

Buddy Rich To Return For Concert In C'ville

After a SRO concert at Clarenceville last year, famed



BUDDY RICH

jazz drummer Buddy Rich said he'd return to the Louis E. Schmidt Auditorium "any time you want me."

Buddy's as good as his word. His orchestra will return for a one-night stand on Sunday, Sept. 19. Concert time will be 8 p.m.

ADVANCE TICKETS for the Rich program will be on sale at the box office in the Schmidt Auditorium, 20155 Middle Belt, Livonia, Wednesday, Sept. 8, from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m., or until all tickets are sold. Ticket price is \$2.50 each. No tickets will be sold at the door.

Rich's concert is being sponsored by the Clarenceville Entertainment Series.

With his 15-man band, Rich, who has earned the title of the "world's greatest drummer," travels the world playing theaters, concert halls, colleges and the modern

caverns of light and sound. Places include Whisky-A-Go-Go, Los Angeles; Fillmore East, N.Y.; Basin Street, N.Y.; and the Playground in Chicago.

THE SON OF vaudeville parents, Buddy at the age of seven was a child star billed as "Traps" the "Wonder Drummer." He was the second highest paid child star in the world, topped only by Jackie Coogan.

He subsequently played with such bands as those of Benny Berrigan, Artie Shaw, Tommy Dorsey and Harry James, and also worked with such jazz greats as Oscar Peterson, Dizzy Gillespie, Charlie Parker and Ella Fitzgerald.

Buddy organized his present band in 1966 combining music, rock, soul or far-out jazz, but colleges and the modern



SHOWING SOME of their European souvenirs are three Observeland teenagers who have just returned from a tour with Musical Youth International. Lynn Benstein of Redford Township has a pair of wooden shoes of the

type actually worn in Holland, while Linda Springmeier of Farmington has the decorative kind, strictly for show. Beer steins from Germany are among the souvenirs brought back by Randolph Blouse of Westland. (Observer photo)

Bandsmen Enjoy Travel

By BETTY MASSON

"Staying with families was the best part of the trip" according to three Observeland teenagers, just back from a five-week tour of Europe with Musical Youth International.

The three are Linda Springmeier of Farmington, Lynn Benstein of Redford Township and Randolph Blouse of Westland, and all were members of the 50-piece MYI concert band. The tour group also included a 52-voice chorus.

THE GROUP gave "23 or 25 concerts" in their tour and traveled many miles through Holland, Germany, Denmark, the U.S. and Canada. It gave them an opportunity not only to display their musical talents, but also to get to know Europeans as students were billeted with host families.

Sometimes two or more students stayed with the same family, but the three from Observeland felt that it was better when they stayed alone with a family. They could get to know their hosts better,

when they weren't tempted to spend their time visiting with

The audiences in Europe were "great" according to the three teenagers, who were among 11 from Observeland selected to make the tour. Their largest crowd was in either the Berlin Zoo, the Tivoli Gardens or a park in Hamilton, Ont. There was some disagreement among the three about this.

There was no disagreement over the smallest crowd, that was at Man and His World in Montreal.

Performing in Berlin was a special thrill because many American servicemen were on hand to hear them. Also in Berlin, they got several standing ovations.

The most memorable concert was the last, performed in Flint. According to Lynn it was a "neat concert. It was so sad, saying goodbye."

WITH AN EYE to a bargain and an ear to music, Randy reported that he liked the little village of Kolding, Denmark, because it was there that he

was able to buy piano music more cheaply than he could at home.

Linda also brought back a musical bargain, a lovely new bass recorder. Lynn's best buy was a ski sweater.

All brought back some new tastes in food, chocolate paste, bread and cheese for breakfast and yogurt, but they didn't think much of eating undercooked hamburger or raw bacon.

Differences in language posed very little difficulty during the tour. Many people in Holland and Denmark spoke some English, and all three of the teenagers have studied German. They found people very helpful to those who spoke a foreign language, "more helpful than we are over here," they commented.

However a difference in styles of writing dates did earn Linda an unexpected birthday. Looking at her driver's license with her birthday listed American style, as 2-7 and the year, her host family read it, European style as July 2 instead of Feb. 7 and treated her to a surprise

party on that date. It was very surprising to Linda.

THE GROUP decided that European teenagers are very similar to American teenagers, and that "they dress even worse than American kids." They also seemed to do more "smoking and drinking, and made Americans seem like the fuddy-duddies." But they can't drive an automobile until they are 18. The American teenagers also decided that the Europeans are very friendly and not so apt to be "cliquey" as they are in this country.

They also remarked that the cleanliness of the parts of Europe they visited made New York and Washington look very dirty.

Home again, one of their big projects is getting their photographs developed, especially those of their host families.

Dahlia Club Plans Tour Of Gardens

The Southeastern Michigan Dahlia Society will hold its annual garden tour this Sunday, Aug. 29.

The following gardens will be open for inspection by both members and the general public at stated times:

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rochelleau, 18212 Inkster Rd., Detroit, (Between Five and Six Mile Rds.), 1:30 p.m.
John Zatkovich, 5975 Janet St., Taylor, (south on Inkster Rd. to Van Born, left on Van Born to two blocks past Beech Daly, and right on Janet St.), 2:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Furrow, 4477 Culver, Dearborn Heights, (five blocks west of the Southfield Expressway and two blocks south of Outer Drive), 3:30 p.m.

Robert Shelley, 4016 Culver, Dearborn Heights, 4 p.m.

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Amusements Casting Call

Auditions will begin for "Fiddler On the Roof" this weekend in the Jewish Community Center, 18100 Meyers Rd., Detroit.

Tryouts will be on Sunday, Aug. 29, from 3 to 6 p.m., Aug. 30 and Aug. 31, at 8 p.m., Sept. 5, from 2 to 5 p.m., and Sept. 8, at 8 p.m.

The Southgate Community Players will hold open tryouts for a production of "Hello Dolly," in November.

Auditions will be held at the Southgate Recreation Center, 14390 Dix-Toledo Rd., Southgate, Sunday Aug. 29, from 3 to 9 p.m. and Monday and Tuesday, Aug. 30 and 31, from 7:30 to 11 p.m.

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from the balcony

Film listed in this guide are showing at area theaters. Check the theater listings for the specific theater and time of showings.

CARNAL KNOWLEDGE — A Jules Feiffer - Mike Nichols movie about two men's lives and feelings about women. With Jack Nicholson and Candice Bergen. (R, none).

VANISHING POINT — Barry Newman and his car try to outrun the police of three states, meeting some interesting characters en route. Good direction. (GP, B).

THE LOVE MACHINE — Jacqueline Susann's book about the world of show business and television is brought to the screen. If you liked the book... (R, none).

ON ANY SUNDAY — This film deals with people who race motorcycles on Sunday afternoons. Tells of two participants and their travels. (GP, none).

KLUKE — An adult mystery, with Donald Sutherland as a detective and Jane Fonda as a call girl. (G, none).

RYAN'S DAUGHTER — Photographic effects and a mature ending make this a good film. Irish Rosy Ryan is looking for "something more." (GP, A-3).

LE MANS — Shot on location in Europe and starring Steve McQueen. It's a thrilling account of automobile racing. (G, none).

BUTCH CASSIDY AND THE SUNDANCE KID — Paul Newman plays the legendary Butch Cassidy in a humorous account of his exploits. (GP, A-3).

SUMMER OF '42 — A nostalgic recollection by a grown man of the summer he was 15. Gary Grimes, Jerry Houser and Oliver Conant play boyhood pals at the Cape. (R, A-4).

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ALGERS Drive-In WA 2-8310
WESTLAND
3 BIG COLOR HITS
#1-ALLI MACGRAW
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#2-LIZA MINELLI
"THE STERILE CUCKOO" (GP)
#3-ROBERT REDFORD
"LITTLE FAUNTS AND BIG HAIRST" (R)

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TOM LAUGHLIN
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PENTHOUSE I 261-8900
PAUL NEWMAN
"BUTCH CASSIDY AND THE SUNDANCE KID" (GP)
ELLIOTT GOULD
"M.A.S.H." (R)

PENTHOUSE II 261-8900
JANE FONDA
"KLUKE" (R)

Festival Set

The Scandinavian Ethnic Festival, "Spirit of Scandinavia," will get under way at 6 p.m. Friday, Aug. 27, on the Detroit waterfront when Mayor Roman Gribbs' staff and Detroit councilmen greet a delegation of the festival committee and Scandinavian royal consuls.

The weekend festival will open at 12 noon on Saturday and Sunday and run through 11 p.m. Booths and Scandinavian food will be featured along with copious entertainment by the Finlandia and Arpi Swedish Male Chorus and the Scandinavian Symphony Ensemble.

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