

'Black Tie Optional' puts spotlight on charities



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Tuesdays at 8:30 p.m. Channel 12 hosts "Black Tie Optional," produced by Patrick Harris and co-hosted by Sarah Murphy. Each of us may join in the excitement of a weekly black-tie party, as Patrick and Sarah travel about the metropolitan area to events put on by charities.

The excitement is that every event has a wonderful purpose, and the show promotes a greater understanding of different causes. Besides having fun, they have tackled this project at a very busy time of year, as well as taking it on themselves to learn the fine art of editing.

They go on location to the preview then they go back to take actual footage of the event itself. This is combined with an in-studio shoot, which lends a further explanation of the organizational aspects of each project.

The calendar, in case you want to attend an event, find out more about it, or anticipate watching "Black Tie Optional" includes:

- Dec. 4 — Rainbow Connection, Meadowbrook Christmas Walk, Detroit Historical Society, I Care Holiday party.
- Dec. 6 — Sarah Fisher Tree Lighting, Holiday Home Tours by Parents against Cancer, Jingle Bell Run — Arthritis Foundation, Holiday Singalong with Women's Committee for Oakland County Family Services.
- Dec. 9 — Juvenile Diabetes — Hearing Impaired.
- Dec. 11 — 39th St. John Ball — Hearing Impaired.
- Dec. 13 — M*A*S*H bash for the American Red Cross.

If you would like more information about the show, you may write to "Black Tie Optional," P.O. Box 2634, Farmington Hills 48336.

MONDAY, DEC. 7

- 10 a.m. — Novl Talking History: Franz Stamen and Lee C. Begolo
- 11 a.m. — Women on the Move: Alice Nichols
- 11:30 a.m. — Michigan motor-sports museum plaque dedication
- Noon — Farmington Hills Police Journal
- 12:30 p.m. — Dollars and Sense: foreign investors/new president

- 1 p.m. — The word of life: passing the baton
- 1:30 p.m. — Life matters
- 2 p.m. — Novi International Festival
- 2:30 p.m. — Farmington's 125th anniversary opening ceremonies
- 3:30 p.m. — Eye of the storm: hunger and the land in Honduras
- 4 p.m. — Shaarey Zedek Productions
- 5 p.m. — Crime Watch: Latch-key children, child watch
- 5:30 p.m. — Lansing connection
- 6 p.m. — Senior spotlight: Skits-o-Frantic Players
- 6:30 p.m. — Bagels and talk with Tracy and Phil/business and residential news
- 7 p.m. — Jr. Japanese: Lesson 34
- 7:30 p.m. — Chi-aerobics internal power: Lesson 25
- 8 p.m. — Prescription for your health: blood disorder
- 8:30 p.m. — Cosmic Connection
- 9:30 p.m. — Groove Session: countdown.

TUESDAY, DEC. 8

- 10 a.m. — Senior adult exercise
- 10:45 a.m. — Reaction News
- 11 a.m. — Summit University
- Noon — Drawing men to Christ
- 1 p.m. — American health information workshop: nurses discuss AIDS and TB
- 2 p.m. — Salon Glamour and etiquette with Gloria
- 3 p.m. — Cosmic Connection
- 4 p.m. — Clarencville Schools
- 5 p.m. — Senior messenger
- 6 p.m. — Seniors on the move: ballroom dancing
- 6:30 p.m. — Black Tie Optional
- 7 p.m. — Viewpoint
- 7:30 p.m. — Farmington Hills Police Journal
- 8 p.m. — Salon Glamour and etiquette with Gloria
- 8 p.m. — Forest Park Baptist Church revival

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 8

- 10 a.m. — Capitol Report
- 10:30 a.m. — Madonna Magazine
- 11 a.m. — March Country TV
- 11:30 a.m. — Amvets
- Noon — The way the truth and the life
- 12:30 p.m. — That's Italian
- 1 p.m. — Complementary health therapies in England
- 1:30 p.m. — Farmington Founders Festival parade
- 3 p.m. — Crisis in the modern family: don't drop out
- 4 p.m. — Jr. Japanese: lesson 34
- 4:30 p.m. — Christian outdoors
- 6 p.m. — Bagels and talk with Tracy and Phil/business and residential news
- 6:30 p.m. — Groove session: Dann Steingold
- 8 p.m. — Novi senior pen pals

- 7 p.m. — The word of life: the passing of the baton
- 7:30 p.m. — "Today and Tomorrow: politics
- 8 p.m. — My vote counts
- 8:30 a.m. — Lansing Connection
- 9 p.m. — Speakers row: Haggerty connector

THURSDAY, DEC. 10

- 10 a.m. — Senior adult exercise
- 10:45 a.m. — Reaction news
- 11 a.m. — Seniors on the move: ballroom dancing
- 11:30 a.m. — Novi seniors talkin' about the 20's
- 12:30 p.m. — Senior spotlight: Skits-o-Frantic Players
- 1 p.m. — Prescription for your health: blood disorder
- 1:30 p.m. — Viewpoint
- 2 p.m. — My vote counts

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