

CALENDAR

YOUR GUIDE TO EVENTS IN AND AROUND FARMINGTON AND FARMINGTON HILLS

FAMILY FUN

MEMORIAL PARADE
The Farmington Memorial Day Parade will begin at 10 a.m. Monday, May 28 in downtown Farmington.

SPAGHETTI DINNER

The whole family can enjoy a spaghetti dinner from 6:30-7 p.m. Saturday, June 2, at the American Legion Post 346, 31775 Grand River. The cost is \$5 per adult and \$2 for children 10 and under.

SUMMER MUSIC

The Downtown Development Authority open its annual Celebrate the Sounds concert series at 7:30 p.m. Friday, June 2, under the gazebo in the Village Commons on Grand River. The Red Carter Band will perform Dixieland tunes.

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FARMER'S MARKET
Farmer's Market continues its selling season at 9 a.m. every Saturday, through mid-October in the Village Commons in downtown Farmington. Call 473-7276.

MUSICALS

The Farmington Musicale presents *Childhood Fables for Grown Ups* at 11 a.m. Wednesday, June 6 at the Longacre House in Farmington Hills.

WOMEN'S ART

Our Visions: Women in Art, National Women's Art Exhibition will be on display from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday at Oakland Community College Orchard Ridge Campus in Farmington Hills, now through June 1 in the Smith Theatre. 522-3642.

MERCY ART

Mercy High School will hold its annual Spring Art Exhibit noon-5 p.m. Sunday, May 20; and 3-7 p.m. Monday, May 21 in the school gym. 476-8020.

LIBRARY EXHIBIT

The downtown Farmington Library currently has the artwork of Lynda Mokris on display in the entry hallway throughout the month of May.

WARNER MANSION

The Governor Warner Mansion in downtown Farmington is now reopened to the public 1-5 p.m. every Wednesday and first Sunday of the month. Group visits by special arrangement. Adult admission is \$2 and children 12 and under are free when accompanied by an adult.

PERSONAL TRAINING

The Farmington YMCA offers personal trainers from 6:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. daily. For more information, call 553-4020.

ART EXHIBIT

Watercolor paintings by Marjorie Chellatrop, 2000 Artist in Residence, will be on display at Farmington and Farmington Hills City Halls through June 29.

CRAFTERS NEEDED

The Home for the Holidays Arts and Crafts Show sponsored by Farmington High School is seeking crafters for its 12th annual show on Saturday, Nov. 3 from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. For more information, call Susan Nichols at 476-9674.

KID STUFF

YO-YO MAN

Zemo the Yo-Yo Man will kick off Downtown Farmington's Summer Fun Series at 10:30 a.m. and noon Wednesday, June 13 under the tent in Farmington's Downtown Shopping Center. These shows are free to everyone.

SUMMER CAMPS

Farmington YMCA summer camps begin June 11 and run through Aug. 17. To register call 553-4020.

SPORTS CLINICS

The Farmington YMCA offers youth basketball, tee-ball, soccer and lacrosse clinics. For more information call 553-4020, Ext. 122.

LEARNING ACTIVITIES

The Farmington Friends of the Library sponsor a learning activity center, which includes reading readiness activities and crafts for children ages 2-3 and 3-5. For dates and times, call the main library at 553-0300.

CHILDREN'S STORY TIME

Dee and Becky (and sometimes Kathy) read classics and new favorites at 10 a.m. every Wednesday at Borders.

SALES

STAMP SHOW

The Oakland County Stamp Club will hold a postage stamp show from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, June 9 and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, June 10 at the Finnish Cultural Center in Farmington Hills. Call 851-1357.

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HEALTHY LIVING

The Farmington YMCA will host Senior Healthy Living Day from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Wednesday, May 23. The Y is located at 28100 Farmington Road just north of 12 Mile Road.

HEALTH FAIR

Botsford Hospital will host a Senior Health Fair from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday, May 25 in the Community Room - Ziegler Administration and Education Building. There will be foot screening, blood pressure screening, bone density screening, cholesterol testing and more. For some tests there will be a nominal fee. There will also be prizes and drawings.

FINNISH LUNCHEON

The Finnish Center of Farmington Hills has a monthly luncheon the third Wednesday of the month through June. The cost is \$5 and includes a salad item, meat, potatoes, vegetable and dessert. Call 437-0350.

BOOK TALK

Join friends and neighbors for an informal book discussion 1 p.m. the first Thursday of each month at the Costick Center, 11 Mile and Middlebelt. Paperback copies will be available for advance checkout. Fee is 50 cents for residents; \$1 for others per session.

QUILTERS

The Sunshine Quilters meets at 10 a.m. every Friday at the Costick Activities Center. Everyone welcome.

BALLROOM DANCING

Dance to live big-band sounds from the '40s and '50s at 11 a.m. Fridays at the Costick Center, 11 Mile and Middlebelt. Call 473-1830.

LINE DANCING

Learn how to line dance from 1:10-2:40 p.m. Mondays at the Costick Activities Center, 11 Mile and Middlebelt in Farmington Hills.

Classic shine



Cruisin': The first Monday in May means classic cars in downtown Farmington. Cars and fans turned out to see and be seen. Curtis McGuire polishes chrome on his dad's 1963 Studebaker Lark convertible. Cars are parked in the lot behind Page's and The Pasta Stop, just off Farmington Road and State.

Call 473-1830.

SENIOR SUPPORT

The Farmington Hills Senior Division offers a variety of support groups for senior citizens such as diabetes and stroke. For times and dates, call 473-1830.

CLASSES

WOMEN'S LIBIDOS

Dr. Judith Brysk, OBGYN, will discuss low sex drive in women, its cause and treatment, at 7 p.m. Monday, May 21 at Providence Medical Building, 30055 Northwestern Highway in Farmington Hills. To register for this free seminar call 855-4270.

WANGO TANGO

The Farmington Family YMCA's tango dance class is offered 7:30-9 p.m. Fridays at the Y on Farmington Road north of 12 Mile. Fee is \$10. Partner not necessary. Call (248) 553-1934.

SCUBA DIVING

The Farmington Family YMCA teaches self-contained underwater breathing apparatus diving 1-4 p.m. Saturdays. Call (248) 553-1933.

TEEN TALK

Parents can talk about problems and get answers in a STEP (Systematic Training for Effective Parenting) teen discussion group. Sessions run from 7:30-8:30 p.m. every Wednesday at Grace Chapel in Farmington Hills and childcare is available. For registration information, call 488-0150.

LONGACRE CLASSES

The Longacre House in Farmington Hills is taking registration for exercise, dance, fiction writing, art, psychic reading, piano, martial arts and kickboxing classes. Call 477-8404.

BOTSFORD CLASSES

Botsford Health Care Continuum offers a variety of health-related classes, including carpal tunnel syndrome, basic first aid,

meditation and stress management. Call 477-6100 or 473-8020.

BUILDERS' CLASSES

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

SINGLES

SINGLE MINGLES

Single Mingle dances are held selected Fridays throughout the month. For dates and locations, call the Metropolitan Single Professionals at 851-9909.

CO-ED GOLF

An informational and sign-up meeting for FSP co-ed golf leagues will be held at 7:30 p.m. Monday May 21 at Cowley's Old Village Inn in downtown Farmington.

CO-ED SOFTBALL

An informational and sign-up meeting for FSP co-ed softball leagues will be held at 7:30 p.m. Monday May

21 at Cowley's Old Village Inn in downtown Farmington.

CARDS & DINNER

Join the Farmington Single Professionals for euchre, pinocle and dinner from 6:30-9:30 p.m. every Monday at Cowley's Old Village Inn in downtown Farmington.

VOLLEYBALL

Play drop-in volleyball from 6:45-9:45 p.m. every Tuesday in the gym and field house of the Bloomfield Hills Middle School. The cost is \$5 for members and \$6 for non-members. Call 851-9909.

BOOK TALK

Borders Books in Farmington Hills hosts a book discussion group 7:30-8:30 p.m. the second Wednesday of each month. Call 851-9909.

AFTER WORK PARTIES

Metropolitan Single Professionals host "Fun and Fine Dining" 5:30-7:30 p.m. every Thursday at restaurants throughout the Detroit area. For updates on locations, call 851-9909.

SINGLES WALK

Singles from First Presbyterian Church in Northville walk through Heritage Park in Farmington Hills at 10 a.m. every Saturday.

MOMS&TOTS

ANTIOCH PRESCHOOL
Antioch Lutheran Church in Farmington Hills will open its new Christian preschool in September. Classes will run 9-11:30 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday for 4-year olds and 9-11:30 a.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. For more information and to register call 626-7906.

HOPE MOMS & TOTS

Moms and Tots meets 10-11:30 a.m. Mondays at Hope Lutheran Church in Farmington Hills. This program provides time for 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-and-tot play group that meets 10-11:30 a.m. every Friday. Call Amy, 476-4294.

VOLUNTEERS

LONGACRE HOUSE

The Longacre House of Farmington Hills is seeking to lose and control their weight. TOPS meets 7:30-8:30 p.m. Tuesdays and 9:15-10:30 a.m. Wednesdays at Nardin Park Church in Farmington Hills.

ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION

The Alzheimer's Association seeks 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 homebound people with extra care and a variety of activities. Call 473-1830.

MEAL DRIVERS

Substitute drivers are needed to fill in periodically, one day per week, Monday-Friday, one to two hours per day. Call Diane at 473-1825.

NUTRITION VOLUNTEERS

Kitchen volunteers are needed 8:30-11 a.m. Tuesday and

Thursday. Call 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 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 to nearby treatment centers, call Ivory Underwood at 443-5800.

SUPPORT GROUPS

GRANULOMATOSIS

A local Wegener's Granulomatosis support group meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Wednesday, May 16 at Botsford Hospital in Farmington Hills, room 2 East A, directly above the emergency room. Call 449-4936.

DIABETES SUPPORT

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

PROSTATE CANCER

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

PARENTING

Pathways to Parenting, sponsored by Botsford Hospital, is a monthly support group that meets 12:30-2 p.m. the first Monday of each month at Holy Cross Episcopal Church in Novi. New mothers 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) 792-2877.

TOPS

Top Off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS) is a support group dedicated to providing information to those seeking to lose and control their weight. TOPS meets 7:30-8:30 p.m. Tuesdays and 9:15-10:30 a.m. Wednesdays at Nardin Park Church in Farmington Hills.

OVEREATERS

Learn how to take steps to permanently change your relationship with food 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.

OBSESSIVE-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 is available from Eastern Michigan University graduate counseling students in partnership with Farmington schools. Appointments are available 5:30-7:30 p.m. each Wednesday. Call 489-3447 for an appointment.

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 Thursday for the following Sunday's paper.

Event:

Date and Time:

Location:

Telephone:

Additional Info.:

