

JCC seeks authors for Book Fair

The Jewish Community Center of Metropolitan Detroit is seeking local authors to participate in the 51st Annual Jewish Book Fair. The Book Fair will be held Nov. 6-17 at both JCC locations, the West Bloomfield campus and the Oak Park campus.

Local authors who are Jewish or have written a book of Jewish content are invited to participate in the Book Fair's

seventh local author fair, 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 10. Books must be published between November 2001 and November 2002. Deadline for submissions is Friday, Aug. 30. The local author fair will feature 20 local authors. Book Fair patrons will have the opportunity to meet the authors and purchase autographed copies of their books.

Detroit's Annual Jewish Book Fair is the largest and oldest in

the country. Thousands of Jewish books will be available for purchase throughout the 10-day event, which will feature more than 30 speakers. The Book Fair is open to the entire community. Entertainment for children, families and adults will be featured throughout the event.

Local authors interested in participating in the book fair should contact Elaine Schonberger at (248) 432-5577.



Patricia A. Schmidt, DO, FACOI

Schmidt joins VNA Hospice

VNA Hospice recently announced that Patricia A. Schmidt, DO, FACOI, joined its medical team as a physician educator. Schmidt will provide part-time assistance, focusing her attention on educating the physician community in End-of-Life Health Care and the services of VNA Hospice. She will also offer her expertise to enhance and support Visiting Nurse Association of Southeast Michigan nursing staff with clinical assessment skills. A Farmington Hills resi-

dent and graduate of Michigan State University's College of Osteopathic Medicine, she continues to be actively involved in internal medicine education. Most recently, she served as co-medical director and clinical instructor for internal medicine and ambulatory training at Garden City Hospital.

Her professional affiliations include memberships to the Michigan Osteopathic Association and the American Osteopathic Association.

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EVENTS

Single Point Ministries
Single Point Ministries of Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church, invites you to join over 500 single adults every Sunday at 11:30 a.m. in Knob Hall, for fellowship and encouragement. The Rev. Paul Clough delivers messages to help equip you to maximize your singleness and relationship with God. Coffee, donuts, conversation and Christ are always present. SPM has a program and activity for every age group and life situation. Give us a try. For more information or to have a newsletter sent, call the SPM office at (248) 374-5920.

Walking Club
Single Point Ministries of Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church offers a walking club. We meet in the hospitality area in the Grand Mall on Tuesdays and Wednesdays at 6 p.m. and walk outside rain or shine. Open to all fitness levels.

Coffeehouse Chats
Lighthouse Cafe will be held on 7-10 p.m. Friday, July 26, in Knox Hall. Come and join us for a night of relaxation playing a game or two, listening to some great entertainment, and enjoying the best coffee and specialty coffees around. Cost is \$5. For more info call (248) 374-5920.

Metropolitan Single Professionals Dining Parties
Our goal is to provide our members and friends with a sampling of some of the best and most interesting dining places in the metro Detroit area. Join us Thursday, Aug. 1, at 7:30 p.m. at the Whitely (Garden Party) at 442 Woodward Ave. in Detroit. Call (313) 832-5700 for further information.

Single Mingle Dances
Come meet new friends, dance and socialize 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, Aug. 2, at the Sheraton Country Club in West Bloomfield on Walnut Lake Road between Orchard Lake and Drake. There will be a Top 40 D.J., cash bar, hors d'oeuvres and door prizes. Admission is \$10. Attire is dressy casual unless otherwise noted. Everyone is welcome.

Book Discussion Group
MSP's book discussion group meets on the second Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at Borders Books in Farmington Hills. Borders will offer a 20-percent discount on all titles chosen for discussion.

Volleyball in The Park
In need of summertime exercise? Join us for several casual games of volleyball. Nets will be designated Social, Intermediate and Competitive. Everyone is welcome to come and play or just socialize. We play at two locations. Every Tuesday at Heritage Park (Farmington Road between 10 and 11 Mile). Afterwards we socialize at Shots Tavern on Ten Mile just east of Orchard Lake or on Thursdays at Harding Park (just South of I-696, Exit 17). Afterwards we socialize at Warntons, 2140 Hilton, just south of Woodward Heights. The cost is \$2 and we play through September.

Golf Co-ed
Monday through Friday, we have nine social golf leagues so pick your best night, a course, and join us for a great season of golf. All levels of players are welcome. Call for locations at (248) 960-8294.

Softball Co-ed
Now forming six weeks of doubleheaders, starting Aug. 25. Softball practices and sign-up at 5 p.m. at Founders Sports Park, located in Farmington Hills on 8 Mile between Farmington Road and Halsted. No refunds will be given two weeks prior to the start of the league. You must be paid to be placed on a team. After practices we socialize at Dunleavy's Pub on Grand River and Drake at 7 p.m. You may also sign up at this time.

Got an idea for a story?

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