

CALENDAR

YOUR GUIDE TO EVENTS IN AND AROUND FARMINGTON AND FARMINGTON HILLS

POTPOURRI

PLAYERS PERFORM
The Farmington Players will perform "Don't Dress for Dinner" May 7, 8, 14 and 16 at the Farmington Players Bldg., 32532 W. 12 Mile. All performances are at 8 p.m. or 2 p.m. Tickets are \$12. Call 653-2955.

COMMUNITY FORUM
A community and school forum will be held from 6-9 p.m. Thursday, May 13, at the Costick Activities Center, in light of the Littleton tragedy. Community support groups and agencies will be available to answer questions. Call 489-3349.

CAMPORREE
Boy Scout Troop 110 of Our Lady of Sorrows Church in Farmington is sponsoring a spring district Camporee starting at 6 p.m. Saturday, May 15, to 11 a.m. Sunday, May 16, at Heritage Park Farmington Hills. Many Scout troops from the area will be attending. Call 474-2996.

FARMERS MARKET
Farmington Farmers Market will open for the spring/summer season from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. beginning Saturday, May 8.

POWER PLAY
Power Middle School Drama Club will perform "Family Album" at 7:30 p.m. today, May 6, and Friday, May 7, at the Power Middle School Cafeteria. The cost is \$3 for adults and \$2 for children. Call 489-3622.

SPRING CONCERT
The Farmington Community Chorus will present its 20th annual spring concert, "Going Places," at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, May 7-8, at Harrison High School in Farmington Hills. For ticket information, call 788-5322.

SALES/BENEFITS

ORCHARD RUMMAGE
Orchard United Methodist Church will hold a rummage sale 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday, May 7, and 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, May 8, at 30450 Farmington Road. Call 626-3620.

SPRING RUMMAGE
The United Methodist Women of the First United Methodist Church of Farmington will hold their Spring Rummage Sale 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday, May 13, and 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday, May 14, at the church, 33112 Grand River.

PLANT SALE
The Farmington Garden Club is having a house and perennial plant sale from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday, May 19 and 20, at the Warner Mansion in downtown Farmington.

MOM SALE
Tri-County Mothers of Multiples will hold a "Mom-to-Mom" sale from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturday, May 15, at the Costick Activities Center in Farmington Hills.

PLANT SWAP
The Beautification Commission of Farmington Hills and Farmington are sponsoring its 2nd annual Plant Swap from 8:30 to 11 a.m. Saturday, May 22, in the Farmington Hills City Hall parking lot. Call Mario Donigan at the Farmington Hills Planning Office, 473-9543.

RUMMAGE/BAKE SALE
A Rummage/Bake Sale will be held from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, May 8, at the Finnish Center Association in Farmington Hills. Call 478-6939.

FLOWER SALE
The American Association

of University Women, Farmington Branch, will hold a Flower Sale 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, May 8, at the Downtown Farmington Farmer's Market on Grand River.

CLOTHING COLLECTION
The St. Vincent de Paul Society of St. Gerald Church is holding its spring clothing collection for the needy Saturday and Sunday, May 8-9. St. Gerald Church is located at 21300 Farmington Road. Clothing may be dropped off at the St. Vincent truck in the south parking lot 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday. Call 477-7470 or 476-7677.

CAR WASH
The Farmington Masonic Temple will hold a car wash 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, May 15, at the Temple in downtown Farmington.

HEALTH

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

FREE IMMUNIZATION
The Oakland County Health Division will offer an immunization clinic for Farmington and surrounding areas from 9 a.m. to noon Wednesday, May 12, at Clareville United Methodist Church in Farmington Hills, 20300 Middlebelt Road.

STEP AEROBICS
Botsford Total Rehabilitation & Athletic Conditioning Center will offer an eight-week step aerobics class from 6-6:55 p.m. every Monday and Wednesday at the Novi location, 39750 Grand River. Call 473-5600.

SENIORS (55-PLUS)

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

CREATIVE WRITING
An informal creative writing class is offered 1 p.m. each Thursday at the Senior Center. All are welcome. Call 473-1830.

NEWCOMER TOUR
Discover Senior Center opportunities and tour the Costick Center Farmington Hills. Each Farmington, Farmington Hills newcomer will receive a welcome packet containing coupons for a complimentary lunch, exercise class or speaker series that may be used anytime during 1999. Tours are held at 10:30 a.m. the third Thursday of each month.

WILDFLOWER TOUR
Joe Derek, city naturalist, will be your guide as you enjoy the springtime flora of Woodland Hills. Meet at 10 a.m. Monday, May 10, at the Woodland Hills parking lot.

SWEET DREAMS
Learn how to bring understanding to your mind and sweet dreams to your sleep as writer Lee Underwood gives tips to capture your dreams on paper 10 a.m. Tuesday, May 18, at the Senior Center.

BALLROOM DANCING
Dance to live Big Band

Hooray!



Winners: Farmington Hills Police Chief Bill Dwyer congratulates Lauren Lankes and Adam Senko as the winners of the police department's poster contest publicizing the upcoming open house noon-4 p.m. Sunday, May 16.

sounds from the '40s and '50s 1 p.m. Fridays at the Costick Center, 11 Mile and Middlebelt. Admission is \$2.50 and includes refreshments, which are served at 2 p.m. Call 473-1830.

BRIDGE AND PINOCCHIO
The Farmington Senior Drop-in Bridge and Pinochle Club meets Mondays at the Farmington Masonic Temple. Call William at 474-4308.

CLASSES

LONGACRE CLASSES
A wide variety of classes are offered at the Longacre House, including psychic readings, how to be a landlord, Web page production, chess (ages 6-14), light touch massage, kinder, garden piano, aromatherapy, American Art pottery, digital photography, antique buying, small business startup, drawing and many more. For information or to register, call (248) 477-8404.

BUILDERS' CLASSES
Farmington Community Education offers classes in home building, remodeling and licensing. For dates, cost and registration information, call 489-3333.

CPR FOR BABYSITTERS
Local EMS instructors will teach emergency CPR procedures to be used with infants and children 1-3:30 p.m. Saturday, May 8, at the Farmington Hills Library. To register call 653-0300.

ADOLESCENT TRANSITIONS
St. John Lutheran Church will host a series of free seminars on "The Journey Through Adolescence" presented by William J. Rowell, Ph.D. Sessions run 7:30-9 p.m. each Wednesday through May 19. To register, call 474-0584.

MEMORIAL
Providence Hospital will

host a seminar on menopause from 7:30 to 9 p.m. Wednesday, May 19, at St. Fabian Church in Farmington Hills. Joan Lynn RN, MS, Certified Nurse Midwife, will address women's health issues related to menopause. Call 553-4610.

ELDER CARE
The Farmington/Farmington Hills Chamber of Commerce will host an introductory look at what the federal government will NOT be doing for you and your loved ones as you approach your elder years. This informational seminar will be held from 8-10 a.m. Thursday, May 13, at the Farmington Training Center. The cost is \$10 per person and includes a continental breakfast. To register call 474-3440.

SINGLES
SINGLES' DANCE
West Side Singles will host a dance 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, May 7, at Best Western Executive Suites in Farmington Hills. The cost is \$5 before 7:30 p.m. and \$5 after 8 p.m. No jeans. Call 991-0909.

SINGLE MINGLES
Metropolitan Single Professionals host Single Mingle dances from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. every Friday throughout the month of May. For prices and locations, call 851-9909.

CLUBS

BNI
Business Network International Farmington Hills chapter will meet 7-8:30 a.m. Wednesday, May 12, at the Grand Cafe in downtown Farmington. The NW Farmington Hills chapter will meet 7-8:30 a.m. Friday, May 7, at Jax Restaurant, 33572 Grand River.

NORTH GARDEN
North Farmington Garden Club will meet at 10 a.m.

Tuesday, May 11, for a wildflower garden tour. For lunch details and location information, call 653-2368.

GLASS CLUB
The Glass Study Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 18, at the Farmington Community Library, 32727 W. 12 Mile Road. Guest speakers will be Bill and Nancy Sheriff from Spring, Md. Call 626-9034.

HILL & DALE
The Hill & Dale Garden Club will present a program on "Waking up your Garden" at 7 p.m. Thursday, May 13 at the Farmington Hills Library. Call Barb at 626-2233.

OPTIMIST CLUB
The Optimist Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Wednesday at San Marino's On the Two restaurant. Call 474-9680 or 442-9796.

JAYCEES
The Farmington Area Jaycees will hold a general meeting at 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 11, at the Costick Activities Center.

LIONS
The Farmington Area Lions Club meets 7 p.m. the first and third Tuesday of the month at Botsford Inn. New members welcome. Call 476-6267 or 471-4361.

KIWANIS CLUB
The Kiwanis Club of Farmington Hills meets 12:15 p.m. every Tuesday at Bill Knapp's Restaurant in Farmington Hills. New members are welcome. Call 661-8463.

TOASTMASTERS
The Windbaggers/Toastmasters Club meets 6:30-8:30 p.m. every Thursday at Ponderosa Restaurant 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 disease. Call 587-8277.

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

MEAL DRIVERS
Substitute drivers needed to fill in periodically, one day per week, Monday through Friday, one to two hours per day. Call Diane or Chris at 473-1825.

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

FOCUS:HOPE
Drivers are needed for an hour or two to deliver food boxes to senior citizens once a month. Call Gail at 473-1825.

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, 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 443-5800.

SUPPORT GROUPS

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 7:15-8:15 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month at Universalist Church, 25301 Halsted in Farmington Hills. Meetings are anonymous, with no fees. Call 788-8040.

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT
The city of Farmington Hills Senior Adult Division offers an Alzheimer's support group for caregivers and family members 1-3 p.m. the third Wednesday of each month. Call 473-1822.

OBSSIVE-COMPULSIVE
Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder is a self-help group for youths and their families that meets 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 5:30-7:30 p.m. each Wednesday. Call 489-3447 for an appointment.

TINNITUS SUPPORT
Do you have ringing or buzzing noises in your ears

that won't stop? If so, then join the free tinnitus 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.

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 or anyone you know is a pregnant teen, contact Sharon Longbuco at 333-3700, Ext. 122.

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

WOMEN'S PRIME TIME
Women's Prime Time (for women ages 40-60) discusses issues and concerns dealing with midlife changes. This forum is scheduled 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 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 344-4535.

PARKINSON'S DISEASE
The Western Oakland Parkinson Support Group meets 7:30-9 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month at Farmington Hills Baptist Church, 28301 Middlebelt. Call 476-3404, 478-0189 or 474-0003.

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

LIFE CARE MINISTRIES
Have a problem? Want to talk? Call Life Care Ministries at (734) 427-LIFE 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

PRESCHOOL

HOPE MOMS & TOTS
Moms and Tots meet 10-11:30 a.m. Mondays at Hope Lutheran Church in Farmington Hills. This program provides time for the moms to get together while their children play in a supervised environment. To join, call 653-7170.

UNITED MOMS & TOTS
Orchard United Methodist Church of Farmington Hills has a mom and tot play group that meets year-round 10-11:30 a.m. every Friday. Call Amy at 476-4294.

PATHWAYS
Bethlehem Evangelical Lutheran Church in Farmington Hills has openings in preschool and prekindergarten classes for children 2 1/2-6 years old. Call 478-6560.

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.: