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Keeping members in touch with the Wisconsin Union

QUARTERLY

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If You Want To See What Madison's Really Like...

Go To The Terrace On A Hot Summer Night

Union members often cite the Terrace as a major reason for joining the Wisconsin Union. What makes this outdoor venue such a defining feature of Madison? What prompts people to wear t-shirts with day-glo lawn furniture hovering over a silk-screened "Terrace" logo? What's the fascination?

The answer is simple. With the majority of Madison weather belonging to that part of the seasonal calendar called winter, summer is a rare occurrence worth celebrating. When the weather improves, droves of Madisonians (as well as not quite Madisonians) flock to the Terrace—the summer's rite of passage. Not until one spends some quality time with Lake Mendota's ducks, purchases a cold beverage and sits back in one of those famous Terrace chairs, can summer be officially heralded in.

There's a real sense of community found on the Terrace. Everyone has trudged through the same long winter and now gathers together for beer, brats and Babcock ice cream. They share the sunset together, and they share the music late into the night.

What's the fascination with the Terrace? What's not fascinating? It's one of the few places where people can and still do get together to celebrate simply being.

*Paul Cebal and the
Milwaukeeans perform
on the Terrace June 14th*

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THE WISCONSIN UNION



Hoofer Sailing Club Youth Classes

Does your son or daughter want to learn to sail this summer? If so, sign them up for sailing lessons with the Wisconsin Hoofers on Lake Mendota. As a Union member, you can enroll your child in the Hoofer Youth Sailing Program. Beginning and intermediate sailing and windsurfing classes are available for youths, ages 10 - 17, throughout the summer, beginning June 17. All classes are taught by experienced instructors and early registration is recommended. Call Youth Sailing Program Coordinator Jim Rogers at 262-1630 for more information.

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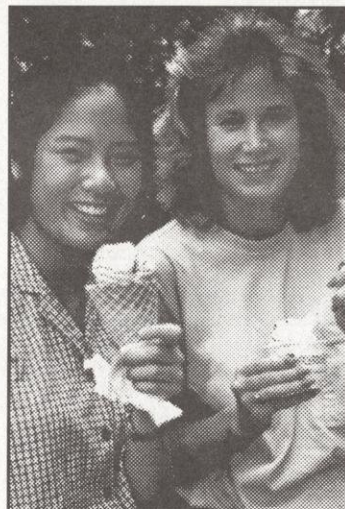
Union South Summer Bowling Leagues

Get out of the heat and enjoy some cool summer fun with a bowling league in the Union South Games Room! Sign up now for leagues beginning the week of June 17. Anyone can join a league; create a team or come as an individual and we'll find a team for you. For more information, call 263-2514.

New Sunday Morning Breakfast Menu... In The Lakefront Cafe

Join us for *Beauty and the Feast* every Sunday morning from 8 am -12:30 pm in the Lakefront Cafe. Our expanded menu features new, sure-to-please items:

- Gourmet Coffee
- Chorizo & Eggs with Jack Cheese
- Eggs Benedict
- Spanish-Style Omelette
- Cheese Blintz with Fresh Blueberry Topping
- Broccoli Cheese Quiche



Ten Union Activities For Under \$10!

Being a Union member certainly has its privileges. Here are ten activities Union members (and their guests) can participate in without spending a fortune.

1. Buy a bag of popcorn from the Stiftskeller for yourself (and a couple of ducks), rent a canoe from Outdoor Rentals and explore Lake Mendota for two hours.
2. Enjoy a cup of gourmet coffee from the Deli Sweet Shop and then catch an art nouveau flick at the Play Circle Theater.
3. Take the family out for Babcock ice cream.
4. Shoot some pool at the Memorial Union Games Room with friends and feast on nachos.
5. Take a tour of the Union Art galleries and order an amaretto silk pie from the Deli Sweet Shop on your way out.
6. Spend Thursday night with two friends at the Union South Games Room. It's only \$3 per person for three hours of unlimited bowling, pool and table tennis.
7. Take a friend to the Union's Friday night fish fry. With three pieces of country-fried cod, french fries, coleslaw and a dinner roll, plus the ambiance of the Terrace at night, is there anything that says Wisconsin more?
8. Have a picnic for you and your friends with a volleyball set from Outdoor Rentals and a pound of potato salad from the Deli Sweet Shop.
9. Visit the Lakefront Cafe on Sundays for Bagels 'n' Bach. Listen to classical music as you dine.
10. Enjoy an old stand-by. A pitcher of beer, a few friends and a band on the Terrace...ahhhh...



David Parsons Dance Company



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For ticket information, please call the Wisconsin Union Theater Box Office at 608/262-2201.

Join us for dinner before the performance! Pre-concert dinners are offered before each concert series event and ethnic buffet dinners are offered before each travel adventure film.

Concert Series Dinners

Enhance your evening at the theater with an elegant Concert Series Dinner prior to your Concert Series event. Dinners are waiter-served and feature a choice between two entrees, salad, beverages and dessert.

Travel Adventure Series Ethnic Buffet Dinners

Travel to new and exciting places without leaving the dinner table! Get in the mood for the locale you'll be seeing with an ethnic buffet dinner featuring soup and salad bar, three entrees, desserts and beverages. Ethnic Travel Series Buffets are served prior to each Travel Series Film presentation.

Both dinners are served from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. For menu information and to make reservations, phone 265-8429. To avoid disappointment, it is recommended that you make reservations at least one week in advance.

Upcoming Events



R. Carlos Nakai Trio

September

Monday, September 2

Lakeside Free Cinema
8 pm, Rathskeller, MU

Watch a wide variety of classics every Monday evening. Call the film hotline at 262-6333 for movie schedules.

Thursday, September 5

Open Mic

9 pm - midnight, Rathskeller, MU
An eclectic mix of live performances every Thursday night.

Friday, September 13

Autumn Art Fair

10 am - 6 pm

Library Mall, UW-Madison

Get a jump on holiday shopping at this one-day juried art fair, sponsored by the Memorial Union Craftshop.

Sunday, September 15

Milwaukee Symphony Orchestra

2 pm, Wisconsin Union Theater

Tickets \$25.

Thursday, September 19

R. Carlos Nakai Trio/Feather, Stone & Light

8 pm, Wisconsin Union Theater
Tickets \$22.

International Film Series

8 pm, Room 109, US

A new, free film series highlighting issues, arts, and entertainment from around the world, every Thursday night. Call the Film Hotline at 262-6333 for movie titles and descriptions.

October

Thursday, October 3

Special Event: A Conversation With Gregory Peck

8 pm, Wisconsin Union Theater
Tickets \$30.

Monday, October 7

Hong Kong in Transition

7:30 pm, Wisconsin Union Theater
Travel Adventure Film Series, tickets \$7. Also on Tuesday and Wednesday, October 8 & 9.

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The David Parsons Dance Company with The Billy Taylor Jazz Trio

8 pm, Wisconsin Union Theater
Tickets \$25.

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Richard Goode, Piano

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Tickets \$25.

Monday, October 14

Art Exhibit Opens Today!

Ikebana Art

Exhibit presented through October 27, building hours daily, Theater Gallery, MU.

Thursday, October 17

Ballroom Dance Live!

8 pm, Great Hall, MU

The sounds of the big band and great dancing return to Great Hall as Dimensions In Sound, an 18 piece orchestra, provides free, live dance music from the 30's, 40's and 50's. Call 262-3156 for information.

Tuesday, October 22

"Having Our Say"

8 pm, Wisconsin Union Theater
Tickets \$24.

Saturday, October 26

Mini Courses Begin Today!

Call 262-3156 for a free catalog.

Hoofer Scuba Club Underwater Pumpkin Carving

10 am, Terracel/Lake Mendota, MU

Come join Hoofer Scuba Club members as they celebrate the Halloween spirit with the ghoulish task of carving pumpkins underwater.

November

Friday, November 1

Emerson String Quartet, Beethoven Cycle #1

8 pm, Wisconsin Union Theater
Tickets \$25.

Saturday, November 2

Emerson String Quartet, Beethoven Cycle #2

8 pm, Wisconsin Union Theater
Tickets \$25.

For more information on any of these events, call 265-3000 at Memorial Union or 263-2600 at Union South.

Upcoming Events



Fall Hooper Kick-Off Dates

Monday, November 4

Art Exhibits Open Today!
Recent Photographs by James Rhem, Object Presence, and Across the Boundaries by Christine Perri.

Exhibits presented through December 1, 10 am - 8 pm, Theater, Porter Butts, and Class of 1925 Galleries respectively, MU.

Austria - Alpine Splendor!

7:30 pm, Wisconsin Union Theater Travel Adventure Film Series, tickets \$7. Also on Tuesday and Wednesday, November 5 & 6.

Monday, November 25

Mexico!

7:30 pm, Wisconsin Union Theater Travel Adventure Film Series, tickets \$7. Also on Tuesday and Wednesday, November 26 & 27.

December

Friday, December 6

Benita Valente, Soprano: Concert Series

8 pm, Wisconsin Union Theater
Tickets \$22.

Learn how to get involved in any of the seven Hooper recreational clubs at these free, informational Hooper kick-offs. For more details, call 262-1630.

Scuba Club

September 5

7:30 - 11 pm, Hooper Bradley Lounge, MU

Sailing Club

September 7

Noon to sunset, Lake Front, MU

Outing Club

September 10

7 pm, Great Hall, MU

Riding Club

September 11

7 pm, Hooper Bradley Lounge, MU

Gliding Club

September 11

7 pm, Hooper Bradley Lounge, MU

Mountaineering Club

September 12

8:30 pm, Hooper Bradley Lounge, MU

Ski and Snowboard Club

October 10

7:30 pm, Great Hall, MU

Memorial Union Movies

The most talked about films of the year are shown each Thursday, Friday and Sunday this fall at the Play Circle Theater, 2nd floor, MU. Films are shown at approximately 7 & 9 p.m., with an extra 5 p.m. showing on Fridays. Call the Film Hotline at 262-6888 for exact film times and movie descriptions. Admission is \$3 with your Union membership card.

Sept. 6-8 **Dead Man**

Sept. 13-15 **I Shot Andy Warhol**

Sept. 20-22 **Hate**

Sept. 27-29 **Cold Comfort Farm**

Oct. 11-13 **Anne Frank Remembered**

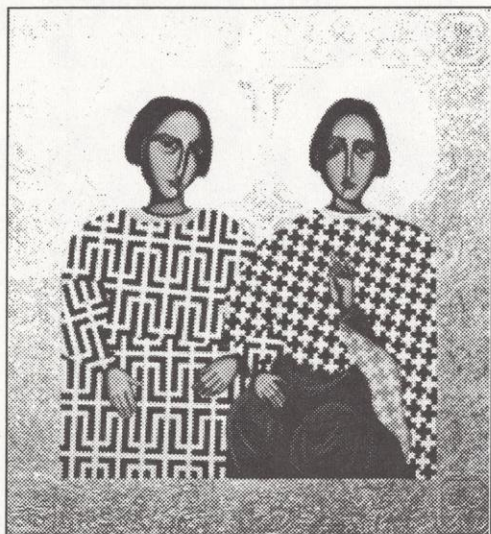


Live Music in the Rath

This fall, spend every Friday and Saturday from 10 p.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Rath listening to free live music. Watch for the Union's special Acid Jazz Series, scheduled for Fridays in October.

8/30	Ulele
8/31	Sarah Spelsberg
9/6	Matthew Skoller Band
9/7	Citrus
9/13	TBA
9/14	The Riptones
9/20	Aquarium Conspiracy
9/21	Jazz Mandolin Project
9/27	Sunshine Allison
9/28	TBA
10/4	Acid Jazz Series
10/5	Moon Boot Lover
10/11	Acid Jazz Series
10/12	Far From Home
10/18	Acid Jazz Series
10/19	Rockabilly Night
10/25	Acid Jazz Series
10/26	TBA

Bands for November and December had not been scheduled as of press time. To receive updated band listings for the current week, call the Rathskeller Hotline at 608/265-6666.



"Stitching Sight"
Theresa Abel
Artbite



UW Marching Band

In the Galleries

September 23 - October 27

Touched with Fire

Porter Butts and
Class of 1925 Galleries

Co-sponsored by the Alliance for the Mentally Ill, this exhibition uses art to convey the impact of mental illness on Wisconsin lives.

September 23 - October 6

Hoofer Sailing Club Photo Exhibit: A 60-year Retrospective

Theater Gallery

Photographs depict the historical evolution of the Hoofer Sailing Club.

October 14 - 27

Ikebana Art: Japanese Floral Arrangements

Theater Gallery

Mini Course instructor Jo Thomson and her students will display their floral arrangements created in Wisconsin Union Mini Courses.

November 4 - December 1

Recent Photographs by James Rhem

Theater Gallery

Local, professional photographer James Rhem uses black and white photography in this personal documentary.

Object Presence: Drawings by George Mauersberger

Porter Butts Gallery

This intriguing display comprises mixed-media collages and large-scale pastel drawings of everyday objects and appliances.

Around the Boundaries: Paintings and Drawings by Christine Perri

Class of 1925 Gallery

These works explore the relationship between reading and looking at art.

December 6 - 21

Graduate Student Exhibitions

Porter Butts, Class of 1925
and Theater Galleries

Join us for a collection of thesis exhibitions by master of fine art students in preparation for their graduation.

January 2 - 21

Artbite

Porter Butts, Class of 1925
and Theater Galleries

A coalition of different artists from Madison displays its diverse techniques, mediums and artistic philosophies through its collective works.

Call 262-5969 for gallery hours.

Calling All Badger Football Fans

If UW-Madison were to hold a contest recognizing the most devout Badger football fans, the trophy would undoubtedly be presented to the folks at Union South's Pigskin Parties. For years, Badger fans have huddled together in Union South to 'psych up' for home games. As a Union member you, too, can attend.

Pigskin parties begin with breakfast at Union South's Red Oak Grill before moving to the Main Lounge to catch Badger highlights on video. Well before noon, fans head to the Union South Plaza for brats and beverages. Soon, the "Bud" song can be heard as the UW band's tuba section marches through the crowd. With 300 band members packed on the steps of Union South, the excitement is contagious. As Jerry Mock, Union South Operations Manager, said, "You're elbow to elbow with the band, and the sound is outstanding." Tailgaters then pick up their 'cheesehats' and head to Camp Randall stadium for the kickoff. After the game, fans return to Union South for the sounds of live jazz performed by Doc DeHaven.

Jerry Mock, who has been affiliated with Union South since 1974, has seen his share of

Pigskin Parties. He says, "The typical Badger fan comes to have some fun and to take part in all of the [Badger] 'red' that goes on." So don your Badger red and join the party! No reservation is required. We'll see you at Union South for the next home game!

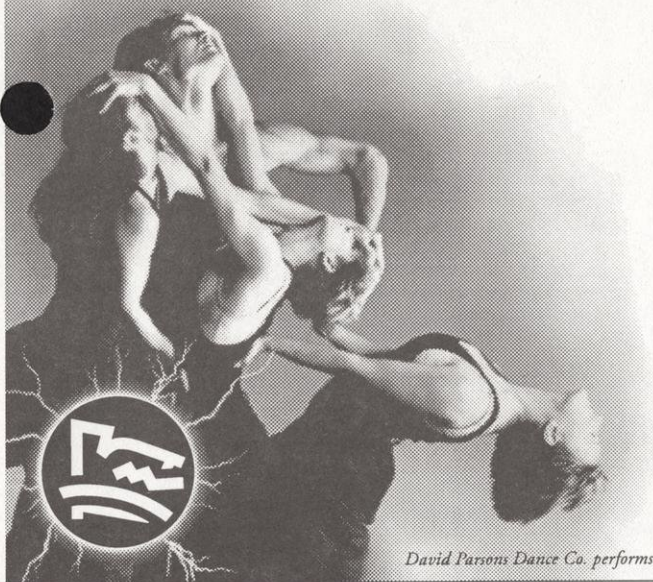
If you'd prefer to host your own tailgate party, consider holding it at Union South. Union members can reserve rooms for personal social events free of charge, and our catering is reasonably priced. For more information, call 608/263-2543.

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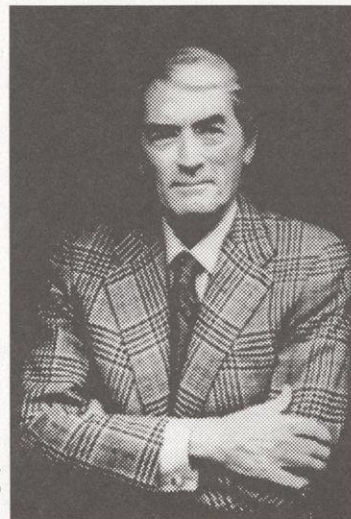
1996 Badger Football At Home Schedule

Sept 7	Eastern Michigan Hall of Fame Day
Sept 21	Stanford Band Day
Sept 28	Penn State Parents Day
Oct 19	Northwestern Homecoming
Nov 2	Purdue Badger Blast
Nov 9	Minnesota W Club Day

Wisconsin Union Theater • Fall 1996



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Presidential Citation

Academy Award-winning screen legend Gregory Peck has enraptured moviegoers for five decades. In an extremely intimate format, Mr. Peck will make a rare public appearance on the Wisconsin Union stage. View memorable moments from his more than fifty years of filmmaking, hear him tell marvelous stories and anecdotes, and come prepared to ask questions of the famed actor during this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity.

Complete Beethoven String Quartet Cycle To Be Performed

The highlight of the 1996-97 Concert Series will be the performance of the Complete Beethoven String Quartet Cycle. The 16 string quartets of Ludwig van Beethoven comprise one of the greatest intellectual and spiritual achievements in all of music. The epic journey through this great body of work will be performed by three ensembles as part of this year's concert series.



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The Wisconsin Union
We Are The Weekend!

Listen To The Wisconsin Union... ...On Your Radio.

Tune in to Wisconsin Public Radio this fall for a "walking/talking" tour of Memorial Union's Rathskeller, Great Hall, Union Theater and other spots of interest. Join the hosts of WHA-AM's "University of the Air" program as they converse with the Wisconsin Union's director, building manager, and theater director and share little-known facts about Memorial Union's architecture and history. The Memorial Union will be featured as one of four Wisconsin institutions in a debut broadcast Sunday, September 8 at 4 pm (rebroadcast Friday, September 13 at 11 pm and Sunday, September 15 at 7 pm). See the listing of Wisconsin Public Radio's Ideas Network stations on this page.

Reach That "Higher Ground," Sunday Mornings In The Rathskeller

Plans are being made for Wisconsin Public Radio's "Higher Ground with Jonathan Overby" to broadcast live this summer from Memorial Union's Rathskeller. The weekly, two-hour program celebrates ethnic and cultural diversity in the contexts of education, the arts, politics, health, and community. Overby talks with celebrities, authors, and national figures, and then takes calls for his guests from listeners. Expect occasional features, too, such as comedy sketches and musical selections.

"Higher Ground" will likely begin broadcasting from the Rathskeller this July. So join us in the Rathskeller every Sunday from 8 - 10 am for this entertaining, educational program. Or tune in to the Ideas Network of Wisconsin Public Radio to listen from home.

Wisconsin Public Radio's Ideas Network:

91.3 FM KUWS, 90.3 FM WHBM, 88.3 FM WHWC, AM 930 WLBL, 90.3 FM WHLA, 90.3 FM WRST, 91.5 FM WGBW, 91.1 FM WLFM, AM 970 WHA, 91.3 FM WHHI, 90.7 FM WHAD and 91.9 FM WLBL.

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Central Reservations & Meeting Services	262-2511
Distinguished Lecture Series	262-2216
Games Room	MU 262-1330 US 263-2514
Film Hotline	262-6333
Hoofers	262-1630
Hotel Reservations	MU 262-1583 US 263-2600
Information Desk	MU 265-3000 US 263-2600
Membership	262-2263
Mini Courses	262-3156
Outdoor Rentals	265-2910
Rathline (<i>music hotline</i>)	265-6666
Theater Box Office	262-2201

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