

Staffnik-Hill

Laura Marie Hill and James G. Staffnik were married in Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hill Jr. of Washington, D.C., and he is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Leo Timma of Farmington.

The bride is a graduate of University of Illinois employed at Physical Therapist Hospital in Arizona. The groom is a graduate of Northern Michigan University and completed his graduate studies at University of Illinois. He is employed as a school psychologist in Camp Verde, Ariz.

The couple received guests in Glen Oaks Country Club.



Schenkel-Cruse

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schenkel of Farmington Hills announce the engagement of their daughter Patricia Elvira to Thomas Glenn Cruse, son of Bill Cruse of Farmington Hills and the late Virginia Cruse.

The bride-to-be and her fiancé are both graduates of Farmington High School. He is a student at Henry Ford College.

A late August wedding is planned.



Bauman-Hooper

Carolyn Horty Hooper and Steven Harold Bauman were married in ceremonies conducted by the bride's father in Grand Menard Park, Nine Mile, Mont. She is the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. John K. Hooper of Farmington Hills and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Bauman of Lolo, Mont.

The bride wore a white gown with a sweetheart neckline trimmed with white lace ruffle and a crown of white roses for her headpiece. She carried a bouquet of white roses.

She was attended by Elizabeth Baldwin who served as maid of honor with bridesmaids Sarah Hooper and Karen Kramer, all dressed in teal-length white cotton saten gowns brushed with teal, lavender and orchid. These colors were accented with bouquets of carnations.

Michael Hendrickson served as best man with ushers Douglas Honkala and David Hardin.

The bride is a graduate of North Farmington High School and University of Michigan-Dearborn. She is working toward her master's degree at the University of Montana while employed by the city of Alberton in Montana.

The groom is a graduate of Sentinal High School in Missoula, Mont., employed with J.O.B. Construction Co. in Lozano, Mont.

The couple received guests in Alberton Community Center. They will make their home in Alberton, Mont.



UF campaigns off to early start

Representatives from corporations and organizations throughout the tri-county area kicked off the sixth annual United Foundation Pacesetter campaigns today in Detroit.

Approximately 51 Pacesetter organizations will conduct early employee campaigns to set the pace for a successful Torch Drive campaign this fall.

Chairing the meeting was Gerald V. MacDonald, president, Manufacturer's National Bank of Detroit and chairman of the 1985 Pacesetter campaigns. Joining MacDonald was Tom Turner, president of Metropolitan Detroit AFL-

CIO Council and UF Chairman for Labor, who endorsed the Pacesetter campaigns on behalf of organized labor.

"Since the metropolitan area's economic environment levels are relatively stable," MacDonald said, "we have an opportunity and challenge to significantly increase campaign results to help meet the needs of our community." He added that operating costs for the Torch Drive agencies will continue to increase in 1986 just as they will for the business community.

MacDonald said that this year's Torch Drive team hopes to secure in-

creased funds to address unmet needs identified by Torch Drive-supported agencies, meet the rising costs for providing services, and respond to the need for new programs and services.

The Pacesetter organizations are asked to increase their employee giving by 20 percent to show the community that they can meet the fund-raising challenge.

The results of the 1985 Pacesetter campaigns will be announced Sept. 26 at the Torch Drive Employee Cam-

paigns kickoff meeting. Last year's Pacesetter organizations showed an increase of 19.5 percent in their employee giving to the 1984 Torch Drive.

Guest speaker at the meeting was Sparky Anderson, manager of the Detroit Tigers.

The goal for this year's Torch Drive will be announced Sept. 19 and the reporting phase of the annual campaign will run from Oct. 14 through Nov. 7 to raise operating funds for 127 charitable organizations in Wayne, Oakland and Macomb Counties.

Student musicians invited to audition

Metropolitan Youth Symphony (MYS) will hold auditions for the 1985-86 season Saturday, Aug. 24, for the string and concert orchestras and Saturday, Aug. 31, for the symphony orchestra.

Students in grades 5-12 seeking additional orchestral experience in the youth organization, which is beginning its fourth season, may reserve an audi-

tion time by calling Martha Stefanko, 591-1408.

Three orchestras catering to three levels of expertise are tailored to complement a student musician's school music program.

MYS offers a string orchestra led by Judith Culler. Students must have a minimum of two years instrumental experience, be able to read music and

be in grades 5 and up.

The concert orchestra led by Douglas Bianchi is composed of students in grades 8 and up with a minimum of four years experience.

The symphony orchestra conducted by Alan MacNeil caters to the advanced young musician in grades 10-12 with five years of instrumental experi-

ence.

MYS offers opportunities to expand symphonic repertoire, be part of three formal concerts a year including the experience at Orchestra Hall, sectional work with guest musicians, a mid-year scholarship competition and membership in a non-profit organization dedicated to fostering a positive educational experience.

Palette and Brush thrives after 50 years

Many organizations for artists spring up, thrive and eventually fade away.

This organization, founded by Alice Bostick of Redford in the heart of the Depression, continues to flourish. In fact, the club's contribution to the life of the community was officially recognized when Oakland County Commis-

sioner David L. Moffitt, R-Birmingham, presented a proclamation of commendation to that effect at the club's 50th anniversary luncheon at Meadow Brook Hall last June.

In attendance at that event was Alice Bostick, 97, along with many members now in their 80s and 90s.

THE LUNCHEON was about midpoint in the year-long celebration that began with a small painting show at Mainstreet Gallery of Royal Oak last December and will culminate with a show at the New Center One in Detroit's New Center area on Nov. 4.

A special anniversary show was held at Birmingham Bloomfield Art Associ-

ation in June with a display of the club's scrapbooks from five decades as well as art juried by David Sharp of the Eastern Michigan University art faculty.

"We have two juried shows a year," said Kay Kann, 50th anniversary chairperson, "sometimes you get in and sometimes you don't."

Kann said there are presently more than 100 members from 24 metropolitan area communities. And because meetings are held during the day on the fourth Thursday of the month at the MCL Cafeteria, Tel-Twelve Mall, Southfield, the members are about 90 percent women.

Writers will meet on Oct. 18-19

The 24th annual Writers Conference, sponsored by Detroit Women Writers and Oakland University, will be held Oct. 18-19 at Oakland University.

Keynote speakers will be Carolyn Chute, author of the best-seller "The

Beans of Egypt, Maine"; Ira Blumen-thal, TV script writer; and Charlotte and Mary Esther Nolan, Kentucky story-tellers.

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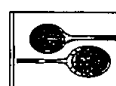
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