SWOCC Studios 4th Open House!

By Melissa Cohn

Residents got a behind-the-scenes look at the local TV at the fourth annual SWOCC Studio Open House. Over 100 guests stopped in to say hello, munched a great spread of food, and checked out the high-tech equipment. Some took advantage of the chance to get behind the cameras. Others preferred to get in front of the camera in our main studio singing karaoke while others chose to be on camera in studio B for a promotional video produced by the Public Access Promotion Committee. Visitors signed up for the SWOCC orientation so they could start the process in learning how to produce their own show and crew on other shows.

SWOCC Studios is committed to bringing the best in programming to Farmington, Farmington Hills, and Novi. It's our goal to provide timely information on city-related issues like road construction, building development, local elections, among the many community events that take place in all three cities.

SWOCC would also like to extend a special thanks to the following businesses that donated food and door prize items: Einstein Bagels – 27841 Orchard Lake, Bonnie's Hallmark – 22072 Farmington, Farmington Florist –Downtown Farmington, Farmer Jack – 22128 Farmington, Kroger – 11 Mile & Middlebelt, Buffalo Wild Wings – Fountain Walk-Novi, Leo's Farmington Hills Souvlaki-30995 Orchard Lake, La Shish - 37610 W. 12 Mile Rd, Dimitri's Brothers- 33200 Grand River , Cowley's & Sons– 33338 Grand River Ave, California Pizza Kitchen-31005 Orchard Lake, House of ING- 37682 W. 12 Mile Rd-Farmington Hills, Bennigan's 40441 Ann Arbor Rd –Plymouth, Slider's – 23631 Farmington Rd- Farmington

Gala Bistro- 33316 Grand River – Farmington, Tim Horton's – 12 Mile & Farmington, Uptown Deli-2038 Cass Lake Rd-Lakewood Plaza-Keego Harbor, Fresh Approach—35243 Grand River-Farmington, Great Harvest Cookies-Farmington, Colonial Car Wash -33500 9 Mile, Starbucks- 33199 Grand River-Farmington, Farmington Bakery, Panera Bread – Grand River, Grinders- 8 Mile & Farmington, Schroeters Florist-Orchard Lake, Debbie Arena Karaoke Machine

SWOCC Studios is ready to serve the communities better than ever before! You can also catch the latest Community happenings by tuning to your access channels: INFO TV-12, Farmington 15, Farmington Hills 8 and Novi's TV13. If you missed the Open House or if you or your group would like a behind-the- scenes tour, call 248.473.2800 or visit the website, <u>www.swoccstudios.com</u>.

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