

Art Institute Announces Youth Theater Season

The largest, most varied program of live professional Youth Theatre attractions ever scheduled in the city's history will be offered by the Theatre Arts department of The Detroit Institute of Arts this season.

Recognizing the importance of the program to nearly 400,000 Detroit school children, Mayor Jerome P. Cavanagh announced the details of professional productions booked for weekday performances in both school auditoriums and the 1200-seat theatre of the museum itself, October through May.

Additionally, 34 successive weeks of "Something Every Saturday" for the city's young

people will continue to be offered at the Art Institute.

THE MUSEUM'S Youth Theatre previously has established itself as the largest professional theatre for children in the United States. No city in the country has a comparable program.

With professional companies especially organized for touring, the Youth Theatre will stage live musicals and plays direct from New York, live dramas, puppet and marionette shows, and live presentations with outstanding artists in the areas of dance, music and theatre who explain as well as entertain.

performances will be scheduled under the direction of Dr. Austley Grossman, curator of theatre arts at the museum, and Mickey Miners, coordinator of Youth Theatre activities.

THE SEASON is divided into four parts each month: "Great stories in Film" (drama), "Jr. Town Hall" special, musicals and plays, and "The Puppet Theatre."

The "Jr. Town Hall" will see 60 performances in school auditoriums, and the musicals and plays will be staged 80 times for school children in the Art Institute's auditorium.

Also, 72 performances, including free children's film classics, will be offered on the "Something Every Saturday" series at the museum.

Highlights of the season include "Mother Goose Go-Go" by Manhattan's WGBS-TV Street Players and the Detroit premiere of "Young Martin Luther King, Jr.," a new musical specifically directed toward junior and senior high school students.

The season also features a modern rock version of Mark Twain's classic "A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court" and the American premiere of the new musical "Ramplesitiska!"

All 34 attractions are listed in the Youth Theatre brochure now available at the Art Institute Ticket Office.

Coupon books for 10 productions are available at the Art Institute Ticket Office at a special reduced rate. For complete listings bound up in a bright brochure, call the Ticket Office (262-2730), or pick them up at all Hudson's box offices.

Saturday performances at the Art Institute are at 11 a.m. and 2 p.m.

Amusements

Miniature 'Madame Butterfly' Set On Schoolcraft Stage

LIVONIA Small stages just don't hold grand productions and because of this the Schoolcraft College Masque Players have come up with a unique approach to staging the classic opera, "Madame Butterfly," on the small stage of the Liberal Arts Theatre on the campus.

The performance will be done in miniature with 12-inch high puppets appearing on stage. The puppets are built in the middle-European style which means that there are no visible controls on the characters.

A new sound system is being installed in the theater as the musical background will be provided by Metropolitan star Anna Motro with the orchestra and chorus at the Rome Royal Opera House.

"Madame Butterfly" is a romantic tragedy about a Geisha girl, Cho-Cho-San, who falls in love with and marries an American Navy Lieutenant, Benjamin F. Pinkerton. According to the

custom of Japan, the marriage is binding only so long as Pinkerton remains with his wife. Pinkerton returns to America and marries another woman, while Cho-Cho-San faithfully awaits his return. When Pinkerton finally does return to Japan with his new wife, Cho-Cho-San sadly takes her life by her father's sword.

Performances of the production are scheduled Oct. 1, 2, 3 and 4 beginning at 8 p.m. Tickets are priced at \$1.00 for general admission and \$1 for Schoolcraft students.

Groups wishing to schedule other performances should contact Ralph Kelley, the director, at the college. Additional performances may be scheduled on Saturday afternoons in December for young people if enough interest exists.

On Sept. 29 and 30, preliminary screening will be done by a jury of three prominent craftsmen: John H. Stephenson, professor of art, ceramics, Ann Arbor; William J. Girard, instructor in fine arts, Society of Artists and Crafts, Detroit; and Miss Joyce Chown, master of textile studio, Sheridan College School of Design, Port Credit, Ontario.

This phase of jurying will be done from 35 mm color slides.

All craftsmen whose slides are accepted by the preliminary screening jury will be asked to submit actual works for final jurying by John Paul Smith, Director of the Museum of Contemporary Crafts, New York City on Oct. 27.

Purchase prizes and awards totaling nearly \$2,000 will be announced at the opening of the exhibition.

A prospectus with complete details and entry forms is available from the Art Institute.

NARCO Benefit Opens Largest Antique Show

An estimated 150 exhibitors from 92 cities will show their wares during the Detroit Fall Antiques Show-Sale in the Light Guard Armory Sept. 24 through 28.

A special champagne preview to benefit NARCO is scheduled at 8 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 23. The show is the state's and midwest's largest antique show. It is rated as one of the "Top 20" tourist attractions nationally by the National Association of Travel Organizations and attracts antique connoisseurs, novice antiquers, interior decorators, do-it-yourself hobbyists and history buffs.

White many of the displays are comprised of rare museum pieces, there are just as many down-to-earth, highly practical items that will fit into today's homes.

Furniture refinishing seminars will be conducted at 3 and 8 p.m., daily and at 7 p.m. on Sunday as a free service of the show.

Tickets to the special preview are priced at \$10, which is tax deductible. They may be purchased at any one of the six centrally located Observer Newspaper offices.

The ticket admits the person to the preview and then a re-

turn visit to the show starting with an early 11 a.m. opening and 9 p.m. closing during the days of the show.

NARCO (the Narcotics Addiction Rehabilitation Coordination Organization) seeks to aid in the rehabilitation of drug users and to prevent the spread of drug abuse.

Wayne County Circuit Judge John B. Swanson heads the rehabilitation organization. Swanson is a former governor of the State of Michigan.

Exhibits in the show will include clocks, dolls, furniture, jewelry, tools, toys, primitives, paintings, prints, books, china, silver, glass, picture frames, Oriental rugs, statuary, jade, ivory, porcelains, coins, medals, steins, lamps, lamp shades and parts, decorative accessories, and even old-fashioned candies.

The Armory is located at 4400 East Eight Mile Road. Food service is available in the armory and free parking is located nearby.

Hours of the general show are 1 to 11 p.m. Sept. 24 to 27 and from 1 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Sunday, Sept. 28.

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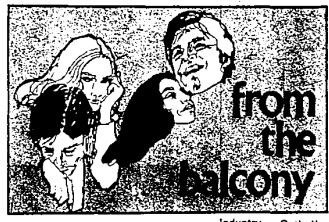
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Cinema I Cinema II Livonia Mall	Number One That Cold Day in the Park	M R	A-3 None
Civic - Farmington	The Bridge At Remagen	M	None
La Parisien Ford and Middlebelt Garden City	3 Into 2 Won't Go Prudence And The Pill	R None	None B
Mai Kai Farmington and Plymouth Rds., Livonia	The Italian Job	G	A-2
Penn Penniman Ave. Plymouth	Camelot	None	A-2
Quo Vadis Warren and Wayne Rds. opposite Westland	Bullitt Bonnie and Clyde	M None	A-3 A-4
Quo Vadis Penthouse I	The Graduate	None	A-4
Quo Vadis Penthouse II	Doctor Zhivago	None	A-2
Terrace Plymouth Rd. east of Merriman, Livonia	Me, Natalie	M	None

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Coin Show Set

The Rochester Coin Club's annual show will be held Sunday, Sept. 21, in the new Elks Club Building, 600 West University Drive, Rochester. Hours of the show are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. A total of 20 booth dealers from Michigan and Canada will be at the show.

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Dali Prints Exhibition Feature

PLYMOUTH

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In addition to the colorful prints the showing includes sketches of Shakespeare, the famous Don Quixote figure and illustrations of some 1800 era carriages.

All of the prints are original prints of lithographs which the artist designed specifically for this medium. Every print carries the Dali signature.

The exhibit continues through Sept. 25.

Ice Revue
Opens Oct. 14

Holiday on Ice, the Madison Square Garden produced skating revue, comes to Detroit's Cobo Arena for eight performances Oct. 14 through 19.

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