

CALENDAR

YOUR GUIDE TO EVENTS IN AND AROUND FARMINGTON-FARMINGTON HILLS

HAPPENINGS

FIRST-TIME HOME BUYERS
The Oakland Livingston Human Service Agency will be holding seminars for first-time home buyers on all aspects of purchasing a home in Oakland County. The seminars are free and held weekly during June. Contact Michelle or Dave at (610) 838-0147.

CHILD VISION SCREENING
The Oakland County Health Division says 10,000 children with inadequate vision will enter Michigan schools next fall. The division offers free vision screening to all Oakland County youngsters entering kindergarten in September 1995. A vision screening is required for school enrollment. Southfield office dates are 9-11 a.m. June 13-16. Pontiac office dates are 5-7 p.m. June 19 and 9-11 a.m. June 20-22. No appointments taken. Walk-in during scheduled hours. Call (610) 424-7070.

CHURCH SERVICES
Farmington Hills, Church of God, 25717 Power Road (between 10 & 11 Mile Roads), Farmington Hills, offers two services at 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Sunday School is at 10 a.m. for both children and adults. Nursery care is available at all services. All are welcome! Call (610) 477-9144.

HOST FAMILIES WANTED
Pace Institute International at Student Exchange Program, a non-profit foundation, is seeking host families now for the 1995 fall semester. For more information, call the state manager's office at 1-800-700-3761.

BINGO
Returns to Friday evenings at the American Legion Post, 31775 Grand River. Doors open 4:45 p.m. and games begin 6:30 p.m.

LOSE WEIGHT
With TOPS Wednesdays from 9:30-10:30 a.m. in Nardin Park United Methodist on 11 Mile. Cost \$1 per week. Information, 476-3784.

SOUTHEAST MICHIGAN MENSA
Meets at 8 p.m. Saturday, June 17, in Southfield Civic Center, 26000 Evergreen in the Parks and Recreation Building. Speaker will be Norman Cohen, a member of No Harm.

OPEN HOUSE
Mary's College, an Indian Trail in Orchard Lake, will hold an open house between 1-4 p.m. Saturday, June 17. Information 810-683-0508.

STRIVE
A nonprofit, member network of the National Association for Female Executives, whose purpose is to promote networking among professional women, meets the third Wednesday of each month 6-8:30 p.m.

FOSTER PARENTS
The Detroit region of Lutheran Child & Family Service of Michigan is seeking homes for children of all races and ethnic backgrounds, particularly those that will accept brothers and sisters together. Information, Kim Lewis, 810-652-1050.

CELEBRATING FACILITIES
Takes place 7-9 p.m. Monday through Thursday,

June 26-29 at Detroit First Church of the Nazarene, 21260 Haggerty Road north of Eight Mile in Farmington Hills. The first hour features the Boone Family from Canada, with puppets, drama and object lessons. The second hour will have parents and children engaged in outdoor activities, crafts etc. A free nursery will be provided. No charge. Information call 810-348-7600.

SOUTHWESTERN OAKLAND
Cable Commission meets Tuesday, June 27 at 4 p.m. in Council Chambers Farmington City Hall, 23600 Liberty Street.

MERCY POMPONS
Annual Children's Pompon clinic at Mercy High School gym, on the corner of 11 Mile Road and Middlebelt, Saturday, June 17. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. Cost \$15 per girl. Farmington Chris Capen at 454-9634 or the office at 476-2836.

GILDA'S CLUB
Presents Motor City Women of Comedy Sunday, Aug. 27 at Mark Ridley's Comedy Castle for a special show to benefit Gilda's Club. Tickets \$30 per person or \$50 for VIP seating and a light buffet. Showtime is 8:30 p.m. Reservations call 810-642-9900.

SUPPORT GROUPS

LALACHE
Lalache League offers support to mothers who breast-feed their children. Meetings are held every second Wednesday of each month in Farmington Hills, from 7:30-9 p.m. Contact Karen Larson at 474-6756 for more information.

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.

MAMIC-DEPRESSIVE
Mamic-Depressive and Depressive Associates support group meets 7:30-9 p.m. the first and third Wednesday of each month at Providence Hospital, 47601 Grand River, Novi. Information, 386-3825.

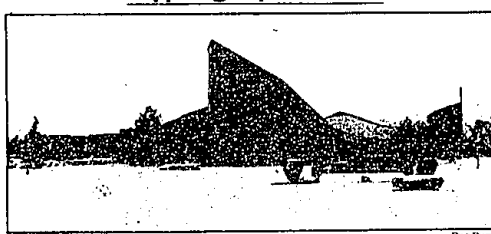
FIRST STEP STROKE
Support group meets 1-3 p.m. Tuesdays in Farmington Senior Center, on 11 Mile in Farmington Hills. Information, Carolyn, (810) 851-0134.

LIFE CARE MINISTRIES
Have a problem? Want to talk? Call Life Ministries at 427-LIFE, Monday-Saturday from 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. No charge.

WOMEN'S SUPPORT GROUP
Meets from 7:30-9 p.m. every Thursday in Faith Covenant Church, corner of 14 Mile and Drake. Information Megan Miller at 313-876-8327.

ACTION
An organized support group for individuals in career transition holds informal meetings with speakers at Orchard United Methodist Church, 30450 Farmington Road at 7:30 p.m. Monday, June 19. No charge. Information, 626-3620.

Support group for women



At Hills church: A Christian women's support group will meet 7:30-9 p.m. every Thursday at Faith Covenant Church (above), 14 Mile and Drake roads, Farmington Hills. Women who need to be encouraged and listened to are invited to attend. For more information, call Megan Miller at 876-8327.

CONCERTS

SUMMER SUNDAYS SERIES
Traditional Irish Music in Cowley's, in downtown Farmington on Grand River, at 4 p.m. Sunday, June 25. Tickets \$7.50 at the door.

ORGAN RECITAL
Held at Antioch Lutheran Church, 33360 13 Mile Road, Farmington Hills. An unusual concert presenting music from the Baroque period played on recorder, flute, lute and theorbo at 4 p.m. June 25. No charge and open to everyone.

GAZEED CONCERT
Held at 7 p.m. June 28 at the historic Burgh Site at Civic Center Drive and Berg Road in Southfield. Charlie Gabriel, New Orleans tradition jazz, will play. No charge. Picnic suppers will be available for purchase each night between 6 and 7:30 p.m. and concert goers are advised to bring lawn chairs or blankets.

AAA MICHIGAN
Farmington Hills Branch, 38751 W. 12 Mile, celebrates its first anniversary with a free community lawn concert at 7 p.m. Wednesday, June 21. The Farmington Community Band will perform. Free refreshments provided. Bring a lawn chair.

CELEBRATE THE SOUNDS
Under the gazebo in Downtown Farmington Fridays at 7:30 p.m. June 16 presented by Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Bob & Carl. The musical sounds of the 60's and 70's.

SUMMER FUN SERIES

DOWN FARMINGTON
June 21 at the Civic Theatre, Metrobank presents Gopetto's Circus at 10:30 a.m. and noon. Gopetto presents puppets of all kinds. Featuring Pippin Puppets and a special appearance by Metrobank's fuzzy character Moola Moo.

CONCERTS

CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP
Share your thoughts and concerns with the group 10 a.m. the third Tuesday of each month. Information, 473-1830.

CHANGES OF AGING
Learn how to distinguish what is a normal part of the aging process and what is not. Call 473-1830 to register.

VOLUNTEERS

HOSPICE
Hospice of Southeastern Michigan-Oakland County plans spring volunteer training. Anyone over the age of 16 is encouraged to consider hospice as a volunteer opportunity. To register or for information, call Beth Duncan or Beverly Wolkind at (810) 659-9209.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
To assist with a variety of resident programs at Botsford Continuing Health Center, including bingo, excursions and special events. For information, call Nancy Delpert, 477-7400.

FARMINGTON NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSE
Seeks volunteers to help poverty-stricken families and individuals who reside in Farmington/Farmington Hills area. If interested call Phyllis Howard at 474-7680 from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

COMMON GROUND
Oakland County's 24-hour crisis center needs volunteers to provide telephone crisis intervention. Screening required. Interested individuals invited to attend an orientation held at 7:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month, 863 Woodward Ave., Pontiac. Information, Lis Christopher at 810-456-8150.

OPPORTUNITIES

CHILDREN'S LEUKEMIA FOUNDATION OF MICHIGAN
conducting a Radiothon to benefit Children's Leukemia Foundation July 13-14. Volunteers can help plan and participate in this event. Information, Carole Slotkin, 1-800-825-2536.

DAYTIME VOLUNTEERS
Hospice of Southeastern Michigan's Oakland County teams need volunteers during the day and have scheduled training courses in July. Advance registration and a personal interview are required. To register or for information, call Beth Duncan or Beverly Wolkind at (810) 659-9209.

PRESCHOOLS

SUNSHINE PRESCHOOL
Is accepting registration for the 1995-1996 school year. Meets on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons from 12:45-3:15 p.m. Children 4 and 5 years old and will be attending kindergarten the following year are eligible. Held in Antioch Lutheran Church on the corner of 13 Mile and Farmington Road. Information, 661-2126.

MATFAIR CO-OP
Preschool in Farmington Hills has openings for its Mom-Tot Program for the 1995-96 school year. Classes held Monday or Wednesday from 12:30-2 p.m. for children ages 21 months to 3 years. Information and registration, call 661-5890.

NARDIN PARK
Community Nursery School accepts registrations for the fall classes. Planned classes are for 3- and 4-year-olds and new enrichment program for 4-year-olds. Class size is limited. Information, Kris Barber, 471-3417.

CAMPS

KIDS CAMP
Held July 10-13 for grade

3-6 Awesome Adventures;
Youth Camp, Get Drenched July 1-14, 7 through 12th grade. Camps at Camp Lakeview, Goodrich, Mich. Now registering through July 2 at Clarenceville United Methodist Church, 20300 Middlebelt Road, Livonia. Information, 474-3444.

GOOD NEWS DAY CAMP
St. John Lutheran of Farmington Hills and Emmanuel Lutheran and Holy Trinity Lutheran of Livonia will have a day camp for children who have completed grades kindergarten through sixth June 19-23, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Emmanuel Lutheran, 34567 Seven Mile in Livonia. Information and to register call 442-8822.

SINGLES

ACTIVITIES GROUP
Wednesday, June 21 at 5:30 p.m. golf club at Copper Creek in Farmington Hills; Friday, June 16 and June 23 at 5:30 p.m. Friday golf club at Maple Lane, golf until sundown on 14 Mile and Hoover Road; Saturday, June 17 at 12:30 p.m. Saturday traveling golf club meets at Stony Creek Metropark & Picnic; Sunday, June 18 at 10:30 a.m. group golf lessons for men and women to meet at Denny & Eli's Restaurant at the Sheraton Oaks Hotel in Novi; Wednesday, June 21 at 5:30 p.m. Adventure golf club sign-up meeting at Shady Creek & Schuss Mountain; Sunday, June 25 at 3 p.m. Adventure golf club outing at the Glacier Club on 8000 Glacier Club Drive between Old Van Dyke and 17 1/2 Mile Road, Washington. Information on all the above call 624-7777.

SINGLE EXTENSIONS
Ice Cream Social, music, dancing and entertainment at Temple Israel, 5725 Walnut Lake Road, West Bloomfield for Jewish Singles 50 and over. Information call Shiley at 682-3181 or Tom at 968-7489.

SINGLE PLACE ADULT MINISTRIES
Of First Presbyterian Church of Northville, 200 E. Main St., Northville meets from 10-10:45 a.m. every other Sunday; volleyball at 6:30 p.m. every Sunday evening in Park Place Apartments, Eight Mile between Griswold and Meadowbrook roads, cost \$1.

CRAFTS

CRAPTERS NEEDED
Shepherd King Lutheran Church, 5300 W. Maple Road, West Bloomfield, is accepting applications for Oct. 7 craft show. Information, 626-2121.

CANTON LIBERTYFEST
Held June 24 and 25. Fine artist and craftpersons wanted for art fair. Information, Julie Giordano, 348-0282 or Sharon Dillencamp 453-3710.

CRAPTERS WANTED
For sixth annual arts and crafts show 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 18, for Farmington High Football Backers, 32000 Shawwasco Road. Admission \$1. Information, Kathy, 478-3805.

ART IN THE SUN
June 24-25 Northville artists will have an art fair with color or for the annual fine arts and crafts show. The streets of downtown Northville will be closed to traffic but open to a display of arts and crafts.

FARMINGTON AREA ADVISORY COUNCIL

BECOMING A LOVE AND LOGIC PARENT
Seven-week series 7-9 p.m. through July 25. Cost \$25 for series. Scholarship available. To enroll call Kathryn Row, 477-6767.

TEEN PEER SUPPORT
Support/educational group for high-risk teens struggling to understand the effects of chemical abuse, family problems and the life stress on themselves and loved ones. Held at the Farmington Area Advisory Council, 23332 Orchard Lake Road. Information, Kathryn Row, 477-6767.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAM
Held from 10 a.m. to noon Saturdays at the Youth and Family Services, 23332 Orchard Lake Road, for children ages 4-10 impacted by the effects of chemical dependency. These sessions focus on alcohol/drug education, positive peer support, self-esteem, decision making and coping skills. Information, 477-6767.

BLOOD DRIVE

XI MANAGEMENT
Held 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. June 16, 30500 Northwestern Highway. For appointment call 539-3770.

CLUBS IN ACTION

FARMINGTON AREA COMMUNITY
Community Women meet 7:30 p.m. the fourth Thursday of every month in Longacre House. Information, Judy, 476-9074. New members welcome. Community service through fund-raising supporting charities for women and children.

ANTIQUE STUDY CLUB
Husbands and wives who enjoy antiques and are eager to learn more are invited to join a newly formed club. If interested call Tom or Carol Brichford at 810-661-0334.

BIRMINGHAM TEMPLE

SHABBAT SERVICES
At 8 p.m. Friday, June 16, the Birmingham Temple will honor this year's students who have become a Bar or Bat Mitzvah in the Mitzvah Celebration. Graduation of the Mitzvah Class.

DRAMA CLUB
Birmingham Temple presents a play by Bernard Slade at 8 p.m. Saturday, June 17, and at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, June 18. Tickets are \$12 at the door for Saturday's performance and \$6 at the door for Sunday's performance.

WORKSHOP

EYEWEAR SELECTION WORKSHOP
Grace Gluskin, eyewear consultant, offers free workshops on Fridays at 3:30 p.m. and Saturdays at 10:30 a.m. at 31154 Orchard Lake Road, Farmington Hills. Participants will be able to try on frames and get advice on making the right choice when buying eyeglasses. Space is limited. For reservations, call 810-626-2111.

CALENDAR FORM

The Observer, without charge, welcomes Calendar items. Items should be from non-profit community groups or individuals announcing a non-profit program or event. Please type or print the information below and mail your item to The Calendar, Farmington Observer, 33411 Grand River, Farmington, MI, 48335, or by fax to 810-477-9722. 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: _____