

CALENDAR

YOUR GUIDE TO

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GOLD MINING

The Rochester Hills Museum will hold a slide show entitled "Gold" at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 18. David LaJock will share his fourteen year adventure as an exploratory geologist and his hunt for gold in Alaska's remote areas. Admission is \$3 and reservations are required. 656-4663.

SONG CELEBRATION

The students of Michigan Christian College will host "Celebration in Song," at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, March 14-15 at the college, 800 W. Aven Road, Rochester Hills. Tickets are \$8-\$10. There will also be a special matinee on Saturday. 650-6017.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

The Rochester Hills Museum will celebrate Women's History Month from 10 a.m. to noon Saturday, March 15 when Melanie Bazil will present a slide show on the life, art and career of Mary Chase Stratton. Admission is \$3 and coffee is provided. 656-4663.

DISCOVERING HISTORY

The Rochester Hills Museum will feature a day of slide presentations and lectures by staff and guest speakers on Saturday, March 22 at the Stoney Creek School House on Washington Road one block east of the Museum. Subjects include Medical Facilities in Oakland County at 10 a.m., Spectacular Rochester at 11 a.m., Stagecoach Inns in Oakland County at 1 p.m. and Lost Villages in Oakland and Macomb Counties at 2 p.m. Admission is \$3 per presentation or \$7 for the day. Bring a bag lunch, beverages are provided. Pre-registration for all presentations are required. 656-4663.

USED BOOK SALE

The Friends of the Rochester Hills Public Library will hold a used book sale in the multipurpose room of the library, 500 Old Towne Road, from 10 a.m.-8:30 p.m. Thursday, March 13; 10-4:30 p.m. Friday, March 14 and Saturday, March 15; and 1-4:30 p.m. Sunday, March 16. A pre-sale for members only will be held from 6-8:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 12. 650-7178.

SPRING PARADE

Stiles Elementary School PTO is looking for crafters for its 7th annual Spring Parade of Crafts which will be held from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, March 22, at the school. 299-4276.

LOCK-UP

The American Cancer Society will hold its 12th Annual Great American Lock-Up on March 13 and 14. For \$25, you can have someone arrested. 1-800-543-JAIL.

LISTEN UP

YMCA

The North Oakland YMCA is taking registrations for their Spring 97 Soccer League which will begin April 19 at Reuther Middle School for children in grades kindergarten-8th grade. 651-9622.

WINTER RECREATION

The City of Auburn Hills Recreation Department is holding registration for a variety of winter programs. To receive a complete listing of programs call (810) 370-8353 or visit the Com-

munity Center in Civic Center Park from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

KID STUFF

STORYTELLER

The Rochester Hills Public Library will have a story time with Stashish at 9:45 a.m. Friday, March 21 when she will tell stories from many lands. The program is for children 3-6 and their parent. 656-2900.

SWIM LESSONS

The North Oakland County YMCA is looking for certified lifeguards and swim instructors for youth swim lessons on Monday and Wednesday evenings and Saturday mornings at Adams High School. Larry, 651-YMCA (651-9622).

GIVING TIME

TEACHERS NEEDED

The Rochester OPC is looking for instructors to teach the following classes: stained glass, origami and photography, plus any other new or exciting offerings for senior citizens. Rebecca, 608-0253.

HELP NEEDED

Volunteers are needed at Peachwood Inn Nursing Home to assist with recreational programs, special events, ice cream parlor, gift shop and Holiday Parties. Hours are flexible. 852-7800.

FITNESS VOLUNTEER

The Rochester Older Persons Commission is looking for a volunteer fitness instructor for two hours a week to run a light chair exercise class for the Adult Day Care Program. Pat, 608-0247.

SHARE YOUR RECIPES

Volunteers are needed at the Older Persons Commission of Rochester to share their cooking knowledge and techniques with seniors. Classes will be held from 7-8:30 p.m. one Tuesday a month. Brenda or Tracy, 656-1403.

TOPS VOLUNTEERS

Teen Opportunity Programs Inc. of Rochester Hills is looking for volunteers to help with fundraising, public relations and to chaperone Friday Night Teen Nights at the Rec Room. Chaperones receive a coupon that admits their teens to future Teen Nights for free. Call 1-800-464-2090.

DELIVER MEALS

Volunteers are needed in the Rochester area to deliver for Meals on Wheels, one lunch hour weekly or monthly. Call 608-0266.

OPC TEACHERS

The Older Persons Commission is looking for people to teach knitting, crocheting, pottery and stained glass. Call Rebecca at 608-0253.

COMPUTER HELP

The Rochester Older Persons Commission is looking for volunteers with computer knowledge. They'd teach senior citizens for one hour, from 4-9 p.m. on Tuesdays and Wednesdays or for two hours on Sundays. Call Brenda Persinger or Tracy Thatcher at 656-1403.

RED CROSS DRIVERS

The American Red Cross Southeastern Michigan Chapter needs volunteers with a valid driver license and a good driving record to drive bloodmobiles and transport people to medical appointments. Call 394-3575.

VOLUNTEER DRIVERS

The American Cancer Society is seeking new mem-

bers for its "Road to Recovery" program. Volunteers drive cancer patients living in Macomb, Oakland and Wayne counties to and from medical facilities. Call 1-800-925-AC51.

LIBRARY WORK

The Friend of the Rochester Hills Public Library will train volunteers to work in its store. Volunteers help with retail sales, pricing and inventory. Shifts are three to four hours. Call 650-1179.

IN SUPPORT

HORIZONS

Horizons, a support group for those in grief, will meet at 7 p.m. Wednesday, March 26 at 127 W. University, Rochester. 651-8137.

A NEW BEGINNING

A New Beginning, a support group for widows, will meet at 7 p.m. Wednesday, March 19, at 127 W. University, Rochester. 651-8137.

CHRONIC FATIGUE

Fibromyalgia and Chronic Fatigue Syndrome support group meets the 2nd Tuesday of every month from 7-9 p.m. at Barclay Physical Therapy, 555 Barclay Circle, Suite 110, Rochester Hills. 853-5853.

NAIM

The Rochester Chapter of NAIM, a Catholic organization of widows and widowers of all Christian faiths, will meet the second Wednesday of every month at 7 p.m. at St. Andrew's Activity Building, 1246 Ingwood, Rochester. The meeting will be followed by live music and dancing. 853-2535 or 375-9043.

RATIONAL RECOVERY

Rational Recovery, an alternative to Alcoholics Anonymous, is now forming. Meetings will be held from 10-11:30 a.m. Saturdays at 1130 Tenken Ct., Rochester Hills. Reservations are requested. Michelle Mannina, (810) 997-2599.

A.A. GROUP

Alcoholics Anonymous meets at 8 p.m. Thursdays at Auburn Hills Presbyterian Church, 3456 Primary St., Auburn Hills. First Thursday of the month is an open meeting, all others are closed meetings.

FOCUS ON LIVING

The American Cancer Society and Crittenton Hospital will hold a support group for cancer patients, cancer survivors and their loved ones from 7-9 p.m. the second Thursday of each month at Crittenton Hospital. 652-5373.

ROCHESTER PWP

Parents Without Partners Rochester Chapter 761 will meet at 8 p.m. every Thursday at the Rivercrest, 900 W. Avon, between,

Rochester Rd. and Livonia. Dances every week with open to the public dances on the first, third and fifth Thursdays. The cost is \$5 for members and \$8 for non-members. 658-0581.

STEPFAMILY HELP

Stepfamily Association of America Inc. holds a stepfamily mutual help group meeting from 7-9 p.m. the second and fourth Thursdays of every month at 3271 Five Points Drive, Auburn Hills, Suite 203. Call Kathy Grey at 475-8911.

FEMALE MEETS

Formerly Employed Mothers At the Leading Edge is a support organization for women dealing with the transitions between paid employment and at home motherhood. It offers local chapter meetings, play groups and newsletters. Call Kathy Ruedisueli at 656-2038.

HELPMATES

Helpmates, a support group for single adults, will meet every Tuesday at 7 p.m. at St. John Lutheran Church, 1011 W. University Dr., Rochester. 652-9721.

SENIORS

BALANCE & STRETCH

The Older Persons Commission will hold a drop-in Balance and Stretch Exercise class for Seniors from noon-1 p.m., Mondays and Wednesdays at the Rochester OPC, 312 Woodward, Rochester. (810) 656-1403.

SENIOR SONGSTERS

The Rochester Senior Songsters will meet from 1-2 p.m., Thursdays, at the Older Persons Commission Center. Lillian Lagerkvist will direct. New members are welcome. Call 656-1403.

FOCUS ON ISSUES

The Older Persons Commission sponsors a discussion group from 1-3 p.m., the second and fourth Mondays in the conference room of the OPC center, 312 Woodward, Rochester. Discussion leader is Gene Timm. Call Rhonda at 608-0263.

LINE DANCING

The Auburn Hills Senior Citizen Center offers country line dancing at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesdays at Auburn Hills Fire Station No. 2 Hall, 2050 North Opdyke. All ages are welcome and the cost is \$3 per person. Call 795-1619.

NEW BEGINNINGS

New Beginnings, formerly known as the Victors Club, will meet at 11 a.m. Wednesdays, at the Older Persons Commission center, 312 Woodward, Call Donna Beerer at 656-1403.

COUNSELING OFFERED

Penny Brown, a registered public health nurse, will be available to counsel seniors on diet, hygiene and more at the Older Persons Commission center, from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., the third Wednesday of each month. Call Sharon Collins at 650-1403.

WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL

The Northeast/Northwest Senior Volleyball League is looking for teams to join the league. Practice and league play will be held 9 a.m.-11:30 a.m. every Tuesday and Thursday, through March 27.

IN SCHOOL

The Rochester Older Persons Commission is seeking senior citizens to work with children in the Rochester Community Schools. Opportunities are available at all grade levels. Call Rhonda, 608-0263.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Peachwood Inn needs volunteers to assist its senior citizens residents with an ice cream parlor, gift shop, special events, exercise classes and field trips. Call Lisa Fernberg at 852-7800.

CLASS TIME

HOME WORKSHOP

Rochester Community Education is sponsoring a Home Selling Workshop from 7-9:30 p.m. Thursdays, April 10 and 17. Learn the process of selling your own home from A to Z. Includes 80 page workbook. Pre-registration is required. 650-5747.

NECK PAIN

On Jackson-Wyatt, of the Physical Therapy Center is offering a one-day workshop exploring Neck Pain/Whiplash using the Feldenkrais Method from 8 a.m.-2 p.m. Friday, March 14, at the Older Persons Commission Building, 312 Woodward, Rochester. The cost is \$95 and senior citizens over 60 and former patients receive a 50 percent discount. Pre-registration is required. Carole, 651-4673.

PARENTING

Systematic Training for Effective Parenting will begin at 7:30 p.m. April 17 for parents of children under six years old. All classes will be held at the First Congregational Church, 1315 N. Pine, Rochester. Pre-registration is required. 650-5747.

DINNER SEMINAR

Gregory Michalkow of Edward Jones Investments will host free monthly dinner seminars at 6:30 p.m. at the Rochester Community House, 816 Ludlow, Rochester. On March 24, "Wealth Preservation," and on April 23, "Using Tax Favored Investments." Lenore, 375-0339.

AT OU

Oakland University is registering students for the following classes: L2AT Workshops, CPA Weekend, ACT Workshop, Intro to the Internet, Internet Productivity and more. Pre-registration is required for all classes. Call 370-3120.

CLUB CALL

LUNCH & SPEAKER

The Auburn Hills/Rotary will meet from noon-1:15 p.m. Monday, March 24 at the Pontiac Silverdome Main Event meeting room. Dr. Charles Chambers will speak on Higher education and technology. Gusts are welcome. Jack, 852-5800.

CONTEMPORARY KNITTERS

The Contemporary Knitters will meet the 3rd Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Rochester Community House. All knitters are welcome. Jan, 651-7691.

BASKET WEAVERS

Rochester Basket Weavers Guild meets from 7-10 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month (through June) in the Home Ec. room at Rochester High School. The cost is \$13 per year. Susan, 373-3937 or Wyvetta, 371-1081.

MONTHLY MEETING

Assistance League of Southeastern Michigan will meet at 9:30 a.m., the third Tuesday of each month at the Rochester Community House, 816 Ludlow, Rochester. Sally Mangold, 651-7265.

THEATRE GUILD

The Meadow Brook Theatre Guild meets the 2nd Monday of each month at 9:30 a.m. at Oakland University's Oakland Center. Lois Matena, 370-3305.

MOMS CLUB

The MOMS Club of Ulica/Shelby/Rochester, a support group for stay-at-home mothers, will meet at 10 a.m. on the second Wednesday of each month at the Faith Lutheran Church, Shelby Road. Children welcome. Michelle, 656-2979.

GOLDEN K

The Rochester Kiwanis Golden K Club meets from 9:30-10:30 a.m. every Tuesday at the Older Persons Commission center. Call George Hughes at 656-9590.

GARDEN CLUB

The Meadowbrook Garden Club meets the fourth Friday of every month at 10 a.m. at Meadowbrook Hall. Call 628-3231.

HILLS GARDENERS

The Hills of Rochester Garden Club meets at 7 p.m. the third Tuesday of each month at members' homes. Call Mary Matco at 650-8794.

FIRE CADETS

Teens, ages 14-18, can join the fire cadet program which meets at 1 p.m., on alternate Sundays at 1111 Horizon Court/Fire Station No. 1. They train in the use, care and maintenance of fire equipment and learn CPR. Call Linda Raschke at 652-0710.

ASTRONOMY CLUB

The Oakland Astronomy Club meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Sunday of every month at the Rochester Hills Environmental Education Center, Avon Road west of Livonia. Call Mike Bennett at 651-0161.

KIWANIS MEETS

The Kiwanis Club of Rochester meets from 6:30-8 p.m., every Monday, at the River Crest, Avon and Livonia. Call Jack Bryan at 651-4260.

JUNIOR WOMEN

Rochester Junior Women's Club is recruiting new members. Members include business owners, teachers, elected officials, homemakers, corporate executives and retirees. Call Chris Kelly at 652-4601.

BUSINESS NETWORK

The Rochester Chapter of the Business Network International meets from 7-8:30 p.m. every Thursday at the Olive Garden in Rochester Hills. Reservations are required. Call Dr. Susan Schlaf, president, at 299-5550.

JAYCEES MEET

The Rochester Area Jaycees meet at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month at Rochester Community House, 816 Ludlow. For information call 652-7777.

OPTIMIST BREAKFAST

The Rochester Area Optimist Club meets for breakfast at 7:30 a.m. Tuesdays at the Old Port in Rochester. Community members interested in helping Rochester area youth are invited. Call Mary Cider at 651-4376.

FARM AND GARDEN

The Rochester Branch of the Women's National Farm and Garden Association Inc. hold general meetings at 11:30 a.m. the second Tuesday of each month at the Rochester Community House, 816 Ludlow Street, Rochester. Call 651-4843 or 651-3382.

TOASTMASTERS MEETS

Toastmasters International is an educational organization devoted to helping people improve communication and leadership skills. For days and time of clubs convenient, call the hot line. 399-6028.

SINGERS WANTED

The Rochester Catholic Chorale is seeking additional voices, primarily tenors and basses. Rehearsals are in the Older Persons Commission Center, 312 Woodward, Rochester, 8 to 10 p.m. Wednesdays. Call 739-2902.

BARBERSHOP CHORUS

The Rochester Heart of the Hills Barbershop Chorus invites men to join them at 7:30 p.m. Thursdays at University Presbyterian Church, 1335 South Adams Road. No experience necessary. Call Al Flak at 651-3796.

CRAFT SHOWS

COUNTRY MARKET

Long Meadow PTA is looking for persons interested in submitting applications for the 15th Annual Long Meadow Country Market juried craft show which will be held on Oct. 18, 1997. 376-0680 or 651-6964.

CREATORS CUPBOARD

Rochester Hills Christian School, 3300 Livonia, will hold the "Creators Cupboard" Craft Show from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday, March 22. A bake sale will also be featured. Admission is \$1.

SPOTLIGHT MARKET

Oakland University's Meadow Brook Theatre Guild is looking for artists and crafters for the "Spotlight Market" on Sept. 20 and 21 at Showall Gustafson Pavilion on the campus of Oakland University, Rochester. Juries will be held from 7-9 p.m. Thursday, March 20 at Oakland University. 370-3318 or 650-0892.

The Rochester Eccentric 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, Rochester Eccentric, 1814 S. Rochester Rd., Rochester Hills, MI. 48307. FAX: (810) 653-9080. Deadline for Calendar items is noon Friday for the following Thursday's paper.

Event and fee:

Sponsoring group:

Guest speaker:

Program topic:

Date and time:

Location:

Public contact and telephone:

Additional info.:

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