

Don't Draft Policemen-McDonald

Congressman Jack McDonald, R-12th District, has introduced a bill to defer policemen and firemen from the draft.

Additionally, the bill would defer a wide range of law enforcement officials such as state highway patrolmen, sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, wardens and guards of state and federal prisons, and jailkeepers.

Introducing the measure, McDonald said that, according to the President's Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Justice, there will be 50,000 vacancies in police departments throughout the country this year along with similar shortages of firemen.

"Intelligent, physically fit young men daily are being inducted into the Armed Forces from the ranks of the police and fire departments. A dangerous void is left that cannot be neglected," McDonald said.

"It is just as important to protect the lives and property of American citizens at home as it is to preserve freedom in Vietnam. It is imperative that every city has adequate protection from those who seek to make our streets unsafe.

"Exempting law enforcement officials and firemen from the draft and encouraging young men to pursue careers in public service is one answer to the urban warfare that persists today in the United States."

Autumn Activities Abound

LANING--Against a background of changing fall colors, Michigan communities will offer visitors an exciting variety of things to do and see during the autumn months, according to the Michigan Tourist Council.

Festivals, fairs and sportsmen's events dominate the listings in the September-December edition of the Michigan Calendar of Events, just released by the Council, located in Lansing.

Locally, the prime celebration will be the Plymouth Fall Festival from Sept. 7-10.

Highlighting early September events is the annual Mackinac Bridge Walk, from St. Ignace to Mackinaw City, on Labor Day--the only day of the year pedestrians are permitted on the bridge.

Labor Day also marks the conclusion of the Michigan State Fair in Detroit.

Michigan is the site of the annual Olden Tour of antique automobiles, beginning Sept. 18 at Greenfield Village, Dearborn and touring the Grand Rapids and west Michigan area Sept. 19-20.

In addition to many individual color tours offered throughout the state during late September and October, Grayling will celebrate its annual Carnival of Color and Deltaire will present the Autumn Color Festival, both October 8-2.

Many November events are centered around Michigan's deer hunting season beginning November 18, including the annual Duck Pole, Indian River, November 15; Red Coat Round-up, Grayling, November 17-19 and the Duck Pole Contest, Marcellona, November 19.

Greenfield Village, Dearborn, will present its annual "Christmas at Greenfield Village" December 15-31. Historic homes in the village will be decorated for Christmas.



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FALL FESTIVAL

Thursday thru Sunday - Sept. 7, 8, 9, 10

THURSDAY

Plymouth Business and Professional Women's Club

"GERMAN NIGHT"

5:30-8:30 P.M. - German Band

Firemen's BALL
at the MAYFLOWER MEETING HOUSE
FRIDAY
9 P.M. to 1 A.M.
Tickets Available at the Door

FRIDAY

Lions Club

"Melon & Ice Cream Social"

Entertainment Begins 4:00 P.M.
Hot Dogs & Fish Sandwiches 4-9 P.M.

SATURDAY

Kiwanis Club

"PANCAKE FESTIVAL"

Masonic Temple

7 A.M. to 7 P.M.

Entertainment Begins at 9 A.M.

SATURDAY
Jaycees
CHARCOAL BROILED BEEF RIB DINNER
6 P.M. to 9:30 P.M.
NEXT TO PENN THEATRE

SUNDAY

Rotary Club

"CHICKEN BARBEQUE"

Kellogg Park - Entertainment All Day Long
12 Noon to 6 P.M.

Plymouth ANTIQUE MART

Sponsored by Plymouth Symphony League - Grange Hall and Community Center Building on Union Street ...
12 Noon 'til 10 P.M.
Sunday 'til 7 P.M.

SQUARE DANCE - Saturday 8 P.M. to 11 P.M.

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