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PARTY SCHEDULED

The North Farmington High School senior all-night party, with the theme "Class of '92 Friendship Tour" will be held on Sunday, June 7 from 10 p.m. until 4:30 a.m. the next morning.

Many activities are currently planned including an auction, casino games, disc jockey and dunk tank. Senior parent volunteers and donations are still needed to make this a successful party. Please call Louise Spector at (616) 532-7079 for more information.

OM COMPETITION

Seven students from Power Middle School placed sixth overall, and first in the spontaneous competition, at the state Odyssey of the Mind competition at Central Michigan University in April. The all-female team portrayed the life and works of William Shakespeare in an eight-minute

creative skit. They took a different twist on a modern day television game show format, using historical characters and naming the show "Make Thy Own Movement." The skit solved an OM problem called "OMument," which was one of several from which the students could select.

Lauren Hollick, Jennifer Vause, Maureen Carolan, Michelle D'Anna, Danielle Hassan, Anne Marie Siano and Liana Kambouris won the right to compete at the state level after placing first in the regional OM competition in Oakland County in March.

Odyssey of the mind is an international, creative problem-solving

program for students in all grades. Teams are judged on the originality of their solutions, as well as a spontaneous problem they must solve on-site at the competition.

Teams from Farmington Public Schools won top prizes at the state level in 1988 and 1991. A 1990 team is now.

BEST SINGER

Stephanie Myre, a sophomore student at North Farmington High School, was selected as one of Michigan's best high school singers by the Michigan School Vocal Association.

A number of choral groups at North Farmington, Myre performed May 9 at Western Michigan University at the MSVA Festival of Outstanding Soloists, which is held in conjunction with the Michigan Youth Arts Festival.

Singers received this honor must achieve superior ratings at both district and state festivals, as well as being identified by the adjudicators as one of the best in the state.

FITNESS BUFFS

Hillside Elementary School held a mile walk May 13 as part of the International "All Children Exercising Simultaneously" project, which promotes physical fitness

around the world.

The 1992 project goal was to have 10 million participants exercise for 15 minutes. Last year, five million children participated.

ARTIST VISITS

Free-lance illustrator Will Hillenbrand will visit Longacre Elementary School May 15 for four assemblies to share his work with students there.

Hillenbrand is an illustrator and art director from Cincinnati, Ohio and has illustrated a number of books for authors such as Elvira Woodruff, Verne Aardema and Steven Kroll.

YMCA HIGHLIGHTS

Those YMCA highlights appear courtesy of the Farmington YMCA, 28100 Farmington Road, Farmington Hills. For more information, call 553-4020.

GOLF CLASSIC

The 5th annual Farmington YMCA Golf Classic Charity Outing will be Monday, June 8, at Edgewood Country Club. The event is

once again sponsored by Tom Holzer Fund. Cost is \$135 which includes 18 holes of golf, cart, barbecue lunch, steak dinner, refreshments and door prizes. For information

to make reservations, call Natalie or Keith 553-4920.

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