

Botsford TRACC race aids council

Mark your calendar for Run for Your Life on Sunday, June 14, sponsored by the Botsford Center for Health Improvement's Total Rehabilitation & Athletic Center (TRACC). Race proceeds will benefit the Oakland Fitness Council.

A great summer kick-off to health and fitness, Run for Your Life begins at 8:30 a.m. at the Center, 39760 Grand River in Novi and will be held on a rolling, out-and-back course to the Novi Town Center. A post-race party with music and refreshments, an awards ceremony, participant giveaways and

a raffle drawing will follow. The event offers three competitive categories with the following entry fees:

- 5K run (\$12 by June 1; \$15 after; \$10 race only, no t-shirt)
- 5K wheelchair race (\$12 by June 1, \$15 thereafter)
- 5K walk (\$10 by June 1; \$13 thereafter)

Day-of-race registrations will be held 7-8 a.m. T-shirts are guaranteed only to participants who register before the June 1 deadline. They are subject to availability after that date.

For more information, call 473-6600.

Sarah Fisher center names two to board

The St. Vincent and Sarah Fisher Center of Farmington Hills has named two new members to its advisory board of directors: W. Mack Faison of Detroit and Margaret K. Savage of Southfield.

Faison is an attorney and senior principal at Miller, Canfield, Faddock and Stone, where he specializes in product liability, torts litigation and counseling, employment litigation and insurance coverage disputes. He received his law degree from Harvard. A speaker at law conferences and seminars across the country, Faison co-authored the "Product Liability Practice Guide."

He is a member of several professional organizations, including the American and Federal Bar Associations, the state bars of Michigan and New York and the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan Civil Justice Reform Act advisory group.

Savage is president of Kemler Savage Enterprises. She has helped produce "Transition," an award-winning program on UPN 50 with executive producer and host Jeffrey Miller for more than

nine years. Savage is the mother of two grown children, one a student at Michigan State University and the other a graduate of the University of Michigan.

Her former affiliations include Henry Ford Hospital and numerous activities for Grand Rapids Community Schools and Marian High School, where her children attended. Savage plans to share her marketing and investment expertise to assist the center.

The St. Vincent and Sarah Fisher Center has provided services to children and families in crisis for nearly 70 years. Today, the center's programs include residential treatment and crisis stabilization for severely abused and traumatized children, foster care, respite and adoption services for children with special needs, and outreach support and residential services for high risk young mothers, fathers and their babies.

Together, these programs provide care and treatment to more than 1,000 infants, youth and families throughout metropolitan Detroit every year.

AAUW honors woman

Barbara Neumann-Scott of Farmington Hills is the American Association of University Women, Farmington branch, educational foundation named girl honoree for 1998.

This honor is given each year to a branch member for outstanding service to the organization and the community.

A member since 1994, Neumann-Scott has served as co-vice president for programs, was co-founder with Lydia Rizzo of the political awareness group, and worked with the Oakland Community College Womencenter to set up mentorships. She is also active in the branch evening book group.

Neumann-Scott is a graduate of the University of Toledo and Eastern Michigan University and has built a career in secondary education. She has spent the last 10 years in alternative education, as both teacher and counselor.

She serves as a literacy tutor for older adults and has also worked with visiting nurses calling upon the elderly at home. She has also been affiliated with Alzheimer's groups.

Neumann-Scott likes to keep busy with her family, including three children and three grandchildren. She also enjoys sports, including bicycling, walking and tennis.

Earth Day project success



Whole lotta shoes: Students in Nancy Dillon's second-grade class at Lanigan Elementary strengthened public awareness for Earth Day by collecting shoes for recycling. They worked in partnership with the company, 2nd Chance Shoes of Southfield. Lanigan students collected over 800 pair, with Dillon's class collecting the most: 325, followed by Dulce Aronoff's second-grade class with 63 pair, and Barbara Kahl's third-grade class with 54 pair.

Orchard Lake Schools' Founder's Day planned

One of the metro Detroit area's longest running charity events is going a step beyond a popular movie for its theme this year.

"Our party is bigger than Titanic," say husband and wife co-chairs John and Barbara Wicher-Slavsky of Farmington Hills. "It's gigantic!"

The 46th annual Orchard Lake Schools Founder's Day is an all day happening Wednesday, June 17, featuring golf, food, refreshments and entertainment.

Nearly 2,000 guests, men and women, are expected to donate \$225 per ticket (without golf) or \$250 with golf to support the students and staff of SS. Cyril and Methodius Seminary, St. Mary's College and St. Mary's Preparatory that share a campus in Orchard Lake. For

ticket information, call 683-0411 during business hours.

"We have entertainment by the Gaylords," said John Slavsky, whose father, the late Robert Slavsky Sr., was one of the key organizers of the first Founder's Day in 1953 when the price of the ticket was then unheard of \$100.

The Gaylords, Ron Gaylord and Burt Holiday, will mix humor and song in a 90-minute performance of some of their Billboard chart hits such as "Tell Me You're Mine," "Little Shoemaker," and "Eh, Cumpare."

The party begins at noon with mass in the Shrine Chapel of Our Lady of Orchard Lake on campus, but golfers will be tee-off as early as 7 a.m. at 10 courses in the metro area reserved for Founder's Day

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—party co-chairman

HDS Services of Farmington Hills will serve an international buffet from 1-8 p.m. featuring foods from Poland, America, Italy and the Polynesian Islands.

In addition, guests will be able to snack at a deep-sea buffet, deli, coney island and an old-fashioned ice cream stand. Three polka bands, Big Daddy Luckowski's La De Da, Ted Kellowicz's Sparks of Fire and the Clare Witkowski Orchestra will add to the festive atmosphere.

A Las Vegas room, pontoon boat rides and tours of the historic campus are among other diversions.

At 9 p.m., \$20,000 in cash prizes, including a first prize of \$10,000, will be raffled.

"For 113 years, the Orchard Lake Schools have educated more than 17,000 students and 3,000 priests," said Magr. Slowley Milewski, chancellor of the three schools. "The proceeds help us continue our important work of preparing young men and women for careers."

Bone marrow talk on tap

The National Bone Marrow Transplant Link, a program of the Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute, is hosting its third educational forum 7 p.m. Wednesday, June 3, at the Birmingham Temple, 28611 W. 12 Mile, between Middlebelt and Inker in Farmington Hills.

The "Ask the Expert" session will feature Dr. William Peters, a nationally-recognized authority on bone marrow transplantation for breast cancer.

Call 1-800-LINK-BMT or 932-8483 to reserve a spot. The forum is free.

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