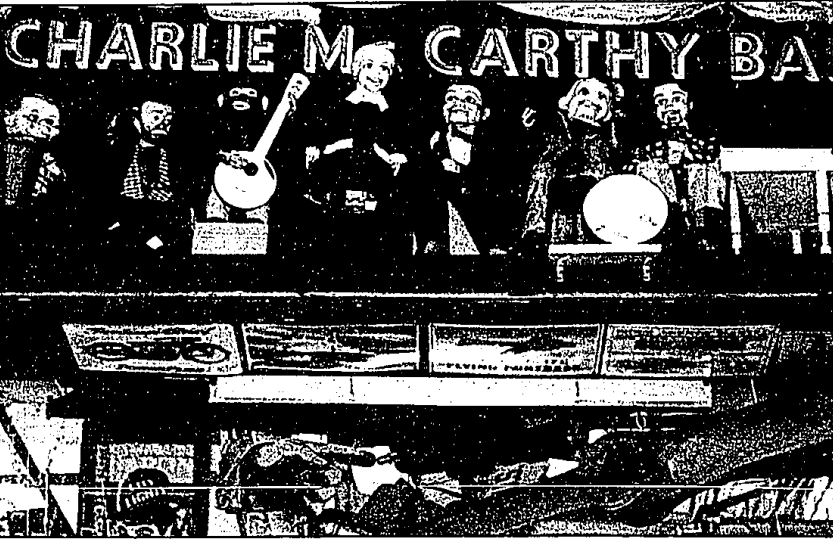




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Sensory overload: That's how one youngster who visited Marvin's Marvelous Museum referred to the mammoth location with every foot of floor and ceiling space crammed with gadgets, videos, rides and collectibles, including neon signs (photo at right). Above, some patrons just like the nostalgic memorabilia, like this rendition of the Charlie McCarthy Band.

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children who were visiting from St. Louis to Marvin's.

"I thought I'd bring them here for a few hours of fun and play," Kapetansky said, holding a detailed roll of quarters and explaining that the change goes quickly.

"It's fun, it's safe and clean," she said. "The old signs and some of the old games I remember as a kid. It's nostalgic."

People are amazed, said Yagoda, a 24-year Farmington Hills resident, and they come back three and four times because they want to see everything.

"One kid said this is a sensory overload," Yagoda said.

Rainy summer days are the busiest at the museum, said Yagoda, who offers group rates and allows birthday parties.

Tom Thomson of Southgate works in Farmington Hills and visits Marvin's Marvelous Museum

um two or three times a month as a stress buster.

"It's relaxing," he said, standing at a video machine. "When the kids come here, they're well-behaved. They're not rowdy. It's a good place for a family to come to."

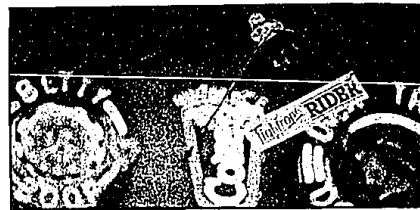
Perri Rosen of West Bloomfield said, "The kids bring us here."

"They love it," she added as her daughter, Emily, 5, waited for her mother to place her on another ride.

Cindy Levine of Birmingham brought her son, Blake, 2, to the museum.

"It's unique," Levine said. "You go to the malls and there's one or two rides. They also serve lunch here and that's good, because you don't have to leave."

Look for a new item at Marvin's Marvelous Museum. Yagoda has ordered a replica of himself in a fortune telling machine.



CENTENARIAN CLUB

The Centenarian Club is a column that runs periodically listing birthdays of Farmington and Farmington Hills residents who are 100 and older.

Elma Dryden, a Botsford Continuing Health Center resident in Farmington Hills, celebrated her 100th birthday Jan. 11.

Dryden was born in Tennessee and is the mother of five sons. At last count, she had 14 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. Her hobbies include sewing and crocheting.

Beatrice H. Pringle of Farmington Hills turned 100 last December. Pringle was born in Comber, Ontario. Her family moved to Walkerville, Canada, where Pringle was raised. She married a man from Detroit and lived in the Detroit area since 1927. Pringle, a

resident of Grand River Village, had three children, Bob, Virginia and Beatrice. Pringle began working at Women's Hospital as a cashier at the age of 62 and learned to drive when she was 67. She continued to drive until she was 94.

Mary Given, a resident of Detroit Baptist Manor in Farmington Hills, turned 100 last October. She was born in Scotland and came to the United States in 1923. She had one son, two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

If you or someone you know is celebrating a 100th birthday, send us a one- or two-paragraph biography. Mail or drop off the information, along with a photograph, at the Farmington Observer, Suburban Life Section, 21898 Farmington Road, Farmington 48336.

Antioch Lutheran sets open house

Extensive expansion work on Antioch Lutheran Church on Thirteen Mile in Farmington Hills is almost complete and the congregation is asking the community to come see what's new.

"We want everyone to know they are welcome in our church and now with our extensive new

construction nearly finished, we can better serve the people of our area," said Jan Markwardt, of the publicity committee.

An open house is scheduled from noon to 3 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 22, and a 10 a.m. dedication service 10 a.m., Sunday, Jan. 23.

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Schedule

	Feb. 1	Feb. 8	Feb. 15	Feb. 22	Mar. 1	Mar. 8
7:30-7:45	Introduction	Why 2 Testaments?	Study Tools Part 1	Critics of the Bible	Mystery?	Life and Death in the Bible
7:45-8:00	Background of the Bible	The Role of Prophecy	Overview of the Books of the Bible Part 3	The Purpose of God Revealed	Terminology Part 3	Overview of the Books of the Bible Part 6
8:00-8:15	The Bible Interprets Itself	Tips on Reading	Overview of the Books of the Bible Part 4	Overview of the Books of the Bible Part 5	Overview of the Books of the Bible Part 6	Good vs. Evil
8:15-8:30	Overview of the Books of the Bible Part 1	Overview of the Books of the Bible Part 2	Terminology Part 2	Study Tools Part 2	The Jews and the Law of Moses	Terminology Part 4
8:30-8:45	Why the Bible is Difficult to Read	Terminology Part 1	Using Cross References	Versions of the Bible		Conclusion

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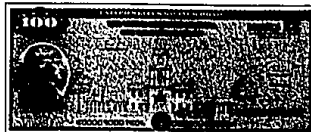
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