OBSERVER & ECCENTRIC GUIDE TO THE MOVIES

AMC Theatres
Bargain matinees daily plus $3.00 (Twi-Lite) show daily. Limited Seating. No passes "No Pass" Engagements. AMC THEATRES UNDER THIS HEADING OFFER MOVIES AT REDUCED ADMISSION EVERYDAY, EVERY SHOW. LOOK HERE FOR OUR "BEST BUYS SUPER DAIY SPECIAL"

AMC Hampton 4
Rochester Rd. 1 1/2 Mile N. M-59
852-5122
11:00 a.m. Times
Movie information was not submitted by deadline. Please call your theatre for features and times.
FRI. 7:15 TRUTH FRI. 7:15 9:30

AMC Ashley 8
14 Mile at I-75 548-0681
No children under 6 after 6 pm except (G) and (PG) rated movies
Movie information was not submitted by deadline. Please call your theatre for features and times.
MON. 1:30 NR AI MON. 3:25 NR MON. 1:30 (5:45) MON. 1:30 @ $3.25) 6:00, 10:35 TUES. 12:30, 2:55 (5:30 @ $3.25) 8:00, 10:30 THE FRIGHTENERS (R) MON., WED., THURS. 12:45, 3:00 (5:15 @ $3.25) 7:45, 10:00, 10:30, TUES. 12:45, 3:00, (5:15 @ $3.25) 7:45, 10:00, 10:30 THE ROCK (R) SHOWN ON 3 SCREENS MON., WED., THURS. 1:45, (4:30 @ $3.25) 7:15, 9:45; TUES. 1:45, (4:30 @ $3.25) 10:15 TWISTER (PG13) MON., WED., THURS. 2:00, (4:15, @ $3.25) 7:10, 9:45 ROMEO & JULIET (PG13) 2:00, (4:40 @ $3.25) 7:20, 10:00 SLEEPERS (R) 1:40 9:40 DEAR GOD (PG) (4:20 @ $3.25) 7:10

AMC Americana West 6
Orchard Lake Rd. S. of 13 Mile
855-4200
No children under 6 after 6 PM and (G) and (PG) rated movies
THRU THURSDAY
HIT FLED (R) 7:40, 10:00
Please call your theatre for features and times.
1:20 10
HIT KINGPIN (PG13) 1:30 (5:00 @ $3.00) 7:30, 10:00

AMC Maple 3
W. Maple West of Telegraph
855-9090
No children under 6 after 6 PM THRU THURSDAY
A TIME TO KILL (R) 1:00 4:00, 7:00, 10:00
Please call your theatre for features and times.
3:15 9:45
No children under 6 after 6 pm THRU THURSDAY
COURAGE UNDER FIRE (R) 1:00 (4:30 @ $3.00) 7:15, 9:45 THE ROCK (R) 1:30 ONLY SUPERCOP (R) (3:00 @ $3.00) 7:30, 9:45 JOE'S APARTMENT (PG13) 1:15, 3:15 (5:15 @ $3.00) 6:00, 10:15

AMC Wonderland 6
Wonderland Mall behind Target
261-8100
No children under 6 after 6 PM except (PG) and (G) rated movies
NR BATMAN (PG) 3:00 6:00
Movie information was not submitted by deadline. Please call your theatre for features and times.
MON. 10:1 MON. 10:1 MON. 10:1 MON. 10:1 7:45 (5:15 7:30 (5:00 7:45 (5:15
JOE'S APARTMENT (PG13) MON.-THURS. 1:15, (3:15, (5:45 @ $3.00) 8:00, 10:10; WED. (10:15 @ $3.00) 3:15, 3:15 (1:00 @ $3.00) 8:00, 10:10 PHENOMENON (PG) MON.-THURS. 1:30 (5:00 @ $3.00) 7:30, 10:00; WED. (1:00 @ $3.00) 1:30 (5:00 @ $3.00) 7:30, 10:00

AMC Livonia Park 10
6 Mile between Newburgh & I-275
464-6200
No children under 6 after 6 PM except (G) and (PG) rated movies
Movie information was not submitted by deadline. Please call your theatre for features and times.
1:00, (4:00) 7:30, 10:30 ADDITIONAL 10 AM &/1 PHENOMENON (PG)
1:30, (5:30) 8:00, 10:30 ADDITIONAL 10 AM &/1 FRIGHTENER (R) 2:00 (5:00) 8:00, 10:30, ADDITIONAL 10 AM &/1 COURAGE UNDER FIRE (R) 1:15, (4:30) 7:30, 10:00 ADDITIONAL 10 AM &/1 JOE'S APARTMENT (PG13) 1:45, (5:45) 7:45, 9:45

AMC Southfield City 12
Greenfield at 9 Mile
(810) 559-2730
No children under 6 after 6 PM except (G) and (PG) rated movies
Movie information was not submitted by deadline. Please call your theatre for features and times.
FRI.-THURS. (5:00 @ $3.00) 7:30, 10:10 BALTO (PG) FRI.-THURS. 1:00, 3:15, (5:30 @ $3.00) 7:40, 9:50 FLED (R) FRI.-THURS. 1:00, 3:20, (5:45 @ $3.00) 8:15, 10:30 FRIGHTENERS (R) 1:10, 3:30, (5:50 @ $3.00) 8:10, 10:30 A TIME TO KILL (R) 1:40, (4:30 @ $3.00) 7:30, 10:20 NF JOE'S APARTMENT (PG13) 1:35, 3:10, (5:15 @ $3.00) 7:20, 9:30 HARRIET THE SPY (PG) 2:00

General Cinemas
Bargain matinee daily plus $3.25 (Twi-Lite) show daily

Eastern 6
Ford Rd., 1 1/2 west of I-275+
981-1950
Advanced same-day tickets available
RANSOM (R) 1:45, 2:30, (4:30 @ $3.25) 7:15, 8:00, 10:20 THE MIRROR HAS TWO FACES (PG13) 1:40, 2:10, (4:35, 5:00 @ $3.25) 7:10, 8:10, 9:50 ROMEO & JULIET (PG13) 2:00, (4:40 @ $3.25) 7:20, 10:00 SLEEPERS (R) 1:40 9:40 DEAR GOD (PG) (4:20 @ $3.25) 7:10

Novi Town Center 8
Novi Rd. South of I-96 344-0077
Advance same-day tickets available
SPACE JAM (PG) 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, (4:40, 5:30 @ $3.25) 7:00, 7:45, 9:30, 10:00 MICHAEL COLLINS (R) 1:30, (4:10 @ $3.25) 4:50, 9:40 THAT THING YOU DO (PG) 2:00 (4:30 @ $3.25) 7:20, 9:45 FLY AWAY HOME (PG) 1:45, (4:30 @ $3.25) 7:20, 10:00 SLEEPERS (R) 1:30, (4:30 @ $3.25) 8:00, 9:30, THINNER (R) 1:50 (4:10 @ $3.25) 7:10 HIGH SCHOOL HIGH (PG13) 7:20, 9:30 THE ASSOCIATES (PG13) 1:40 (4:15 @ $3.25)

Rouge Twin Cinema
Orchard Lake Rd. at Case Lake Rd.
682-1900
Sat. & Sun. only All Seats $1.50 before 6 pm
TIN CUP (R) 7:00 PHENOMENON (PG) 7:15

National Amusements Showcase Cinemas

Showcase Auburn Hills 1-16
2150 N. Opdyke Rd.
Between Lonsdale & Walton Blvd
818-377-2660
Bargain Matinees Daily All Shows until 6 pm Continuous Shows Daily *Late Shows Wed Thurs. Fri. Sat.
SPACE JAM (PG) 11:00, 11:30, 1:00, 1:30, 3:00, 3:30, 5:00, 5:30, 7:00, 7:30, 9:00, 9:30, 11:30*, 12:00* THE MIRROR HAS TWO FACES (PG13) 11:10, 1:45, 4:30, 7:10, 9:55, 12:30 RANSOM (R) 11:00, 11:30, 1:30, 2:00, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 7:00, 7:30, 9:00, 9:45, 10:15, 11:00*, 12:25* SET IT OFF (R) 1:10, 1:35, 3:45, 4:15, 6:45, 7:15, 7:45, 10:00, 10:25, 12:35* LARGER THAN LIFE (PG) 12:15, 2:45 DEAR GOD (PG) 3:10, 7:40 ROMEO AND JULIET (PG13) 11:05, 1:35, 4:15, 7:20, 10:05, 12:30* THINNER (R) 10:10, 12:15* HIGH SCHOOL HIGH (PG13) 11:40, 1:40, 3:40, 5:40, 7:40, 9:50 SLEEPERS (R) 12:50, 3:50, 7:00, 10:00, THE GHOST AND THE DARKNESS (R) 7:25, 9:50, 12:10* MIGHTY DUCKS 3 (PG) 12:30, 2:30, 5:15, 7:10 FIRST WIVES CLUB (PG) 12:00, 2:20, 4:50, 7:05, 9:20, 11:45*

Showcase Dearborn 1-8
Michigan & Monroe
313-561-3450
Bargain Matinees Daily All Shows until 6 pm. Continuous Shows Daily *Late Shows Fri. & Sat. & Sun. THRU THURSDAY
SPACE JAM (PG) 11:00, 11:30, 1:00, 1:30, 3:00, 3:30, 5:00, 5:30, 7:00, 7:30, 9:00, 9:30, 11:30* 12:00*
RANSOM (R) 11:00, 1:00, 3:30, 4:00, 6:30, 7:10, 7:40, 9:50, 10:20, 12:25* SET IT OFF (R) 11:15, 1:15, 1:45, 4:15, 4:45, 7:20, 7:45, 10:00, 10:25, 12:35* HIGH SCHOOL HIGH (PG13) 1:20, 3:20, 5:20, 7:30, 9:40, 11:40* SLEEPERS (R) 12:15, 3:45, 7:00, 10:00
Showcase Pontiac 1-5
Telegraph Sq. Lake Rd. W. Side of Telegraph
810-332-8241
Bargain Matinees Daily *All Shows Until 6 pm Continuous Shows Daily *Late Shows Fri. & Sat. THRU THURSDAY
THE MIRROR HAS TWO FACES (PG13) 11:10, 1:50, 4:30, 7:10, 9:50, 12:20* RANSOM (R) 11:00, 11:30, 1:00, 1:30, 3:00, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 7:00, 7:30, 9:00, 9:40, 10:00, 11:00*, 12:10 ROMEO AND JULIET (PG13) 1:40, 4:10, 7:10, 9:40, 12:00*
Showcase Pontiac 6-12
2425 Telegraph Rd. East side of Telegraph
810-334-6777
Bargain Matinees Daily *All Shows Until 6 pm Continuous Shows Daily *Late Shows Fri. & Sat. THRU THURSDAY
SPACE JAM (PG) 11:00, 11:30, 1:00, 1:30, 3:00, 3:30, 5:00, 5:30, 7:00, 7:30, 9:00, 9:30, 11:30*, 12:00* SET IT OFF (R) 11:15, 1:15, 1:45, 4:15, 4:45, 7:20, 7:45, 10:00, 10:25, 12:30* DEAR GOD (PG) 12:15, 2:30, 4:50, 7:25, 9:40 FIRST WIVES CLUB (PG) 12:00, 2:20, 4:35, 7:15, 9:45, 12:10* SLEEPERS (R) 12:50, 3:45, 7:10, 10:10

Quo Vadis
Warren & Wayne Rds.
313-425-7700
Bargain Matinees Daily All Shows Until 6 pm Continuous Shows Daily *Late Shows Wed Thurs. Fri. & Sat. *No Passes THRU THURSDAY
SPACE JAM (PG) 11:00, 11:30, 1:00, 1:30, 3:00, 3:30, 5:00, 5:30, 7:00, 7:30, 9:00, 9:30, 11:30*, 12:00* SET IT OFF (R) 11:15, 1:15, 1:45, 4:15, 4:45, 7:20, 7:45, 10:00, 10:20, 12:35* HIGH SCHOOL HIGH (PG13) 1:25, 3:25, 5:25, 7:40, 9:40 THE GHOST AND THE DARKNESS (R) 7:15, 9:45, 12:10* FLY AWAY HOME (PG) 1:00, 3:05, 5:10

Showcase Westland 1-8
6200 Wayne Rd.
One blk. S. of Warren Rd.
313-729-1060
Bargain Matinees Daily All Shows Until 6 pm Continuous Shows Daily *Late Shows Fri. & Sat.
THE MIRROR HAS TWO FACES (PG13) 11:10, 1:45, 4:30, 7:15, 9:55, 12:30* RANSOM (R) 11:00, 11:30, 1:00, 1:30, 3:00, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 7:00, 7:30, 8:00, 9:45, 10:15, 11:00*, 12:25* LARGER THAN LIFE (PG) 12:30, 2:25, 4:20 ROMEO AND JULIET (PG13) 11:30, 2:00, 4:40, 7:20, 9:50, 12:15* MICHAEL COLLINS (R) 7:10, 9:50, 12:20* SLEEPERS (R) 12:00, 3:30, 7:10, 10:05 FIRST WIVES CLUB (PG) 12:00, 2:30, 5:00, 7:35, 9:50, 12:00*

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NP DEAR GOD (PG) 10:50, 1:15, 4:20, 7:30, 10:10 NO VIP TICKETS NP LARGER THAN LIFE (PG) 12:30, 1:00, 3:15, 7:20, 9:30 NO VIP TICKETS NP HIGH SCHOOL HIGH (PG13) 11:45, 12:45, 1:45, 2:45, 3:45, 4:45, 5:45, 6:45, 7:45, 8:45, 9:45, 10:40 NO VIP TICKETS SLEEPERS (R) 11:00, 1:00, 2:00, 4:00, 5:00, 7:00, 8:00, 10:00, 11:00 ROUND (R) 7:10, 10:20 THAT THING YOU DO (PG) 11:15, 1:30, 4:10, 6:30, 9:15 101: THE MIGHTY DUCKS (PG) 12:00, 2:30, 4:00, 6:30, 10:50 FIRST WIVES CLUB (PG) 12:15, 3:15, 5:30, 8:15, 10:30 FREE KIDS' SERIES HOUSE ARREST (PG) 11:30, 2:15, 4:30,

Star Rochester Hills
200 Barclay Circle
853-3360
MONDAY THRU THURSDAY
NP ROMEO AND JULIET (PG13) 11:00, 1:20, 3:45, 6:25, 8:45, 11:00 NO VIP TICKETS NP MICHAEL COLLINS (R) 10:45, 1:45, 4:20, 7:15, 10:00 NO VIP TICKETS NP TO GALLEN ON RED 37TH BUCKAROO (PG13) 12:15, 2:40, 4:45, 6:50, 9:30 NO VIP TICKETS NP HIGH SCHOOL HIGH (PG13) 11:45, 2:00, 4:15, 6:30, 8:25, 10:20 NO VIP TICKETS NP SLEEPERS (R) 10:30, 12:00, 1:30, 3:00, 4:30, 6:00, 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 NO VIP TICKETS THE GHOST AND THE DARKNESS (R)

11:10, 1:50, 4:00, 6:10, 8:30, 10:50 THE LONG KISS GOODNIGHT 11:30, 2:15, 5:15, 8:00, 10:40 THAT THING YOU DO (PG) 10:50, 1:00, 3:15, 5:30, 7:45, 10:10 FIRST WIVES CLUB (PG) 11:20, 2:15, 4:50, 7:00, 9:45

Star Winchester
1136 S. Rochester Rd. Winchester Mall
810) 656-1160
MONDAY THRU THURSDAY
NP SET IT OFF (R) 11:45, 2:30, 5:00, 7:30, 10:00 NO VIP TICKETS NP LARGER THAN LIFE (PG) 11:00, 1:00, 3:00, 5:15, 7:15, 9:15 NO VIP TICKETS NP DEAR GOD (PG) 11:15, 1:45, 4:15, 6:45, 9:30 NO VIP TICKETS NP BAD MOON (R) 12:45, 3:45, 6:15, 8:45 NO VIP TICKETS NP THE ASSOCIATE (PG) 11:30, 2:15, 4:45, 7:00, 9:45 NO VIP TICKETS NP THINNER (R) 6:30, 9:00 NO VIP TICKETS FLY AWAY HOME (PG) 11:45, 2:30, 5:30

FREE KIDS SERIES! CHALLAH (12 NO UNDER FEE, ADULTS ARE $1.00) HOUSE ARREST (PG) 10:50, 1:30, 4:00

United Artists Theatres
Bargain Matinees Daily for all shows starting before 6:00 PM
Same day advance tickets available.
MV - No VIP tickets accepted

United Artists Fairlane
Fairlane Town Center
Valet Parking Available
313-593-0790
ALL TIMES FOR TH-THURS. MIDNIGHT SHOWS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY
MV THE MIRROR HAS TWO FACES (PG13) #1 1:30, 3:40, 6:40, 9:20 #2 2:00, 4:40, 7:30, 10:10 ROMEO AND JULIET (PG13) 1:05, 3:35, 6:35, 9:35 GHOST AND THE DARKNESS (R) 1:00, 3:35, 6:35, 9:35 NO MATINEE 11/21 RENDEZVOUS IN PARIS (NR) 1:50, 4:20, 7:05, 9:30 GET ON THE BUS (R) 1:25, 4:00, 6:40, 9:10 FIRST WIVES CLUB (PG) 1:15, 4:30, 7:10, 9:25 THAT THING YOU DO (PG) 1:45, 4:10, 7:25, 9:50 THINNER (R) 2:15, 4:30, 6:50, 9:00 DEAR GOD (PG) 2:15, 9:55 FLY AWAY HOME (PG) 1:20, 4:05

United Artists Oakland
Inside Oakland Mall
810-585-7941
ALL TIMES FR-THURS
MV THE MIRROR HAS TWO FACES (PG13) #1 12:30, 3:15, 6:40, 9:30 #2 1:15, 4:00, 7:10, 10:00 THE ASSOCIATE (PG13) 12:45, 3:30, 6:50, 9:40 GHOST AND THE DARKNESS (R) 1:30, 4:10, 7:25, 9:50 LONG KISS GOODNIGHT (R) 1:00, 7:00 MV THINNER (R) 3:45, 10:10

United Artists 12 Oaks
Inside Twelve Oaks Mall
810-585-7941
ALL TIMES FR-THURS
MV THE MIRROR HAS TWO FACES (PG13) 12:50, 4:10, 7:00, 10:00 MV ROMEO AND JULIET (PG13) 1:10, 3:50, 6:50, 9:30 MV RANSOM (R) 11:45, 2:20, 5:00, 7:40, 10:15 LARGER THAN LIFE (PG) 12:00, 2:10, 4:30 FIRST WIVES CLUB (PG) 12:40, 3:00, 5:20, 7:45, 10:10 GHOST AND THE DARKNESS (R) 7:10, 9:40

United Artists West River
9 Mile,
2 Block West of Middlebelt
810-588-6945
ALL TIMES FR-THURS.
MV SPACE JAM (PG) #1 11:00, 1:10, 1:20, 3:30, 3:40, 5:50, 6:00, 8:10, 8:20, 10:30, 10:40 #2 12:00, 2:10, 4:20, 6:30, 9:00 MV RANSOM (R) #1 11:20, 2:00, 4:30, 7:35, 10:30 #2 1:00, 4:00, 7:00, 9:40 MV SET IT OFF (R) 1:20, 4:30, 7:20, 10:20 MV ROMEO AND JULIET (PG13) 1:30, 4:10, 6:50, 9:30 SLEEPERS (R) 12:20, 3:45, 6:55, 10:05 MV LARGER THAN LIFE (PG) 12:10, 2:25, 4:40 GHOST AND THE DARKNESS (R) 12:15, 2:50, 5:15, 7:45, 10:15 MV DEAR GOD (PG) 2:10, 9:50

Showcase's Terrace Theatre
30600 Plymouth Rd.Livonia
(313) 261-3330
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Birmingham Theatre
211 E. Woodward
Downtown Birmingham
644-3456
NP Denotes No Pass Engagements Thru Thursday
NP SPACE JAM (PG)
11:30, 1:25, 3:20, 5:15 7:10, 9:10 NP THE FUNERAL (R) 12:50, 3:00, 5:10, 7:20, 9:30 NP THE MIRROR HAS TWO FACES (R) 11:50, 2:25, 5:00 7:35, 10:10 NP RANSOM (R) 11:45, 2:10, 4:15, 7:10, 9:55 NP ROMEO & JULIET (PG13) 12:15, 2:50, 5:25, 8:00, 10:30 NP TWELFTH NIGHT (PG) 12:50, 3:15, 5:40, 9:35 NP SWINGERS (R) 11:55, 2:00 MICHAEL COLLINS (R) 4:05, 7:00, 9:50 SLEEPERS (R) 12:50, 3:55, 7:00, 10:05

MJR THEATRES
Pfizer Lincoln Mall
Lincoln Mall, Middlebelt at 7 Mile
313-476-8800
ALL SEATS 99¢ ALL SHOWS
FREE Refill on Drinks & Popcorn
JACK (PG13) 4:30, 6:50, 9:30 A VERY READY BUCKS (PG13) 4:50 INDEPENDENCE DAY (PG13) 7:00, 9:50 PHENOMENON (PG) 4:40, 7:15, 9:45
NO CHILDREN UNDER 4 AFTER 6 PM EXCEPT ON 'G' OR 'PG' RATED FILMS

Main Art Theatre III
Main-11 Mile
Royal Oak
(313) 542-0180
$3.00 (TWI-LITE) SHOWS DAILY THESE TIMES ARE FOR TODAY ONLY
MOTHER NIGHT (R) 1:35, (4:15 @ $3.00) 7:00, 9:30 LOOKING FOR RICHARD (PG13) 1:45, (4:45 @ $3.00) 7:30, 9:55 11/22 NO 4:45, 7:30, 10:21 NO 7:30 BIG NIGHT 1:50, (4:20 @ $3.00) 7:35, 9:45
Children under 6 not admitted

Waterford Cinema 11
7501 Highland Rd.
S.E. corner M-59 & Williams Lake Rd.
24 Hour Movie Line
(810) 666-7900
$3.25 (TWI-LITE) SHOWS DAILY
SPACE JAM (PG) 12:00, 1:15, 2:15, 3:20, (4:40 @ $3.50 @ $3.25) 7:00, 7:45, 9:00, 9:45 11/18-21 NO 12:00 MIRROR HAS TWO FACES (PG13) 1:20, (4:10 @ $3.25) 7:00, 9:45 RANSOM (R) 1:10, 1:50, (4:00 @ 4:30 @ $3.25) 6:45, 7:20, 9:20, 10:00 DEAR GOD (PG) 1:30, (4:15 @ $3.25) 7:20, 9:55 MIGHTY DUCKS 3 (PG) 1:15, (4:00 @ $3.25) 6:50 THINNER (R) 9:15 ROMEO & JULIET (PG13) 1:42, 4:20 @ $3.25) 7:15, 9:50 LARGER THAN LIFE (PG13) 1:42, 7:10 GHOST AND THE DARKNESS (R) (4:50 @ $3.25) 9:30 SLEEPERS (R) 1:00, (4:00 @ $3.25) 7:10, 10:00 HIGH SCHOOL HIGH (PG13) 1:00, (5:10 @ $3.25) 7:40, 9:40

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JACK (PG13) 4:45, 7:10 9:50 HARRIET THE SPY (PG13) 4:45, 7:10, 9:50 PHENOMENON (PG) 4:30, 7:15, 9:45
NO CHILDREN UNDER 4 AFTER 6 PM EXCEPT ON 'G' OR 'PG' RATED FILMS

MOVIES

TWENTIETH CENTURY FOX

Holiday rush: *Arnold Schwarzenegger as Howard Langston races across a huge mall on Christmas Eve in a madcap search for the hottest toy of the season in "Jingle all the Way."*

Share your toy search story

It's Christmas Eve and Howard Langston is frantically searching for the toy every child's wish list — Turbo Man, in "Jingle All the Way," opening Friday at metro Detroit movie theaters.

Who hasn't braved the last-minute Christmas Eve rush to buy something that's long disappeared from store shelves?

Parents, share your "Holiday Toy Search," story with us to win a "Jingle All the Way," prize package for your child. What toy did you look all over town to find? Were you successful? Was your child surprised, or disappointed? Deadline to enter is Tuesday, Nov. 26.

Twenty-five prize packages containing a "Jingle All the Way," memo board, T-shirt, stocking cap, and coloring book, will be given away. Send entries to: Keely Wygonik, Taste/Entertainment Editor, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, Inc., 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150. To fax entries, call (313) 591-7279.

We'll share excerpts from your holiday toy search stories in an upcoming issue of Arts & Entertainment.

Arnold Schwarzenegger who stars in "Jingle All the Way," is a high-powered businessman, hard at work. Now he's going to miss yet another of his son, Jamie's (Jake Lloyd), karate awards ceremonies. Howard loves his family, but he just can't seem to find enough time for wife Liz (Rita Wilson), and Jamie. This year he's going to make it up to Jamie, he'll buy him the toy on ever child's list to Santa — and the hottest action figure of the season — Turbo Man!

Unfortunately, Howard is facing one big problem: It's Christmas Eve, and Turbo Man has been sold out since Thanksgiving.

Howard's down-to-the-wire trek to find Turbo Man quickly turns into an odyssey wilder than he could have ever imagined. In the course of his Yuletide misadventures, he finds himself in a no-holds-barred fight-to-the-finish with a pesky postman named Myron (Sinbad), who is out to claim the last Turbo Man for his kid. Also standing in Howard's way is a shady Santa (James Belushi), and a tough policeman, Officer Hummell (Robert Conrad).

To make matters worse, while Howard is scrambling across the city for the prize that will redeem him in the eyes of his family, neighbor Ted (Phil Hartman), the so-called "perfect father," has made himself at home — in Howard's home, relieving Liz of her baking duties, and taking it upon himself to put up the Langston family Christmas lights. It's enough to scare away even the bravest of men. But to Howard, this is war — and he's determined to win.

In addition to "Jingle all the Way's" easily recognizable themes, the Twentieth Century Fox film also features non-stop action and laughs.

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