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# OCC Sculptor To Get Award

# Madonna To Present Concert

## Students, Teachers Guests At Concert

Three different groups will be guests of the Redford Township Music Society Sunday at a Christmas concert featuring the Redford Civic Symphony and the South Oakland Chapter of the Sweet Adelines.

The concert will begin at 4 p.m. in Redford Union High School, 1771 Kinloch.

The society's guests will be the American Foreign Service Exchange students in this area and their American families, senior citizens and teachers from the township's parochial schools.

Tickets will be available at the door. Memberships in the society are also being sold by Mrs. Bernadine Kargul, 1512 Woodbine, Detroit, 48229.

The Girl Scout Cadettes of Troop 1159 will provide babysitting service for small children.

Refreshments will be provided at the "afterglow," and all will have an opportunity to meet members of the symphony and of the society.

## Christmas Opera To Be Presented

Tickets will be available at the door for the performance of "Amahl and the Night Visitors" Sunday, Dec. 13, at 3:30 p.m.

The popular Christmas opera by Gian-Carlo Menotti will be staged in the Northville High School auditorium, Eight Mile and Sheldon roads.

The program is being presented by Overture to Opera, the producing arm of the Detroit Grand Opera Assn. under the sponsorship of the Northville Overture to Opera Committee.

The same cast will perform the play later this month in the Detroit Institute of Arts.

Tickets are \$3 for adults and \$2 for students. Mrs. Harold Wright, 349-1276, is in charge of ticket sales.

A trio of sculptors from Farmington's Orchard Ridge campus of Oakland Community College will have their works displayed in the 58th Exhibition for Michigan Artists.

The exhibition opens Wednesday, Dec. 16, in the Detroit Institute of Arts, 5200 Woodward.

The works of the local sculptors are among 197 works by 153 Michigan artists in the show.

**THE ORCHARD RIDGE** sculptors include two who call Farmington home and a third who lived in Farmington until several years ago. One is a teacher and two are students.

The teacher is Ted Striewski, an associate professor at OCC who teaches sculpture to some 90 students and also looks after one arts and crafts class.

He will have on display in the Detroit show a four-piece laminated polyester resin and fiberglass sculpture entitled "Uplight."

Charles Green, who lives in Farmington when he's not out to Europe or Katmandu, Nepal, won an award with his blue plastic banana in black leather, with a zipper peal, encased in a light plexiglass box.

But just what award he won won't be known until Tuesday evening when museum director Willis F. Woods announces the prizes and awards. He will make the announcement at an invitational dinner immediately preceding an evening reception.

Cash awards will total nearly \$8,000.

The third sculptor at OCC to win recognition is Mark Stein of Walled Lake. His entry is of large tie and dye cloth bags filled with soft materials. It is entitled "Cl-gar and Pears."

Striewski, who believes that "in order to do anything well you have to concentrate" is in his 16th year of teaching art and his fourth year at OCC. He began college teaching when OCC opened. Before that he taught high school art in Fraser.

**HE RECEIVED** his bachelor's and master's degrees from Wayne State University.

He also studied for a year at the University of California, Berkeley, under a John Hay Fellowship.

His wife, Gloria, is a school social worker in Bloomfield Hills and they have three children, Bambi, 14, Cameron, 10, and Shelly, nine.



**ARTISTS AT WORK** -- Discussing plans for a new sculpture are Charles Green (left), a student at the Orchard Ridge campus of Oakland Community College, and his teacher, Ted Striewski.

Striewski, who enjoys teaching, says that some of the best works of sculpture go unnoted because they are not appreciated.

He believes that people need to be brought up to date on what is happening in art and sculpture, and recom-

mends that those interested "in changing their attitudes" towards sculpture should study in schools, read and go to art shows. He says that many adults take his classes.

Some day Striewski hopes to do some traveling as his student, Charles Green, has done. Striewski believes that travel has been of benefit to Green as an artist.

And Green is hoping his next trip will be a short one, from OCC to Wayne State. He hopes to spend his life in art or an art-related field. He is a graduate of Bloomfield High School and his only other award has been for a

piece of sculpture he entered in a high school show.

Stein is going further than Detroit to pursue his interest in art. He will be leaving shortly for Seattle, where he will attend the University of Washington.

"Sculpture is the only thing I enjoy doing," he reports.

**THE EXHIBITION** which has sculpture in many materials, also has oil paintings, calligraphy and photography. It will be open through Feb. 7 during regular museum hours, Tuesdays through Sundays from 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

"Sing We Now of Christ-mas," a Christmas concert will be presented in Madonna College Sunday, Dec. 13, at 8 p.m. in the Student Center, 36600 Schoolcraft, Livonia.

The meaning of Christmas will be presented in a variety of ways. Performing will be the College Choir, as well as guest male singers, a string ensemble and a dance group.

Well-known Christmas melodies will be interspersed with lighter pieces and with music from the great masters.

Admission to the concert is a donation of \$1.50 for adults, and \$1 for students.



**DICK BENSEK**

Queen Elizabeth I of England had a notorious sweet tooth! Her pockets were always filled with candies and any-one who wished to be looked on favorably took care to dream up some new kind of candy to present to her. No doubt this is what led her apothecary to experiment with using the juice of the vanilla bean as a flavoring for "marchpane" (marzipan). This was the first time the Mexican pod had been used to flavor anything but the chocolate drink of the Aztecs! Elizabeth was enchanted, and asked for vanilla flavoring in other sweet things as well — which explains, perhaps, why vanilla is so popular today?

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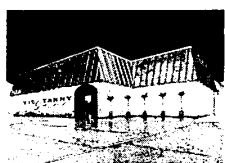
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**AN AWARD-WINNING BANANA**—Charles Green, a Farmington art student, will receive an award for this piece of sculpture, a blue plastic banana in a black leather peel, at the Michigan Artists Exhibition in the Detroit Institute of Arts.

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**GETTING TOGETHER**

5:30 P.M.

**Barbara McNair**

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