

## around Farmington

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### MAGIC AND PIZZA

Thursday, Dec. 29: Boyer and Fitzsimmons mix magic, magic and comedy for their show following a pizza dinner at 6 p.m. in Farmington Community Center, Farmington Road north of 10 Mile. Reservations, at \$5 each, taken by calling the center, 477-8404.

### DINNER DANCE

Saturday, Dec. 31: Groves-Walker American Legion Post 348's annual New Year's Eve dinner dance begins at 7 p.m. in the post home, 31775 Grand River. Reservations, at \$45 per couple, taken by calling the post, 478-9174 after 2 p.m., and includes open bar and buffet supper after midnight.

### NEW YEAR SERVICES

Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 31 and Jan. 1: Eucharist Service begins at 7:30 p.m. New Year's Eve and worship service begins at 10 a.m. New Year's Day in Prince of Peace Lu-

theran Church, corner of 12 Mile and New Market, east of Farmington Road.

### FRESHSTART

Tuesday, Jan. 3: Registration deadline for "Freshstart," program to help smokers quit the habit, which begins at 1:30 p.m. or 7 p.m. Jan. 9 and continues twice a week until Jan. 25 in St. Mary Hospital, 36475 Five Mile Road, Livonia. No charge, but pre-registration is necessary, made by calling the hospital, 464-4800, Ext. 2297.

### OCC REGISTRATION

Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 3-4: Registration for the 1989 winter term runs from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. each day on Orchard Ridge Campus, Oakland Community College, Orchard Lake Road and I-696. Inquiries taken by calling the college, 471-7500.

### COMPUTER CLASS

Wednesday, Jan. 4: Apple II GS computer class begins at 7 p.m. and continues for four Wednesdays in Room 109, Clarenceville High School. Fee is \$18. Registrations taken by calling Clarenceville Community Education, 473-8933.

### CPR

Thursday, Jan. 5: CPR (Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation) class begins

at 7 p.m. in Botsford Hospital's Administration and Education Center, Grand River west of Eight Mile. Fee is \$5. Registration taken by calling the hospital, 471-8090.

### HIGH SCHOOL COMPLETION

Thursday, Jan. 5: Registration for high school completion classes are taken from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily and 7-9 p.m. Monday through Thursday in Farmington Community School, 30415 Shawasssee. Inquiries taken by calling the school, 477-9373.

### PSYCHIC AWARENESS

Saturday, Jan. 7: "Psychic Awareness and Experiences," sessions on dreams, tarot cards, astrology, numerology and meditation, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. sponsored by Womencenter, Orchard Ridge Campus, Oakland Community College. Reservations, at \$5 each, taken by calling Womencenter, 471-7602. Child care is available with registration made only before the event.

### SMOKELESS SYSTEM

Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 9-10: Free Introduction to The Smokeless System begins at 7:30 p.m. each night in Botsford Hospital's Administration and Education Building, 28050 Grand River. Inquiries taken by calling the hospital, 471-8090.

### INFANT-CHILD CPR

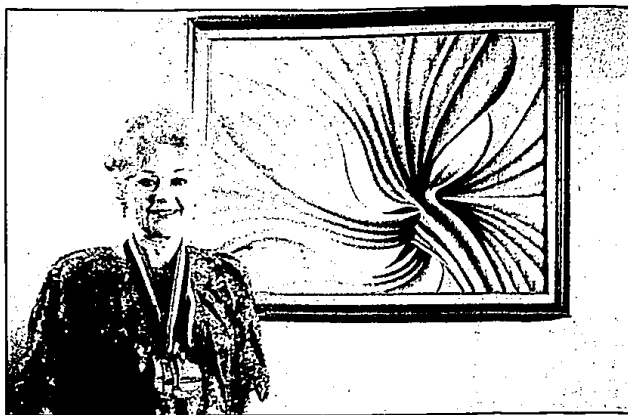
Monday, Jan. 9: Infant and Child CPR (Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation) taught 7-10 p.m. in Botsford Hospital's Administration and Education Center, Grand River west of Eight Mile Road. Fee is \$5. Registration is requested by calling the hospital, 471-8090.

### BABYSITTING

Wednesday, Jan. 11: "Not Just Kid Stuff," two-session workshop on how to be a qualified babysitter begins at 4:40 p.m. in Botsford Hospital's Administration and Education Center, 28050 Grand River. Fee is \$20. Registrations taken by calling the hospital, 471-8090.

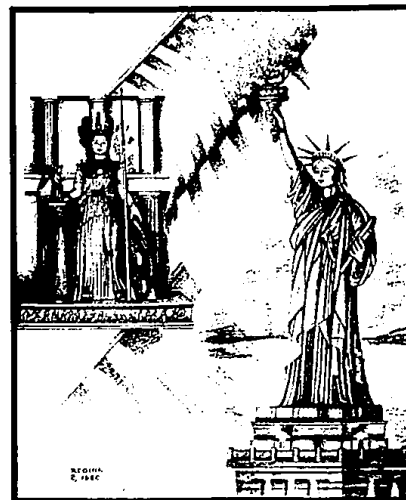
### DIABETES

Wednesday, Jan. 11: "Diabetes Management," series of six classes, begins at 7 p.m. in Botsford Hospital's Administration and Education Center, 28050 Grand River. Registration and inquiries taken by calling the hospital, 471-8090.



## 5 gold medals

Regina Englehardt came home from the International Art Challenge in Los Angeles, sometimes described as an Olympics for artists, with five gold medals and four silver medals. The Farmington Artists Club member poses with some of those medals (above) and with her gold-medal-winning oil abstract called "Magnolia II." At left is her pencil drawing called "Amalgamation" that won a gold medal in the "Ethnic" category of the competition. This is the second year Englehardt has entered the art challenge and the second year she's won gold medals for her entries. A topper for her wins this year was winning the top award for the artist who entered several categories. A taping of a two-hour TV special on the art challenge was hosted by Dick and Pat Van Patton of "Eight Is Enough" and Andrew Stevens of "Dallas."



## Post offices dress for the holidays

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cardboard U.S. Postal trucks, but other than that, "no commercialism," Greene said. "But it is a Post Office and I have worked here for 21 years."

All of the decorations, whether from the after-Christmas half-price sales or the garage sales, cost Greene \$100-150 — "\$150 tops," he said — plus three days off and a few evenings after work.

He called it "an extension of my hobby."

Off hours from the post office are spent in Costumes Ancienars, which he owns and operates, designing costumes, mostly period ones, and stage sets.



RANDY BORST/staff photographer

Even the display of U.S. Post Office envelopes and boxes for sale got a bit of decoration.

## Rhythm band at Oak Hill

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Wayne State University. After graduation she took her six-month internship in music therapy at Cedar Lake Home in West Bend, Wis. "I was lucky to get that internship," she said. "It is the first home in the country to have a separate unit — a whole building really — designed for just Alzheimer's patients. I don't know where it would have

been that I could have learned more for the work I wanted to do," she said.

What she didn't learn was anything about graphics, or designing a concert playbill, which was a do-it-yourself project she put together to hand out to 150 concert-goers for The Resident Band and Choir's Christmas program, the largest audience for any event Oak Hill Care Center has had to date.



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Tuesday - Wednesday, January 3 - 4  
Classes begin Thursday, January 5

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