

# CALENDAR

YOUR GUIDE TO EVENTS IN AND AROUND FARMINGTON-FARMINGTON HILLS

## HAPPENINGS

**■ SELF DEFENSE WORKSHOP**  
Sponsored by OCC Women-center, Jaye Spiro of Mejihi Martial Arts conducts one-day workshop 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 15 in Oakland Community College, Orchard Ridge Campus, Room J-305. Fee \$25. Pre-registration required. 471-7602.

**■ FARMINGTON HIGH SCHOOL**  
Save your returnable bottles and cans for the Farmington High School music patrons bottle and can drive Saturday, Aug. 29 at Downtown Farmington A & P, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

**■ BLACKTHORN**  
Appearing Friday and Saturday nights, Aug. 14 and 15 and Aug. 28 and 29 at Cowley's Old Village Inn in Farmington at 33338 Grand River Grand River. Irish and American folk music. Information 474-5841.

**■ BASKETBALL CAMP**  
Madonna University Men's Varsity Basketball program holds a boy's camp Monday, Aug. 10 through Friday, Aug. 14 from 8 a.m.-11 a.m. Open to all boys 8-16 years old held at Madonna University Field House, 36600 Schenckart, Livonia. (1-96 at Levant) Fee is \$75 per camper. Team discounts available. Registration and information call Bill Sharpe, 591-5139 or 591-5135 or 454-0054.

**■ GOLF OUTING**  
The Michigan Catholic Health System sponsors their second annual Infant Mortality Project Golf Benefit, Friday, August 7 at Westbrooke Golf Course in Novi. Donations is \$60 per ticket. Day begins with registration and breakfast from 7:30-9:30 a.m. and a shotgun scramble at 9 a.m. Information and tickets, 343-1612 or 424-5869.

**■ CAR WASH**  
Farmington Families in Action and Colonial Car Wash teams up for a fund raiser. Purchase a \$5 car wash ticket and half the proceeds will go to FFIA. Tickets available now through Aug. 31 at Little Professor Book Store, Halsted and Grand River; Valvoline Oil Change, Grand River in Downtown Farmington; Total Fitness, 23311 Orchard Lake Road; and Aug. 1, 8 and 15 at the Farmer Jack Store on Farmington Road and Nine Mile. For information Nancy Smith, 476-5682.

**■ SOUTHEAST MICHIGAN MENS**  
Meeting Saturday, Aug. 15 at 8 p.m. in Southfield Civic Center, 20600 Evergreen Road in Parks & Recreation Building. Information 342-2995.

**■ IMMUNIZATION CLINIC**  
Free immunization clinic offered by Oakland County Health Division for Farmington and surrounding areas at Clarencville United Methodist Church, 20500 Middlebelt Road from 9 a.m. to noon Wednesday, Aug. 12.

**■ COMMUNITY EVENT**  
Council of community resources Farmington/Farmington Hills presents Understanding Cultural Diversity from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 29 in Oakland Community College, Orchard Ridge Campus, J Building, Room 306, 27055 Orchard Lake, Farmington Hills. Key-note speaker, Richard H. Lo-

enthal. Information, 476-8010.

**■ HOUSE TOUR**  
Tours include Spicer House, Heritage Park, Biddestone, Samuel Locke House, Ward Engle House, John Dallas Hanger House, Hamilton Jones House, John Garfield House, Universalist-Unitarian Church, Warner Mansion, Masonic Temple, Thomas Russell House, Lapham House and Methodist Children's Home. Hours 1-5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 19-20. Tickets \$12, \$10 in advance. Information: Nancy Leonard, 476-4125, or Ruth Moehlman, 626-8264.

**■ WEIGHT WATCHERS**  
Kicks off the 20th anniversary. Florine Mark invites anyone who has ever been a member of Weight Watchers, along with their families and friends to sunset picnic at the Detroit Zoo to benefit "Dieters Feed the Hungry." Friday, August 21, 6-9 p.m. Admission: one bag of non-perishable groceries to be donated to Dieters Feed the Hungry, a non-profit organization that distributes food donations to local food banks. Information and free tickets, 1-800-487-4777, ext 267.

## MERCY CENTER

**■ CAMPS**  
Soccer Camp — By the Detroit Rockers. Ages 6-16. August 10 through August 14. 476-8010.

Mid American Pompano day camp — Grades 1-4 August 12-14. Information 473-1815 or 476-8010.

## YMCA

**■ GYMNASIACS**  
The Y will be starting classes on Sept. 14. Classes for beginners through the advanced team member is available for pre-schoolers to teenagers. For information call Tom Wyllie at 553-0020. Every gymnast that registers for the fall 1 season will receive a free YMCA gymnastics T-shirt.

**■ BASKETBALL LEAGUES**  
The Y will be forming both a women's basketball league and a men's over 30 basketball league. Games played on Sundays and cost for the league is \$350 per team. Organizational meetings Tuesday, Sept. 27, at 6:30 p.m. and 7 p.m.

**■ PRE-SCHOOL MOVEMENT**  
A new program designed to offer children ages 3-6 the opportunity to explore and learn about movement and basic health and fitness. Classes start the week of Sept. 14. Call 553-4020 for registration details.

## RECREATION NEWS

**■ AMUSEMENT PARK TICKETS**  
Tickets for amusement park admission can be bought at a discount at the recreation office. Tickets are available for Bob-In Island, Cedar Point, Detroit Zoo, Four Bears Water Park, Kings Island, Sea World and Great America. 476-3838

**■ EQUIPMENT RENTALS**  
An assortment of recreation equipment is available for picnics, birthday parties or special events. Reservations must be made at least three working days in advance by calling the recreation office at 473-9570. Rentals and deposit

fees are required on day equipment is picked up. Equipment sets include picnic pucks, volleyball, softball pucks, croquet, badminton, parachute, tug-o-war rope and floor hockey.

**■ CAMP COM-ON-A-WONNA**  
Openings available for camp, ages 9-12, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. August 10-14. Camp meets Thursday only from 2-7:30 p.m. with a family picnic held at Heritage Park Monday through Friday. Fee \$65 per person.

**■ STARS IN THE PARK**  
Bring your lawn chairs or blankets and enjoy the sounds of the Novi Community band Thursday, Aug. 6 at 8 p.m. in Heritage Park. No charge. 473-9570.

**■ YOUTH SOCCER**  
Registration accepted until Aug. 7 for children in grades kindergarten through third at the recreation office. Games played on Saturdays. Volunteer coaches needed. Contact Hugh Leslie at 473-9570. Fee \$20 per child.

**■ SOFTBALL REGISTRATION**  
Accepted for men and co-ed leagues held on Monday/Wednesday or Tuesday/Thursday. Teams play a 10-game schedule. Call 473-9570 for registration information.

**■ HALLOWEEN HAUNTED WALK**  
Fifth annual haunted walk held Oct. 23 and 24 at Heritage Park. We are looking for groups, organizations or individuals who would be interested in creating a station on the trail to provide the spirit of Halloween. Contact Dave Justus at 473-9580.

## PRESCHOOL

**■ PRESCHOOL CLASSES**  
Farmington Public Schools available for fall 1992. Openings at Alameda, 489-3808; Fairview, 489-3799; or Farmington Community School, 489-3373. Information, 489-3333.

**■ CHILDREN'S CENTER**  
Pathways to Learning Children's Center available for fall. Information: Farmington, 473-1860; Novi, 348-4340 or 348-4166; Plymouth, 420-3553; Redford, 937-3002.

**■ NORDIN PARK**  
Community Nursery School has openings for three and four year olds for fall. This is a non-profit state certified nursery school and is located in Nordin Park United Methodist Church, 29887 11 Mile Road. Nindi Steff, 476-4464.

**■ FARMINGTON PRESBYTERIAN**  
Nursery School for Fall '92 opening left for three year old child located at 26165 Farmington Road. Information call: Kathy Scherer, 442-1486.

## CRAFT AND RUMMAGE SALES

**■ CRAFTERS NEEDED**  
Sign up for Madonna University's annual juried holiday arts and crafts showcase 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 7-8, at the university, 1-96 and Levant, Livonia. Application deadline is Aug. 1, 591-5600.

**■ CRAFTERS WANTED**  
The fourth annual art and craft show Saturday, Nov. 21, in Grace Lutheran Church, Redford. 594-4853 or 464-2727.

**■ CRAFTERS WANTED**  
For August, September, October, November and December Country Craft Shows in the Richardson Center, 1485 Oakley Park Road, Wyandale. Information call Lydia, 624-5081.

## VOLUNTEERS

**■ YOUTH PROGRAM**  
Learn to be an adult mentor for a child in Oakland County Youth Assistance Volunteer Program. Training session Wednesday, Aug. 19 at 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in Probate Court Conference Room, 1200 N. Telegraph in Pontiac. Register, 858-0041 day or night.

## SENIOR CITIZENS

**■ CAMERA SCHEDULE**  
Oakland County older adults who have reached the age of 60 and live in Oakland County, may receive an identification card issued by the Oakland Livingston Human Service Agency Friday, Aug. 21 in Farmington Hills Senior Center, 28600 W. 11 Mile Road, 10:30 a.m. to noon. Information 473-1822.

**■ SENIOR CITIZENS DAY**  
At the Michigan State Fair Monday, Aug. 31. Citizens 62 years and older will be admitted into the fairgrounds free until 3 p.m.

**■ ORGAN CLASSES**  
City of Farmington Hills, Senior Adult Center, with Hammel Music, offers organ classes 11 a.m. every Monday. No charge, although participants must be 55 or older. Loretta Conway or Justine Galat, 473-1821.

**■ ELDERMED**  
At Botzford Hospital invites you to Table Topics, Sun, Skin and Cancer, Noon, Friday, Aug. 14. Reservations are necessary, 471-8020.

## SINGLES

**■ SINGLES BRIDGE**  
A singles bridge group meets

7:30 p.m. Mondays at First Presbyterian Church in Northville. Lessons offered 7:50 p.m. Thursdays. Call 349-0104 or 420-3177.

**■ 21 PLUS**  
A gathering of singles in their 20s in First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main Street in Northville, Wednesday, Aug. 12, movie night at 6:30 p.m. the church to visit a local theater, 349-0911.

**■ VOYAGERS SINGLES**  
A group for 45 and over meets Aug. 8 at 2 p.m. in parking lot of St. Paul Presbyterian Church, 24275 Five Mile, Livonia to car pool to Dexter 1 fish at the Spring Valley Trout Farm, followed by dinner before returning home. Information, Ann 591-1350 or Marge, 464-8354.

**■ SUBURBAN SINGLES**  
Wednesday at "Madlin's", 28125 Grand River, 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Ages 21 and up. Cost \$3. 842-0443.

**■ FARMINGTON SINGLE PROFESSIONALS**  
For singles 25-40 meets for volleyball Tuesdays at 6:15 p.m. in Heritage Park, Farmington Road between 10 and 11 Mile Roads. Information 478-9181. Bowling Aug. 7 at Drakehire Lanes.

**■ ACTIVITIES GROUP**  
Composed of single individual professionals on a year round basis. Friday, Aug. 7 and 14 Singles night golf league at El Dorado Golf and Country Club, Saturday, Aug. 8. Singles golf plays Hickory Hills Lake Golf and Country Club in Wixom, call 624-4733 for directions. Thursday, Aug. 13, dinner at the Birmingham Community House, \$30 in advance or \$35 at the door. Includes choice of food, pop, dessert and admission to the dance afterwards.

**■ WESTSIDE SINGLES**  
Dance Friday, Aug. 7 at Burton Manor, Livonia, Schoolcraft Service Dr., west of Inkster Road. Admission \$5, 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. 562-3160.

**■ TRI-COUNTY SINGLES**  
Dance Aug. 8 at Burton Manor, 1-96 and Inkster Road in Livonia. More information 849-6275.

**■ SINGLES DANCE**  
Friday, Aug. 7 in Holiday Inn of Farmington Hills, 10 Mile and Grand River. Admission \$2 8 p.m.-1:30 a.m. Hotline, 358-8849.

## CLUBS IN ACTION

**■ PANIC AND ANXIETY**  
The Crew group meets 10 a.m. to noon the second and fourth Saturdays of each month in St. Andrew Lutheran Church, 6255 Telegraph, north of Maple. 573-7183 or 585-3733.

**■ STROKE SUPPORT**  
First Step Stroke Group meets weekly 1-3 p.m. Tuesdays in Farmington Hills Senior Center, 28600 11 Mile. Information, 473-1822 or 851-0134.

**■ WOMEN'S SURVIVAL CENTER**  
Professionals serving the public with crisis intervention, counseling, transitional housing, a legal clinic and child care. 335-2685.

**■ NORTH FARMINGTON GARDEN CLUB**  
Meets August 11 in Farmington Hills Branch Library. Information call 474-1397.

**■ GOOD NEIGHBOR GARDEN CONTEST**  
Farmington Garden Club rewards those in Farmington and Farmington Hills who take pride in their garden. Enter your neighbor's, your friend's or your own garden. Entries no later than August 6. Information, Betti Pool, 442-2742.

**■ CLASSIC CAR SHOW**  
Bassfield and Rowe Enterprises in conjunction with Madonna University hosts the American Classic Car show Sunday, Aug. 16 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on the Madonna Campus, 1-96 and Levant Road in Livonia. Admission is \$2 and \$1 for seniors and free for kids under 12.

**■ MICHIGAN PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S**  
Network dinner meeting, August 10 at 6 p.m. in Ramada Hotel, 28225 Telegraph, Southfield. Cost for member \$15 and non-member \$23; first time guest \$18. Information, 851-6363. Deadline, Aug. 5.

## SUMMER FUN SERIES

**■ MYSTERIES OF SCIENCE**  
Aug. 12, 10:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. An imaginative show of mind-boggling science tricks using ordinary household items starring Doug Scheer.

**■ MOM & KIDS OUTING**  
In Heritage Park, Farmington Road, south of 11 Mile, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. sponsored by Farmington Area Community women. Bring lunch, drink. Freeze pops provided free. Clown, games, prizes and face painting. Robin Kane, 477-5005.

**■ FAMILY DAY IN THE PARK**  
Saturday, August 22 celebrates 125th anniversary incorporation of Farmington as a village in Shiawassee Park. Old Timers Baseball Game, 1:30 p.m.; Meadow Muffin Mania, 3 p.m.; 3-5 p.m. free children's events; 4:30-6:30 p.m. chicken barbecue, \$5 per person in advance only by Aug. 10; 6-7 p.m. Historic dance demonstration and 7-10 p.m. square dancing. Information or tickets call Farmington City Hall 474-5500 or 473-9570 or Clinkner of Commerce, 474-3440.

**■ MOVIES**  
Every Wednesday children's matinees at the Farmington Civic Theatre 12:30 p.m. and 2:15 p.m. Call 474-1951 for shows and ticket information.

## BIBLE SCHOOL

**■ SHEPHERD KING LUTHERAN OF WEST BLOOMFIELD**  
Invites all children 3-12 years

of age August 10-14, 5300 W. Maple in West Bloomfield. 626-2121 or 661-3268 for registration.

**■ ST. JOHN'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Bible school Aug. 10-14 from 9-11:30 a.m., 23225 Gill Road, Farmington Hills. 474-0584 for information.

**■ CHRIST CHURCH CRAWBROOK**  
Bible school Aug. 10-14 from 12:30 p.m. located at Cranbrook and Lone Pine Roads. Information 644-5210.

## FARMINGTON COMMUNITY CENTER

**■ PARENTS AND TOTS**  
Working parents and tots every Tuesday, 5:15-7 p.m. \$3 per person. Call 477-8404 to register.

**■ FASHION SHOW**  
And luncheon Thursday, Sept. 17 in Novi Hilton Grand Ballroom. Charge \$25. Fall fashions by the shops at Twelve Oaks Mall.

## BOTSFORD HOSPITAL

**■ CHILDREN OF ALCOHOLICS**  
Every Saturday, 7:30 p.m. Botzford General Hospital, Administration & Education Center, 28050 Grand River, Farmington Hills. 442-7986.

**■ ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS**  
Every Sunday, 7 p.m.; every Tuesday, 8 p.m. in Botzford General Hospital, 28050 Grand River, Farmington Hills, 442-7986.

**■ FREE BLOOD PRESSURE**  
And vision screening 1-4 p.m. second Monday of each month. Annual vision, Botzford Hospital, 28050 Grand River. 477-6100.

## JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER

**■ HANDEL & GRETEL**  
Presented at the Jewish Community Center, 6600 W. Maple Road in West Bloomfield Tuesday, Aug. 11 at 7:30 p.m. Admission is \$4 per person. Information, 661-1000, ext. 342.

**■ ANNUAL PICNIC**  
Adult Services Department announces annual picnic Monday, Aug. 24 at 11:30 a.m. at Camp Ruth on the grounds of the Maple/Drake campus. There is a charge. Reservations are necessary. Information, 661-1000, ext 345.

**■ VOYAGES TO FREEDOM**  
500 years of Jewish life in Latin America and the Caribbean continues at the Jewish Center in West Bloomfield. In conjunction with the exhibit, three short films are on view daily — 11 a.m. A View of Jewish Life in Latin America; 1 p.m. The Yiddishle Gaudin and 2 p.m. Hotel Cuba.

**■ TRIP TO COLUMBUS, OHIO**  
For the Quincentennial Exposition of America '92, Sept. 21 and 22. Information, 661-1000, ext 345.

**CALENDAR FORM**

The Farmington Observer, without charge, welcomes Calendar items. Items should be from non-profit community groups or individuals announcing a community program or event. Please type or print the information below and mail your item to The Calendar, Farmington Observer, 21898 Farmington Road, Farmington, MI, 48336, or by fax to 313-477-9722. Items will appear at least once. Deadline for Calendar items is noon Friday for the following Thursday's paper.

Event: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date and Time: \_\_\_\_\_  
Location: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Additional info: \_\_\_\_\_

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