

Players Set Food Record

North Farmington High School's junior varsity football squad showed last week that it is as unstoppable as the banquet table as on the gridiron. The Jayvees won eight games this fall to run their six-year record to 45 victories against five losses and two ties. They have gone through their last 20 games without a loss, the only blemish being a 13-13 tie with Franklin.

To celebrate this record, the parents of Capt. Steve Lee entertained the 56 members of the squad at their home and the boys ate their way through 15 pounds of hamburger, 10 dozen rolls, 10 cases of pop, six pounds of potato chips, four pounds of carrot sticks, half a gallon of pickles, a large cake and four pans of brownies.

On the gridiron this season the junior Raiders outscored their opponents, 224 to 35. High scorer was Keith Haavandridge with 48 points. Ron Kopko led the ball carriers with 478 yards, while the overall offense was piloted by quarterback Bob Hughes. A strong defensive line was anchored by tackle Greg Forte and limited opponents to 232 yards rushing. The Raider secondary intercepted 15 passes.

Township Hikes Rate

Farmington Township residents will pay more for Detroit water under the provisions of an ordinance amendment passed by the Township Board this week.

Under the terms of the ordinance, the average hike will cost 80 cents a quarter. Township action was necessitated by an average 15 cent hike in suburban rates by the Detroit Water Board.

Oakland County is the township's agent for the water operations with the City of Detroit. Township Supervisor Curtis Hall said that average consumption of water is about 4,000 cubic feet per quarter. With the price hike of 20 cents per 1,000 cubic feet (from \$2.25 to \$2.45) this would amount to 80 cents per quarter for the average customer.

The Detroit price went into effect Nov. 1. Detroit cited construction costs as the major reason for the hike.

Murray Draws Vietnam Duty

Marine Private First Class John I. Murray, son of Mrs. Oliver A. Murray of Farmington, has reported for duty with Headquarters Battalion, Fifth Marine Division, near Da Nang, Vietnam.

In addition to administrative and logistical duties, members of the battalion also are engaged in civic action programs and support both air and ground forces in their operations.



SLEEPY-EYED. An early morning trek out to the school bus is taken by five of the 17 Farmington Township children who attend Walled Lake schools. Left to right, they are, Gregory Green, James Fornash, Diane See and Robert and William Aylsworth.

They Wouldn't Have It Any Other Way

By ELIZABETH WISSMAN
Staff Writer

Up in the far northwestern corner of the township lies a handful of families whose roots in Farmington, in some cases, go back 100 years or more.

But their 17 children attend Walled Lake schools—and they wouldn't have it any other way. One family—the Herald Sees, who live on 14 Mile Rd., as most of these families do—have lived for 30 years on property which is part of a farm that belonged for generations to See's parents, the Sees.

THE SEE FAMILY home was once the old Green schoolhouse. The Sees' heritage is all Farmington Township.

Yet their three children, Barbara, 16; Melanie, 13; and Diane, 9, are enrolled in the Walled Lake School District, and Mrs. See couldn't be more pleased.

She was in the first grade when the Walled Lake school district was consolidated and her father, Earl

Welch, at one time served on the Walled Lake school board. Mrs. See's high school diploma is signed by him.

THIS SCHOOL district separation came about because the Farmington School Districts was not consolidated until 1945, many years after Walled Lake.

Walled Lake offered these township children a more uniform education, so their parents voted themselves into the Walled Lake schools.

At the time of Farmington's consolidation in 1945, just four families lived in the one mile-square area, which is bounded by 13 and 14 Mile Rds. and Halstead and Haggerty Rds.

BEFORE consolidation, the only Farmington schools in the area were a country school at the corner of Halstead and 12 Mile and another at 13 Mile and Farmington Rd.

The residents who live in this one mile area are completely sold on Walled Lake schools.

To a family, if Mrs. See is any indication, they would do battle to maintain their school status quo.

12 Bobcat Pins Awarded Upward Movement Proven

Cub Scout Pack 167 held its

October meeting in Highmeadow School. Meeting had been spent studying the American Indian and each den had an opportunity to exhibit its efforts.

Among the new scouts eligible for Bobcat pins were Mark Muller, Kurt Kaufman, Angus McIntosh, Adam Welser, Stuart Bixson, Scott Smith, James Alton Boyd, Bobby Gardner, Richard Jacobs, David Monforton, Mitchell Nearhood and Mark Torigan.

Stephen Markovich received a Gold Arrow and two Silver Arrows under Wolf. Dennis Hardin received the Wolf and was also appointed assistant den leader for Den 2. Robert Evans is denner of that den.

Den 1 has Carey Der as denner and Kevin Trevas as assistant denner. Den 3 gave Jim Boyd a denner stripe and David Monforton an assistant denner stripe.

Service stars were given to Eric Welner and Michael Brahm with Michael also given recognition for perfect attendance. Webelos Mitch Topalian, John Hoeger, Clifford Racks, John Truit and Joel Zimmerman all received awards.

Harris Receives ROTC Citation

Richard M. Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Harris, 27850 Peppermill, Farmington, has been awarded the "outstanding basic cadet" ribbon by Michigan Technological University's Army ROTC detachment. It is the third time he has earned this recognition for ranking in the upper 10 per cent in the course.

Harris was also recently promoted to cadet staff sergeant in the ROTC program.

community calendar

BEECHVIEW OPEN HOUSE

Nov. 20 from 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. Beechview School will hold an open house. At 8:30 p.m., the Family Service of Oakland County will present "The Green Blackboard," a one-act play concerning parental pressure on children to perform in school.

FLANDERS PTA

Nov. 20 at 8 p.m. Flanders PTA will hold its monthly meeting. Dr. James Freer, of the University of Detroit, will speak on "Psychological Factors Affecting Your Child's Education" and John Washburn III, board of education trustee, will discuss the special school election Nov. 27.

WILLIAM GRACE PTA

Nov. 21 at 8 p.m. William Grace PTA will hold its monthly meeting. Dick Tupper will discuss the school election Nov. 27.

LOS CABELLEROS

Nov. 21 at 7:30 p.m. Los Cabelleros 4-H Club will hold its monthly meeting in Farmington Junior High School. Installation of new officers and initiation of new members will be held.

JAYCEE AUXILIARY

Nov. 21 at 8 p.m. Farmington Jaycee Auxiliary will meet in the First Farmington Savings and Loan building. A demonstration of Thanksgiving and Christmas decorations will be given.

TURKEY TROT

Nov. 22 from 8 to 11 p.m. St. Alexander's Teen Club will hold a Turkey Trot in St. Francis K. of C. Hall, 21900 Middle Belt, for 8th-12th grade students. Music by the Sons of Sounds. Admission 50 cents.

CHRISTMAS FAIR

Nov. 30 beginning at 9:30 a.m. The Senior Citizen's Social Club of Farmington will hold a Christmas Fair in the First Methodist Church social room, featuring hand made items and baked goods. Refreshments will be available.

14 Boys Advanced In Boy Scout Rank

Farmington Troop 162 of the Boy Scouts of America, in their Fall Court of Honor, held at the Shawansee School Nov. 15, advanced 14 boys in rank.

Top honors went to Tom Pobert, at a ceremony with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pobert, at his side, which was presided over by Lou Gilson, active in Scouting in Farmington and Kalamazoo for over 50 years and holder of the Silver Beaver Award. The Star Rank went to Mike Devine and Dennis Wild. All three boys are members of the Senior Patrol and represent the leadership of Troop 162.

First Class Rank was given Alan Bamford, Craig Conner, Phil Hillier, Bill Miller, Don Timpe, Fred Van Wicklin and Jerry Weiss. Second Class Rank went to Tom Bishop, Gary Papp, John Whitworth and Dan Woodruff. Rounding out the program was the investiture of Bob Dunne, Doug Holbrook, Ron Mason and Joe Wild as Tenderfeet. These awards were presented by Scoutmaster Ed Wild.

Special honors, for 20 years dedicated to Scouting, went to the former scoutmaster and now committee chairman, Tom Blazette. This award was presented by William Hartwell, past chairman. A special gift was presented to Hartwell for

his hours of dedicated service. Troop 162 meets on Monday evenings at the Shawansee School and has 11 boys 11 years old to join it.

Local News Happenings

By MARIE LONG, 474-3114

A GET well wish goes to Mrs. Frank (Dorothy) Phillips, of Benstein Rd., who is currently hospitalized in Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital with a broken hip. Dorothy will be there for some time so please drop her a card of cheer. Mr. Phillips returned home on Sunday after being hospitalized in the same hospital for over a week.

The Pioneer Golden Age Club of Farmington has cancelled its pot luck luncheon for the end of the month because of Thanksgiving falling on the following day. The club will hold its regular monthly business meeting Dec. 6 in St. Alexander's Social Hall on Shawansee. Don't forget to inform Mr. Duell (GR 6-4865) if you wish transportation.

Mrs. Evva Lee, formerly of Forestville, Farmington, is now a permanent resident of 2019 St. Joan, St. Clair Shores, Mrs. Lee recently underwent major surgery but has made a wonderful recovery and is now at her home, we are happy to say. Mrs. Lee was a member of The Pioneer Golden Age Club of Farmington.

Bills Named MSU Lecturer

Robert W. Bills, of R.W. Bills and Associates, has been appointed visiting lecturer in the Park and Recreation Area Planning and Design by Michigan State University.

Bills, a professional landscape architect, has helped develop recreation areas in Farmington Township subdivisions.

\$5,000 Bond Ordered In City B&E

Clifford P. Walbridge, 22, of 34361 Quaker Valley Rd., Quakertown, was ordered Thursday by Municipal Judge Michael J. Hand to appear for examination Nov. 17 on a charge of "breaking and entering an occupied dwelling" following his arrest by city police. Bond was set at \$5,000.

Walbridge is accused of entering the home of Leon Robinson at 23050 Frederick, Farmington, on Nov. 8. Police records say bedroom drawers were ransacked and \$120 in quarters was reported missing. The rear storm door was pried open, the chain lock was torn off, and the front storm door also was broken, according to the police report.

Deadlines Near For Yule Mail

Just a little over a month—35 days to be exact—and the post office is again alerting the populace to mail packages EARLY to be assured of delivery before Christmas.

You have a little leeway if you post presents airmail, but not much.

Here are Yule mailing dates to remember: For Armed Forces Overseas—It's too late for surface mail, but for Space Available mailing, you have until Dec. 1 at five pounds weight limit, 60 inches in length and girth in size; and airmail from Dec. 1 to Dec. 11.

"Armed Forces Overseas" refers to personnel of the armed forces, members of their families and U.S. civilians employed overseas who receive mail through an APO or FPO in New York, San Francisco or Seattle.

Correct APOs or FPOs must be on all this mail.

Parcels for states distant from Michigan must be mailed by Dec. 4. Deadline for mailing within the state is Dec. 15.

For mailing to Hawaii or Alaska, the deadline for surface mail is Nov. 29, for airmail Dec. 14.

Mail for the Farmington area is now processed through the new sectional mail center in Royal Oak, from where it is dispatched daily on the basis of air lift.

Because of this change, mail collection schedules have been moved up and it is best to check the different times posted on mail boxes.

With all mail, be sure to use the proper and complete address and zip code number. On packages include a slip with the complete name and address inside the outer wrapping.

Has Role At WMU

Stephen Yarian, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yarian of 2840 Alyce Kay, Farmington, has been cast as Enrique in the Western Michigan University production of "The School for Wives."

A graduate of North Farmington High, Yarian is a senior at Western. He is president of Theta Alpha Phi fraternity on the campus and has appeared in past WMU productions.

Makes Honorary

Joanne Bennett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G.V. Bennett, 23080 Fleming Dr., Farmington, was initiated Nov. 1 into the Beta Iota Chapter of Kappa Delta Phi honor education society, at Western Michigan University. Miss Bennett is a 1965 graduate of Farmington High School and is majoring in English.

Schools and PTAs in 1966 sponsored 19,531 Cub Scout packs.

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