

CALENDAR

YOUR GUIDE TO EVENTS IN AND AROUND FARMINGTON- FARMINGTON HILLS

HAPPENINGS

■ PARENTING CLASSES
Delta parents and others interested in maintaining satisfactory achievement or reversing underachievement among their bright children. Group participation and group support are primary goals. Classes will be 7:30-9 p.m. Mondays, Room 3 at Ten Mile School, 32789 W. 10 Mile, between Power and Farmington roads. Session 2: Nov. 15-Dec. 20. Registration required, 489-3399 or 489-3401.

■ CHILDREN'S PROGRAM
Every Saturday 10-11:30 a.m. at Farmington Area Advisory Council Orchard Lake office for children ages 4-10 whose lives have been affected by chemical dependency. Information, Shelley Rence, 477-6767.

■ SINAI HOSPITAL
Seeks individuals to participate in national multicenter, medically supervised, clinical trial to determine effectiveness of two antibiotics, Azithromycin and Ciprofloxacin, in the treatment of acute bronchitis. Males and females ages 35-75 with a history of bronchitis sought. Contact Carol Takis or Barbara Hoffmeyer at 493-5148.

■ CLARENCEVILLE FAMILY Field Trip Program.
Christmas in Chicago Dec. 11 and 12, \$59 double occupancy. Departs at 7:30 a.m. and returns approximately at 8 p.m. Accommodations at Palmer House.

■ MUSICAL CELEBRATION
To raise money for Detroit-area AIDS efforts, the Mop Shop offers \$10 haircuts, manicures, and makeovers Sunday, Nov. 28 from noon to 5 p.m. The shop is located at 6341 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield. Information, 626-7467.

■ REGISTRATION
Madonna University holds registration Tuesday, Nov. 30 through Dec. 2 with office hours 8:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. Late registration begins Dec. 7 through Dec. 22 and resumes Jan. 3 through Jan. 7. Information, 591-5124.

■ FREE QED
And vocational classes, registration begins now at Clarenceville Schools. Information, 473-8933.

■ LUNCHEON
And card party held at Farmington Masonic Temple Thursday, Dec. 2 at noon, sponsored by Trinity White Shrine. Fee \$4. Information, 474-9133.

SUPPORT GROUPS

■ NEWLY HURTING
For the newly hurting/divorced or separated: Hold weekly at Our Lady of Sorrows social hall, 23615 Power, 471-2708.

■ ENCORE
Meets 1 p.m. Thursdays in Northwest Branch YWCA, 25940 Grand River, Redford, for women who have had breast surgery. Includes support group and upper-body exercise. Information, 537-8500.

■ SURVIVORS OF SUICIDE
Evening support groups are available for family members and friends who have had a loved one die by suicide. Groups meet at various locations free of charge and are led by a professional and a survivor. Information, 224-7000 for locations.

■ ARTHRITIS FOUNDATION
HelpLine weekdays 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Call 350-3030 or 968-3030 and ask for HelpLine.

■ FIBROMYALGIA SUPPORT GROUP
Meets 7 p.m. second Monday of every month in Troy Beaumont Hospital cafeteria. Information, (313) 528-2929.

■ LIVING CANCER SUPPORT GROUP
Meets first and third Wednesday of every month in Henry Ford Medical Center, 6777 W. Maple Road, West Bloomfield. Information, 661-6467.

■ RECOVERY INC.
A new group meeting held 10 a.m. to noon every Thursday in Prince of Peace Church, 6300 Green Road, West Bloomfield. Information, 661-0222.

■ WESTERN OAKLAND PARKINSON
Support Group meets 7:30-9 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month at Farmington Hills Baptist Church, 28301 Middlebelt. Information, 476-3404, 478-0189 or 474-0003.

■ ORCHARD HILLS
Psychiatric Center, an outpatient clinic dedicated to the treatment of mental health issues, sponsors ISED (Institute for the Study of Eating Disorders), a non-profit organization providing treatment for patients and their families, 6:30-8 p.m. Monday for parents/family support; 6:30-8 p.m. Tuesday for adolescents; and 6:30-8 p.m. Wednesday for adults. Located at 42450 12 Mile, Suite 305. Information, 349-7337.

■ FIRST STEP STROKE
Support group meets 1 p.m. Tuesdays in Farmington Hills Senior Center. Information, Carolyn, 851-0134.

■ ACTION
A ministry that provides support and practical help for people who are unemployed or changing careers holds a meeting 7 p.m. on the second and fourth Mondays in Lighthouse Room, Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, Livonia.

■ BUILDING BLOCKS
To a good remarriage through Dec. 22, 7-8:15 p.m. in Ward Presbyterian Church, Room A-15. Information, 422-1836.

■ MANIC-DEPRESSIVE
And Depressive Association meets 7:30-9 p.m. the first and third Wednesday of each month at Providence Hospital, Novi, 47601 Grand River. Information, Bill, 386-3825.

■ GROUP FOR ADULT
Children of dysfunctional families beginning early January, noon to 1:30 p.m. Thursdays in Livonia. For information, call Cynthia Koppal at 478-9222.

■ CH.A.D.D.
Children with Attention Deficit Disorders of Southwestern Oakland County support group meets the second Tuesday of each month at Novi Public Library, 42545 W. 10 Mile Road. Next meeting is Dec. 14 and featured guest speaker is Judy Odrowski discussing the "504 Law." Information, 486-2876.

CRAFT RUMMAGE SALES

■ FRIENDS OF HERITAGE
Park are looking for gingerbread crafters who would like to display their handiwork for the Holiday Tour Dec. 2-5. All items will be returned.

■ CRAFTERS NEEDED
Farmington Area Community Women 19th annual craft show Saturday, Dec. 4, in Farmington High School. Information, 626-5927 or 476-9074.

■ HOLIDAY TREASURES
Hand-painted China show and sale Nov. 27 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in First United Methodist Church, 33112 Grand River. Admission \$1.

■ ARTS AND CRAFTS
Lutheran High School presents A Christmas Wonderland Friday, Dec. 3 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday, Dec. 4 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. located at 33300 Cowan Road, Westland.

■ ANTIQUE SHOW
Botoford Inn Antique Show, located on Grand River in Farmington Hills, is set for Saturday, Nov. 27 from noon to 7 p.m. and Sunday, Nov. 28 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Admission \$2. Lunch and dinner available.

SENIOR CITIZENS

■ AARP
Local chapter 2088 meets at 1 p.m. on the third Friday of each month at the Senior Center. Call Justine at 473-1823 for information.

■ FREE TO SENIORS
Play by Christmas. Enroll in Hammel Music's overnight success program. Learn organ, keyboard or piano. No instrument needed. Call Stella at 427-0040.

■ THE LAW
Senior Center presents Attorney Paul Sowerby, who provides overview on the law on issues that affect older adults on Dec. 7 at 10 a.m. Call 473-1830 for information.

■ MEDICARE ASSISTANCE
Offers free advice with Medicare paperwork on the first and third Tuesdays of each month at 11 a.m. Information, Justine, 473-1823.

VOLUNTEERS

■ AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY
Is looking for Christmas elves to volunteer coordinating annual holiday card program in the Southfield office. Information, Scott Warner, 657-6553.

■ ARBOR HOSPICE
Offers Volunteer Education Program Wednesday

mornings for eight weeks at Ward Presbyterian Church, Six Mile and Farmington roads, Livonia. Information, 1-800-783-5764.

■ DRIVERS NEEDED
To deliver Focus:HOPE food boxes to the elderly in the Farmington area one day a month. Information, Gail Wierloch, 473-1820.

■ VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
Farmington Hills Senior Center's Home Chore Program needs volunteers to assist with leaf raking in the Farmington area. Call Louis Bruggan at 473-1827 for information.

■ SALVATION ARMY
Of Farmington Hills is looking for volunteer groups and organizations to ring bells for the Salvation Army during the holiday season. Information, 477-1153.

■ RAINBOW CONNECTION
Is looking for volunteers to assist with upcoming holiday fund-raisers. Current volunteer opportunities include Christmas Gift Wrapping Station at Meadowbrook Mall from mid-November through Christmas, 254-8904; on-air phone operators for a Channel 66 Pledge Drive, 331-6872, Sunday, Dec. 5 from 6-11 p.m.; and set-up and sales people for December Christmas Tree sales, 651-1261.

SINGLES

■ FARMINGTON SINGLE PROFESSIONALS
Wallyball every Tuesday night at 6:40 p.m. at Racquetball Farmington, \$4; Single Mingle dance Friday, Nov. 26 at 8 p.m. at Clarion Hotel; Pizza and movie night Saturday, Nov. 27; Evening of Jazz Sunday, Nov. 28 at Max & Ernie's in Farmington Hills; bowling, Friday, Dec. 3 at Drakeshire Lanes on Grand River in Farmington. Information, 478-9181.

■ ACTIVITIES GROUP
Friday, Nov. 26 at 7 p.m. non-member orientation and season sign-up for every other week of bowling in Rochester, Friday, Nov. 26 at 8 p.m. indoor tennis club in Birmingham season sign-up Saturday, Nov. 27 at 6 p.m. Three restaurant progressive dinner and murder mystery night, deadline Nov. 26; Sunday, Nov. 28 at 2:30 p.m. forming Sunday afternoon wallyball social mixer. Information, 624-7777.

■ SELECTIVE SINGLES SOCIAL
Club meets Dec. 1 at 7 p.m. in Ginopolis Grill, 12 Mile at Middlebelt. Information 953-5852.

CLUBS IN ACTION

■ LIONS CLUB
Meets the first and third

Tuesday of each month. Contact Jack or Carole for more information, 553-4850 or 553-3189.

■ FARMINGTON DROP IN
Senior Club meets 9:45 a.m. every Monday for bridge or pinocchio at the Farmington Masonic Temple.

■ OLDER WOMEN'S LEAGUE
Meets For its annual brunch and silent auction at noon Sunday, Dec. 5, at Botoford Inn. Cost is \$16 and should be sent to Farmington OWL in care of Virginia Nicoll, 35281 Drakeshire, No. 204, Farmington 48335. Deadline is Nov. 29.

■ EMBROIDERERS GUILD
Meets Wednesday, Dec. 1 at 9:30 a.m. in Faith Covenant Church, 14 Mile and Drake. 10th anniversary potluck luncheon. Information 474-6771.

■ WELCOME WAGON
Meets Tuesday, Dec. 7 at 7 p.m. at the Liz Claiborne Store at 12 Oaks Mall. A full wardrobe seminar and fashion show will be held. Members of the community are welcome. Information, 553-8192.

■ NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
Of Career Women meets Thursday, Dec. 9, 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at Meriwether's Restaurant, 26485 Telegraph, Southfield. Reservations and information, 268-7770.

PRESCHOOL

■ MAYFAIR CO-OP
Preschool, 30450 Farmington Road, has openings for the 1993-94 4-year-old program. Information and registration, call Mayfair, 626-2769. Questions, 851-1683.

■ FARMINGTON HEAD START
Has limited home base openings for qualified residents. Call 489-3373 for information.

■ ENRICHMENT CLASS
For prekindergarten children is offered by Sunshine Preschool. It meets 12:45-3:15 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday at Sunshine Preschool in Faith Covenant Church at 14 Mile and Drake.

EVENTS

■ BALLET
Eric Johnston's Detroit Ballet will be doing three performances of "The Nutcracker" at Southfield High School, corner of Latimer and 10 Mile Road, Saturday, Dec. 4, and Sunday, Dec. 11 at 7 p.m. and Sunday, Dec. 12, at 2 p.m. Tickets \$10. Information, 644-7170.

THEATER

■ FARMINGTON PLAYERS
Announces performance dates of their second of

four 1993-94 plays. Every Friday, Saturday and Sunday from Dec. 3 through Dec. 18 a performance of "A Couple White Chickies Sitting Around Talking," written by John Ford Noonan. The play is held at the Farmington Players' Barn, 32332 12 Mile Road, Farmington Hills. Information, 553-2955.

■ QUILT: A MUSICAL CELEBRATION
A special theater production based on the Names Project AIDS Memorial Quilt presented Dec. 3-12 in Smith Theatre on Oakland Community College's Orchard Ridge Campus at 8 p.m. and on Dec. 4 and 12 at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$15 and are available at all Ticketmaster ticket centers including Hudson's. Information, 863-1400.

CONCERTS

■ HOLIDAY CONCERT
The Farmington Community Bond performs its annual holiday concert at 3 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 5, in Harrison High School auditorium. Tickets available at the door. Information, 476-5014 or 489-3412. Tickets \$3, students, \$2.

■ BATTLE CREEK BOYS CHOIR
Performs Dec. 14 at Maplewood Community Center, 31735 Maplewood, Garden City. Cost is \$5 per person. Information, 625-8846. Tickets must be bought in advance.

■ CHILDREN'S CONCERT
Featuring folk singer Josh White Jr. performing at Schoolcraft College at 1 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 4, in Waterman Center. Tickets are \$5 for children under 12 and \$10 for adults. Information, 462-4417.

■ RING IN THE HOLIDAYS
Farmington Community Chorus presents winter holiday concert Friday and Saturday, Dec. 10 and 11, at Harrison High School on 12 Mile road. Ticket prices are available in advance from any chorus member or at the Farmington Hills Dept. of Special Services. Prices are \$5 general admission, \$4 for seniors and students and \$3 for children 10 and under.

■ FARMINGTON MUSICALE
Program for Dec. 1 "Seasons Greetings" at St. John Lutheran Church, 23225 Gill Road, Farmington. Information, Myrvo, 349-0490.

SEMINAR

■ DALE GARNEGIE TRAINING
Professional development seminars at \$49 per session one Wednesday morning each month 9 a.m. to noon at Laurel Park Office, 17370 N. Laurel Park Drive, Suite 190, starting Dec. 15.

CHRISTMAS AND HANUKKAH

■ TREE LIGHTING
At St. Vincent and Sarah Fisher Center at 4:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 5. Hot chocolate, coffee and cookies will be available.

■ BREAKFAST WITH SANTA
In Fellowship Hall, from 8-11 a.m. Dec. 4 at Orchard Resant Methodist Church, 30450 Farmington Road. Tickets at the door. Children 4-7 \$1.50, 8-12, \$2, adults, \$3. Children under 4 free. Family ticket is \$9.

■ HOLIDAY EVENING
Of feasting and merriment in the spirit of Merrie Olde England at 7 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 18, at Madonna University in Livonia. Sponsored by Livonia Symphony Orchestra, the Wassall Dinner Feast will feature a sit-down holiday dinner and diverse entertainments. Cost \$35 per person and all proceeds go the Livonia Symphony Orchestra. Information and reservations, 691-5044.

■ HOLIDAY HUNTING
At 11 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 4, Santa arrives by helicopter in downtown Farmington; ride the Victorian Trolley throughout downtown 10:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.; visit Santa 11:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Traditions of Hanukkah under the tent at noon; The Peddler stories under the tent at 1 p.m. and Warren's Corner at 3 p.m.; gift wrapping under the tent; children's shopping for \$10 and under.

■ FARMINGTON HISTORICAL
Sunday, Dec. 4, museum decorated for the holiday season is open to the public 1-5 p.m. Admission is \$1 for adults, children under 12 free with parents or adults. The museum is at 33805 Grand River. Information 476-6257.

■ MAUREEN SCHIFFMAN
In concert performs a Chanukah Show at noon Dec. 4 in downtown Farmington under the heated tent. Information, 473-7276.

■ FARMINGTON HISTORICAL MUSEUM
Decorated for the holiday season is open to the public 1-5 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 5. Admission \$1, children under 12 free and 1-6 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 8.

BIRMINGHAM TEMPLE

■ EXPLORING THE WORLD
Of Ideas at 8 p.m. Monday, Nov. 29. Rabbi Wine will present the last of four talks on Peace in the Middle East. Admission \$4.

FARMINGTON COMMUNITY CENTER

■ SANTA LUNCH/DINNER
Dec. 2-4 Thursday/Friday at 6 p.m. and Saturday at 11 a.m. 1 p.m. Cost \$5. Information, 477-8404.

CLASSES

■ ENGLISH CLASSES
Free English classes for foreign born adults who qualify. Morning and evening classes available. Free child care for children at least 2 1/2 years old. 851-7600.

■ CPR CLASSES
Last Wednesday of each month - Paramedics from the West Bloomfield Township Fire Department will have free CPR classes 7 p.m. at Fire Station No. 1, 4601 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield. 626-5391.

TRIPS

■ COLORADO SKIING
Items interested in spring-time skiing in Colorado should join parks and rec's teen Colorado ski adventure April 1-8. This escorted trip for 16-18 year olds offers a 8-day/7-night package that includes round-trip air transportation, deluxe accommodations at Copper Mountain Resort, 4 days of lift tickets, two dinners, daily continental breakfast, transfers, taxes and chaperones. \$750. Patty 334-5660. Register before Jan. 25.

C A L E N D A R F O R M

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, 21895 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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