,

daughter. And I am sorry I did not get to analyze this handwriting before you left the area. Perhaps your daughter can pass it along to you.

I think you would be a welcome guest wherever you go as you are pleasant company and look on the bright side of things. (Many word endings reach upward and many lines slope upward).

Neighboring, you are ever ready to lend a helping hand when needed. Be-

cause you are sympathetically inclined by nature, appeals to the heart have a way of touching you. (Right slant and garland connections).

To live life to the fullest is your goal. You are happy in the company of other people and enjoy socializing with them. You want to be pleasing to others and thus win their approval and acceptance. Usually you are busy and active and can be restless when things be-

come too routine or confining. (Large

size and lack of margins).

Basically you are a traditional person. Values, customs and even friendships are probably of long standing. You are aware of the accepted behavior of those you hold in esteem and will behave accordingly. (Copy book writing).

Authority figures are held in respect by you, and you live by the rules. Your security is important to you.

You are an organized person. There is a sense of pride and dignity about the things you do. You are concerned how others perceive you, so can be counted on to put forth your best effort.

Self-improvement interests you. And you are willing to assume responsibility as you seek a higher degree of self-worth. But in some areas you may be a bit unsure of yourself.

In interpersonal relationships, you appear to be somewhat fearful of rivalry.

Are you aware of a bit of intuition that weaves itself throughout your handwriting.

If you have a question about your handwriting, write to Lorene G. Green, a certified graphologist, in care of this newspaper. Please use a full sheet of white unlined paper, writing in the first person singular. Age, signature and handedness are also helpful.

Indian art exhibited

More than 50 significant pieces of art by 10 living native American artists will be exhibited 1-4 p.m. Sunday, June 9, in Mulwood Apartments Clubhouse. The sophisticated art works include paintings, lithographs, serigraphs and limited edition prints.

Some of the prominent artists' work displayed are by Donald Vann, a Cherokee painter, best known for his "Trail of Tears," Virginia Stroud, a Cherokee artist known for her "paintings of people," and Doc Tate Nevoqwa, a Comanche artist known for his paintings of ceremonial dancers on black watercolor board.

Ellen Sanders, an American Indian art consultant, will coordinate the show. She represents 50 native American artists working in various media.

This will be the first major art show of its kind in the area. Many of the pieces in the show can be purchased.

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