

CALENDAR

YOUR GUIDE TO EVENTS IN AND AROUND FARMINGTON AND FARMINGTON HILLS

POTPOURRI

VISIT DAY
William Tyndale College will host a Visit Day from 10 a.m. to noon, Saturday, Oct. 17. The college is located at 12 Mile and Drake Roads. Call 1-800-483-0707.

BARBECUE/SQUARE DANCE
The Clarenceville United Methodist Church will host a Beef Barbecue and Square Dance starting with dinner from 5-7 p.m. with the dance following at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 16. The cost is \$7 for adults and \$3.50 for children ages 3-11. Children under 3 are free. Call 474-3444.

FAITH, FUN & FITNESS
Exercise, fellowship, crafts and food from 9:30-11:30 a.m. every Thursday through Nov. 19 at Faith Covenant Church in Farmington Hills, 14 Mile and Drake. Baby-sitting is available. Call 661-9191.

BENEFITS

FALL RUMMAGE
The United Methodist Women of First United Methodist Church of Farmington will hold the fall rummage sale 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. today, Oct. 16, and 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday, Oct. 16, at the church, 33112 Grand River.

RUMMAGE/BAKE SALE
St. Paul's Lutheran Church will hold its annual Rummage and Bake Sale from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Oct. 15 and 16 and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 17, at the church, 20805 Middlebelt.

HUGE RUMMAGE
Nardin Park United Methodist Church will hold a Huge Rummage Sale from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 29 and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Friday, Oct. 30, at the church, 29887 West 11 Mile Road.

GRAND AUCTION
The Farmington Musicale and the Longacre House will co-sponsor "A Grand Night for Music" Gala Auction Evening Saturday, Oct. 17, at the Longacre House in Farmington Hills. The cost is \$45 and includes dinner. Call 477-8404.

CRAFTERS NEEDED
St. Paul's Lutheran Church is looking for crafters for its 11th annual holiday craft show Nov. 14. Tables are \$25. Call 476-0841.

MORE CRAFTERS
Farmington High School Football Backers is looking for crafters for its ninth annual arts and crafts show on Nov. 14 at Farmington High School. Exhibit fees are \$45 for a 10-by-10 booth space. Call Denise at 478-2397 or Ron at 473-1538.

KID STUFF

FUN FEST
The Downtown Development Authority will hold its annual Halloween Fun Fest from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 31, throughout the downtown area.

PUMPKIN PAINTING
Kids of all ages are invited to attend the 6th Annual Kids Halloween Pumpkin Painting Event at 10 a.m. or 1 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 17, at McFarland's Florist in Farmington Hills. There is a \$5 material fee and reservations are required. Call 474-0760.

MONSTER JAMBOREE

The Farmington Area Jaycees will hold a Monster Jamboree on Oct. 24, in the Kmart shopping center located at Orchard Lake and 14 Mile Roads. Admission is \$3 per child. Call 477-JCCS.

HAUNTED HIKE

Enjoy a spine-chilling, self-guided hike through the haunted hills of Heritage Park between 7:30 and 9:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 23, and Saturday, Oct. 24. Heritage Park is located on Farmington Road between 10 and 11 Mile Roads. The cost is \$4 per person. This hike is not recommended for children under seven years of age. Call 473-9570.

GOOD 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.

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC
Providence Medical Center of Farmington Hills will offer immunizations from 4-8 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 20, at 30055 Northwestern Highway. There will be a \$5 facility fee. Call 865-4000.

BLOOD DRIVE
The Red Cross Bloodmobile will be at Orchard United Methodist Church from 2-7:45 p.m. Monday, Oct. 26. The church is located at 30450 Farmington Road.

GIVE BLOOD

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will be at the Universalist Unitarian Church of Farmington from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 24. The church is located at 25301 Halsted in Farmington Hills. Walk-ins are welcome. Call 478-7272.

SENIORS (55 PLUS)

CITY HISTORY
Enjoy coffee and dessert and learn more about Farmington/Farmington Hills history from author and docent Ruth Mochlin of the Farmington Hills Historic District Commission, starting at 1 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 20, at the Farmington Hills Senior Center.

IT'S ONLY MONEY
Learn how to plan your financial future within retirement, about estate planning, risk management and more at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 27, at the Farmington Hills Senior Center. Farmington Hills attorney and C.P.A., Rick Bloom will host the seminar. He is a Detroit News columnist and the radio host of "Money Talk."

STARS & STRIPES
Tickets are now available for Stars & Stripes Forever, a Veteran's Day Remembrance, to be held at 11 a.m. Friday, Nov. 6, at the Senior Center in Farmington Hills. The cost is \$5.50 and includes lunch followed by a dance. Tickets sales are limited.

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.

BALLROOM DANCING
Dance to live Big Band sounds from the '40s and '50s at 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 & PINOCCHIO
The Farmington Senior Drop-in Bridge and Pinochle Club meets Mondays at the Farmington Masonic Temple. Call William at 474-4308.

SINGLES

HAYRIDE
Enjoy a hayride and bonfire starting at 7:45 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 17, at Sugarbush Farms in Ypsilanti. R.S.V.P. by Oct. 15. Call 851-9909.

CARDS & DINNER
Everyone is welcome to join in for cards and dinner 6:30-10 p.m. every Monday at Tom's Oyster Bar in Southfield. All skill levels are welcome.

WALLYBALL
Play Wallyball starting at 6:45 p.m. every Tuesday at Racquetball Farmington, at Nine Mile west of Farmington Road. Call 851-9909.

AFTER WORK PARTY
Enjoy some after work fun from 5:30-7:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 22, at Joe Muer's Bar & Grill in Southfield. Call 851-9909.

BURGER/MOVIE NIGHT
Relax with a burger and a movie starting at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 24, at Mr. Joe's in Southfield.

SINGLE MINGLE
The Farmington Single Professionals will host its monthly Single Mingle from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, Oct. 16, at the Marriott Hotel in Livonia. Call 851-9909.

DART LEAGUES
Two co-ed dart leagues are being formed and will play every other Sunday at Roosevelt's Billiards in Farmington Hills. Sign-up is scheduled for 6 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 25, at Roosevelt's.

CO-ED BOWLING
Farmington Singles will bowl every other Sunday night at Drakeshire Lanes in Farmington. Sign-up will take place at 5 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 18, at Drakeshire.

CLASSES

LONGACRE CLASSES
The Longacre House of

Exceeds



Program: Garlin D. Gilchrist II, a junior at Farmington High School, successfully completed University of Michigan's College of Engineering Summer Engineering Academy Summer Apprenticeship Program, SAP. He also won special recognition for a research project assembled during the eight-week program. He worked with professors on research activities and classroom skills in creative thinking, computer, communications, library and math. He was assigned to the Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering Department in the Ocean Engineering Lab. Garlin also constructed a new World Wide Web site for the OEL. Garlin, a top student (3.96 grade-point average) and athlete at FHS and the son of Garlin and Yvonne Gilchrist of Farmington, also received recognition for "Best Overall Academic Achievement in Mathematics and Technical Communications" for his research project.

Farmington Hills will offer the following classes during the fall season: tap, ballet, jazz, voice, business, ballroom dance, pottery, infant massage, makeup, flattering clothes, how to find employment, baton, parenting, humor, drawing for children, playtime with baby and aromatherapy. For dates, times and registration information, call 477-8404.

BUILDERS' CLASSES
Farmington Community Education offers classes in home building, remodeling

and licensing. For dates, cost and registration information, call 469-3333.

ADULT CPR
Day and evening CPR classes are available through Community EMS. The cost is \$20. Call 356-3900.

CLUBS

LIONS
The Farmington Area Lions meets at 7 p.m. the first and third Tuesday of the month at Botsford Inn. Dinner will mark the new year. New members welcome. Call 476-6257 or 471-4361.

TOASTMASTERS
The Toastmasters/Toastmasters Club meet from 6:30-8:30 p.m. every Thursday at Ponderosa Restaurant in Farmington Hills.

NEIGHBORS LUNCH
The Farmington Neighbors will meet for lunch at noon Wednesday, Oct. 21, at Glen Oaks Country Club. All reservations must be in by Friday, Oct. 16. Call Peggy Stokes at 553-3653.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY
The Farmington Historical Society will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 28, at the downtown library in Farmington. Spenser Ruth Ann Melikan will talk about the Ford estate and its history.

GENEALOGY
The Farmington Genealogy Society will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 20, in the lower level of the Farmington Community Library. Assistant Reference Archivist Karen Jania will introduce researchers to resources which can be found at the Bentley Historical Library at the University of Michigan.

AARP
The Farmington Chapter of the AARP will meet at 1 p.m. Friday, Oct. 16, in the Westford Room of the Costick Activities Center. Bev Lampert, an educator with the Maple Grove Center will speak on "Senior Citizens and Substance Abuse."

N. FARM. WOMEN
Eat lunch at the Traffic Jam and go to the DIA for the "Angels of the Vatican" exhibit starting at 11:30 a.m. today, Oct. 15. The DIA tour will begin at 1:30 p.m. The cost is \$9. Call Jackie Griet at 474-2561.

SEWING GROUP
The Mary Stoll Volunteer Sewing Group fall sessions meet 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. every Thursday at the Lon-

gacre House in Farmington Hills. Home sewers, machine sewers or hand sewers welcome. Group members make clothing for needy children distributed through the Goodfellows and the Women's Survival Center. Call Jo Markovich at 626-8776.

BNI
Business Network International, Northwest Farmington Hills Chapter will meet at 7 a.m. Friday, Oct. 16, at Jax Restaurant, at Drake and Grand River. Call the regional office at (734) 397-9939.

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 557-8277.

SENEX
Senex, a program for older adults, provides home-bound 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 eligible senior citizens once a month. Call Gail at 473-1826.

COMMON GROUND
Common Ground, Oakland County's 24-hour crisis center, needs volunteers to provide telephone crisis intervention counseling. Call Liz Christopher at 456-8128.

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, 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

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 or anyone you know is a pregnant teen, contact Sharon Longuehue 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.

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.

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 in Novi. Call Vicki at 960-1288.

CHEMICAL DEPENDENCE
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 Schaefer at 477-6767.

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

PRESCHOOL

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

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 553-7170.

UNITED MOMS & TOTS
Orchard United Methodist Church of Farmington Hills has a Mom & Tot play group that meets year-round 10 a.m. to noon every Tuesday. Meeting places may vary. Call Amy at 476-4294.

CALENDAR FORM

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.:

