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DON CARDWELL (center), director of the "Hair" segment of "New Faces of '71," explains to John McCall just how to catch Diane Jarvis as she falls back in a scene from "Hair." (Evert photo)



MAKEUP is an important part of any theatrical production. Cindy Leonard experiments with different effects on Corey Dietrich. (Evert photo)

'New Faces' Opens Friday At NFHS

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When the question is asked this summer in Farmington, "Parents, do you know where your kids are..." a great many can answer, "at the Farmington Community Center." A theatrical workshop under the direction of Mrs. Eileen Miller is in full swing. The results of many days of rehearsing will be the production "New Faces of '71" at North Farmington High School Aug. 27-28. Tickets for the production will be on sale at the Farmington Community Center and from all cast members. Donation is \$2.

YOUNG PEOPLE from junior high school through college age are busy in all phases of the production.

They are directors, actors, costume designers, and choreographers. There are singers, dancers, stage crews, make-up artists and lighting crews. They have been rehearsing for weeks.

"It's a great experience for me to meet and get to know new kids from all over Farmington," says Cheri Curtis. "We're helping each other learn. While we are doing this we are really helping Farmington through the Community Center. I like to feel that I can help Farmington. It's a great place," says Diane Jarvis.

Kay Clement, who is a choreographer for the show, bubbles with enthusiasm. She is impressed by the talent in Farmington and says she is

working with a great crew. "There is a lot of teamwork among the kids. It's lots of work but every moment is worth it," she says.

BRENDA SCAGLIONE explains: "Sometimes summer can be a drag. We're really the envy of the other kids. When they see what we're doing they wish they had signed up too." "We really could use more guys in this group," laments Gary Rogerson. He enjoys working in a theatrical group and feels there are too few opportunities in the Farmington area to do this. Gary would like to see more theatrical opportunities for the many interested young people in the Farmington area.

Teasing the girls, Howard Federspill says: "Boys are natural hams. Girls just can't act as well as we can." This statement was met with groans and rolled eyeballs from the female half of the crew. The girls are all determined to prove he is wrong.

Sue Greene, who plays Eliza in the "My Fair Lady" segment of the show, says she is interested in acting but has never really had much opportunity in the junior high school to experiment.

Other comments heard from the group were: "New faces and new people turn me on...It's cool to meet kids from all over...With all this talent in our area, I'm looking at Farmington different-

ly...It's scary thinking of really being on stage but I can hardly wait. It's fun."

DON CARDWELL, a college student attending Denver University is directing the "Hair" cast.

Don says: "We're doing what I call a Readers' Digest version of Hair, the way we see it. I have very talented kids working with me. They have put in long hours, but really seem to enjoy it. I'd like to see the Farmington Community Center do this again next summer, perhaps doing a serious drama."

The people of the Farmington area are invited to enjoy and support these young people in what promises to be a new, refreshing slant on a kaleidoscope of "South Pacific," "Hair," "My Fair Lady" and "George M."

Weeds Fade

One excellent reason for seeding bluegrass - fescue and bentgrass lawns in autumn is that last-weather weeds are on their last legs then, will not compete with the lawngress during the cooler months when the grass grows its best.

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shot by a police officer. Mrs. Kephart had called police for assistance because of a domestic quarrel and claims she told police over the phone that her husband was unarmed.

Widow Files Suit Against Township

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A lawsuit seeking \$500,000 in damages has been filed against Farmington Township and one of its police officers by the widow of a man fatally shot by a township patrolman.

The lawsuit was filed Aug. 20 by Mrs. Ruth Kephart of Independence, Farmington Township, and has been assigned to Oakland County Circuit Judge Farrell E. Roberts. A hearing date has not yet been set.

The suit claims township Cpl. Thomas Godwin used "unnecessary force" when he shot her husband, Eldon, 28, outside of her home on Aug. 30, 1970.

A charge of second degree murder against Godwin was dropped on Dec. 9 when visiting judge James McMann of Livonia District Court determined sufficient evidence was lacking to hold Godwin over for trial.

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Anyone interested in information about the VFW or who is interested in joining may contact Mrs. Joseph Gibbons. Meetings are held the second and fourth Friday of each month at 8:30 p.m. in the VFW Hall at 23414 Orchard Lake, Farmington Township.

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