

45 Bus Runs Needed to Get Kids to School

BLOOMFIELD HILLS—It will require 45 separate bus runs each morning and afternoon to transport the 3,700 students expected to attend Bloomfield Hills schools this fall.

This means six trips a day for some of the 20 buses now owned by the school district, and more than a little figuring to establish the tight schedules under which they will operate.

The task belongs to Irving Menucci, assistant superintendent of Bloomfield schools, who has been in charge of establishing the school-owned bus system, inaugurated last year.

Sixteen buses were purchased last year. An additional three were bought this summer to take care of the larger student load expected this fall.

MENUCCI SAID 12 runs will transport students to the high school. The buses are scheduled to arrive at the school at 7:30 each morning. Classes start at 8 a.m.

Fifteen runs are required for junior high students. Buses will unload students at 8:20 in time for 8:30 classes.

Elementary schools will start at 9:10, and bus runs are scheduled to get students to school at 9 a.m. Of the 22 bus drivers required, 11 are returning from last year. Menucci is interviewing applicants for the additional positions and will have them hired in time for them to attend a school-bus driver training school, sponsored each year by Eastern Michigan university.

5 Newcomers Join Staff At Kingswood

CRANBROOK — New faculty and staff members at Kingswood school, Cranbrook, have been announced by Marion Goodale, headmistress.

New to the faculty are Mrs. Phoebe Chao, teacher of English; Miss Mary Firth, Latin and English; and Miss Kezia Vannemeter, English. New staff members include Mrs. Caroline Williams, resident counselor, and Mrs. Martha Stoetzer, director of staff residence.

Kingswood will open Sunday, Sept. 18, with a get-acquainted day for new students. All students will register on Monday, Sept. 19, and classes will begin Tuesday.

MRS. CHAO, a Birmingham resident, studied at Wellesley college and the University of Buffalo. She received her B.A. degree at the University of Michigan.

Miss Firth will arrive at Kingswood from Yorkshire, England. She is a graduate of Girton college, Cambridge, and has studied drama at the Shakespeare Memorial Theatre, Stratford-on-Avon, England.

Miss Vannemeter received her B.A. degree at Vassar College. She is from Piketon, Ohio.

PREVIOUS to her Kingswood appointment, Mrs. Williams was director of residence at Rhode Island School of Design. She is a graduate of Middlebury college. Mrs. Stoetzer studied at West Liberty State college, West Virginia, and has been executive housekeeper at Weirton, W. Va., General Hospital.

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Our Shepherd Lutheran Lists 200 Students

Some 200 Lutheran area children will return to classes Sept. 7 at Our Shepherd Lutheran school on East 14 Mile road.

Greeting the youngsters will be four new instructors. Carl Christian is principal of the school with Erich Hoescheft, John Todd, Miss Elba Beller, Miss Margaret Seemann and Mrs. Marvin Bergman as instructors.

A new assistant for Pastor Rev. H. G. Alwardt will be Vicar Leo Bruns.

EQUIPPED TO HANDLE eight grades. Our Shepherd school has converted the overflow room of the church into a classroom for use during the week. Large movable birch doors will permit continued usage, for overflow attendance at the Sunday services.

Under the direction of Mr. Hoescheft, the musical program for students will be increased. He is planning to organize several children's choirs.

Flutter Stop To Cost \$864

Band students at Wylie Groves high school are promised less flutter, fewer reverberations and better low frequency performance in their band room this year.

A fluttering band room, experts say, comes from "a succession of echoes with a sufficient time lag between each to be heard separately as a rapid series of distinct sounds—much like a small boy's imitation of a modern machine gun."

Board of education members confessed they were baffled by the technical terminology in the experts' detailed report on the Groves band room. But, whatever it meant, they thought it sounded serious enough that they approved expenditure of \$864 "to provide additional acoustical control."

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