

Jump in a tub of hot cocoa? Why not!

Chocolate is a favorite gift at Valentine's Day...and every day of the year. Why not treat your loved one or yourself to a solid chocolate day this Feb. 14?

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Or you can melt your stresses away with the Chocolate Bath. Hydrotherapy Bath, which combines mud cocoa and hydrotherapy for a therapeutic, chocolate experience. Again, no calories.

For information on spa costs, please call (248) 855-0474.

FARMINGTON CLUB CIRCUIT

ARTISTS

The Farmington Artists Club will meet 7-9:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 13, at the Costick Activities Center in Farmington Hills. The program will feature a critique of members work by artist Robert Schefman.

NEIGHBORS

The Newcomers and Neighbors Club will meet at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 13, at the downtown Farmington Library. The guest speaker will be Karen Piccinato, the "Flower Lady."

NORTH GARDEN

North Farmington Garden Club will meet at noon Wednesday, Feb. 13, at the Farmington Hills Library. The topic of discussion will be bulb planting and care.

MUSICALS

The Farmington Musicals will perform *Kiss the Blarney Stone* at 12:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 6, at Hammell Music Auditorium in Livonia.

STRONGER WOMEN

Faith Covenant Church in Farmington Hills

hosts *Stronger Women*, 9:30-11:30 a.m. Thursdays, through March 21. The program includes exercise, crafts, food, fun and fellowship. The Church is at 36415 West 14 Mile Road. Call (248) 681-9191.

CAREER WOMEN

The National Association of Career Women — West Suburban Chapter will meet for lunch at 11:45 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 12 at Ernesto's in Plymouth. The featured speaker will be Adam Taub from Lyngkrip & Taub Consumer Law Group. RSVP to Brenda Durling, (734) 462-4670.

EXCHANGE CLUB

The Farmington Exchange Club will meet at noon Wednesday, Feb. 13, at the Brass Pointe Restaurant in Farmington Hills.

GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

The Farmington Genealogical Society will meet 7 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 19, at the downtown Farmington Library. The topic will be *Strategies for tracing your German ancestors back to the old country*. Professional speaker, Jan Zaleski, will lead the discussion.

Garden club presents show

The Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan in conjunction with the Michigan Home and Garden Show, presents its 10th annual Standard Flower Show, *You Gotta Have Art*, Thursday, Feb. 21 through Sunday, Feb. 24 at the Pontiac Silverdome. Hours are: 9-9:30 p.m. Thursday; noon-10 p.m. Friday; 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday; and 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Sunday.

Mercy High hosts auction

Mercy High School will hold its 23rd annual auction on Saturday, Feb. 23. Hundreds of items such as weekend getaways, sports tickets, fine jewelry, restaurant certificates, gift baskets, electronics, golf, and radio and TV studio tours will be up for bid.

Steve Garagiola of WDIV will emcee the evening while Joseph DuMouchelle of DuMouchelle Fine Estate Jewelers will serve as auctioneer to present items including a hot air balloon ride, 2002 Harley Davidson motorcycle,

University of Detroit Mercy tuition, diamond necklace, Red Wings samurai ride, autographed jerseys, and game tickets, condos in Massachusetts, Harbor Springs, and Florida, and a train trip to Toronto to see *The Lion King*.

All proceeds raised from the Mercy Auction will benefit tuition assistance and technology advancement.

For auction reservations, donations, or other information, please contact Julie Earle at (248) 476-8020 Ext. 253.

SINGLES CALENDAR

If you would like to submit an item for the Singles Mingle calendar fax it to our Farmington office (248) 477-9722 or Livonia office (734) 591-7279 or write: Singles Mingle, Farmington Observer, 33411 Grand River, Farmington, MI 48335. The deadline an announcement to appear in the Thursday edition is noon Friday.

SINGLES

SINGLE MINGLES
Single Mingle dances are held selected Fridays throughout the month. For dates and locations, call the Metropolitan Single Professionals at (248) 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 (248) 851-9909.

CARDS & DINNER

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

AFTER WORK PARTIES

Metropolitan Single Professionals host "Fun and Fine Dining" 6:30-7:30 p.m. every Thursday at restaurants throughout the Detroit area.

To find out locations, call (248) 851-9909.

SINGLES WALK

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

SINGLETONS DINNER

The Dearborn-Livonia Singletons will host a dinner with social hour beginning at 1:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, at Lakes of Taylor restaurant, 25505 Northline Road, in Taylor. Call (813) 653-8362.

QUICK DATE

Come and meet eight people for eight minutes at 7 p.m. tonight, Feb. 7, at the Wyndham Garden Hotel in Novi. Call (877) 784-2532 to register.

DIVORCE SUPPORT

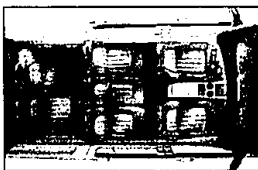
The Women's Resource Center at Schoolcraft College sponsors a Divorce Support Group from 7-9 p.m. at the McDowell Center (room 225). Call (734) 462-4443. Group meets the second (discussion) and fourth (speaker) Tuesday of the month. Upcoming schedule includes:

■ Group discussion, Feb. 12, Feb. 26, March 12, 26; April 9, April 23.
■ New group for those divorced over 1 year. Meets from 7:30-9 p.m. across the hall from WRC, Feb. 14, March 14, and April 11.



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