

upcoming things to do



John Siebert (left) and Jean Arnold play leading roles in Meadow Brook Theatre's production of A. R. Gurney's "What I Did Last Summer," which opens Jan. 3.

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manages are 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday evenings, Jan. 11 to Feb. 2, 1991 at Trinity House Theatre in Livonia. Ticket price is \$7. Call 464-6302 for reservations.

• POLO CLUB

The Ann Arbor Hilton's Polo Club announces the continuation of their live music performances, presented every Saturday night from 8 p.m. to midnight. There is no cover charge, and food and beverage menus available. On Monday, Dec. 31, the club will host a New Year's Eve Party with Aura, in the Ballroom of the Ann Arbor Hilton. Aura is a dance band featuring many Motown and rhythm and blues standards. Packages are available from \$139-\$189. Call 761-7800, ext. 1991 for details. The Janet Tenaj Quartet will perform Saturday, Jan. 5. Tenaj is a jazz and rhythm and blues vocalist from Detroit accompanied by Detroit keyboardist Jimmy Johnson.

• VARIETY SERIES

The Fox Theatre will bring together six award-winning performers for the 3rd Annual AT&T Variety Series. The Series will feature separate engagements by Andy Williams, John

Mathis, Shirley MacLaine, Steve Lawrence and Eydie Gorme, Perry Como, and the Snatchers Brothers and Tony Orlando & Dawn. The AT&T Variety Series offers six shows for the price of three. Andy Williams will launch the Series with five performances Thursday, Feb. 14-Sunday, Feb. 17. Tickets are priced at \$165, \$100, \$95, \$70 and \$30. Series tickets are available in series form only at the Joe Louis Arena Box Office (open 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.), the Fox Theatre Box Office (open 11 a.m. to 7 p.m.) and all Ticketmaster outlets. To charge by phone, call (313) 645-6666. Variety Series renewals must call (313) 567-7600 by Dec. 31. Individual show tickets will go on sale some time in late January. For more information, please call (313) 567-6000.

• HOT RODS

The ninth annual U.S. Hot Rod Thrill Show Spectacular. Adult tickets are \$15 and \$13 in advance; \$15 and \$14, day of show; children, \$10. Tickets available at the Pontiac Silverdome Box Office and all Ticketmaster outlets including Hudson's, Harmony House and Sound Warehouse. To charge tickets by phone, call (313) 456-1600.

Party benefits music library

The BBSO Singles Society, Impromptu, hosts a holiday party to benefit the Birmingham-Bloomfield Symphony's music library at 8 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 27, at the Bloomfield Hills home of the Orchestra's president, Barbara Zobl and Dr. Eldred Zobl.

Impromptu is a newly formed singles organization affiliated with the BBSO to promote the orchestra by attending performances and holding events in conjunction with the concerts. It also offers a opportunity for singles to meet and socialize with people of like interests who are concerned with furthering music and culture in the Birmingham-Bloomfield area.

Cost for the party is \$20 for members and \$25 for guests. Further information and reservations may be obtained by calling 646-153 or the Symphony office, 645-BBSO. Zobl said the interest in Im-

promptu has been unusually good. Jay Glover, director, of the group said there are already more than 30 members.

As a social group, Impromptu will sponsor a few get-togethers featuring artists from the BBSO. In addition, two fairly elegant events, such as a black-tie cocktail reception or a gourmet dinner party will be scheduled. These events will serve as fund raisers to benefit the symphony.

Membership is limited to residents of Birmingham, Bloomfield and Franklin areas or people who work in those areas and who attend a minimum of two concerts a year; season tickets holders, no restrictions on residency; and members of the BBSO or its board, without restrictions.

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