

Sisters of Mercy



Nuns: Sisters of Mercy regional community in Detroit elected a new leadership team recently during their assembly in Farmington Hills. Sister Linda Werthman was elected president; Sisters Gilmayr Bauer, Katherine Hill and Patrice Klein were elected to serve on the leadership team. All begin their four-year terms on July 1, 1998.

Meet contestants on tour

Mise Michigan Contestants on Tour is an opportunity to meet talented young women from across the state along with dancers from Dance Dynamics Dance Studio.

The program is slated for Friday, May 22, at 7:30 p.m. at Walled Lake Middle School, Pontiac Trail at Beck Rd. in Wixom. Admission is \$5 and all proceeds go to the Miss Farmington/Oakland County Scholarship Program.

For more information, call 661-8179.

Neighbors Club raises \$3,800

The Farmington Neighbors Club recent benefit fashion show luncheon at the Glen Oaks Country Club netted \$3,800 for the Rainbow Connection.

The Rainbow Connection is a nonprofit organization which grants wishes to seriously ill children.

One of this year's recipients is Andrea Buck, 8. Her wish is to go to Disney World and that will be granted by the Farmington Neighbor's Club.

Antioch Lutheran marks 40th anniversary May 31

Antioch Lutheran Church in Farmington Hills is celebrating its 40th anniversary on Sunday, May 31. The Rev. James Henneberger, founding pastor of the church, will preside over a special service at 10 a.m.

A reception with a brunch buffet, birthday cake, slide show and historical display immediately follows the service.

In March of 1958, 78 charter members were received and Antioch Lutheran Church in Farmington Hills was formed. Like the ancient Christian community at Antioch for which the church was named, the congregation has flourished and now serves more than 250 families in a large, modern house of worship located at the original site, Farmington and 13 Mile roads.

"We've had many Christian people who have generously given their time and energy to the church and as a result we have been able to carry out the mission of the Lutheran Church in our community," said Rita Jones, one of the first to join in 1958 and still an active member.

"It's important to celebrate our 40th anniversary to tell new people in the congregation the history of how we have grown and changed over the years so that they can understand and feel the part of the stewardship that Antioch Lutheran Church was and is built upon."

Bishop-elect Robert Rimbo and pastor Donald Kreis, the current ordained leaders of the congregation, are inviting the community to attend.

"Forty years ago, 13 Mile was not yet paved and Farmington Hills was a rural area far from the city and not the developed community it is today," said Rimbo. "Our doors are always open, and we hope that the community will join us in celebrating this momentous occasion."

The church is located at 33360 W. 13 Mile. For more information, call Antioch Lutheran Church, 626-7906.

Contest seeks lush gardens

This time of year provides plentiful opportunities for those of us who appreciate beautiful landscapes and gardens. Are you lucky enough to have a beautiful garden or garden view? Perhaps your neighbor has a gorgeous yard you enjoy each day as you pass by.

The Farmington Garden Club, a member of the Federated Garden Group of Michigan, would like to congratulate and reward those in Farmington and Farmington Hills who take pride in their outside environment. It is sponsoring a "Good Neighbor Garden Contest" for non-professional gardeners.

Enter your neighbor's, your friend's or your own yard and garden in the contest. Please obtain your neighbor or friend's authorization before entering their garden. All residential gardens will be judged against similar gardens so don't worry about competing because of size. Past winners have included patio, herb, perennials, rock, annual and landscape gardens.

All non-professional gardeners living in Farmington or Farmington Hills between Eight Mile and 14 Mile and Hogarty and Inkster are eligible. The 1997 Good Neighbor Contest cash gift certificate winners are ineligible.

The gardens will be judged the week of July 20 to 24. Gardeners will be contacted for viewing/judging appointments.

The church is located at 15 Mile and Orchard Lake roads has contributed gift certificates to be awarded to the winners.

Mail entry form information: garden owner, address and location of garden, phone number, recommended by, and comments to Carol Kries/Dorothy Young, 23691 Wesley, Farmington 48335. All entries must be post-marked no later than July 1.

ANNIVERSARIES



MCLEOD 25TH
Ruth and Al McLeod will celebrate their silver anniversary on

OAKE 50TH
Ronald and Mildred Onko celebrated their golden anniversary on May 17 with family and friends. An open house was held at the Longacre House in Farmington Hills.

The couple met and were married in Newfoundland, Canada, where they were both born. They have lived off and on in Farmington since 1958.

All family members recently gathered on a vacation to mark the milestone and the couple will travel to Ireland this summer to commemorate the event.

Ronald and Mildred have three children; Ruth (Al) McLeod of Phoenix, Ariz., Lorraine

Sept. 1. Ruth is a graduate of Farmington High School and met Al while attending Michigan Technological University.

The couple lived in Michigan while Al played hockey for the Detroit Red Wings during the 1973-74 season. After transferring to the World Hockey Association and retiring as the captain of the Phoenix Roadrunners, they stayed in Phoenix.

Their children are Chris McLeod of Minnesota and Candice McLeod of Phoenix.



(Dave) Brown of Farmington, Judy (Stevie) Yauch of Milford and six grandchildren.

WEDDINGS

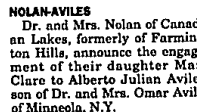


SHIER-CLIFFORD

Stephanie Joy Shier of Farmington and William Barton Clifford, Jr. of Novi will be married in August.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Carol and Reinhardt Shier of Farmington. She is a graduate of Farmington High School and Michigan State University, and is currently attending the University of Michigan Law School.

The groom is the son of William and Linda Clifford of Grand Rapids. He is a graduate of Forest Hills Central High School and Michigan State University.



NOLAN-AVILES
Dr. and Mrs. Nolan of Canadian Lakes, formerly of Farmington Hills, announce the engagement of their daughter Mary Clare to Alberto Julian Aviles, son of Dr. and Mrs. Omar Aviles of Minnesota, N.Y.

The bride-to-be attended Farmington High School. Both she and her fiancé are graduates of the University of Michigan. Mary is employed by Platinum Technology, Inc. of Chicago, Ill. and Alberto is in his third year of medical school at the University of Chicago-Illinois.

A September wedding is planned at St. Fabian Catholic Church in Farmington Hills.



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'Walk and Remember' helps hospice program

Take a walk through the lovely neighborhoods of Farmington Hills in honor of a loved one at the second annual Walk and Remember on Saturday, June 6.

The 5-kilometer walk begins and ends at Hospice Home, 25911 Middlebelt, south of 11 Mile. Registration is from 8 to 8:30 a.m. and the walk begins at 8:35 a.m.

Whether you are walking in honor of a loved one or simply enjoying the scenery, your participation will help Hospice of Michigan provide care and support for terminally ill patients and their families in the community.

Co-workers, families and friends can enter the Team Challenge, a friendly competition with prizes for the largest team and the team that raises the most money.

Registration fee is \$10 on or before May 29; \$15 after May 29 or on the day of the event. Call Allison at 443-7635 for more information. All proceeds benefit Hospice of Michigan's programs in southeastern Michigan.

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Henry Ford HEALTH SYSTEM

This is a notice to all people whose children received a baby shot at any Henry Ford Health System doctor's office after January 1, 1994. Information about their baby shots will be sent to the Michigan Childhood Immunization Registry (MCIR).

This means that your child's baby shot record will be available at other medical clinics or doctor's offices you might visit in the state of Michigan. Only doctors and their staff will have access to this information. Henry Ford Health System believes this need will help make sure that children receive all of the shots they need in order to be protected from dangerous diseases such as Measles, Polio and Whooping Cough.

If you do not want your child's records sent to MCIR or if you would like more information, please call Ann Casdel, Child Health Network Immunization Project, (313) 874-6820, by June 5, 1998.

Frank H. Boos Gallery
AUCTIONEERS & APPRAISERS

AUCTION: featuring bronze sculptures by Marshall Fredericks, Carl Milles and Harry Bartola; paintings by Milton Avery, Meyer Siraus, Montague Dawson, James Schaeffing, Michele Delacroix, George Charles Robin and many others; art glass, including Galie and a Tiffany Studios "Banded Dogwood" table lamp; a large selection of Oriental rugs; furniture, including antique, reproduction and Modern; a large model of "City of Calcutta"; a pair of large cabana chairs; historical documents, including Lincoln, Kennedy and Albert Einstein; sports memorabilia, including a Baba Ruth baseball card; Robben china, including an 89 piece set of dinnerware; sterling, including an International Silver trumpet vase set with diamonds and rubies; a large selection of jewelry and a very large selection of movie memorabilia.

PREVIEW
Thursday, May 28th - 12 Noon - 8 p.m.
Friday, May 29th - 12 Noon - 8 p.m.
Monday, June 1st - 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

AUCTION
Tuesday, June 2 - 8 p.m.
Wednesday, June 3 - 8 p.m.
Thursday, June 4 - 8 p.m.

Harry Bartola, (American, 1818-1878), bronze, 27" h. Internationally honored sculptor who in 1878 took over the directorship of the Cranbrook Metalworks Department.

Marshall M. Fredericks, (American, 1906-1998), bronze, 27" h. "Freedom of the Human Spirit" is a medallion for the large bronzes at 108 in the Hills Presbyterian Church, Bloomfield Hills

Carl Milles, (Brazilian/American, 1875-1951), bronze, 14" h. "Joseph and the White" is a medallion for the Joseph pool, the first little design installed on the Cranbrook institutions grounds.

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