

CALENDAR

YOUR GUIDE TO EVENTS IN AND AROUND FARMINGTON- FARMINGTON HILLS

HAPPENINGS

■ CPR HEARTSEASER

Learn what to do if someone has a heart attack or stops breathing Wednesday, Sept. 2, 6:30 p.m. Cost \$17 and pre-registration is required. Information call Comprehensive Health & Safety Education, 477-1066. Located at 22500 Orchard Lake Road.

■ SALVATION ARMY

Of Farmington Hills invites all to attend film from World Wide Pictures Sunday, Aug. 30 at 6 p.m. called Eye of the Storm located at 27500 Shiawassee. Information 477-1153. No charge.

■ 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. 28 and 29, at Cowley's Old Village Inn in Farmington at 33333 Grand River Grand River. Irish and American folk music. Information 474-5841.

■ 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. For information Nancy Smith, 476-5662.

■ CHRISTMAS AROUND THE WORLD

Open house fundraiser for local charities sponsored by Farmington Area Community Women held Tuesday, Sept. 1, 6-9 p.m. in Mulwood Clubhouse, Drake and Grand River. Information, Denise at 478-3218.

■ GOOD EVENING FRIENDS

The Good Evening Friends, a local repository chorus announces openings for a limited number in all voice parts. They perform for senior centers, banquets, church groups and service organizations. If interested in membership or booking information, call Ed Neale at 477-5540 or 761-7043.

■ HOUSE TOUR

Tours include Spier House, Heritage Park, Biddlestone, Samuel Locke House, Ward Eagle House, John Dallas Janger 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 Mochman, 626-8264.

■ FARMINGTON FAMILIES IN ACTION

Is having its annual kick-off breakfast Oct. 1 for Drug and Alcohol Awareness Month. Breakfast begins at 7:15 a.m. at Glen Oaks Country Club, 30599 13 Mile Road. This year's theme is "Alcohol and Tobacco — the Most Abused Drugs." For tickets and information, call Betty Nicolay, 851-8565.

■ BLOOD DRIVE

Saturday, Aug. 29, 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. in St. Gerald Church Parish Hall, 21220 Farmington Road. Information, Vince Sciano at 474-4541 or 340-5628.

■ BENEFIT SOFTBALL GAME

WRIF-FM Morning Crew's "Fightin' Flamings" challenge a team from Mr. B's Farm Co-Ed Chicago style softball league to benefit Cushi's & Collette Foundation of America. First inning features WRIF vs. Mayor of Novi Matt Quinn and the Novi City officials team, the Novi Specials Sunday, Aug. 30 at 2 p.m., at Mr. B's Farm, 24555 Novi Road, Tickets \$3, children, \$2. Gates open 12:30 p.m., silent auction 12:50-4:30 p.m.; Karaoke party, 4:30-8:30 p.m.

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-Lo Island, Cedar Point, Detroit Zoo, Four Bears Water Park, Kings Island, Sea World and Great America. 476-3858

■ 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 packs, volley, softball bases, croquet, badminton, parachute, tug-o-war rope and floor hockey.

■ STARS IN THE PARK

Bring your lawn chairs or blankets and enjoy the sounds of the Sweet Adelines Thursday, Aug. 27, at 8 p.m. in Heritage Park. No charge. 473-9570.

■ 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. 23-24 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.

■ VOLUNTEER SOCCER COACHES

Needed for the division's kindergarten through third grade soccer program consisting of a five-game schedule. Games on Saturdays, beginning Sept. 12. To volunteer as a coach contact Hugh Leslie at 473-9578.

■ FALL REGISTRATION

The Recreation Division will be extending their office hours from 8:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. for the dates of Sept. 8, 10 for participants wishing to register. The extended hours are intended to allow you to register at a time more convenient for you.

PRESCHOOL

■ SHEPHERD KING Lutheran Pre-school openings

for 3 and 4 year olds located at Maple and Middlebelt Roads. Call Beverly Pittliko Dinecher, 636-2121.

■ NARDIN PARK

Community Nursery School has openings for three and four year olds for fall. This a non-profit state certified nursery school and is located in Nardin Park United Methodist Church, 29887 11 Mile Road. Nindi Steh, 478-4494.

■ SWEET BEGINNINGS

Nursery School in the Cleareville United Methodist Church, 20500 Middlebelt Road, Livonia is taking registration for children 3-5 years old. Classes begin Sept. 14 and meets Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings. 474-8851.

■ MAYFAIR CO-OP

Preschool openings available for 3 to 5 1/2 year olds located at 30450 Farmington Road. Mom & Tot is also available for 21 month to 3 year olds. 626-2759.

■ LEAP/KEAP REGISTRATION

Program is a hands-on enrichment program for children in preschool and kindergarten meets Thursdays and Kids Enrichment Activities meets Tuesdays. Information, at 489-3373 or 489-3375.

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, 1-966 and Levan, Livonia. 591-5000.

■ MORE CRAFTERS

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

■ STILL MORE CRAFTERS

For August, September, October, November and December Country Craft Shows in the Richardson Center, 1485 Oakley Park Road, Walled Lake. Information call Lynda, 624-5081.

VOLUNTEERS

■ PARENT PARTNER

Volunteers are being recruited for a unique program that places trained volunteers in the homes of local families. Volunteers receive 18 hours of training in child development, discipline, communication, health education, nutrition, budgeting, self esteem, developmental activities and community resources. Training session begins Sept. 15. For information call Sandy Cowell or Elaine Paradis, 858-0895. Program provided by Michigan State University Extension Service of Oakland County.

SENIOR CITIZENS

■ SENIOR CITIZEN 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.

■ LUCILLE BALL DAY

Lunch and Deal Look Alike contest Friday, Aug. 28, 2:15 p.m. at Farmington Hills Senior Center, located in Mercy Conference Center, 28600 11 Mile between Middlebelt and Inkster through Gate 4. Call Justine Galat, 473-1854 for information.

■ POSTAL SERVICE

U.S. Postal Service available at Farmington Hills Senior Center from 10:10-10:30 a.m. every other Wednesday. The express truck will be at door A, the front entrance. Next date is Sept. 9. For information call Justine Galat 473-1854.

SINGLES

■ SUBURBAN SINGLES

Wednesdays at Vladimir'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. Single Mingle dance Friday, Aug. 28 at 8 p.m. at the Radisson Suites Hotel, 37829 Grand River, Volleyball picnic, Sunday, Aug. 30 at 1 p.m. at Kensington MetroPark, Milford; bowling Friday, Sept. 4 at Drakeville Lane, 35000 Grand River.

■ VOYAGERS

Mixed Singles Bowling league resumes 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 30 at Mini-Bowl Lanes, Five Mile and Merriam. Information 691-1350 or 421-3123; Sunday, Aug. 30 5-9 p.m. picnic at Rotary Park, number three shelter, Six Mile and Hubbard. Cost \$2 with a dish to pass and \$5 without. Information 691-1350.

■ WESTSIDE SINGLES

Friday, August 28: Dance at Burton Manor, Schoolcraft Service Dr. west of Inkster, 8 p.m.-1 a.m. Admission, \$5. Information, 662-3160; Dance Saturday, Aug. 29 at Burton Manor, admission \$5.

■ TRI-COUNTY SINGLES

Dance, Saturday, Aug. 29 in Roma's of Bloomfield, Telegraph north of Square Lake in Bloomfield Hills. Admission

\$4, ladies \$2. Hotline, 842-7422.

■ BETHANY WEST CHAPTER

Monthly meeting Sept. 5 at 6 p.m. in St. Robert Bellarmine Catholic Church, Redford. Fee \$3. Information, 421-4783 or 291-6733.

■ BETHANY FARMINGTON

Christian group for divorced and separated located in Our Lady of Sorrows Social Hall, 23616 Powers Road at Shiawassee in Farmington meets Sept. 11 at 8 p.m. Information 471-2708.

■ ACTIVITIES GROUP

Wednesday, Sept. 2 volleyball at Poppleton Park on Oxford between Woodward and Oxford north of Maple Road, east of Woodward, \$3; Saturday, Sept. 5 and 6, singles golf course and restaurant tour playing a different course each week. This weekend overnight trip to Gull Lake View Gold Course near Kalamazoo, \$170. RSVP required 624-7777 for more information; bowling league now forming starts Sept. 23 and plays every other week. Informational meeting held Friday nights after golf at 8 p.m. at Eldorado Golf Course, 624-8888 for information.

■ PARENTS WITHOUT PARTNERS

Meeting held the first and third Thursdays of the Month at the Embassy Suites 19520 Victor in Livonia. For information call Diane 464-1969 or Lynda, 624-5981.

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. 873-7183 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.

■ PARKINSON SUPPORT GROUP

Meets second Tuesday of every month, 7:30-9 p.m. in Farmington Hills Baptist Church, 28301 Middlebelt. Information, 476-3404, 478-0189 or 745-2000.

■ TORTICOLLIS SUPPORT

Meets Saturday, Sept. 12 at 1 p.m. in Peace Lutheran Church, 11701 E. 12 Mile just east of Hoover in Warren. Information call 462-0663 or 547-2189.

■ WOMEN'S SURVIVAL CENTER

Professionals serving the public with crisis intervention, counseling, transitional housing, a legal clinic and child

care. 335-2685.

■ WELCOME WAGON

Meets Tuesday, Sept. 1 at 7:30 p.m. at Antioch Lutheran Church, 13 Mile and Farmington Roads. This is the annual activities fair and provides an opportunity to learn about the various activity groups and register as a new member. Annual dues are \$12 if paid by Sept. 1. After that the dues are \$15. Information, 788-1820.

■ ENKROIDERER'S GUILD

Meets Wednesday, Sept. 2 at 9:30 a.m. for coffee and meeting starts at 10 a.m. Visitors welcome.

■ FARMINGTON AREA JAYCEES

Membership meeting Tuesday, Sept. 8 at 7:30 p.m. in Knights of Columbus Hall, 21900 Middlebelt. Information 477-9851.

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. Botsford General Hospital, Administration & Educational Center, 28500 Grand River, Farmington Hills. 442-7986.

■ ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

Every Sunday, 7 p.m.; every Tuesday, 8 p.m. in Botsford General Hospital, 28500 Grand River, Farmington Hills, 442-7986.

■ FREE BLOOD PRESSURE

And vision screening 1-4 p.m. second Monday of each month, hospital lobby, Botsford Hospital, 28500 Grand River. 477-6100.

■ HEALTHY HEARTS CLUB

Meets at Botsford Center Sept. 2 for health improvement health development network, 39760 Grand River, Novi. Pre-registration required, 477-6100.

■ WATER EXERCISE

A six-week class starting Sept. 7 designed for arthritis or those with post-surgical disabilities. Cost \$23. Located 39760 Grand River, Novi. Pre-registration required, 473-5600.

JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER

■ FOLK DANCING

For children starts at the Jlimy Prentiss Morris and Maple/Drake Buildings of the center this September. For registration information call Shirley Siegal, 661-1000, ext. 335.

■ TRIP

to Columbus, Ohio for the Quincentennial Exposition of Ameriflora '92 Sept. 21 and 22. Information, 661-1000, ext. 345.

■ CHILDREN AND ADULT THEATER

Classes given by Nancy Gurwin Musical Theater Program at the Center. For serious adult student of the non-musical stage workshops offered by Evelyn Orbach. Information, Shirley Siegal at 661-1000, ext. 335.

■ CHESS AND BRIDGE CLUB

Resumes Thursday, Sept. 10 at 7 p.m. in the library of the Jewish Community Center in West Bloomfield; Bridge classes starts in Sept.; Computer classes and basic programming and word processing given at the Maple/Drake Building starts in Sept. For fee and schedule information call Shirley Siegal, 661-1000, ext. 335.

AUDITIONS

■ MICHIGAN BALLET THEATRE

Holds auditions for male and female dancers to perform in the 26th anniversary production of The Nutcracker Ballet at Botsford Hospital, Administration Building Community Room, Friday, Aug. 28, 6:30 p.m. for ages 8-12 and 9:30 a.m. for ages 13 and over. Information 486-1514 or 788-1185.

■ MICHIGAN BALLET THEATRE

Holds auditions Saturday, Aug. 29. Time: 9:10-10:30 a.m. for ages 13 and over; 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. for ages 8 to 12 and 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. for adult actors in Act I in Lawrence Technological University, Science Building Auditorium. Information 486-1514 or 788-1185.

■ MICHIGAN BALLET THEATRE

Holds auditions for male and female dancers at Lawrence Technological University, Science Building Auditorium, Room S100, Sunday, Aug. 30; time, 1:30-2:45 p.m. for ages 10 and up; 3-4:30 p.m. for ages 13 and up. Information 486-1514 or 788-1185.

SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS

■ LAWNINGS

TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY Offers a series of one-day workshops in the Dearborn Inn starting Sept. 9 to help business people sharpen communication skills. First workshop, Designing Successful Presentations followed by Briefings for Results, Oct. 7 and Delivering Client/Customer Presentations with Impact Nov. 18. Cost of each workshop, \$295. Information, 356-0200, ext. 4010.

CONCERTS

■ JAZZ UNDER THE STARS

Benefit for the St. Vincent and Sarah Fisher Center Saturday, Sept. 12 at 5:30 p.m. sponsored by the Piemanese Club in Farmington held at the club on Nine Mile east of Haggerty. Tickets are \$25 each and includes a picnic supper. Information and reservations call 626-7527 weekdays 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

OPEN HOUSE

■ MONTESSORI

Thursday, Aug. 27 from 7-8 p.m. at Country Hills Center for Children, 25301 Halsted Road.

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, 21899 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:

Use additional sheet if necessary