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OCT. 8-14

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Cub Pack 110 Presents Awards At OLS Meeting

Pack 110, Clinton Valley Council, Ottawa District, awarded a silver arrow on Wolf Badge to Krista Grawing at a meeting Sept. 21 at Our Lady of Sorrows parish hall.

Also awarded were a Bear Badge to James Rudolph and a Wolf Badge to Larry Bruser.

The attendance award went to Den 1 and achievement award to Dens 7 and 8.

Tim Carrier and Jim Day won awards for best individual projects.

Members of Pack 45 were guests at the pack meeting. Den 8 was responsible for the set up, while Den 4 conducted the opening ceremony. Cubmaster Ed Day introduced the new Den Mothers and explained to the new Cubes and Den Mothers what Cub Scouts is all about.

Inspection was conducted by Ron Granning and Ron McKenzie. Den 5 was responsible for giving Den 1 and 8 presented skits on "Cub Scout Trail."

Introduction of boys into second Webelos Den was conducted, followed by graduation of two Webelos who will remain as honorary members of the pack. The number of boys in the pack is increasing and an additional Den Mother and Webelos Den Leader are needed.

FATAC Says Thanks

Farmington's teen-agers remembered to take the time to thank the City for the use of the tennis courts for their summer dances last night.

The City Council heard a letter from the Farmington Area Teen Age Council (FATAC) of the Farmington YMCA, thanking them for the use of the courts Monday night.

In addition to saying thank you, the teens offered to help the city in return. They suggested that perhaps they could help on a project in the park.

The Council told City Manager John Dinan that "he could certainly find something for the teens to do in the spring and added that it appreciated the offer."

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2 Accidents Involve Failure To Heed Signs

Farmington Township police reported two accidents on Oct. 1 that involved people failing to stop when directed to do so.

A car driven by Wallace Demeyer, Union Lake, was struck in the side while moving east on 14 Mile Rd. by a car driven by Roy Herbert Heige, 29347 Bannockburn, Farmington going south on Orchard Lake Rd.

Demeyer was issued a violation for failing to stop for a stop sign and pulling in front of Heige.

An automobile driven by Barbara Jean Bromberg was hit in the side while traveling north on Middlebelt by a vehicle operated by Arthur Lee Clary of Detroit whose car was moving east on 13 Mile Rd.

Mrs. Bromberg, 23294 Leeland, Farmington, was issued a violation for disregarding a red traffic signal.

Two Men Face B & E Charges In Township

Two men stood mute at their arraignment Sept. 28 on charges of breaking and entering Tom's Party Store, 20925 Inkster Rd., earlier the same day.

Thomas R. Williams, 25, Southfield, was placed under a \$15,000 bond and Phillip James Brazzil, 18, Detroit, was placed under a \$5,000 bond by Farmington Township Justice of the Peace Byron Walter.

Walter set the pre-trial examination for the two men on Oct. 6 in the Township.

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CADET ROBERT A. DeMATTEA of 24584 Lincoln Ct., Farmington Township, is shown during bayonet training while attending Army Reserve Officers' Training Corps summer camp at Ft. Riley, Kansas. A student at the University of Detroit, DeMattea is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. DeMattea of 27404 Drake Rd., Farmington.

19 From Farmington Merit Semi-Finalists

Nineteen Farmington area high school students have been named as semifinalists in the 1967-68 National Merit Scholarship Program.

Thirteen of the students are from Farmington and North Farmington High Schools. They are: William Bailey; Alan Barak; Kicab Castaneda; Lynn French; Robin Gephart; Mary Heinzen; Larry Lebling; Michael Martin; Andrew Mitchell; Thomas Mohr; Kenneth Rosen; Beth Smith; and Shira Young.

John VanDusen is a candidate from Our Lady of Sorrows High School.

The remaining five students are from Mercy High School. They are: Barbara Uss; Margaret S. Smith; Barbara Weiss; Kathleen MacDonnell; and Barbara Blaine.

Semifinalists must advance to finalist status to be considered for Merit Scholarships. They become finalists by receiving the endorsement of their schools, taking a second examination, and submitting information about their achievements and interests.

High school grades, accomplishments, leadership qualities, extracurricular activities, and school citizenship of the finalists are evaluated, along with test scores, in selecting Merit Scholarship winners.

The winners may receive up to \$1,500 a year for four college years, depending on their individual need. Winners of the \$1,000 scholarships will receive one-time grants of \$1,000 upon enrollment in college.

Merit Scholarships are financed by some 600 corporations, foundations, colleges, unions, trusts, professional associations, other organizations, individuals, and by the NMSC itself.

Names of the Merit Scholars in the 1967-68 program will be announced by early May, 1968.

City Recreation Dept. Is Planning Activities

Beginning the week of Oct. 8 the City of Farmington will again operate its fall recreation program.

Monday and Tuesday are the nights for indoor sports and exercises. Classes will meet from 8 to 10 p.m. at Farmington Junior High School.

Two separate square dance activities will make up the Wednesday program. Both classes will be held at Cloverdale Elementary School.

A beginners class will be offered from 8 to 9 p.m. Following this class will be continuous open square dancing for persons with some ability - 9 to 10:30 p.m.

ON THURSDAY NIGHTS at Cloverdale, Latin American dance instruction will be available. The Tango, Cha Cha, and Samba are a few of the dances that will be taught.

Three hours of gymnastics will be offered for children between the ages of 8 and 12 each Saturday morning at Cloverdale. The class is scheduled from 9 to 12 and the wearing of gym shoes is required.

Open swimming at the Cloverdale High School pool will be held on Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday evenings - 7 to 8 p.m. and 8 to 9 p.m.

The pool will also be available for open swimming on Sunday afternoon from 3 to 4 p.m.

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Post And Auxiliary Observe 22 Years

The Farmington V.F.W. Post 4033 and Ladies Auxiliary observed their 22nd anniversary Thursday evening, Sept. 14, with a buffet dinner at the V.F.W. Hall, 23414 Orchard Lake Rd.

Senior Vice Commander Robert Smith acted as master of ceremonies. Post Commander James Johnson and Auxiliary President Geraldine Johnson introduced all past post commanders and past auxiliary presidents.

A 20 year membership pin was presented to Mildred Dempsey; 15 year pins were presented to Catherine Courtney, Lucile Hans, Virginia Kohn, Willsa Dean, and Edna Fourcure.

A 10 year pin went to Dorothy McCracken; and five year pins to Rita Connor, Edna Fourcure, Geraldine Johnson, Betty Johnson, Irene Johnson, Lillian LaMee, Jeanne Rayman and Evelyn Rouse. Commander Johnson presented Irene Johnson with a vase of red velvet poppies in recognition and appreciation of her outstanding sale of BUDDY Poppies.

Guest speaker of the evening was John Stockwell, from the 5th District, who spoke on "Membership."

Volunteers Have Busy Sunday

Farmington Township's volunteer fire department had a busy day Sept. 23.

In addition to the early hours fire at 12 Mile and Drake Rd., the force was called out Sunday afternoon to battle a blaze at Beesley's Junk Yard at Hagerty and 281-696 expressway.

Several pieces of equipment were called to the blaze in addition to the water tank truck from Novi, which was called to assist with the traffic problems.

The full extent of the damage was not immediately determined.

In addition to these two fires, township police report that someone threw a cigarette butt into the Farmington Area YMCA house sometime after the end of the FATAC dance Saturday night and Sunday afternoon.

YMCA Executive Secretary David Comfort told the police that the cigarette was thrown through a side window of the 100-year-old farmhouse.

A certain evidently caught fire and caused some slight damage before the blaze extinguished itself.

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