

At Your Leisure

CURTAIN TIME

The **Fantastics** musical with score by Tom Jones and Harvey Schmidt in Theatre of the Arts production at 8 p.m. Thursday, Saturday and Sunday at Jewish Community Center of Metropolitan Detroit in West Bloomfield. Also, matinee at 3:30 p.m. Sunday. Tickets on sale at Center Cashier; information at 681-7200.

The **Show-Off** classic American comedy by George Kelly opens four-week run Thursday at Meadow Brook Theatre on Oakland University campus in Rochester. Tickets at 377-3300.

You're a **Good Man** Charlie Brown musical presented by Farmington Family Players at 8:15 p.m. Thursday-Saturday at 626-1693.

You Never Can Tell **George Bernard Shaw's** classic comedy presented by Birmingham Village Players on Friday-Saturday and April 12 at the playhouse in Birmingham. Curtain 9 p.m. except Sunday at 7:30. Reservations at 644-2073.

House of **Blue Leaves** tragedy-comedy by John Guare presented by St. Dunstan's Guild of Cranbrook at 9 p.m. Friday-Saturday and April 12 at playhouse in Bloomfield Hills. Reservations at 644-0527.

Lovers and Other Strangers contemporary comedy starring Hugh Caplan and Pierre Turgeon is hilariously funny. Friday-Saturday at Somerset Dinner Theatre. Somerset Mall, Troy. Buffet dinner served by Alfred's Restaurant beginning at 7:30 p.m.; 8:45 p.m. curtain. Reservations at 483-8865.

I Do! I Do! musical hit about marriage, with spirited co-stars Phil Marcus Esner and Nancy Guerin, at Botolph Inn Dinner Theatre in Farmington Hills. Performances every Wednesday, Thursday and Sunday. Buffet dinner at 7, curtain 8:30 p.m. Reservations at 474-4800.

The **Fantastics** America's longest-running musical, by Tom Jones and Harvey Schmidt, in Cocktail Playhouse production Friday-Saturday at Sheraton Bloomfield Pontiac. Performance at 8:15 p.m., dinner optional, at 6:30 p.m. in dining room. Reservations at 338-6131.

6 Rooms Riv Vu comedy presented by Farmington Players Thursday-Saturday in players barn. Curtain at 8:30 p.m. Tickets at 477-0166.

Moonchildren play by Michael Weller on Friday-Sunday and April 1-3 with an 8:30 p.m. curtain at Oakland University Barn Theatre on

campus in Rochester. Tickets at 377-2245.

The **Pajama Game** musical comedy by Abbott and Bissell with music and lyrics by Adler and Ross on Friday-Sunday and April 1-3 presented by Ridgeway Players. Performances at 8:30 p.m. except Sunday at 7:30 at Ridgeway Playhouse in Oak Park. Tickets at 546-1078. Afterglow included in ticket price.

Twelfth Night by William Shakespeare opens Friday at Will-O-Way Repertory Theatre in Bloomfield Hills. Through April 23 except Easter weekend April 8-9. Curtain at 8:30 p.m. Tickets at 644-4418.

Mary Mary comedy by Jean Kerr in dinner theater format at 7:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday at Detroit Country Day School's Learning Center on main campus in Birmingham. Benefit performance presented by Sanity Productions. Gourmet dinner of Chicken Kiev and white wine. Reservations from Nan Morrison at 646-7177.

Open Auditions for Troy Players May production of Neil Simon's "Barefoot in the Park." Auditions from 7:30-10:30 p.m. Wednesday-Thursday at Baker Junior High School, Troy. Information at 879-1285.

CONCERTS

Detroit City Dance Company under direction of choreographer Carol Morrisseau at 8 p.m. Wednesday in Varner Hall on Oakland University campus in Rochester. Admission charge.

OU Singers in concert at 8 p.m. Friday at Varner Recital Hall, Oakland University. Free.

Detroit Concert Band conducted by Leonard B. Smith in first concert of 1977 season, featuring soprano Imogene Bird and trombonist William E. Lane, at 7:30 p.m. Friday at Southfield-Lathrup High School Auditorium in Lathrup Village. All seats reserved; tickets available only through sponsoring Southfield-Lathrup Band.

SupperGarden Concert last in series of Sundays in March presented by Yvonne's Cuisine a la Carte and Michigan Chamber Orchestra, at Yvonne's, 280 N. Woodward, Birmingham. Seatings at 5 and 7:30 p.m. for supper, along with music by members of chamber orchestra. Reservations at 644-0050.

Center Symphony Orchestra in pop concert at 7:30 p.m. Sunday at Jewish Community Center in West Bloomfield. Featuring Robert

Angus, tenor, and Joan Tallman, soprano. Tickets at 831-7200.

Arvi Sinka, Pianist in all-Chopin program at 7 p.m. Sunday at Church of the Redeemer in Southfield. Admission charge.

OU Wind Ensemble in concert at 3 p.m. Sunday at Varner Recital Hall, Oakland University. Free.

Piano Recital by Louise Angermier at 8 p.m. March 28 at Varner Recital Hall, Oakland University. Free.

TALKING

Russell Barnes, Current Events Lecture from 1-3 p.m. Tuesday in second floor Jeanne Lloyd Room of Baldwin Public Library, Birmingham. Admission charge.

Lawn and Garden Care lecture by Gregory Patchan at 8 p.m. Wednesday at Westchester Elementary School's community room. Sponsored by Maplebrook and Westchester garden clubs.

Painting in Action painting demonstration and discussion of abstract expressionism by Mildred Friedman at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at Top of Troy Building.

E. Howard Hunt convicted Watergate burglar and former CIA agent in free public lecture at 2 p.m. March 28 in the Crocker, on main floor of Oakland Center, Oakland University. Rochester.

ON FILM

Family Film Night at Troy Public Library presents "The Figs Against the Freaks," "The String Bean" and "The Tornado." Reservations at 689-5665.

MAIN STREET

Spring Fashion Show annual benefit presented by Farmington Community Center on Tuesday at Glen Oaks Country Club. Fashions by B. Segel. Call center at 477-8404 for reservations.

Silverdome Tour to inspect Pontiac's stadium, includes glimpse of VIP suites, as well as lunch in stadium restaurant, on Wednesday. Reservations at Farmington Community Center, 477-8404.

Panoramic Eggs with Mary Foran helping you create six-inch Easter egg with sugar shell enclosing scene, in workshop from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday at Farmington Community Center. Bring snack. Reservations at center, 477-8404.

Communications Workshop for Mei from 7:30-10:30 p.m. March 30 at Continuum Center for Adult Coun-

seling and Leadership Training, Oakland University, Rochester. Reservations at center, 377-3033.

AT THE MALL

The **Fashion Collectibles** in Show and Tell of Spring Fashion program conducted by Linda Hack and Barbara McIntosh at 1:30 and 7 p.m. Monday at Somerset Mall, Troy.

The **Jacob Ramig** Band adventure in Bavarian and German music and folk dancing from 7-8:30 p.m. Wednesday at Meadowbrook Village Mall in Avon Township.

A **Bouquet of Spring Fashions '77** with Dee Stocks Anderson and her models with new fashions, in shows at 2 and 7 p.m. Thursday and Friday and at 1 and 4 p.m. Saturday, in gardens of Lawn, Flower & Garden Show at Pontiac Mall, Waterford Township.

Art Show and Sale through March 27, sponsored by Fraser Society of Fine Arts, at Winchester Mall in Rochester. Hours 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Saturday. noon to 5 p.m. Sunday.

Ice for Life at Ice Arena at Lakeside in Sterling Heights, from 2 p.m. Saturday through 2 p.m. Sunday. St. Jude's Children's Hospital Skate-A-Thon 24-Hour Marathon at Lakeside Ice Arena.

Birmingham Society of Women Painters exhibit and sale of recent member work through April 2, in show juried by Renee Radell, at Somerset Mall, Troy.

Spring Camper Show through March 27 at Oakland Mall, Troy. **Spring Sportswear Fashion Show** with Affiliated Models in Center Court on Thursday.

Archdiocese of Detroit art show and Easter Show through Sunday at Tel-Twelve Mall in Southfield.

The **Successful Woman Seminar** presented by Hudson's and Hanes Hosiery at 1 and 7 p.m. Thursday at Northland Mall Auditorium in Southfield. Reservations at 222-2404.

CHILDREN'S CHOICE

Visit with Easter Bunny Thursday through April 9 at Pontiac Mall in Waterford Township. Free choco-

late egg from bunny. Hours 11 a.m.-9 p.m. weekdays; noon to 5 p.m. Sundays.

Saturday Cinema at Troy Public Library presents "Hansel and Gretel," "Rosie's Walk" and "Mole and the Rocket" at 1:30 p.m. Saturday.

Rapunzel and the Witch presented by Southfield Repertory Theatre Young People Theatre at 12:30 and 3:30 p.m. Saturday-Sunday at Southfield Civic Center. Tickets in advance from Southfield Parks and Recreation or call 354-9603 or 559-2522.

Easter Bunny arrives Saturday at Oakland Mall, Troy.

Easter Bunny arrives with Magical Country Garden setting in West Central Court at 6:30 p.m. March 28 at Lakeside in Sterling Heights. Benjamin Bunny is special guest.

STAY ACTIVE

Detroit Folkdance Club holds Macedonian Party at 8 p.m. Friday at

Brookside School Cranbrook in Bloomfield Hills.

GUIDED TOURS

Cranbrook House and Gardens individual tours at 1 p.m. Sunday at Cranbrook House in Bloomfield Hills. Admission charge.

Kresge International Headquarters tours of 580,000-square-foot facility, featuring modern architecture and modular design, at 2 p.m. every Monday-Friday at 3100 W. Big Beaver, northwest corner of Big Beaver and Coolidge, Troy. Ask at main lobby reception desk; no appointment necessary. Large groups should make appointment by calling 613-1613.

For area events in Oakland County to be considered for listing, send information to: Ethel Simmons, Entertainment Editor, the Observer & Eccentric, 1225 Bowers, Birmingham 48012. Deadline is a week ahead of publication.

Music Study Club to showcase two

Music Study Club of Metropolitan Detroit has finalized plans for its Annual Artist Concert.

The event will take place at 7:30 p.m. May 15 in the main sanctuary of Temple Beth-El.

Two gifted young artists will be featured: Mrs. Rochelle Abramson, violinist, a native Detroit who studied with Mischa Mischakoff and Michael Lewin, pianist, a New Yorker, currently in his fourth year at the Juillard School of Music as a scholarship student.

Ms. Abramson and Lewin are both winners of prestigious competitions. The Artist Concert is the club's sole fund-raiser and proceeds are used to provide music scholarships to students in this country and in Israel.

Planning the forthcoming concert are: Mrs. Felix Rosenzweig, Mrs. Victor Linden, Mrs. Ben Mechler, Mrs. Morris Rosman, Mrs. Jack Scherr, Mrs. George Charnas and Mrs. Leonard Hack.

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