

upcoming things to do

• AT STAGECRAFTERS

John Parks of Birmingham and Karen Kron of West Bloomfield are in the cast of "The Boys Next Door" by Tom Griffin, with original music by Steve Puls, presented by Stagecrafters of Royal Oak at the Baldwin Theatre. The show continues through Sunday, March 24. Tickets at \$13, \$18 on Thursdays and for students and seniors on Sundays are available from Stagecrafters' box office in Royal Oak. For reservations and performance times, call 541-6430.

• ICE CAPADES

Jennifer Wesley of Troy is appearing in the Ice Capades, through Sunday, March 17 at the Joe Louis Arena in Detroit. Tickets are \$13, \$18 and \$25. Open auditions for young skaters interested in joining the cast of Ice Capades will be Friday, March 15, following the 7:30 p.m. performance. For information on tickets or auditions call 567-6000.

• ALASKA TRAVELOGUE

Fran Reidelberger will present a travelogue to Alaska Friday, March 15, at the Smith Theatre on the Orchard Ridge Campus of Oakland Community College in Farmington Hills. Optional dinner and show is \$17. Dinner reservations required by Friday, March 8. Show only is \$5 general admission; students, seniors and OCC staff, \$2.50. For reservations or more information contact the 24-hour hot line at 471-7700.

• STAGED READINGS

The Jewish Ensemble Theatre continues "Eight Days in March," its annual festival of staged dramatic reading. Each performance will be followed by an open discussion by members of the audience, actors, the director and, in most cases, the author. On Wednesday evenings, readings will be at the Jimmy Prentiss Morris Jewish Community Center in Oak Park. On Thursday evenings, readings will be at the Jewish Community Center in West Bloomfield. All performances are at 8 p.m. The schedule of plays is: March 13-14, "The Emigration of Adam Kurland" by Theodore Herstand; March 20-21, "Just in Time" by Jules Abrams and Robert Clymire; March 27-28, "Pearl" by Todd Graff. Admission is \$5. For more information, call the JET office at 788-2500.

• PLAYS PALACE

The Scorpions with special guest



Gemini, twin brothers who are folk singers, perform at 4 p.m. Sunday, March 17, at the Birmingham Unitarian Church in Bloomfield Hills. Tickets at \$5 are available at the door. For more information, call 647-2380.

Trixter perform at the Palace of Auburn Hills at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 11. Tickets at \$20 reserved are on sale at the Palace box office and all Ticketmaster outlets. Tickets also can be charged by calling 645-6666.

• IN CONCERT

Veteran British rockers Yes will perform at the Palace of Auburn Hills at 8 p.m. Saturday, April 27.

Tickets at \$50 (Gold Circle), \$20 and \$15 reserved are on sale at the Palace box office and all Ticketmaster outlets. Tickets also may be charged by calling 645-6666.

• OLDIES REVUE

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• FOR DEPENDENTS

In an attempt to help relieve some of the stress of war placed on community members, Olympia Arenas Inc. has made available tickets to Joe Louis Arena and Cobo Arena for dependents of servicemen and women based in the Persian Gulf. Tickets to the Ice Capades, through Sunday, March 17, will be available to parents, spouses and children of servicemen and servicewomen. Family members may contact Selfridge Air Force Base support group leaders to place orders. Questions may be directed to the 927th Tactical Airlift Group Public Affairs Office at 466-5575.

• 'CHORUS LINE'

Cadillac presents the nationwide farewell tour of Broadway's most successful and longest-running theatrical production, appearing at the Fox Theatre in Detroit on Tuesday,

April 23, through Sunday, April 28, for eight performances. "A Chorus Line" was conceived, choreographed and directed by Michael Bennett, with music by Marvin Hamlisch and lyrics by Edward Kleban. Tickets are on sale at the Fox Theatre box office, the Joe Louis Arena and Cobo Arena box offices and all Ticketmaster outlets. Tickets are priced from \$32.50 to \$15. To charge by phone call 645-6666. For further information call 567-6000.

• NEW SEASON

The Detroit premieres of Christopher Hampton's stage adaptation of "Les Liaisons Dangereuses" and the Steppenwolf Theatre's dramatization of John Steinbeck's "The Grapes of Wrath" will be highlights of the Hilberry Theatre's 1991-92 season. Wayne State's two theaters, the Hilberry and the Bonstelle, will present a total of 12 productions spanning five centuries from Shakespeare to Neil Simon. Free brochures for both theaters, with complete information about the plays, performance schedules and tickets, will be available in the spring. To receive them by mail, call 577-2792 and ask to be placed on the theater mailing list.

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