

Mercy alumna Mallon inducted to Michigan Golf Hall of Fame

Mercy High School Alumna and top-ranked LPGA player Meg Mallon will spend Monday, July 29, at Walnut Country Club in South Lyon hosting Mercy's annual golf outing fund-raiser.

This year's fund-raiser is especially meaningful as Meg Mallon will be formally inducted into the Michigan Golf Hall of Fame. The induction ceremony took place on May 19 at Indianwood Golf & Country Club, however Mallon was unable to attend in person. Sara Wold, secretary of the Michigan Golf Foundation will be on hand to bestow the honor

upon Mallon. Dick Light, chairman of the Michigan Hall of Fame Committee, said "With hundreds of golf courses and thousands of golfers in the State of Michigan, the Hall of Fame should stand as a symbol of excellence for golf."

Mallon is certainly deserving of induction to the Michigan Hall of Fame. A 16-year veteran of the LPGA Tour, Mallon has posted 13 career wins including three major championships. During the LPGA's 50th Anniversary in 2001, she was recognized as one of the LPGA's top 50 players and teachers. Twenty-one years Mallon hit

her first drive on the Mercy home golf course with the first Mercy golf team. Today, she continues to dedicate her time to Mercy by hosting the 12th annual Mercy High School Meg Mallon Golf Outing which includes 18 holes of golf, lunch, cocktails, dinner and plenty of prizes and fun. Participants will also take a shot at a hole-in-one to win a one-carat diamond from Orin Jewelers, a Rolex watch from Karagiosian & Sons Jewelers, a Mustang convertible lease from Hines Park Ford, or a 2002 Mercury Mountaineer lease from Varsity Lincoln/Mercury

among other prizes. All proceeds from the outing benefit Mercy High School and

support education for young women. For golf outing reservations, hole sponsorships, or

other information, please contact Nadine Maynard at (248) 476-8922.

Jaycees' golf outing planned

The Farmington Area Jaycees' Golf Outing Benefit is fast approaching. It will be held on Saturday, August 10 at the Fox Creek Golf Course in Livonia.

The four-person scramble format golf competition will start at 11 a.m. with registration beginning at 10:15 a.m. Fox Creek Golf Course is located on 36000 Seven Mile Road between Farmington and Newburgh Roads in Livonia. The golf registration fee is \$380 per foursome. Response and money is due by Monday, July 22.

The package includes 18 holes of golf, cart, lunch at the turn, two complimentary beverages tickets, dinner, and goody bag. There will also be a \$10,000 Hole in One, Longest Drive,

Closest to the Pin, door prizes, and a silent auction. Prizes include a massage, oil change, a box of golf balls, wine, dinner at a local restaurant, golf shirt, camping rental package, and much more. The outing is limited to 25 foursomes.

Individuals, businesses and organizations are invited to support the golf outing by becoming a sponsor ranging from a tee sponsor for \$100 and up to a dinner sponsor for \$500. Contributions for prizes and silent auction are also welcome.

To register for the golf outing, become a sponsor, or for more information, contact Betty Ference or Holly Hintz, by mail: Farmington Area Jaycees Golf Committee, P.O. Box 33, Farmington, MI 48332 by hot-

line: (248) 477-JCCS, or by email: golf@fajc.org or visit the chapter's website at www.fajc.org

RELIGION CALENDAR

If you want to submit an item for the religion calendar, fax it to (248) 477-9722 or write: Religion Calendar, Farmington Observer, 33411 Grand River, Farmington, MI 48335. The deadline for an announcement to appear in the Thursday edition is noon Monday.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Macedonian Ethnic Festival
"St. George of Kralovo" Macedonian Orthodox Church will hold its first annual Macedonian Ethnic Festival noon-9 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 3 and 4. There will be food, music, dancing and more. The church is located at 2941 12 Mile in Farmington Hills.

Healing Workshop

Wardin Park United Methodist Church will hold a free workshop to help people heal their unresolved grief 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 10. Dr. Jack Miller, host of the workshop, is a former Catholic priest who founded The Center for Education on Death and Dying, Inc. and Cook County Hospital's Palliative Care Program. For more information call (248) 476-8860.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

St. John Day Camp
St. John Lutheran Church of Farmington will offer an off-site Church Daycamp 9 a.m.-3 p.m. July 29-Aug. 2 at St. Gerald Church, 21300 Farmington Road. Children who have completed kindergarten through 5th grade will enjoy singing, games, arts & crafts, Bible stories and snacks. Registration is \$30 per child, \$55 maximum per family. Bag lunch required. Call (248) 474-0584.

First Presbyterian Church
First Presbyterian Church of Farmington will hold Vacation Church School 9:30 a.m.-noon, Aug. 12-16 for children kindergarten-sixth grade. There will be music, Bible stories, crafts, games and snack time. To register call (248) 474-6170.

Church of God Bible School
Farmington Hills Church of God will offer Vacation Bible School 9:30 a.m.-noon, July 29-Aug. 2. Kids ages kindergarten through fifth grade will go on a "Bug Safari." For registration information call (248) 477-9144.

North Congregational Church
God's Great Gallery is the theme for

Vacation Bible School at North Congregational Church 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Aug. 5-9. Students ages 4 through grade six will explore God's wonderful works in the world through crafts, Bible stories, songs, games and more. To register call (248) 848-1750. The church is located at 36520 W. 12 Mile in Farmington Hills.

North Farmington Community
North Farmington Community Church will host evening vacation Bible School 6:30-8:30 p.m. Aug. 12-16. The theme will be Sea Country River Adventure. The church is located at 32500 W. 13 Mile Rd. in Farmington Hills. A Children's Service will be held at 10 a.m. Sunday, Aug. 18. Call (248) 626-6900 to register.

CHURCH SERVICES

Antioch Lutheran Church
Summer Sunday service 9:30 a.m. through Labor Day weekend. Contemporary Praise service 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays through Aug. 28, preceded by 6:30 p.m. Bible study. The church is at 33360 W. 13 Mile Road, corner of Farmington Road, (248) 626-7906. St. John Lutheran Church Construction of St. John's new worship and fellowship center at 23225 Gill Road has begun. Summer Sunday services will be offered 8:30 a.m. and 10 a.m. through Sept. 1. The early service features traditional liturgy, communion and hymns. The late service alternates weekly between traditional and contemporary praise worship. The next contemporary service is July 28. Call (248) 474-0584.

ONGOING

Marriage Encounter
Weekend experience for married couples to improve their communication skills and renew their love. Friday-Sunday, June 28-30 and Sept. 20-22 at St. John's Family Life Center, 4401 Five Mile Road, Plymouth. Registration \$50. Call Bill & Carol, (248) 528-2512 or Dan & Debbie (810) 286-5524 or visit www.re4me1/detroit/wwwme

PRESCHOOL

Antioch Lutheran Church
Offers Christian based preschool for children age 3 and 4. Now accepting registration. Credentialed staff, small class size, at the church on the corner of 13 Mile Road at Farmington Road in Farmington Hills. (248) 626-7906.

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