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predicting promising futures, and Irma Elder, president of Troy Ford, talking about her new TV commercial.

Entertainment did not stop with the polo competition and the traditional divot stomp. The fashion parade strutted Southfield Commissioner Lillian Jaffe wearing her summer chapeau, Diane Brown of West Bloomfield sporting a stylish oversized polo scarf, and Lana Jerome of West Bloomfield in a flowing calf-length sundress.

Julie Hakim of Beverly Hills was anxiously anticipating the rendition of the "Star Spangled Banner" by her daughter Nicole (an actress in New York).

Familiar faces in the crowd included Del Warner, Judge Susan Maisev, Yvette Charles, Jim Hall, Jackie Klein, Varsi Walsh, Pat Hardy, Lynne Elchinger, city treasurer Roman Gronkowski and wife Judy, Phyllis Papa of John Robert Powers Modeling Agency and councilman Steve Hurite with son John and grandson Nick.

Due to the recent heavy rains, a Friday decision to move the match from Saturday to Sunday proved wise. With the sun brightly shining and gentle cool breezes, guests spent a wonderful social Sunday with family and friends grazing under the white bigtop watching a most challenging sport on the Euro-like grounds of Duns Scotus.

Playing the "sport of kings" on Southfield's Polo Team were Jerry Spitzer, Chuy Baez, Peter Fewster and Jim Nicholasen.

woman Susan Willis Kushner, a new Rolls Royce member with her husband, was discussing her current international involvement to raise funds for Victims of Communism.

Elaine Swenson, romantically attired, is looking forward to the symposium she will take part in this fall for the Parents League Association of Independent Michigan Schools.

## Project: HOPE farewell

At Maggie Allsee's thank-you luncheon for Project: HOPE, news leaked out that Tom Schoenheit will be the Cinderella Ball's "Businessman of the Year" for the American Lung Association. The rumor is that Carol Larsen Wendzel and Sybil Jaques will chair the ball, working closely with Woman's Association President Rita Margherio of Orchard Lake.

Queenie Sarkisian shared her recent conference adventure in Washington with the Salvation Army, where Ross Perot and Billy Graham were keynote speakers.

Project: HOPE volunteers at the indoor/outdoor luncheon included Barbara Reason, Betty Bright, Marie Fetters, Michigan Opera Theatre Guild President Ginny Clementi, Millie Pastor, Pat Cowden, Ida Krandle, Jacquol Mularoni and Maggie's daughter Kathy Cooke with her favorite guys, husband Kim and son James.



Polo match: Southfield mayor Donald Fracassi (left) is riding high at the third annual Southfield Polo Competition, with Southfield commissioner Lillian Jaffe and city treasurer Roman Gronkowski and wife Judy.



In the tent: Southfield community relations director Nimrod Rosenthal (left) horses around with Troy Ford president and owner Irma Elder. Nimrod's son Ron and wife Varda also enjoy the picture-perfect day.



Family gathering: Three generations of Hurites await Sunday's polo festivities. They are John Hurite, holding son Nick, with John's father, councilman Steve Hurite.



Saying thanks: Project Hope president Maggie Allsee (left) holds a summertime thank-you luncheon for Project Hope volunteers. Expectant daughter Kathy Cooke poses with Farmington Hills past-president Ida Krandle.



Outdoor party: Lorraine Schultz (left) picnics at Cranbrook with other Rolls Royce collectors, Farmington Hills resident Dottie Maybury and Elaine Swenson.

## More horse power

Owners of one of the most prestigious horseless carriages (Rolls Royce Owners Club) gathered for their annual summer picnic also on Sunday afternoon on the sprawling grounds of Cranbrook in Bloomfield Hills.

The serious car collectors cast their ballots, voting on total presentation of Rolls, apparel and picnic presentation.

Local Rolls Royce members include Doug and Lois Presta of West Bloomfield, Dottie Maybury of Farmington Hills and Bram Over of Southfield.

Auto enthusiasts Arthur and Lorraine Schultz were buzzing about the upcoming Michigan Beach Festival-Adolfo Fashion Show. Lorraine is chairing the Wednesday, Aug. 5, benefit at the Ritz-Carlton, Dearborn (for tickets call 271-1939). This year's Cinderella Ball chair-

## News worth noting

Everyone knows that beauty carlines Tamara and Mira Linder are not bosom buddies. So it was a very uncomfortable situation for former beauty queen and renowned artist Patricia Hill Burnett when she arrived at the wrong Northwestern Highway house of beauty. A private bridal shower for Lois Pincus (bride of Judge Avron Cohen) was held at Tamara's Institute of Beauty and, you guessed it, Burnett showed up at Mira's saying, "Where's the party?"

## Applause, applause

St. Vincent and Sarah Fisher Center (the Farmington Hills home for abused, neglected and often emotionally disturbed children) reports the recent Garden Party benefit — the brainchild of Ed Jonna



(Merchant of Vine) — raised more than \$100,000.

## Bill Blass splash

Fashion designer Bill Blass will make a special guest appearance at the Shattell-Gustafson Pavilion of Oakland University in Rochester to raise money for the Meadow Brook Fund of Oakland University. The Saks Fifth Avenue fashion show

Something's afoot: West Bloomies Lana Jeramie (left) and Diane Brown get ready for the traditional polo divot stomp.

# Try these toll-free numbers

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