

FRANKLIN VILLAGE

Gourmet Club Plans Lobster Broil

By MARION CASKEY
MA 6-6860

In Dorchester Hills is a group of couples who call themselves a "gourmet club." Each month they gather at one another's homes and have a "different" meal.

This month's hosts are the James O'Neills of Haverford drive who are having a lobster broil Saturday night. They will arm each guest with a cracker and butter and will dig into seaweed steamed clams and Maine lobsters. For the O'Neills this comes naturally, being old New England stock.

IT'S NICE to have one's husband on the board of an inspired organization like the National Concrete Pipe Association.

Their annual meetings are always set in some glamorous locale and wives are invited along. Thus the Tom Rexes of McKinney drive have been spending the week at the Mid-Ocean hotel in Bermuda.

As the trip included four days on the high seas aboard the Queen of Bermuda, it's hoped Hurricane Gladys spared them her punches.

ANOTHER LUCKY wife is Mrs. C. M. Jordan of McKinney Drive. Her husband's business has taken him to Europe this fall and Sally is meeting him in London next Tuesday.

They'll spend four days each in Paris and London, then go to Weisshatten, Germany, for a few days with the MacKichans, formerly of Farmington.

As daughter Mary had spent all summer in school at Michigan State, Dr. and Mrs. Haglow Bates decided to give her a vacation before she returns to East Lansing. The trio spent this week in New York—seeing the fair, of course, and doing all sorts of other Manhattan-type things.

MRS. KEN NICHOLS' son Mike's birthday this week prompted her visiting him in Palm Beach Gardens, Fla., where Mike and his wife and three-year-old daughter, Jennifer, live.

With Jo is sister Faye Hawk of Franklin Road. Of course, golf is on the agenda.

TICKET SELLERS for the Franklin Forum were entertained at a coffee at the River Road home of Mrs. M. R. Scott Monday morning.

As the hospitality committee, headed by Mrs. Homer Heideman, hosted the Friends of the Franklin Library, ticket chairman Mrs. John Faulkner got everyone pepped up for the coming series.

First program will be a musically-illuminated talk by David H. Jones of Oakland University entitled "Style in Music," scheduled for Oct. 21. Helen Williams follows on Nov. 18 with a talk on humor in reading matter entitled simply "Laughter."

On Jan. 20 Lenore Romney will speak on "Citizenship" and on Feb. 17 Florence Selden will give a talk on folklore of antiques called "Americana."

WHEN THE outdoorsmen of the Ray Marx family, dad and the two boys, took off for a canoe trip in northern Michigan week end before last, Jean took the opportunity to have a hen party.

The chicks were seven 13- and 14-year-old girls whom Jean has served as cabin counselor at St. James Choir camp at Niskone for the past five years.

The girls were feted at a luncheon and filled Jean in on their triumphs and awards during the last session when she was unable to remain the whole week with them. As she had missed their skit on program night, they were really perked up to perform that for her.

HAVING HOUSE guests in Michigan for the first time invariably leads to Greenfield Village.

So it was last week when the Howard Laats hosted their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. LaVonne Johnson of Dixon, Ill. After their departure, the Laats took off for a week-end house party in Holland, Mich.

This was an annual get-together with friends from New York and North Carolina and golf was planned, but showers dampened some of its attraction.

HOUSE GUEST at the Jack Roberts' home last week end was

Mrs. H. O. Jones, a former Franklinite, now of Spiro, Okla.

Phyllis was up for Janet Fay's wedding. The previous week her daughter and husband, the Bob Bickers also of Spiro, were here visiting the senior Bickers and showing off their two little boys.

Bob timed his visit to coincide with his Farmington High School class 8th reunion. Also on hand for the affair were other former Wood Creekers, Tim Blake and Gerry Seaman.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN LONLEY of Bingham Road were cohosts

Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Carr of Grosse Pointe for a miscellaneous shower at the Longley's for David Weber and Carol Spewik who will be married Oct. 24.

David is the son of the Robert Webers of Grosse Pointe who are long-time close friends of the Lonleys.

THIS WEEK'S introduction is to the Alfred Carr family who moved from Warren to their new home on Franklin Park Drive.

Bob and Gloria are the parents of three daughters, Laurie Ann, 10, in the fifth grade, Jana, 8 in third and Jennifer, 5, in kindergarten.

Bob is in styling at the General Motors Tech Center and enjoys hunting and fishing. Gloria enjoys sewing and club work.

North Adams

(Continued from 5-C)

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fox on Bass River at Cape Cod.

The Ransom Leeches of Juniper Court enjoyed scenic Torch Lake for a few days recently.

THE MEL Samaritans of Trenton, Mich., are newcomers to Kentmore Road. Their three sons are, Mark, 16, and Bruce, 15, students at Bloomfield Hills High, and Ron, 12, a pupil at East Hills Junior High.

Samaritan is a store manager with Federal department stores. Their interests include skiing and swimming.

THE GEORGE Jobin family

moved from Birmingham this month. Their children are George, 20, a trainee with Equitable Life Insurance Co., attending classes at D.T.T.; Suzanne, 18, a freshman at University of Michigan; and Lisa, 7, a pupil at Eastover School.

Jobin is sales engineer with Sealed Power Company. Ballet, the theatre, golf, swimming and tennis, are among their interests.

Newcomers to Masefield Drive are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Boden of Garden City. He is a research engineer with Lampson & Sessions.

The oldest living thing in the world today is believed to be the sequoia tree. Certain specimens are known to be 2,000 years old.

Have You Met

The five members of the Harold C. Albin, Jr. family of 31223 Sleepy Hollow Lane, Birmingham? With Arthur, 7; Beth, 6, and Christine, 3, the Albins moved this month from Ypsilanti.

Mr. Albin is sales coordinator of the National Extruded Metal Products Company, Inc. A graduate of the University of New Hampshire, Mr. Albin attended the University of Maryland and George Washington University.

He is presently an aviator with the naval reserve and belongs to Alpha Gamma Rho and Alpha Zeta. Mrs. Albin is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta.

Wickham Completes Training at Great Lakes Naval Center

Daniel E. Wickham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Wickham of 6645 Meadowlake Rd., Bloomfield Township, recently completed basic training at the Great Lakes Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

The nine-week training includes naval orientation, history and organization, seamanship, ordnance and gunnery, military drill, first aid and survival.


During the training recruits receive tests and interviews which determine their future assignments in the Navy. Upon completing the program they are assigned to service schools for technical training or to ships and stations for on-the-job training in a Navy rating specialty.

Curiosity Shoppe

1770 S. Tellerah Rd.
Bloomfield Hills
FE 8-8531

32800 Franklin Rd.
Franklin Village
MA 6-2554

Our Wonderful Month-End SALE



We Invite You To Browse.

guaranteed correct length



- STEAM MOLDED DECORATOR FOLDS
- NO SAGGING HEMS
- ACCURATELY SQUARED CORNERS

Your draperies will have the fresh-bright look of newness when they are cleaned at Birmingham Cleaners. Your draperies set the tone for your entire home and office... this it why it is so important that they be cleaned and finished properly.

birmingham cleaners

two locations: woodward at adams w. maple at cranbrook

midwest 4-4620
midwest 7-0411

6-CC THE BIRMINGHAM (MICH.) ECCENTRIC Sept. 24, 1964

Enroll Your CHILD or TEENAGER

it's Fun — it's Relaxing — it's Exciting



DANCING IS FOR EVERYONE!

THE BARNES METHOD

Jack Barnes teen-age dance lessons, while maintaining discipline, are designed to be wholesome fun... The youngsters love them... lessons are conducted in a friendly and helpful atmosphere within attractive studio surroundings... classes are limited in size to permit individual attention, and are arranged compatibly as to age and interests... While excellence in dancing techniques is rapidly achieved.

Beginning Advanced

Children's and Teenager's

DANCE CLASSES

BEGIN SEPTEMBER 25th

Coke Parties Record Hops
• ADULT CLASSES ALSO START NOW •

JACK BARNES

Ballroom Dance Studios

MI 7-1262

2519 W. MAPLE, BIRMINGHAM

Member Dance Masters of America, Ontario Dance Teachers Assn.

Nominate Your Candidate for the BIRMINGHAM Area Suburban Homemaker of the Year

Local Winner and Husband Receive An Expense Paid Trip to Chicago to Attend the National Contest

National Winner Receives **\$5,000** and "You" the Nominator **\$500 CASH!** of the National Winner

OFFICIAL ENTRY BLANK

BIRMINGHAM AREA

Suburban Homemaker of the Year

Local winner and husband receive an expense paid trip to Chicago to attend the National Contest.
National Winner \$5,000 • National Nominator \$500

Please enter the following nominee as the "Suburban Homemaker of the Year."

Name _____ Age _____
Address _____ City _____
Married () Number of Children _____

Attach a letter based on the official judging standards

Mail To: Suburban Homemaking Editor
The Birmingham Eccentric, Birmingham, Mich.

CONTEST JUDGING STANDARDS

RULES:

The 1964 Suburban Homemaker of the year event is open to anyone living in the Birmingham-Bloomfield trading area. (Submit letter based on judging standards. Entries must be postmarked no later than midnight, October 15th. Nominees must be 18 years of age or older. The decision of the judges is final.)

JUDGING STANDARDS:

1. In what ways has she revealed her spiritual and moral strength in modern-day living—for her home, for her church, for her community?
2. In what ways has she helped in developing and maintaining the total health and fitness of her family?
3. How well does she demonstrate her personal health and fitness through her attitudes, habits, appearance and physical well-being?
4. To what extent has she participated in civic and community affairs? Please be specific.
5. How well does she exemplify her ability in the management of the family resources of time and income in relation to family needs and goals? To what extent has she demonstrated her skills in:
 - a. preparing meals
 - b. clothing the family
 - c. appearance of home
 - d. housekeeping

ENTRY DEADLINE: MIDNIGHT, OCTOBER 15, 1964



Sponsored by:
The Birmingham Eccentric
Birmingham, Mich.