

Custodians Here Ask Arbitration

FARMINGTON Farmington's school custodians plan to take to arbitration a contract violation charge growing out of a reduction in staff size.

The Board of Education, at its last meeting, denied a grievance filed by Local 1456, American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees (AFSCME), which represents the custodial workers.

Clayton Currell, Local 1456 president, accused the board of taking "unilateral action" in denying the grievance and said it tried to "show it down our throat without bargaining this thing out." The union, he said, is now in the process of filing for arbitration.

William Prisk, school business administrator, said the reductions were part of an across-the-board staff cut made necessary by budget limitations.

The percentage of staff reductions was equal, he said, in all categories—teachers, clerical workers.

The work load has been decreased by such devices as having classrooms cleaned every other day rather than every day, he added.

Carl Hinchey Finishes Class

FARMINGTON Navy Airman Apprentice Carl G. Hinchey, son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Hinchey of 28801 Millbrook, Farmington, has graduated from the Aviation Administration Course at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Naval Air Station, Memphis, Tenn.



SOROPTIMIST AWARD—The Farmington Soroptimist club is seeking nominations for its annual youth citizenship award. Discussing plans are (from left) Jean Pruner, award co-chairman; Frank Arcangel, Harrison senior; and Helen Moorhouse, award co-chairman. (Evert photo)

Agreement Made For Red Machus

FARMINGTON An agreement has been worked out to prevent overloading into the Kendallwood arm of sanitary sewer from the new Machus Restaurant development at the southwest corner of 12 Mile and Farmington Rds.

The Oakland County Department of Public Works has agreed to allow the development to tap in to the Kendallwood arm until the 10 Mile sanitary arm is completed.

In order to tap in, however, the developers must provide a sewage holding tank large enough to hold three days, or 30,000 gallons, of sewage flow from the restaurant and gas station to be built.

The tank will store sewage during periods that the Kendallwood arm is being

heavily used by the subdivision and then send the waste through the arm during periods of low use by the sub.

The developer, Max Sheldon, has also agreed to pay an arm rental fee of about \$150 per year, an operating charge of almost \$3,000 a year plus the normal sewage disposal charge.

The temporary connection into the Kendallwood arm will be discontinued as soon as the 10 Mile Arm is constructed, the county DPW has insisted.

Soroptimists Announce Citizenship Awards

FARMINGTON The Farmington Soroptimist Club is once again offering its youth citizenship awards program this year.

Participating in the program will be students from Farmington Senior High, North Farmington High, Harrison High, Our Lady of Mercy High and Novi High School.

F'ton Co-ed In 'Who's Who'

Suzanne Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Roberts of Brandywine, Farmington, is one of 37 students of Miami University's Oxford Campus to be included in the 1972 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges."

The listing is based on nominations submitted by the university's academic and student personnel deans, with cooperation from members of the faculty, staff and Student Senate.

Honor Dworkin Mr. and Mrs. Irving Dworkin of Stonewood Ct., Farmington, have been named members of the Anthony Wayne Society of Wayne State University.

THE AWARDS are given for merit, not scholarship. To be eligible, students must be graduating from high school during 1971-72 school year and not later than June 1972.

Applicants are judged on service in home, school and community; dependability; trustfulness; loyalty; leadership; and a clear sense of purpose.

The application must be turned in Jan. 1, 1972, to Mrs. D. Moorhouse, 21556 Tredwell, Farmington 48024.

AWARDS granted by the Farmington Soroptimists are \$150 for first place, \$100 for second and \$50 for third place.

The winner will compete for the regional award of \$1,000 with each regional winner competing for the national prize of \$1,500.

Applications are available at the individual high schools. Winners of last year's Farmington awards were: Barbara Page of North Farmington, \$150; Kathleen Christmas of Farmington-High, \$100; and Anthony Abowd of Our Lady of Sorrows, \$50.

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