

CALENDAR

YOUR GUIDE TO EVENTS IN AND AROUND FARMINGTON AND FARMINGTON HILLS

POTPOURRI

FARMER'S MARKET
Farmington Farmer's Market will open for the season from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. every Saturday in the Village Commons parking lot in downtown Farmington.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST
Enjoy a pancake breakfast from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sunday, June 7, at the Farmington Masonic Temple in downtown Farmington. The cost is \$4 per person.

ASH THE EXPERTS
Bone marrow transplants: Third Annual Educational Forum will be held at 7 p.m. Wednesday, June 3, at the Birmingham Temple Farmington Hills. Call 443-5800 ext. 6818 if you plan to attend.

ANOTHER WAY WALK
Walk Another Way IV: A 2-mile walk to raise funds for Another Way Pregnancy Center, located in downtown Farmington, will begin at 10 a.m. Saturday, June 6, at Shawnee Park. A picnic lunch will be served at noon with children's games. All participants are welcome. Call Julie Nordberg at 471-3195.

READING CLUB
Sign up for the Summer Reading Club at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 3, at the Farmington Branch Library or 6:30 p.m. Thursday, June 4, at the Farmington Hills Library. Baffling Bill the Magician will perform on both dates. Call 474-7770 or 553-0300.

SUMMER DAY CAMP
Steppingstone School will offer eight summer day camp sessions starting June 15. Call 473-1808.

FAMILY FEST
St. Alexander's Family Fest will be held today, May 28, through Sunday, May 31, on Shawnee between Inkster and Middlebelt. Rides begin at 5 p.m.

YOUTH VIOLENCE FORUM
A town-hall forum on youth violence will be hosted from 7:30-9 p.m. today, May 28, at Farmington First United Methodist Church. The forum, entitled "Youth Violence: Warning Signs & Prevention," stems from recent school shooting tragedies and will focus on learning how to recognize the warning signs of youth violence.

NEW MEMBERS WANTED
Beechview Swim & Tennis Club is seeking new members. The club also includes sand volleyball, toddler pool, family picnics and much more. Call Clark Waldecker at 474-6176.

HEALTH

HEALTHY COOKING
Healthy cooking demonstrations are available throughout the month at Botsford's Health Development Network in Novi. Classes fill quickly so register early. The cost is \$6. Call 477-6100.

BARGAIN BENEFITS

ELKS RUMMAGE
The Farmington Elks - Branch 1988 will host a rummage sale from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. today through Saturday, May 28-30, at a private residence, 23755 Haynes in Farmington Hills to help defray building costs of their new facility being built on 10 Mile east of Orchard Lake. Call 476-4676 or 476-1986.

HUGE GARAGE SALE
The largest indoor garage

sale will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, May 30, at the Costco Activities Center in Farmington Hills. Call 473-9570.

PLANT SWAP
The Farmington & Farmington Hills Beautification Commissions will hold a plant swap from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, May 30, at the Farmington Hills City Hall parking lot - rain or shine. Bring a wagon, pots, gloves and your favorite plants to swap.

SENIORS (55+)

LUNCH/FASHION SHOW
Enjoy a spring luncheon as imago consultant, Peg Treney presents "Dressing Rich Without Spending A Fortune" at 11 a.m. Tuesday, June 2, at the Costco Activities Center in Farmington Hills. Tickets are \$8 and available now at the Senior Center. Call 473-1830.

OPEN HOUSE
All newcomers 55 and better can come and discover the abundant opportunities the Senior Center provides starting at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, June 9, at the Costco Activities Center in Farmington Hills. To register call 473-1830.

PROBATE LAW
The Oakland County Probate Court in cooperation with the Farmington Area Commission on Aging II hosts a free panel discussion on probate law from 6:45-8:15 p.m. Tuesday, June 9, at the Costco Activities Center. Call 473-1830.

DRIVING SERVICE
The Farmington Hills Department of Special Services, Senior Adult Division offers residents 60 years of age or better, and disabled residents of Farmington and Farmington Hills cab service at reduced fares. Call North-West Cab Company at 474-3333; or ABC Cab at 477-4300.

MEMORIES AND MORE
Share your recollections of the past with Memories and More. This senior group will meet from 10 a.m. to noon every Friday at the Farmington Hills Senior Center. Call 473-1830.

BALLROOM DANCING
At 1 p.m. every Friday, dance to live Big Band sounds from the '40s and '50s at the Costco Center, 11 Mile and Middlebelt. Admission is \$2.50 and includes refreshments, which are served at 2 p.m. Call 473-1830.

BRIDGE & PINOCCHLE
The Farmington Senior Drop-In Bridge and Pinochle Club meets every Monday at the Farmington Masonic Temple. Call William, 474-4308.

WATER WALKING
Try Water Walking, an in-pool exercise program, from 2-3 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays at the Farmington Hills Senior Adult Center. The cost is \$1 for residents and \$2 for non-residents. Call 473-1830.

SINGLES

PARK VOLLEYBALL
Join in for fun and exercise from 6 p.m. to dusk every Tuesday at Heritage Park in Farmington Hills. All skill levels are welcome.

SINGLE MINGLE
Farmington Single Professionals along with Metropolitan Single Professionals will host a Single Mingle Dance from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, May 29,

at the Marriott Hotel in Livonia. The cost is \$4 for members and \$7 for non-members. Call 851-9909.

POT LUCK BRUNCH
Single Place Ministries of First Presbyterian Church of Northville will meet at 11 a.m. Saturday, June 6, at Heritage Park in Farmington Hills, for a pot luck brunch. Bring a dish to pass, your own beverage and place setting.

WEEKEND TRIP
Enjoy a white water rafting/golf weekend June 12-14 or dude ranch/golf weekend August 21-23. To find out more, a meeting will take place at 11 a.m. Saturday, May 30, at the Farmington Community Library in downtown Farmington. Call the FSP hot line at 851-9909.

WALK IN THE PARK
Single Place Ministries of First Presbyterian Church of Northville, meets for a walk through Heritage Park at 10 a.m. every Saturday. Call 349-0911.

CLASSES

LONGAERE CLASSES
The Longaere House of Farmington Hills is offering classes in: massage, pastries, herbs, country line dance, psychic readings, quilting, English horseback riding, golf lessons. For times and registration information, call 477-8404.

BATHROOM REMODELING
Farmington Community Education and Oakland Builders Institute will offer an eight-hour bathroom remodeling workshop from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturdays, May 30 and June 6, at Farmington High School. The cost is \$70. To call 489-3333.

CLUBS

TOASTMASTERS
The Windybaggers Toastmasters, an international Speech Club, meets 6:30-8:30 p.m. every Thursday at Ponderosa Restaurant. Contact Derek at (248) 616-9191.

EMBROIDERERS
The Farmington Hills Embroiderers Guild will meet at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, June 3, at Faith Covenant Church in Farmington Hills. Call Jody at 788-1073.

AMERICAN LEGION
The American Legion Groves-Walker Post 346 & Auxiliary will meet 7:30 p.m. Thursday, June 4, at 31776 Grand River, Call 474-3451.

RETIRED SCHOOL PERS.
The Farmington Area Association of Retired Sch Personnel will meet for lunch at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, June 9, at the Farmington Hills Beef House. A business meeting will follow the luncheon. Call 471-7477.

OWL POTLUCK
The Farmington OWL (Older Women's League) will meet for a potluck dinner/meeting at 6 p.m. Monday, June 1, at the Farmington Library in downtown Farmington. Call Betty at 478-2635 (after 5 p.m.).

BNi MEETS
Business Network International, Farmington Hills Chapter, will meet from 7:30-8:30 a.m. Wednesday, June 3, at the Grand Cafe in downtown Farmington. The NW Farmington Hills Chapter will meet from 7:30-8:30 a.m. Friday, May 29, at Jax Restaurant, 33572 Grand River, in Farmington Hills.

VOLUNTEERS

ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION
The Alzheimer's Association is seeking volunteers to provide companionship to those with memory loss. Volunteers receive an orientation that provides them with the information and skills to brighten the life of someone with Alzheimer's. Call 557-8277.

SENEX
Senex, a program for frail older adults, provides the homebound some extra care and a variety of activities. To learn more about this program or to volunteer, call 473-1830.

MEDICAL DRIVERS
Make a difference. Substitute drivers needed to fill in periodically, one day per week, Monday-Friday, one to two hours per day. Call Diane or Chris, 473-1825.

NUTRITION VOLUNTEERS
Kitchen volunteers are needed from 9:30-11 a.m. Tuesday and Thursday. Call Chris or Diane, 473-1825.

FOCUS:HOPE
Drivers are needed for an hour or two to deliver food boxes to eligible seniors once a month. Call Gail, 473-1826.

COMMON GROUND
Common Ground, Oakland County's 24-hour crisis center, needs volunteers to provide telephone crisis intervention counseling. Call Lis Christopher at (248) 466-8128.

CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES
Volunteers are needed to help improve relationships between parents and children in a program sponsored by Catholic Social Services of Oakland County. Training for the program is provided. Call Francine Adams, (248) 334-3595.

DRIVERS NEEDED
If you have some free time to transport cancer patients in your area to nearby treatment centers, call Ivory Underwood at 443-6800.

SUPPORT GROUPS

HEADACHES
The National Headache Foundation, along with Providence Hospital, holds a free monthly support group from 7:30-8:30 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month at MedMax, 29305 Orchard Lake Road. To register, call (248) 647-0614.

LUPUS
The Northwest Suburban Lupus Chapter will hold its current meeting at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, June 4, at the Farmington Library in downtown Farmington.

PREGNANT TEENS
Catholic Social Services of Oakland County offers support to pregnant teens with the Teen-Parent Program. The goal of the program is to offer moral and emotional support to pregnant and parenting teens. If you are anyone you know is a pregnant teen, contact Sharon Longbecc at 333-3700, Ext. 122.

STROKE SURVIVORS
First Step Stroke Club is a support group for stroke survivors and their caregivers. Meet at 1 p.m. every Tuesday at the Senior Adult Center in Farmington Hills for fellowship, fun, exercise and coping strategies. Call 473-1830.

S.O.S. GROUP
This learning enhancement program helps people of all ages with visual, hearing, fine and gross motor skills. Working on concentration, motivation, comprehension and memory, and simultaneous and sequential processing. Call Joel Marwil at 476-8741. Private counseling is available.

LEARNING DISABLED
Joel's Group is a group for the learning disabled and the educable mentally impaired looking for members. The group meets for social and educational activities on Saturday nights. Call Joel Marwil at 476-8741.

WOMEN'S PRIME TIME
Women's Prime Time for women ages 40-60 discusses issues and concerns dealing with mid-life changes. This forum is scheduled from 7-8:30 p.m. the third Thursday of each month, at Botsford Hospital's 3 West Conference Room. Call 477-6100.

FREE ADULT SUPPORT
Share your experiences in a safe, healing environment from 6:30-8:30 p.m. every Wednesday at Botsford Hospital in Farmington Hills. This program is offered through the Metro Detroit Center for Attitudinal Healing. Call Lois at 344-6535.

PARKINSON'S DISEASE
The Western Oakland Parkinson Support Group meets 7:30-9 p.m. the second

and Tuesday of every month at Farmington Hills Baptist Church, 28301 Middlebelt. Call 476-3404, 478-0189 or 474-0003.

BIPOLAR/DEPRESSIVE
The Manic-Depressive and Depressive Association support group meets 7:30-9 p.m. the first and third Wednesday of each month at the Mission Health Professional Office Center, 39500 W. 10 Mile, Novi. Call Vicki at 960-1288.

CHEMICAL DEPENDENCE
An educational/support group for children ages 4-11 affected by the effects of chemical dependency is held 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturdays at the Farmington Area Counseling Center, 23332 Orchard Lake Road. Call Gina Schaefer, 477-6767.

LIFE CARE MINISTRIES
Have a problem? Want to talk? Call Life Care Ministries at 477-LIFE from 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. Monday-Saturday. There is no charge.

POSTPARTUM DEPRESSION
A postpartum depression group meets at 7:30 p.m. the first and third Tuesday of each month at Providence Hospital in Southfield. Call 737-3612.

MODERATION MANAGEMENT
MM is a free self-help group and nine-step program that provides guidelines for moderate drinking and support to change your drinking habits. Not intended for alcoholics. Meets from 7:15-8:15 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month at Universalist Church, 26301 Halsted, Farmington Hills. Meetings are anonymous, with no fees. Call (248) 788-8040.

A.I.M.
Agoraphobias in Motion is an organization to help people overcome panic/anxiety attacks. Call (248) 547-0400 for a listing of individual chapters.

PROJECT RACHEL
Project Rachel can help heal the wounds of abortion in a sensitive and confidential 11-week program. All faiths are welcome. Call 1-888-Rachel5. Sponsored by the Catholic Archdiocese of Detroit.

PEER SUPPORT
The teen peer support group is a 12-week educational program for teens ages 12-18 struggling with chemical abuse, family problems, and other life stress issues that affect themselves and their loved ones. It is held 3:30-5 p.m. Tuesdays at the Farmington Area Counseling Center, 23332 Orchard Lake Road. Call 473-1290.

DIABETES SUPPORT
An educational support group at Botsford's Health Development Network offers day and evening classes. Call 477-6100.

PROSTATE CANCER
The prostate cancer educational support group will meet at 7 p.m. on the third Monday of each month at Botsford Hospital in Farmington Hills. This support group provides both encouragement and education about prostate cancer. Call 477-6100.

PARENTING
Pathways to Parenting, sponsored by Botsford Hospital, is a new monthly support group that meets from 12:30-2 p.m. the first Monday of each month at Holy Cross Episcopal Church in Novi. New moms can share concerns and obtain information and network with peers. Call 477-6100.

GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS
Gamblers Anonymous meets at 7:30 p.m. every Wednesday at Grace Chapel in Farmington Hills. Call (313) 882-0489.

TOPS
Take Off Pounds Sensibly TOPS - is a support group dedicated to providing information to those seeking to lose and control their weight. TOPS meets from 9:30-10:30 a.m. every Wednesday at Nardin Park Church in Farmington Hills.

OVEREATERS
Learn how to take steps toward changing your relationship with food presently in a comfortable, supportive atmosphere at Botsford General Hospital in Farmington Hills. Sessions are scheduled on a weekly basis. The cost is \$10 per session. Call 477-6100.

DIVORCECARE
DivorceCare divorce recovery seminar and support group meets at 7 p.m. each Tuesday at Forest Park Baptist Church in Farmington Hills. Experts on divorce and recovery topics will be featured guests. Call 476-0080.

OBSESSIVE-COMPULSIVE
Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder is a self-help group for youths and their families that meets from 7-9 p.m. the third Wednesday of each month at Davis Counseling Center in Farmington Hills. Call Greg at (313) 438-3293.

FREE COUNSELING
Free counseling services to all community members are available from Eastern Michigan University graduate counseling students in partnership with Farmington Schools. Counseling appointments are available from 5:30-7:30 p.m. each Wednesday. Call 489-3442 for an appointment.

THIRTIETH SUPPORT
Do you have ringing or buzzing noises in your ears that won't stop? If so, then join the free Thirtieth Support Group. It meets 7-9 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at Botsford Hospital in the Ziegler building, Classroom C. Call Jack at 352-1646.

PRESCHOOL

FARMINGTON CO-OP
Farmington Co-op Playgroup is looking for moms and tots to join. The group meets from 10-11:30 a.m. every Monday at Farmington United Methodist Church. Call 474-7622.

MAYFAIR CO-OP
Mayfair Co-op Preschool in Farmington Hills is accepting applications for the 1998-99 school year. Openings are available for the enrichment (pre-K), four and mom & tot programs. For information and applications, call 626-2759.

NARDIN PARK NURSERY
Nardin Park Community Nursery School, on 11 Mile in Farmington Hills, is now enrolling 3-, 4- and 5-year-olds. Call Beth at 442-0642.

SUNSHINE PRESCHOOL
Sunshine Preschool, in Antioch Lutheran Church at 13 Mile and Farmington roads, is accepting registration in the 3- and 4-year-old classes. These classes meet from 9-11:30 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Call 661-2128.

MOMS AND TOTS
Moms and Tots meet from 10-11:30 a.m. every Monday morning at Hope Lutheran Church in Farmington Hills. To join, call 553-7170.

CALENDAR FOR N

The Farmington Observer, without charge, 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, Farmington Observer, 33411 Grand River, Farmington, MI 48335, or by fax to 248-477-9722. 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: _____