

around Farmington

All announcements for this column must be mailed to **Around Farmington**, Farmington Observer, 2168 Farmington Road, Farmington 48326. Deadline for **Around Farmington** is noon Monday for the Thursday publication and noon Thursday for the Monday publication. Requests for announcements will not be taken over the telephone.

TAX-AIDE PROGRAM
Monday, March 30: AARP tax-aide program for Senior Citizens 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Farmington Hills Senior Center, Mercy Center, 28600 W. 11 Mile Road, Gate 4, for people 60 and older sponsored by American Association of Retired Persons (AARP).

TAX-AIDE PROGRAM
Friday, March 27: AARP sponsors a tax-aide program for senior citizens Fridays in Farmington Community Library, 23550 Liberty St., corner of Liberty and State Streets from Noon to 4 p.m.

EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER OPENINGS
Through June. Some openings in Farmington Early Childhood Centers are available at all three centers: Alameda Center 489-3808; Fairview Center, 489-3797 and Farmington Community School, 489-3374. To enroll a child must be a resident of Farmington school district.

BABY BEAUTIFUL CONTEST
Farmington Area Community Women sponsors a baby beautiful contest. Proceeds go to S.I.D.S. (Sudden Infant Death Syndrome). All entries must be received by April 17. For more information, call Maryann Ellis at 626-9571.

OPEN HOUSE
Thursday, March 26: Christ Our Savior Lutheran School will have open house from 7-8:30 p.m. for parents interested in enrolling children in state licensed, Christian pre-school and kindergarten. The school is at 14175 Farmington Road, north of I-96 or call program director Judy Itseae at 522-6930.

WARDROBE PLANNING
Thursday, March 26: One session workshop to teach you how to build a wardrobe and save money 7-9 p.m. in the community center, 24705 Farmington Road. Cost is \$15.

BABES IN ARMS
Friday, Saturday and Sunday, March 27, 28 and 29: Mercy High School presents the musical Friday and Saturday 8 p.m. and Sunday at 3 p.m. in the auditorium, 29300 11 Mile Road. Tickets are \$9 for adults and \$6 for senior citizens and students. Call 476-3270 for reservations.

AUCTION
Friday, March 27: Farmington High Music Patrons sponsors their annual fund-auction at 7 p.m. in Farmington High School cafeteria.

FREE SEMINAR
Saturday, March 28: Seminar from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Farmington Hills Library, 32737 12 Mile. Hosted by Merrill Lynch, it will present strategies to help individual investors achieve financial objectives and manage money in the most efficient manner possible. For reservations, call 446-1219.

CRAFT BOUTIQUE
Saturday, March 28: Clarenceville High School, 20155 Middlebelt in Livonia hosts a craft boutique from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission is \$1 and includes raffle ticket.

ACCOUNTANT REVIEW COURSE
Saturday, March 28: Detroit College of Business holds a certified management accountant review course. Eight Saturday sessions. Deadline for registration is March 25. For more information call Roxanne Loptrone at 581-4400, Ext 249.

TEDDY BEAR PICNIC
Saturday, March 28: From 11 a.m. till noon, Little Professor Book Center, 37115 Grand River, Grand River/Halsted Shopping Center, hosts picnic for children and their teddy bears, 3-7 years old. Owners Paula and Rich Herstein have planned this picnic as the first venture in a new bi-monthly children's storytime.

DINNER, DANCE
Saturday, March 28: The Finnish American Singers of Michigan are presenting a dinner/dance at 7 p.m. in the Finnish Center, 35200 W. Eight Mile. Music from the '40s, \$18 per person. For more information, call 851-2617 or 398-0260.

BLOOD DONATIONS
Saturday, March 28: The Red Cross is accepting blood donations from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Finnish Center, 35200 W. Eight Mile. Walk-ins welcome.

BENEFIT SCREENING
Saturday, March 28: At 10 a.m. at United Artists West

River Theatre in Farmington Hills a benefit screening for the Samuel Goldwyn Company's release "Rock-A-Doodle." Tickets are \$5 and can be purchased in advance by calling 533-7188. All proceeds benefit The Variety Club Charity for Children.

TAX PREPARATION
Sunday, March 29: From 2-4 p.m. at the Little Professor Book Center, Grand River/Halsted Shopping Center, offers a free tax preparation workshop for those who find preparing taxes too taxing. No charge, but registration is necessary by calling 478-2810.

FIRST CHAIR ENCORES
Sunday, March 29: The Farmington Community Band presents its fifth performance of the season with a program titled "First Chair Encores," at 3 p.m. in the Harrison High School auditorium, 12 Mile Road between Middlebelt and Orchard Lake Road. Tickets are \$3 for adults, students, \$2 and family \$8 and senior citizens free. For information, 476-5014 or 489-3412.

BENEFIT AUCTION
Sunday, March 29: Auction and lunch ticket \$1, silent auction 10:15 a.m.-1 p.m., lunch 12:15, live auction at 1:15 p.m.-2:45 p.m. in Nardin Park United Methodist Church, 28887 W. 11 Mile, nursery and activities for children. For information call Sue Russell at 478-8860.

HEALTH-O-RAMA
Sunday, March 29: From 8 a.m. until 1 p.m. Providence Medical Center, 39500 W. Ten Mile in Novi hosts the event at the hospital's Novi Center. For information call the hotline at 471-0300.

recreation news

Each week, the Recreation Division of the Farmington Hills Department of Special Services presents a synopsis of upcoming activities in this column. For information regarding pro-

grams, call the recreation office at 473-9570. Pre-registration is required for most activities. For matters regarding city council agenda items, call the city's Newsletter at 476-3828.

SOFTBALL LEAGUES
Registration is now being accepted for returning adult softball leagues from the 1991 season. New teams being registered on Feb. 3. Leagues will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Teams will play a 14-game schedule except coed leagues which play 10 games and playoffs.

Fees are \$340 for coed leagues, \$380 residential and industrial leagues and \$420 open and 35 and over leagues.

SHELTER AND CANOPY RENTALS
The Recreation Division is now taking in-person reservations only at

their offices Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. for the three open air shelters at Heritage Park and the 20-foot-by-40 foot canopy. Rental fees and security deposit must be paid at the time of reservation. For more information, contact the Recreation Division at 473-9570.

SENIOR CENTER BAZAAR
A Spring Theme Bazaar sponsored by the Senior Adult Division will be held at the Senior Adult Center, 28600 11 Mile Road from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Friday, March 27. The bazaar will feature a craft, bake and white elephant sale. Call 473-1854 for further information.

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