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The Wisconsin Union

Quarterly

A Communique for Members

January - March, 1981

HOOFERS START 50TH CELEBRATION WITH WINTER CARNIVAL

It was fifty years ago that a group of skiers and outdoor enthusiasts started the Wisconsin Hoofers club as part of the Union.

And it was Winter carnival which annually pulled all the Hoofers together to work on one big project—a week-long tribute to snow and winter sports.

This year, for the first time in many years, the Winter Carnival will return to its week-long status and will serve as the official kick-off of the golden anniversary celebration.

The week will begin on January 22 with an all-Hoofers Winter Kick-off at 7:30 p.m. in Great Hall of the Memorial Union, and will end on January 31 in the same place with the annual Sno-Ball and dancing to the music of "Arroyo" from 9 p.m. to midnight.

In between the two events the Hoofers have planned a full week of winter sports, social programs, clinics, ice and snow sculpture competitions, hayrides and kick-offs for the various clubs' second semester activities.

Among the social events is a 50th anniversary reception to which former Hoofers members are specially invited. Part of the golden year planning revolves around contacting Hoofers alumni. Former Hoofers members are asked to come to the reception on Saturday, Jan. 24, at 8 p.m. in Great Hall, or to call the Outdoor Programs office (608) 262-6897.

The complete calendar for the Winter Carnival follows:

Jan. 22 7:30 p.m.	All-Hoofers Winter Kick-off, Great Hall
Jan. 24 8 p.m.	Hoofers 50th Anniversary Reception, Great Hall
Jan. 24 Noon	Scuba Club Ice Dive, Lake Mendota behind Union
Jan. 24 1 p.m.	Ski Club's Bascom Ballet Ski Classic, Bascom hill
(Registration begins at noon)	
Jan. 25-31 Noon-10 p.m. Daily	Open Ice Skating, Lake Mendota behind Union

Jan. 26 7 p.m.	Cross Country Ski Films, Play Circle, Memorial Union
Jan. 27 7 p.m.	Outing Club Winter Kick-off, Great Hall, Memorial Union (Film, "To Kayak", 8 p.m.)
Jan. 27 8:30-9:30 p.m.	Outing Club Hockey Clinic, UW Shell
Jan. 28 7 p.m.	Outing Club Cross Country Ski Waxing Clinic, Memorial Union
Jan. 28 7 p.m.	Riding Club Kick-off Meeting, Memorial Union
Jan. 29 7 p.m.	Ski Club Winter Kick-off Meeting, Great Hall, Memorial Union
Jan. 30 Noon-4:30 p.m.	Snow Sculpture Judging, Langdon St., lakeshore behind Memorial Union & dorm areas
Jan. 30 2-5 p.m.	Outing Club Hockey Clinic, lakeshore behind Memorial Union
Jan. 31 10 a.m.-4 p.m.	Ice Carving Contest, Library Mall
Jan. 31 Noon	Outing Club Cross Country Ski Waxing Clinic, location to be announced
Jan. 31 1:30 p.m.	Outing Club Cross Country Ski Race, location to be announced
Jan. 31 Noon-3 p.m.	Hayrides, Langdon St. entrance, Memorial Union
Jan. 31 2 p.m.	Skate Sailing demonstration, lake behind Memorial Union
Jan. 31 9 p.m.-Midnight	Sno-Ball featuring dancing and rock & roll music with "Arroyo", Great Hall





BREAK THE WINTER BLUES WITH SPRING 1981 MINI COURSES

Telephone and mail registration for the upcoming Spring term of the Wisconsin Union Directorate's Mini Course program will begin Monday, January 19. Classes begin Monday, February 9 and continue through Friday, March 27. Catalogs are available in both unions and several campus buildings.

Mini Courses are a series of ongoing, short, informal, non-credit courses offered 5 times a year to UW-Madison students, faculty, staff and Wisconsin Union members and their spouses. In addition to courses in Dance & Exercise, Self-Reliance, Music & Song, Sports & Games, and Craftshop, two new categories have been added, Creative Arts and Special Interest. The Creative Arts area encompasses a variety of art forms such as painting, drawing, hand crafts and writing. New courses this term are Creative Stitchery, Introduction To Painting, and Appreciating Women In The Arts. The Special Interest area offers classes from several interest areas including Hatha Yoga, gardening, astronomy, and massage. Two new courses this term are Anatomy For The Active and Relaxation.

Interested persons may register by phone or mail January 19-31. Payment may be check, money order or Mastercharge or Visa cards. In-person registration will be held February 2-6. Monday, February 2, In-Person registration will be held from 4-7 p.m. in Great Hall, Memorial Union. The rest of the week registration will be held in the Commons Area, Memorial Union from 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Payment for In-Person registration may be check, cash, money order and new this term, Mastercharge or Visa cards.

For more information on classes and registration, phone the Mini Course Office at 262-3156.

UNION PROVIDES PROGRAM FOR STUDENTS OVER 25

Since the number of "older" students at the UW-Madison has increased in the last several years, the Union has come up with a special group of programs geared to the student over 25. It is called Cracker Barrel and the emphasis is on providing an informal gathering place for participants.

The program that first started the series is called "Cracker Barrel" and is the source of the name. These are Friday afternoon, after-class gatherings at Union South in the Susan B. Anthony Gallery. Coming up this semester are Cracker Barrels on Feb. 6 and 20, March 27 and April 10. Starting time is 4 p.m. and they usually last until 7 p.m.

Potluck suppers are planned for Feb. 15, March 8 and April 5 and a picnic has been scheduled for May 3. Weekly brown bag lunches are held on Mondays and Thursdays.

If you're interested in being put on the mailing list or have questions call the Union South Program office, (608) 263-2432.

JAZZ FINDS A PLACE IN BOTH UNIONS THIS YEAR

Jazz music will be highlighted at both Memorial Union and Union South this semester taking a place along side the ever popular rock and folk music.

"Jazz Jam" with Rob Rhymes and Friends will take place every Wednesday starting January 21 from 8:30 to 10:30 p.m. in the Snack Bar of Union South. Those attending the program are encouraged to bring instruments and join in. Free popcorn is another attraction!

A new series starting at the Memorial Union Rathskeller on Saturday afternoons is a program called "Soundwaves." It will feature jazz played by ensembles from the Music School. Helping coordinate the series from the Music School are Peter Dominquez and Richard Davis. "Soundwaves" will rock the Rathskeller from 4 to 6 p.m. weekly.

WHO...WHAT...WHEN...WHERE

JANUARY

- 1-18 MovieTime, "All That Jazz," 7, 9:30 p.m., Fredric March Play Circle, Memorial Union (3 p.m. showing on the 18th)
- 14-Feb. 14 Badger Photographic Society 10th Anniversary Exhibit, Susan B. Anthony Gallery, Union South
- 14-Feb. 8 Christie Bertelson: Books & Broadides, Theater Gallery, Memorial Union
- 15 Mini Course Ballroom Dance Clinic, 7-9 p.m., Great Hall, Memorial Union
- 19-31 Mini Course Phone and Mail Registration, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Room 509, Memorial Union
- 21-Feb. 2 Undergraduate Art Exhibition, Main and Class of '25 Galleries, Memorial Union
- 22-31 Hoofer Winter Carnival (see story on p. 1 for details)
- 23 Undergraduate Art Exhibition Reception, 7-9 p.m., Main Gallery, Memorial Union
- 23-25 MovieTime, "Days of Heaven," 7, 9 p.m., Fredric March Play Circle, Memorial Union (3 p.m. showing on 25th)
- 25 A Kurt Weill Cabaret, 8 p.m., Union Theater*
- 25 Southeast Asian Fair, 2-8 p.m., Union South
- 28 Art-To-Go, rental of the Union collection to Union members, 4-6 p.m., Room 514, Memorial Union
- 29 "The Elephant Man," 8 p.m., Union Theater*
- 30-Feb. 1 MovieTime, "Coal Miner's Daughter," 7, 9:30 p.m., Fredric March Play Circle, Memorial Union (3 p.m. showing on 1st)

FEBRUARY

- 1 Yefim Bronfman, pianist, 4 p.m., Union Theater
- 2 Mini Course Walk-in Registration, 4-7 p.m., Great Hall, Memorial Union (Feb. 3-6, 11 a.m.-6 p.m., Commons lobby, Memorial Union)
- 6-8 MovieTime, "10," 7, 9:30 p.m., Fredric March Play Circle, Memorial Union (3 p.m. showing on 8th)
- 6 Franz Liszt Chamber Orchestra of Budapest, 8 p.m., Union Theater*
- 10-11 Guarneri String Quartet, 8 p.m., Union Theater*
- 11-March 8 Environment, Textiles and Design Students Projects, Theater Gallery, Memorial Union
- 13-15 MovieTime, "Midnight Express," 7, 9:30 p.m., Fredric March Play Circle, Memorial Union (3 p.m. showing on 15th)
- 16-17 Travel Adventure Film, "Portraits of America - The National Parks," 8 p.m., Union Theater*
- 18-Mar. 10 Public Faces - Three Black Women From Rural Wisconsin, Susan B. Anthony Gallery, Union South
- 18 Public Faces - Three Black Women From Rural Wisconsin, lecture and discussion, 7 p.m., Susan B. Anthony Gallery, Union South
- 20-22 MovieTime, "Tom Horn," 7, 9 p.m., Fredric March Play Circle, Memorial Union (3 p.m. showing on 22nd)
- 20 Carol Wincenc, flutist, 8 p.m., Union Theater*
- 27-March 1 MovieTime, "Hide in Plain Sight," 7, 9 p.m., Fredric March Play Circle, Memorial Union (3 p.m. showing on 1st)

MARCH

- 5-6 The Guthrie Theater, "The Tavern" by George M. Cohan, 8 p.m., Union Theater*
- 6-8 MovieTime, "Fame," 7, 9 :30 p.m., Fredric March Play Circle, Memorial Union (3 p.m. showing on 8th)
- 7 Janos Starker, cellist, 8 p.m., Union Theater*
- 8 Turan Mirza-Kamal, classical guitarist, 4 p.m., Union Theater
- 9-10 Travel Adventure Film, "Portugal—Azores to Madeira," 8 p.m., Union Theater*
- 11-31 Children of the World Paint Jerusalem, Theater Gallery, Memorial Union
- 11-12 Royal Ballet of Flanders, 8 p.m., Union Theater*

*indicates that a pre-theater dinner will be held prior to the event in either Tripp Commons or the INN Wisconsin. Call 262-2511 for information and reservations.

BEAT WINTER WINDS WITH TRAVEL CENTER TOURS

The Wisconsin Union Directorate Travel Center's schedule for spring includes three chances to beat the winter weather.

For instance, you could spend February 26 through March 5 in San Juan, Puerto Rico. A whole week of picturesque cobblestone streets, wandering minstrels, glittering casinos and fabulous restaurants set in tropical splendor for \$449.00. This price includes air fare, accommodations at the Hotel Continental de Puerto Rico, transportation between hotel and airport, and a variety of tours and side trips.

On March 18, you could be winging your way from the frozen north to Cartagena, Colombia for a week of bullfighting, native markets, beautiful beaches and the soaring Andes. The flight and hotel accommodations are included in the \$429.00 price, as well as transportation between hotel and airport and an array of tours and other activities. Cartagena, Colombia, South America. Think about that next time you heft your snow shovel.

Or think about Willemstad, Curacao, the "Amsterdam of the Caribbean." From April 1 through April 8, you could be enjoying the duty-free shopping, beautiful scenery and extensive nightlife in this tropical Dutch paradise, the most populous of the Netherlands Antilles. \$479.00 includes air fare, hotel accommodations and transfers between hotel and airport. Great Rx for winter—unless you like slogging through the slush.

These scenes from last January's Winter Carnival show two of the sports events included on this year's schedule — a Cross Country Ski Race (left) and the Scuba Club's ice dive (right). The 1981 Winter Carnival will take place January 22-31. See story on P.1.

Prices for these three trips do not include \$38.00 tax and services. Travel for all three vacations will be via Transamerica Airlines, departing from Chicago.

Travel Center trips for spring break include a motor-coach journey to New York City March 13-19. Prices from \$229.00 include round trip transportation, hotel accommodations, a tour of the city and theater seats for the Broadway musical "Annie."

Also available for spring break are accommodations to Daytona Beach, Florida by bus and air. Low-cost charter flights to Europe will be running for the course of the semester. Looking ahead to next summer, the Travel Center will again be coordinating a wilderness canoe trip to the shield country of Canada.

And, on February 19, the second annual International Study and Travel Fair, "Around the World in '81," will be held at Union South. Exhibitors for this year's fair include airlines, travel agencies and study abroad groups.

For information on these trips or any Travel Center programs, please call 262-6200, or write:

WUD Travel Center
Memorial Union
800 Langdon St.
Madison, WI 53706



DIVERSITY OF THEMES FEATURED IN THEATER'S SPRING SCHEDULE

Themes ranging from the classical to the avant-garde will be explored this spring as the Union Theater's 42nd season continues with a stellar bill of music, dance and drama events.

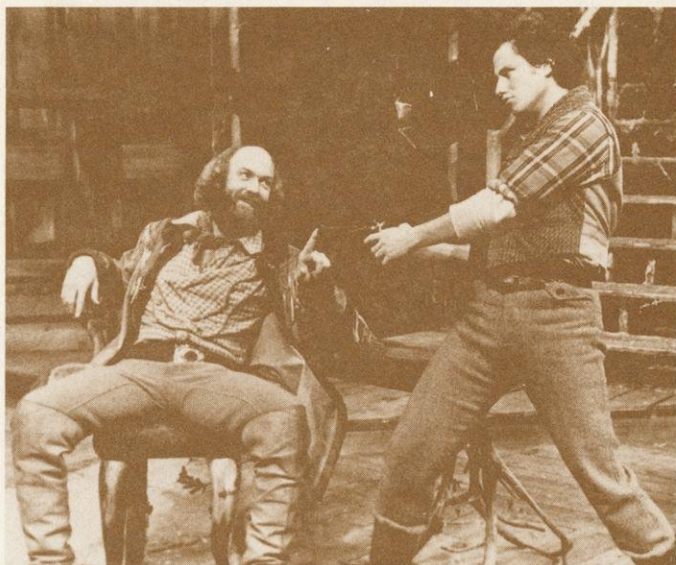
Musical fare scheduled for the second semester includes the acclaimed Kurt Weill Cabaret with Martha Schlamme and Alvin Epstein performing Weill from Berlin to Broadway, chamber music performances by the Franz Liszt Orchestra and the Stuttgart Chamber Orchestra, and a number of recitals. Spring performances on the Red and White Concert Series will feature the Guarneri String Quartet, cellist Janos Starker, flutist Carol Wincenc, pianist Alfred Brendel, violist Sam Rhodes and violinist Hiroko Yajima. The Debut Series, designed to introduce young musical talents, will present pianist Yefim Bronfman, guitarist Turan Mirza-Kamal and violinist Ida Kavafian.

The excitement of live drama continues as a major focus in the Theater program, with four outstanding productions slated for the spring. The diverse sampling of dramatic expression will feature the 1979 award-winning Broadway play, "The Elephant Man," and George M. Cohan's rollicking melodrama, "The Tavern," presented by the Guthrie Theater Company on its third annual visit to Madison. The spring schedule will also include a new touring production of Gilbert and Sullivan's "The Mikado," and the highly-acclaimed "Gertrude Stein Gertrude Stein Gertrude Stein" with a bravura solo performance by Pat Carroll.

Spotlighting the art of the dance, the Theater will present performances by three remarkable companies, the distinguished Royal Ballet of Flanders and America's own Minnesota Dance Theatre and the Dance Theatre of Harlem. The spring semester will also feature a program of film/performance pieces created by dancer Sage Cowles and filmmaker Molly Davies.

Travel-Adventure film fans will enjoy a special bonus second semester, as the Theater presents "An Evening With Stanton Waterman," the veteran filmmaker who specializes in underwater exploration and photography.

Look for detailed information on all of the Theater's spring events in the Theater newsletter, "42nd Season," which is mailed to all Union members. If you have not been receiving copies of the newsletter, please contact the Union membership office to confirm address information for the newsletter files.

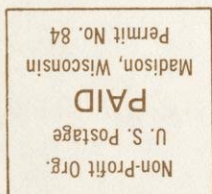


Top — A scene from the Guthrie Theater's production of "The Tavern"

Bottom — The Guarneri String Quartet

"GODOT" REPLACES "MACBETH"

Samuel Beckett's tragicomedy, "Waiting for Godot", will be presented Thursday, Feb. 19, as the renowned Acting Company makes a return visit to the Wisconsin Union Theater. The Acting Company presentation replaces the Folger Theater Group's production of "Macbeth", originally scheduled for February 14; the Folger Group's 1981 tour has been cancelled. The Acting Company, which last performed in Madison in 1977, is under the artistic direction of noted actor-producer-director John Houseman. Alan Schneider is the company's guest director for the Beckett play. Tickets for "Waiting for Godot" are now available on mail order at the Union Theater Box Office; the "Macbeth" tickets will be honored for the Acting Company's performance.



A Financial Report on the 1979-80 fiscal year which also describes the over-all financial picture of the Union's operation is now available. A similar report on the Union Program for 1979-80 and the beginning of 1980-81 has also been prepared. Both reports were distributed as inserts in the Union's monthly publication "State of the Unions." If you are interested in receiving either or both of the reports please call 262-2263.

A new sound system is now in use in Great Hall and in the Union Theater. A gift of the Class of 1929, the systems are used primarily for lectures and concert events.

Remember that the Memorial Union is the headquarters for tours of the campus. If you have guests coming in from out of town, call 262-2511 and arrange for them to see the campus. The Union also is the starting place for tours for prospective students. These tours are arranged by the New Student Office.

Both Unions have experienced increased traffic this fall. The traffic count conducted on November 6 showed 7,956 people using Union South and 15,419 entering the Memorial Union. These counts were up 3.8% and 7.3% respectively over last year.

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COUNCIL AND ROSEWOOD ROOMS REVIVED

As the semester came to an end, the two rooms in Memorial Union used for parties and receptions by groups bringing their own food, have been renovated and are back in use.

The Council and Rosewood rooms have undergone complete facelifts, including acoustical ceilings, new drapes and carpeting, new lighting fixtures, and repainting. Work will be completed soon on the installation of new appliances in the kitchenettes.

So, the next time you want to have a party but you'd like to show off your cooking talents, call the reservations office, 262-2511, and arrange for a room at the Union.

How to reserve a meeting room

Reservations for meeting rooms in the Memorial Union may be made by calling 262-2511 (or visiting the Reservations Office on the second floor). At Union South reservations may be made in the main office on second floor or by calling 263-2543. Arrangements for catering can be made at the same phone numbers.