

# Holiday specials will light up Channel 12

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Holiday specials are being featured everywhere.

We have been trained to halt and come to attention and think of discounted prices or "voices uplifted" in song. The latter applies to Channel 12.

Watch for our holiday programming specials; turn up the volume and enjoy the lovely melodies of neighbors and friends sharing the spirit of the season with you.

Our other special holiday features are programming that emphasizes emotional support and guidance

through the tough holidays.

We also are beginning a wonderful new series entitled "On Our Own." It is a television series that shares with the audience issues of the handicapped. The philosophical premise is one we all could listen to. It is "We are going to do the best with what we have."

**THE SHOW** is produced by Patti Rabbit, Claude Richards and Suzanne Rabidoux, in cooperation with MetroVision of Redford.

Executive producer and host Patti Rabbit was diagnosed with multiple sclerosis 17 years ago. She shares personal information to emphasize the responsible attitude the producers of "Handicapped Media Inc." have toward such issues and why she is qualified to talk on the subject.

Patti stresses that the series' intent

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is not of the healing but is about everyday life. "We can do more than simply live, but can contribute to society."

Some of the guests are handicapped and some have careers that provide education and support to the handicapped.

Some of the show topics and guests are: Archdiocese Ministry of the Blind, Rehabilitation Council, Governor's Division on Substance Abuse, Wayne County Senior Citizens, Vietnam Vets, Puppets to teach children having to deal with the handicapped, Detroit Re-

training for Handicapped Standards,

and Housing Building Codes. The producers of "On Our Own" sincerely hope that the program will be helpful to our audiences.

Watch for them on Channel 12. Metrovision of Oakland County's public-access programming on Channel 12 for the week of Dec. 23.

**COMMUNITY ACCESS**  
PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE  
Monday, Dec. 23

• 12 noon — Community Upeat. Repeat at 6 p.m.

• 1 p.m. — Tinsel, Mistletoe and Holly Farmington Community Choir. Repeat at 7 p.m.  
• 2:15 p.m. — First Alert EMS. Repeat at 6:15 p.m.  
• 2:30 p.m. — Old-Fashioned Christmas Special. Repeat at 8:30 p.m.  
• 3:30 p.m. — Christmas Puppet Stories. Repeat at 9:30 p.m.

**Tuesday, Dec. 24**  
• Exactly the same programs as Monday, but shown in the afternoon only.

**Wednesday, Dec. 25**  
• No programming.

**Thursday, Dec. 26**  
• 12 noon — Bell Cantata Ensemble. Repeat at 6 p.m.

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• 1:10 p.m. — Shades of Difference. Repeat at 7:10 p.m.  
• 1:30 p.m. — Viewpoint City of Farmington Hills. Repeat at 7:30 p.m.  
• 2 p.m. — Cooking with Class. Repeat at 8 p.m.  
• 2:30 p.m. — Farmington Hills Founders Festival. Repeat at 8:30 p.m.  
• 3 p.m. — In One Ear. Repeat at 9 p.m.  
• 3:30 p.m. — Ready, Steady Go Video Show. Repeat at 9:30 p.m.

**Friday, Dec. 27**  
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Also any business outside of the above mentioned areas may join the Farmington-Farmington Hills Chamber of Commerce for a reasonable fee which will then allow all employees, as well as their families to be eligible for the benefits that this credit union offers.

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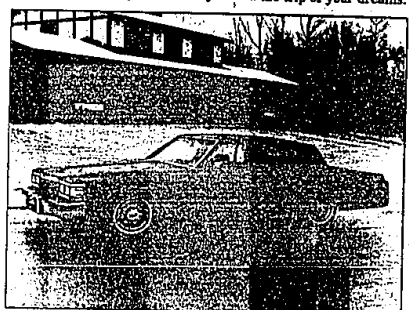
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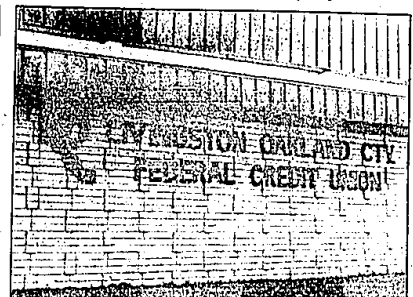
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