

Amusements

Westland Group Hosts 'Harvey'

A six-foot white rabbit will visit Livonia March 19, 20, and 21 as the Westland Community Theatre Group presents its own production of "Harvey." The play will be staged in Dickinson Junior High School and is the workshop project of the current 10-week course offered by the Livonia Parks and Recreation Department and the Westland group.

Bob Knowles is director of the local production, while Nelson Cotshall will appear as Elwood P. Dowd and Jackie Amperse as his sister and Pat Knowles as his niece.

Also appearing in the cast are: Bob Evans; Lily Burdo; Kelly White; Don Atkins; Kingsley Page; Peg Knowles; Milo Jordan and Jim Janek.

Producer Peg Knowles will introduce the cast during a special "pre-glow" on Feb. 20.

Tickets for either the pre-glow or the productions may be obtained by calling Celine Werner at 425-3573 or Peg Knowles at 421-3352.

Comic Debuts

Bobby Ferraro, young California comedian just returned from Vietnam, will make his debut in this area as he begins a one week engagement at the 24 Karat Club Monday, March 2.

Mischakoff

Solos At Center

Mischa Mischakoff will play Mendelssohn's violin concerto in E Minor with the Center Symphony Orchestra March 3 in the Jewish Community Center.

Concert time is 8:30 p.m. in the Aaron DeRoy Theater of the center, 18100 Meyers Road, Detroit. Julius Chajes is conductor of the orchestra.

The program will open with Palestinian Melodies by Julius Chajes, in honor of Jewish Music Month. Beethoven's Seventh Symphony is also listed on the program.



SKATERS—Cindy Gehlke (front) and Mary Kreson will appear in Les Patineurs (The Skaters) during the Suburban Concert Ballet Saturday, Feb. 28. Curtain time is 8 p.m. in the Mercy High School Auditorium, 11 Mile and Middle Belt, Farmington. Tickets may be obtained by contacting the Farmington Community Arts Council at 474-7878.

Rembrandt Exhibit Starts Today In Institute

The largest most ambitious showing of Rembrandt since the late '30s in Detroit will open at the Institute of Arts, Wednesday, Feb. 25.

It is unlikely that the area will have another opportunity in this generation to see such an extraordinary collection of the artist's work.

Titled "Rembrandt After 300 Years" to mark the 300th anniversary of the Dutch master's death, the huge display of paintings, drawings and etchings features 96 works by Rembrandt van Rijn as well as 136 creations by 20 of his most eminent pupils.

The exhibition will be housed in 11 galleries of the Art Institute's south wing. General admission will be \$1, students 50 cents, through Sunday, April 5.

MUSEUMS and collectors from 11 countries have loaned for this biggest of the tercentenary shows in the United States. New York's Metropolitan Museum of Art and Paris' Louvre are two of the institute lenders.

One of the most elaborate settings ever designed for a museum show will also add beauty to the traveling treasures. Some 300 separate ceiling spotlights will bathe the pictures among newly constructed green and gold colored stagings on two levels of the South Wing.

The installation is under the supervision of Dr. Frederick Cummings, assistant director. Brought to Detroit by the Founders Society Detroit Institute of Arts at a local cost of \$125,000, the exhibition was organized and underwritten by the three arts museums of Chicago, Minneapolis and Detroit.

IN SHOWINGS in the other two cities, attendance records have been set. In Chicago alone nearly 210,000 people viewed Rembrandt during a six-week period.

While the paintings and drawings of Rembrandt himself have proved the principal public interest, response to the high level of the master's pupils has been one of excited surprise. This is one of the scholarly aims of the exhibition illustration of the influence of the innovative Rembrandt on the painting of his era.

Special to the Detroit scheduling of "Rembrandt After 300

Years" will be a bonus showing of his etchings.

The Rembrandt exhibition will be open both Tuesday and Friday evenings until 9:30 p.m., the rest until 9 p.m., both special conveniences during the exhibition's run. Regular hours will continue, daily except Mondays, 9:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m.

The museum will be open Good Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. and Easter Sunday from 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.



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LA PARISIEN
GARDEN CITY GA 1-0210
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"BOB & CAROL & TED & ALICE" (R)
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Mat. Wed. 1 Show 1 p.m.
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Ski Heil

By "BILL" CAMERON

J.P. McCarthy, Othmar Schneider, Everett Kircher and Marty Pavelich — put them all together and what do you have? A swinging weekend at Boyne Mountain!

Not to be overlooked was the first International Slalom Derby sanctioned by the F.I.S. (Federation International de Ski), to be held in the midwest. The magnetic personality of J.P. was enough to make the evening festivities successful (those hell bottoms were something else) but all of the action took place on the hill.

A young Swedish boy, Anders Hanson, took first place with a combined time of 75.10 seconds, while Cory Adgate, Boyne City, and a Central Division racer placed second with a clocking of 75.98! In the women's division, 15 year old Brenda Walker of Gaylord, placed first with a combined time of 81.71 seconds, followed by Canadian Donna Defee, 82.84 seconds.

MUCH OF the credit for this successful event has to go to the organizational ability of Everett Kircher and the technical ability of Othmar Schneider. Kircher, no mean competitor himself in his younger days, could organize a race in his sleep if he had to. Othmar, of course, was a former Olympic gold medal winner and is recognized as one of the outstanding ski technicians in the world. His 52 gale course on Hemlock was a sight to behold.

Any race, big or small, takes many bodies to function properly. Credit must be given to President Carl Grebe of the United States Ski Association-Central Division, and the host ski clubs, Ski-nicks of Detroit and the Vagabonds of Milwaukee.

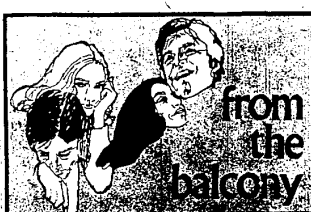
Even Chuck Moll, manager of Boyne Mountain, had a smile on his face.

What about Marty Pavelich? It seems that Marty has developed a skiing style that has Everett Kircher entranced. It sounds worthy of an interview for a future article. I'd be interested in finding out how the former Red Wing hockey great got hooked on skiing.

TOW LINES Still openings on the Livonia Park & Recreation Department trip to Boyne Country this weekend via United Skiers Service leaving from Wonderland Mall at 6:30 p.m. I inadvertently left out the phone number of the U.S. service last week; here it is — 278-1711.

My oldest son, Keith, was so interested in my article about the Nastar Race program, he entered it on Sunday at Boyne Mountain. His time was 43.6, good enough for a bronze medal! Not bad for the first time ever down a race course.

Next week at this time I'll be skiing the slopes of Verbier, Switzerland and the week after that Val d'Isere, France.



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

FILM	Industry Rating	Catholic Rating
The Arrangement	R	B
Bob & Carol & Ted & Alice	R	B
The Computer Wore Tennis Shoes	G	A-3
Funny Girl	G	A-2
Hoppy Ending	G	A-1
Halle Dolly	G	A-3
Jenny	GP	A-4
Midnight Cowboy	GP	None
Only Game In Town	GP	None
Rachel, Rachel	GP	A-3
Secret of Santa Vittoria	GP	A-2
Support Your Local Sheriff	GP	A-1
They Shoot Horses Don't They	None	A-3



THE ACCUSED—Deborah Callahan (left) and Frances Iadonisi point fingers at David Eastman in this scene from the upcoming Wayne Civic Players production of "The Crucible." Curtain time is 8:30 p.m. March 6 and 7 and 7:30 p.m. March 8 in Westland's John Glenn High School. For tickets contact Ann Button at 261-3183. (Observer photo)

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