

14 Young Pianists To Play

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Fourteen piano students ranging in age from 11 to 17 will take part in an honors recital under the auspices of Schoolcraft College's fine arts department.

It will be at 3:30 p.m. Sunday, May 20, in the Liberal Arts Theater on the SC campus, Haggerty Road, between Six and Seven Mile, Livonia.

As part of the department's continuing program to establish communication with private piano teachers and to provide an opportunity for talented young

people to perform in public, piano teachers were requested to submit the names of three students for consideration.

Additions were heard by Donald Morelock, head of Schoolcraft's piano department, and by Mrs. Mildred Livingston, a Livonia piano

teacher. Evaluation sheets were mailed to the teachers.

Students were selected to play in the recital on the basis of their ratings and on the basis of building an interesting and varied program. Therefore, some students with high ratings were not chosen.

The program will include Bob Goings of Livonia, playing "Rodeo Country" by Jon George and "Fantasia" by Bach; Julie Borosodi of Garden City, Clementi's Sonata in C major (first movement); Melinda Crute of Livonia, "Folk Tune" and "Drunkard's Song" by Bartok; Jill Christensen of Livonia, "Tarantella" by Pizzozzoni; Julie Bloxson of Livonia, Clementi's Sonata in D major, Opus 35, No. 6 (first movement); and Stuart Rogoff of Detroit, "Papillon" by Grieg.

In B flat major, Op. 28, No. 21; Lisa Frank of Livonia, "The Horseman" by Kabalevsky; and Patti Tanner of Livonia, Mendelssohn's "Spring Song."

Still others are Karen Bowyer of Livonia, playing the first movement of Beethoven's Sonata No. 1, Op. 2; Debbie Bowden of Livonia, Debussy's "Arabesque" in E major; and Cheri Neal of Plymouth, Kabalevsky's Sonata in C major, Op. 13, No. 1.

Teachers representing are Mrs. Linda Wroter of Livonia, Mrs. Marian Stickle of Livonia, Mrs. Christine Franges of Redford Township, Mrs. Lucy Stevens of Detroit, Mrs. Jean Candlish of Livonia, Mrs. Anne Sarin of Westland, Mrs. Ruth Hil-dreth of Livonia, and Mrs. Julianna Kan of Plymouth.

Plymouth Offers Art, Architecture Exhibits

Exhibitions of Michigan architecture and art go on display in Plymouth this weekend.

Both are being presented under sponsorship of the Plymouth Fine Arts Council in cooperation with the Michigan Council for the Arts. They will be open to the public without charge.

The art exhibit consists of more than 30 lithographs and drawings by John de Martelly, the versatile 65-year-old artist-in-residence at Michigan State University.

These will be seen as part of a Kaleidoscope-Arts exhibit in the Masonic Temple, Plymouth. It will be open

Sunday, May 20, through Thursday, May 24, and following that, it will be at Plymouth-Canton High School.

The architectural exhibit opens today (May 19) in the Dunning-Hough Library on Main Street and will be there until May 26. Then it will be moved to Plymouth-Salem High School, until June 15.

De Martelly, who was trained as a painter, is probably best known for his work in stone lithography. His forte for the past 25 years at MSU has been teaching students to draw their impressions in stone and then print the results.

In 1943 de Martelly was

painting in New Hampshire and selling his work in New York City. Before that, he spent seven years as head of the graphic arts department at Kansas City Art Institute.

He has studied in England and Italy as well as in the U.S.

The architectural exhibit consists of 30 large black and white photographs. It traces the progress of Michigan architecture since its statehood in 1837. The collection was assembled from a Wayne State University collection.

Emphasis is given to the work of three great Michigan architects, Albert Kahn (1869-1942); Eliel Saarinen (1873-1950); and his son, Eero Saarinen (1910-1961). Also featured are the Michigan works of Frank Lloyd Wright (1869-1959), considered one of America's greatest architects.

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Mercy Offers Dance, Drama Workshops

A summer theater workshop and a dance class will be offered to high school juniors and seniors as well as college students at Mercy College of Detroit, 8200 W. Outer Drive.

Classes will begin Monday, June 25, and run through July 28.

Three college credits will be offered for each program. Tuition for each is \$100.

The workshops will conclude with the production of a play, including dance, for public performances.

Theater classes will meet daily from 11 a.m. to 12 noon and from 1 to 3 p.m. Dance classes will be from 9:30 to 11 a.m. daily.

Students Sell 'Pots, Prints'

BLOOMFIELD HILLS Cranbrook Academy of Art's student sale, "Pots and Prints," is being held from dawn to dusk May 19-21. It will be held at 500 Lone Pine Road.

Ceramic prices will start at \$1 and print prices, at \$10.

Wheeler Wins Blue Ribbon

MT. PLEASANT The best in art from students attending 43 high schools in Michigan is currently on display in Central Michigan University's Ronald Hall Art Gallery. Among the blue ribbon winners is Mark Wheeler of Plymouth - Salem High School.

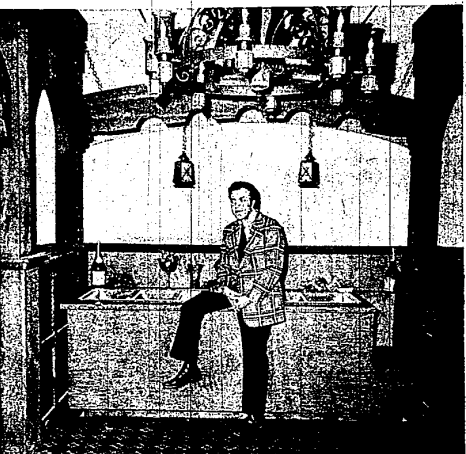


MARK D. OLSON of Plymouth is one of 10 Detroit area students participating in a benefit concert to be given by the Interlochen Arts Academy Studio (Jazz) Orchestra and Academy Chorale. It will be at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, May 20, in the Fisher Theater, Detroit. Mark is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Olson of N. Evergreen.

Beginin Has Work In Show

Igor Beginin of Plymouth is one of three artists being featured this month in an exhibit in Gallery 22, 22 E. Long Lake, Bloomfield Hills. The exhibit is entitled "Three Approaches to Water-color."

Beginin teaches art at Eastern Michigan University.



SAM ZAWIDEH, owner of Livonia's newest restaurant, the Cordoba, is seated at a salad bar separating the restaurant's two smaller dining rooms. The Cordoba, which opens Sunday, has a blend of Spanish and Moorish decor. (Observer photo)

Restaurant Has Spanish Decor, American Food

A visit to Spain last year has given the name and theme to Livonia's newest restaurant.

It's the Cordoba (housed in what was formerly Master's), across from the Livonia Mall on Seven Mile west of Middle Belt.

In redecorating and enlarging the inside of the Spanish style building, Sam Zawideh said he tried "to combine the gaiety of the Spanish with the sophistication of the Moors."

He estimates that it has cost around \$150,000 to get the effects he wants, and to ready facilities for handling a lot of people.

It was Zawideh who made the trip to southern Spain, and was particularly impressed by Cordoba. Besides being noted for its blend of Moorish and Spanish, Cordoba is famous for its wines.

Wines will be on tap, from kegs set in the wall, when the new restaurant opens its doors for the first time to the public at 3 p.m. Sunday, May 20.

But the accent, according to Zawideh, will be on family dining. Prices will range from \$2.95 for a dinner of home-chopped sirloin steak to \$5.95 for a 22-ounce T-bone steak (U.S. Choice). A lobster dinner will be only \$7.95.

And though the decor is Old World, the food will be American. Steaks and seafood dinners will be featured.

Each of the three dining areas features its own help-yourself salad bar, and you can go back as often as you wish.

One of the appetizers will be based on a Jordanese recipe. Called "falafil," according to Zawideh, "Nobody can eat just one."

If you'd prefer a cocktail with your dinner, fast service is guaranteed. Zawideh has installed a \$20,000 electronic bar, and drinks are ready with the push of a button or two.

The highlight of the entryway is a huge brass rice cooker, imported from India.

Organists Plan Choral Clinic

DETROIT The Detroit chapter, American Guild of Organists, will hold its final dinner meeting of the season in Bushnell Congregational Church, 15000 Southfield Road, at 8:15 p.m., Monday, May 21.

Dr. William Lemonds will conduct a choral clinic. He is chairman of the department of music and director of music at Emory University, Atlanta, Ga. New officers will be installed at 8.

Chorus Sings In Oak Park

OAK PARK The Oak Park Civic Chorus will present its fifth annual spring concert at 8 p.m., Sunday, May 20, in the Oak Park High School Auditorium. Tickets will be sold at the door.

Beyond this is a lounge with brass-topped small tables.

The dining-rooms, two of which seat 50 each and one 100-150, are lined with dark-stained cedar shakes and have red and black carpeting and black upholstery.

Plenty of brass and copper are used throughout.

Upstairs is a banquet room, seating 200. The new restaurant will be

open seven days a week, 365 days a year, promises Zawideh, who gets a lot of help from his five children. He also owns the Encore restaurants in four metropolitan area malls, including the Livonia Mall.

The Cordoba's hours will be 11 a.m. to 11 p.m., Monday-Thursday; 11 a.m. to 12 p.m., Saturday; and 3 to 10 p.m., Sunday.



ONE OF THE first things to greet your eyes as you enter the Cordoba is this huge brass pot. Imported from India, it's a rice cooker.

Symphony Society Sets Annual Meet

The Plymouth Symphony Society will hold its annual meeting at 6:30 p.m., Wednesday, May 23, in Plymouth Junior High West, Ann Arbor Trail and Sheldor Road.

Reports on the past season will be presented and new board members will be nominated. Awards will be given to the society's 1973 scholarship winners.

Society members and their families are asked to take a dish to pass for a pot luck dinner and their own table service. Meats and beverages will be provided.

Artists Hear Exhibit Critic

BIRMINGHAM Under auspices of the Michigan Water Color Society, Dennis Adrian will give a talk in the Bloomfield Art Association, 1515 S. Cranbrook, at 8 p.m., Sunday, May 20.

Adrian is art critic of the Chicago Daily News and professor of art at Illinois Institute of Technology.

Adrian will be in Birmingham to jury the society's 27th annual exhibition, which will open June 9. The 27-year-old society was formed as a coalition of professional artists and now has more than 300 members.

Kennedy Film To Premiere

DETROIT The Detroit television premiere of the film "John F. Kennedy: Years of Lightning, Day of Drums" will be presented at 8:30 p.m., Tuesday, May 29, on WKBD-TV, Channel 50. May 29 marks the 56th anniversary of Pres. Kennedy's birth.

Originally produced by the U.S. Information Agency for exhibition in foreign countries, the 90-minute film is the story of Pres. Kennedy's two years and 10 months in office. It was made available for American theater and television audiences by a special act of congress.

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