



LINED UP and ready to dive off the board at Forest Park Swimming Pool during a show last Friday are these youngsters from Farmington Township.

They were part of nearly 25 youngsters who received special recognition for their beginning swimming proficiency.

## Swimmers Turn Farmington Pool into 'World of Charm'

Scores of young swimmers, colored spotlights and an enthusiastic audience turned Farmington Township's Forest Park swimming pool into an aquatic theater Friday for the fourth annual swim show.

With the theme, "It's a Charming World," youngsters from the age of three upward performed synchronized swimming acts and gave diving exhibitions.

Among those who took part in the two-hour-long performance were Cheryl Horrigan, Janet White, Susan Faine, Susan Au-chowski, Jennifer Holappa and Diana Jourdan, all of whom participated in the synchronized swimming act.

Ron Garner, Laurie Stark, Carol Wolfman, Sue Mason, Debbie Williams, Mark Huebler, Paul Basal, Tim Tiepe, Mike and Bob Bergson, Diane Weise, Jill Allen, Cary Edgar, Rich Freedman, Dave and Ricky Kral, Holly Pihl, and Linda Zuchowski. All received awards for beginning swimming proficiency.

Performing in a "Train" number, using black light, were

Linda Zuchowski, Robyn Allen, Linda Jourdan, Lynn Garner, Debbie Jourdan and Sue Hall. Linda Zuchowski and Lynn Garner performed "Sweet Sixteen" and Paula Jourdan swam to "Graduation." Julie Orman, Ann Redwig, Priscilla Timpe, Doug Freedman, Pat Nolan, Damian Czuchowski, Mark Tiepe, Dennis Wittenberg received pre-beginners' recognition. Cheryl Horrigan, Lynn Garner, John Barth and Jim Soltis performed "Moonlight Serenade" while Diana Jourdan, Jennifer Holappa and Linda Zuchowski did "Coins."

Junior-senior life saving awards went to Diana Jourdan, Pam Tiepe, Larry Burry, Frank Pihl, Jim Athlone, Greg Zuchowski, Mark Houmann, Jim Hounmann, Terry Spriggs, Jennifer Holappa, Ernie Schiager, Bill Burry and Ken Rickey.

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Adults assisting in the program were Grace Holappa, Murph Freeman, Steve White, Dick Crudele, Tom Nolan, Joe Zuchowski, Marlene Nolan, Doris Freeman and Bob Negoshian.

## Farmington Girl Scouts

by Amy Charren  
Hello, everyone. This is Amy Charren reporting and I hope everyone is ready for a busy year of Girl Scouting. I'm looking forward to our first meeting on Sept. 27 for Brownie Troop #201.

Let me have your news about your troops. Call me at 474-0713 or mail your items to me at 2610 Powers Road, Farmington. I need the news by Saturday to be in the following Wednesday's paper.

Sequel Girl Scout Troop #258 with its leaders Bridget Regan and Vicki Parke may well top all others for interesting summers.

They spent 21 dream-like days in Rome. Because they had such interesting and varied experiences I have asked Bridget to send us the highlights of their trip in her own words.

This should inspire all senior Girl Scout troops to start saving their money for an adventure such as theirs.

Here is an excerpt from Bridget's story (which will run next week). "While in Rome some of the group stayed for a shopping spree. Before long the group became separated. Bridget and Vicki, not sure of the location of their hotel, got on a public bus. A gentleman learning of their problem, tried his best to explain their destination, but they didn't. The kind gentleman got them off the bus. For 20 long blocks he led the way. Footsore and out of breath, they finally reached their hotel. A feeling of glowing International friendship was felt by the Scouts inside, outside they were exhausted.

In Venice, after a salty swim in the ocean, Vicki decided to shampoo her hair. When fully soaped she sat for two hours waiting for the water to come back or anything else to happen in Venice.

Don't forget, send me your Scout items and we'll all enjoy the busy world of Scouting.

Leaving U.S.

Carl A. Derosa, gunner's mate second class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Derosa, 29105 Broadview, Livonia, is a crewman of the Navy destroyer, USS James C. Owens which is scheduled to depart this month for a three month Mediterranean cruise in the Mediterranean. The ship, 315 ft. long, 31 ft. wide, will make brief visits to Mediterranean ports for recreation and maintenance.



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## City Managers To Pay Tribute To Early Leaders In Chicago

CHICAGO — City and county managers will be honored by their peers when they meet in Chicago Sept. 27 to 30, for the 50th Anniversary Conference of the International City Managers' Association (ICMA).

The conference will start Sept. 27 with a seminar on the past, present and future of the manager profession.

Heading the seminar will be a panel of ICMA Honorary members, including Arthur E. Blum, mayor of Toledo, Ohio; George E. Johnson, president of the University of Michigan; O. E. Carr, one of the founders and first secretary of ICMA; Richard S. Childs, chairman, Executive Committee, National

Municipal League, and the president of council-manager government.

Others are: Stuart A. MacCorkle, professor of government and director, Institute of Public Affairs, University of Texas; Clarence E. Ridley, former ICMA president; Joseph B. Sweeney, director, Pale Institute of Local and State Government, University of Pennsylvania; and Edwin O. Stene, professor of political science, University of Kansas.

More than 700 city and county managers from 46 states and four Canadian provinces are scheduled to attend the four-day conference. Total attendance is expected to exceed 1,400. More

than 40 university and public administration experts will appear on the program.

Almost 2,000 communities in the United States and Canada and 750 communities in 10 countries have adopted the council-manager plan of local government since its inception some 50 years ago.

In addition to Canada, where there are 72 council-manager communities, the plan is used in Norway, Sweden, France, Germany, Austria and Finland. Since World War II council-manager government has shown a rapid gain in popularity with more than 75 communities adopting the plan each year.

Among the subjects to be stressed at the conference will be management goals, research and advanced techniques of urban management, solving urban problems, the role of the professional in local government, management responsibilities and economic problems of cities.

The highlight on Monday (Sept. 29) include a keynote address with speeches by Bill W. Johnson, mayor of Arlington County, Virginia, and president of ICMA; and Clarence E. Ridley, former executive director of ICMA. Included will be a salute to Carr, Childs, Stene, and Ridley, early leaders in the association.

### Farnum Dinner Set for Sept. 25

There will be a testimonial dinner for Billie S. Farnum, Democratic candidate for Congress in the 19th District, on Friday, Sept. 25, from 7 to 10 p.m. at the Livonia City Councilman, who is also the Chairman of the Farnum Campaign Committee. For \$5.00 a person there is free dancing, free beer, pizza and a buffet dinner at midnight. The place is Roma Hall.

### Joins in Drills

Army Pfc David H. Knox, son of Harry Knox, 14883 Kentucky, Detroit, and other members of the 1st Infantry Division are participating in joint Army-Air Force Exercise Indian River III, held at Eglin Air Force Base, Fla. He is a 1962 graduate of Bentley High School in Livonia.

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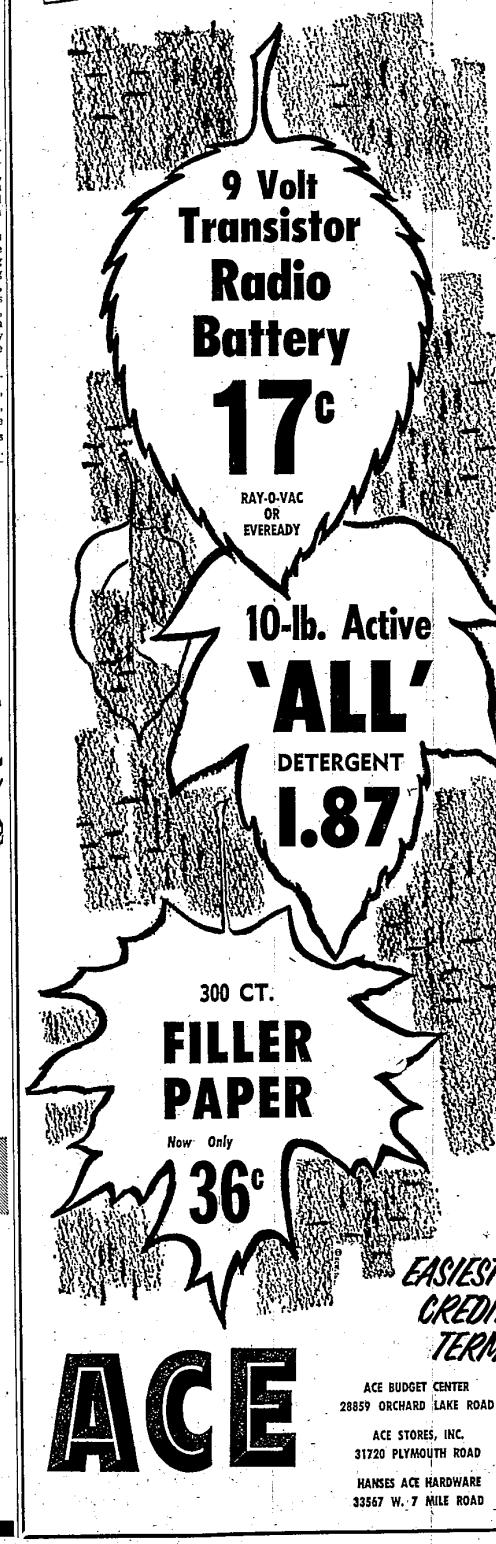
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