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Bowl-A-Thon
A bowl-a-thon and silent auction will be held to benefit the Leah Marie Bostin Memorial Award at 4 p.m. Saturday, May 17, at Drakeshire Lakes in Farmington Hills. Registration begins at 3 p.m. For more information call (248) 553-4776 or (734) 459-0070.

Spaghetti Dinner
The American Legion Post 3446 in Farmington will hold a spaghetti dinner 5-7 p.m. Saturday, May 17. The post is located at 3175 Grand River. The cost is \$5 for adults and \$2 for children 10 and under.

Car Wash
The Harrison Girls' Track and Field teams will hold a car wash 7:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday, May 10, at Super Car Wash in Farmington. Proceeds will benefit the girls track team. Super Car Wash is located at the corner of Grand River and Orchard Lake Road.

Art Supplies Needed
Mosak Church in Farmington Hills is sponsoring an Art Supply Drive. Donations of new or used art supplies such as clay, paint, paper, brushes, craft items and glue are encouraged. Supplies will be donated to the Detroit City Mission's After School Art Program.

Trunk Show
Pick up is available by calling Mary at (248) 471-0144. Donations will be taken through June.

Trunk Show
Baker Street Draperies/Doncaster Springs/Summer showing during the week of May 12 will be donated for the first time to the pediatric unit at Henry Ford Hospital in Detroit. The custom drapery is located at 33432 Oakland at Grand River.

Doncaster sizes range from regular 2-18 and petite 2P-16R. To make an appointment for the Doncaster trunk show, call (248) 471-1313.

Beachview Swim Club
Beachview Swim and Tennis Club located near 11 Mile and Middlebelt, is seeking new members. For more information call (248) 471-4377.

Quit Smoking
Oakland County Health Division's Health Education Unit is offering a

quit smoking class noon to 1 p.m. Tuesday, May 20, at Providence Medical Center, 30055 Northwestern, in Farmington Hills. Pre-registration is required. Call (248) 338-5399.

Bingo
The American Legion Post 3446 in Farmington hosts Bingo every Friday beginning at 6:30 p.m. Admission is \$1. Six cards for \$1. The hall is located at 3175 Grand River. Call (248) 474-9778.

Victorian Woman
Ann Peterson presents 'The Victorian Woman' at 2 p.m. Sunday, May 18, at the Warner Mansion in downtown Farmington. Topics will include Victorian clothing, culture, social events and family life. The cost is \$5. For reservations, call (248) 473-7275.

Comedy Night
The New Hope Center for Girl Support presents Comedy Night: 'Laughing on the Outside' at 6 p.m. Friday, May 16, at the Farmington Hills Manor, 23666 Orchard Lake Road. Eric Wilson from the WDIV Local 4 weather team will be the emcee with a performance by comedian Bill Thomas. The evening will include appetizers, dinner, cash bar and a live auction. Proceeds will benefit Girl Support. Tickets are \$50. Call (248) 348-0115.

National Speakers
National Speakers Association, Michigan Chapter, will meet 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, May 10, at the Holiday Inn North, 3600 Plymouth Road, in Ann Arbor. To register, call Amy at (800) 990-7726. Open to the public.

Nunsense
The Farmington Players present 'Nunsense Through May 25 at the Farmington Players Barn. Call (248) 471-0802.

Junior Golf Tourney
The Farmington/Farmington Hills Optimist Club is now accepting registration for their annual Junior Golf Tournament to be held Friday, June 13, at Glen Oaks Golf Course in Farmington Hills. Boys and girls 11-18 will play separately according to age groups. The cost is \$35 and includes golf, lunch and awards ceremony. Golfers

limited to 144. For more information, call Scott Franklin at (248) 855-4949 or e-mail him at SFG22@aol.com.

Rotary Benefit
The Rotary Club in Farmington Hills and Rotary Clubs International will hold a fund-raiser concert at 7 p.m. Friday, May 9, at St. George Cathedral in Southfield. The show will feature Romanian folk music and world renowned violinist Mihai Cravoveanu. Proceeds will benefit children from Romanian orphanages.

Summer School
Farmington Public Schools Early Childhood Department is now accepting registration for the Summer School Enrichment Program for children ages 3-5. The program runs 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. June 16 through Aug. 15. For more information, call Sandra Millman at (248) 469-3373.

Sunday Brunch
Enjoy Sunday Brunch at the Finfish Center in Farmington Hills on Mother's Day, May 11. Call (248) 478-6999.

Stamp Collectors
Stamp collectors meet 2-4 p.m. the last Sunday of every month at the Finfish Center in Farmington Hills. Call (248) 478-6999.

SALES

Orchard Sale
Orchard United Methodist Church in Farmington Hills will hold a rummage sale 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday, May 9, and 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, May 10 (bag sale). The church is located at 30450 Farmington Road.

Hupe Sale
Orchard Lutheran Church in Farmington Hills is hosting a garage and silent auction 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, May 10, to raise funds for a medical mission to Zambia, South Africa, and a trip to a national youth gathering in Atlanta, Ga. Items for sale include: furniture, jewelry, sports equipment, children's clothing, baby items, baked goods, and collectibles. The church is located at 39200 W. 12 Mile, just east of Haggerty.

Flea/Flower Sale
Hill & Dale Garden Club will hold a flea

and flower sale 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, May 10, at the Heritage Park Visitor Center. Proceeds will benefit the club's community service projects.

Flower Sale
The Farmington Branch of the American Association of University Women will sponsor its fifth annual Flower Sale 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, May 10, on Grove Street in downtown Farmington. A variety of hanging flower baskets will be available for \$16 each. Proceeds will benefit the AAUW Scholarship Fund.

First United Methodist Church
First United Methodist Church in downtown Farmington will hold its annual spring rummage sale 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday, May 15, and 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday, May 16.

GOLF OUTINGS

YMCA Golf Classic
The Farmington YMCA will hold its annual golf classic Monday, June 9, at Walnut Creek Country Club. Lunch begins at 11 a.m. with shotgun start at 12:30 p.m. Call (248) 553-1934.

Chamber Golf Classic
The Farmington/Farmington Hills Chamber Golf Classic will be held Wednesday, June 18, at the Links of Novi. Shotgun start at 9 a.m. Call (248) 474-3440 for additional information on the event.

Angela Hospice Golf Outing
Angela Hospice will hold its 15th annual golf outing Monday, May 12, at Walnut Creek Country Club in South Lyon. For more information on the benefit, call (734) 953-6018.

CLUBS

North Women
Women of North Farmington will hold their spring luncheon and craft show at 11 a.m. Friday, May 16, at Twin Beach Country Club in West Bloomfield.

North Farm Garden
North Farmington Garden Club will meet on noon Tuesday, May 13, at the Aldo Vagnozzi Visitors Center in Heritage Park. Jan Everson will give a presentation on Hostas and

Companion Plants during the club meeting. Hill & Dale Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday, June 12, at the Heritage Park Visitor's Center for their June Reception and installation of officers.

Embroiderers
The Farmington Hills Embroiderers Guild will meet at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, May 14, at Faith Covenant Church in Farmington Hills. Call (248) 348-1923.

Exchange Club
The Exchange Club will meet on noon Tuesday, May 14, at the Press Pointe Restaurant in Farmington Hills.

SENIORS

Park Walk
Join City Naturalist Joe Derek for a walk in Heritage Park 10 a.m. to noon Monday, May 12. For more information, call the Senior Adult Division at (248) 473-1930.

Food Fiesta
Enjoy a Mother's Day Celebration on Monday, May 12. For details and time, call (248) 473-1930.

Nutrition Education
Join nutrition experts from the Oakland County Health Division at 12:30 p.m. Thursday, May 15, at the Cooklick Center in Farmington Hills. Topics will cover weight control and diabetes. Call (248) 473-1800 for more information.

Litrary Tours
The renovation of the Farmington Community Library is complete. Learn about the new services, programs and how to find your way around the new facility at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, May 15. Senior Lunch

The Finfish Center in Farmington Hills offers lunch for seniors at a minimal cost beginning at noon the third Wednesday of the month. To make your reservation, call Eleanor at (248) 437-0350.

CLASSES

Fighter Pilot
Retired pilot and educator

Milton Riggs will give a presentation about his experiences flying fighter jets during the Korean War at 7 p.m. Monday, May 12, at the downtown Farmington Library.

Home Building
Farmington Community Education and the Oakland Builders Institute will offer a 16-hour seminar on passing the builder's license examination 6-10 p.m. Monday/Wednesday, May 20/29, at the Community School 30415 Shawwassee. To pre-register or for additional information, call (248) 489-3333.

Investment Seminars
The Farmington Community Library offers investment seminars on various topics including: Wills, Trusts and Probate Avoidance, Retirement Plans and New Asset Allocation. For dates and times, call (248) 474-7770.

VOLUNTEER

Pet Therapy Volunteers
Doctor Paws Pet Assisted Therapy is a non-profit organization based in Farmington Hills, in cooperation with therapy dogs incorporated into tests and prepares your dog and you to visit hospitals, nursing homes, children centers, etc. on a volunteer basis.

If you have a dog that gets along well with other dogs and people and would like to volunteer one hour or more a month visiting patients, please contact Dr. Paws at (248) 889-7488 and get involved. You can visit the Web site at www.drpaws.org.

SUPPORT

Dyslexia
The Michigan Dyslexia Institute in Farmington Hills will hold its monthly Dyslexia support group meeting 7-9 p.m. Wednesday, May 21, at the Institute, 30230 Orchard Lake, (248) 737-0044.

HONORING OUR MILITARY EVERYWHERE
On Sunday, May 28th, The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers will be running a Special Veterans Memorial Day Page to remember those brave men and women who gave their lives in the service of their country. For \$2 per line you can place a special remembrance message for the veteran that you would like to be remembered on this page. You can include a picture along with your message for an additional \$10. Just call, fax or e-mail your message by Monday, May 19th, to 1-800-579-7355

IVF Michigan Recognized Leaders in the Treatment of Infertility Presents a FREE Parent Seminar Experiencing Infertility? Learn more about your options from the experts right here at home. Our success rates and new offices in Farmington Hills make it even easier to realize your dream of parenthood. Attend our free seminar to explore the many treatment options available. DATE: Tuesday, May 20 TIME: 7:00-8:30pm PLACE: Troy Marriott 200 W. Big Beaver Road Speaker: Mostafa I. Abuzaid, M.D., FACOG, FRCOG IVF Michigan PC Recognized Leaders in the Treatment of Infertility www.MidwestIVF.com

Commemorate The Occasion First Communion Dolls Madame Alexander Michigan's Largest Selection \$74.95 Call & Reserve Yours Today! 3947 W 12 Mile (at the base of Orchard), Berkley, 248-543-9115 Monday - Thursday & Saturday 10a-5:30pm Friday 11-8pm The Redford Theatre Celebrates It's 75 Anniversary with the return of Ron Roselgh "A Century of Music" Saturday, May 10th at 8:00 p.m. Tickets \$10.00 available at the Box Office Playing Exclusively at the Redford Theatre 17360 Lahser Road at Grand River 313-537-1133

Join the Detroit Tigers and Henry Ford Health System for Women on Wednesdays Sponsored by Fox 7 and The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers Women and Wednesday is a monthly pro-gymnasium party celebrating the achievements of women in sports. Admission is three tickets a ticket to the game. Wednesday, May 14 meet Congressman Herbert, Operating Manager for AAU 1270 The Sports Station, home of the Detroit Tigers, Red Wings and Lions. Hosted by Fox 7's Denise Goodenough. 6:30 pm Reception in the Upper Deck Lounge at Comerica Park. 8:00 pm Program. 7:00 pm Tigers vs. Oakland Athletics Game. Must attend Detroit Tigers players, enjoy pre-game networking, complimentary hors d'oeuvres and beer prices. Tickets start at \$5. In-person tickets to the game plus call 248-25-71522, visit the Detroit Press Club Website or call us at 248-25-71522. To RSVP or for more information please call 313-471-2104. Group discounts are available.

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