

Club Plans Dance At Mercy

Our Lady of Mercy High School Parents Club will hold its Harvest Ball Saturday, Nov. 21. Don Palmer and his 17-piece band will provide big band sounds for the occasion. The dance, to be held in Mercy's gymnasium, 11 Mile and Middle Belt Roads, Farmington, will begin at 8 p.m. Tickets purchased before the evening of the dance will be \$4. At the door, they will sell for \$5. Tickets may be purchased from any Mercy student.

Chairmen of the dance are Andy Mato, Joe Hafner and Trudy Weaver. On the decorations committee are Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Cary and Mr. and Mrs. Jack McNeely. Refreshment committee chairmen are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bullinger and Mr. and Mrs. William McNamara.

Invitations and programs are under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Trudeau and Mr. and Mrs. James Gardner, while the ticket chairmen are the Frank Elmers and the Goldwyn Robinsons.

The clean-up committee is headed by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Szczrowski.

Santa Host At Lunches

The Livonia Jaycee Auxiliary is completing plans for its annual "Luncheon with Santa Claus."

Four luncheons will be held, Nov. 28, Dec. 5, 12 and 19, in the Community Room of the Livonia Mall. All will feature cartoons, clowns and a special visit from Santa. Anyone wishing to register for a luncheon should contact Mrs. William McGuire, 484-1660, or Mrs. Ken Freeman, 464-2871.

Proceeds from the luncheons will be used to support community projects such as the Retarded Children's Carnival, the Help Prisoners of War campaign and Assistance to the Wayne County Jail.



AFTER 23 YEARS — Helen Fortney of Plymouth and Kurt Maybaum of Hamburg, Germany, met in Amsterdam.

Pen Pals Meet Many Letters, 23 Years Later

Back in 1947, when the wounds of World War II were fresh, a Plymouth High School student named Helen Fisher began writing to a German boy, Kurt Maybaum of Hamburg.

It was part of a program promoted by the school to help re-establish communication between Americans and Germans. Helen and Kurt exchanged frequent letters during their high school days. Later, after both had married, they still kept in touch.

AND LAST MONTH, when Mrs. Helen Fortney and her husband Matthew, traveled from their Plymouth home to Germany, France and Switzerland, she and Kurt met for the first time.

"He and his wife met us in Amsterdam, where the tour began, and we spent an afternoon and part of the next day together," Mrs. Fortney said.

Christmas Classes Planned

Some old favorites and some new twists have been included in the list of Christmas workshops to be offered the week of Dec. 7 at Northwest Branch YWCA, 25940 Grand River, Redford Township.

Old favorites which have been scheduled again for this year include candle-making and the popular "angel" class. A "table arrangements" workshop will place emphasis on lasting holiday arrangements, and specialty cooking and necktie-making have been added as new subjects this year.

The workshops are scheduled to meet for either two or three sessions during the week, depending upon the subject. The fee for each workshop is \$3, which does not include materials. A nursery is available for those in daytime classes at a nominal fee.

Schedules for both daytime and evening workshops are available at the YWCA, at KC 7-8800. Early registration is advisable.



SECRETARIAL POINTERS — Consultation sessions were part of the "Personality Plus" workshop sponsored by the Town and Country chapter of the National Secretaries Association at Stevenson High School in Livonia recently. From left are Mrs. Arlene Petrusky, Stevenson secretary, and Mrs. Larkie Will.

now, both chapter members; Mrs. Lee Goodrich, assistant director of the Metropolitan School of Business and one of the workshop speakers; and Mrs. Jenilda Sowers of Lincoln Park, Town and Country president. (Observer photo by Harry Mauthe)

6 U-M Scholarships Available To Women

The Center for Continuing Education of Women announces six \$1,500 competitive scholarships for women who are continuing education at the University of Michigan.

The unique scholarship program is for women whose education at some time has been interrupted. They may be beginning or continuing a degree program at any University of Michigan campus.

Applications for the 1971-72 CEW scholarships are now available at the center, 330 Thompson Street, Ann Arbor. Completed applications should be submitted by Feb. 1, 1971. The winners will be announced in April.

Recipients may be full or part-time students. They will be chosen on the basis of such criteria as strength of motivation, academic record and promise, creative and scholarly contributions, goals and commitment.

WOMEN WHO are returning to education are a growing population of University students. During the past six years, more than 2,500 women have consulted the center and many more have participated in center activities.

"We know the quality of the scholarly and energetic women students who are returning to school," says Mrs. Jean W. Campbell, the center director.

"However, adult women are not eligible for most awards because their family or job responsibilities often compel them to work on a degree program at less than a full time schedule. The CEW scholarships offer encouragement to those women students whose efforts had not usually been rewarded."

Contact with the center is easily made by writing in or stopping at 330 Thompson Street, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48108, or telephoning 764-0449 or 764-6555.

Childbirth Film Set

The Childbirth Preparation Association will show the film "Not Me Alone" at 8 p.m., Friday, Nov. 20. The film, on loan from the Association for Shared Childbirth Inc., Lansing, will be shown in Wyandotte General Hospital.

It will show labor and childbirth using the Lamaze method as hard work, but also as a joyous experience.

The use of the relaxation and breathing techniques and the husband's role as a coach are clearly demonstrated. Nursing and rooming-in are also shown.

A young couple will discuss recent experiences with the Lamaze method.

Alumnae Plan Feather Party

The Madonna College Alumnae Association will hold a Feather Party Saturday, Nov. 21, at 7:30 p.m. The party will be held in the cafeteria of Madonna College, Schoolcraft and Levan Roads, Livonia. The public is invited.

Ferris Pledge

Victoria Leckie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Victor Leckie Jr. of Plymouth, is pledged this semester to the Zeta Nu chapter of Delta

Zeta sorority at Ferris State College. Miss Leckie is a 1969 graduate of Plymouth High School and is majoring in secretarial studies at Ferris.

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