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First public unveiling of *Terrace Chairs on the Town* exhibit set for September 20

As part of Memorial Union's 75th anniversary celebration, the Wisconsin Union and Wisconsin Union Directorate are pleased to present *Terrace Chairs on the Town*.

The exhibit, based on the concept of *Cows On Parade* in Chicago, features 12 oversized Terrace chairs that have been designed and decorated by local artists. The completed chairs will be unveiled publicly for the first time in conjunction with *Arts Night Out!* on Saturday, September 20, at Memorial Union. Don't miss this exciting sneak peek at a groundbreaking Madison art event and the opportunity to meet the artists and sponsors who made the project possible.

After the September 20 reception, the chairs will be moved to campus and community locations, where they will be displayed throughout the anniversary year. Some of these locations include Memorial Union, Union South,

Bascom Hill, Hilldale Mall, the Kohl Center, Vilas Zoo, Olbrich Botanical Gardens, East Towne Mall, and Dane County Regional Airport.

For many, the unique Terrace chair represents what Madison is all about. The instantly recognizable symbol evokes fond memories of fun times and friendship. The 12 chairs will be on display through the summer of 2004. For more detailed information and a map of the chairs, please visit www.union.wisc.edu/75 and click on Terrace Chairs on the Town.



Happy 75th, Memorial Union!

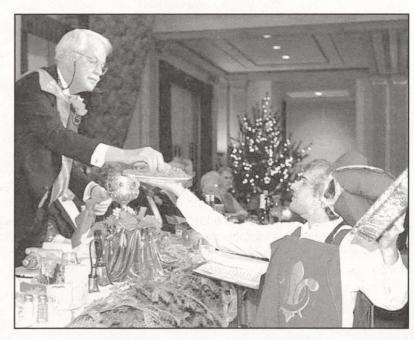
Please turn to pages 4-5 for more detailed coverage of our 75th anniversary, including the complete schedule of anniversary events.



Ring in the Holidays Tudor Style at the Wisconsin Union

It is time once again for one of the Wisconsin Union's finest traditions, the 70th annual Tudor Holiday Dinner Concerts featuring the Philharmonic Chorus of Madison. The festivities will be held in the Great Hall of Memorial Union on December 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, and 10, 2003.

As in Old English Tudor times, the night will include a Wassail Bowl, the presentation of the Boar's head, caroling, strolling minstrels and the figgy pudding ceremonial. Join us for a magnificent feast (vegetarian option available) and experience holiday cheer and pageantry in the style of Tudor England. Also look for special touches at this year's Tudor Dinners in honor of Memorial Union's 75th anniversary.



To order tickets for this event please return the form below. Be sure to respond early for best ticket availability. For additional questions please contact the Union Theater Box Office at (608) 262-2201.

ORDER NOW - Wisconsin Union	Tudor Holiday Dinner Concerts
Don't delay! Ticket requests will be filled on order of receipt. Order now for best seats and ticket availability.	Name
Tickets will be mailed beginning the week of October 27. Parking information will be mailed with tickets.	Daytime Phone ()
	Address
Tudor Holiday Dinner Concert Dates Due to the tremendous demand for tickets, please indicate first, second and third preferences, at least one of which must be a	City
weekday night (Tuesday - Thursday). Ticket orders are limited to a maximum of 12.	State Zip
Wed., Dec. 3	Union membership: Life Annual Membership number — — — — — — —
Fri., Dec. 5	☐ Student (no membership number needed)
Tickets:	Payment: ☐ Check enclosed.
Number of tickets @ \$37.50 each = \$	Make checks payable to Union Theater Box Office.
(\$42.50 non-member)	□ Visa □ Master Card
Number of vegetarian dinners Processing Fee \$5.00 Total = \$	Card Number
Orders that do not include the \$5.00 processing fee will be returned.	Expiration date: month year
	Signature

Return order form with payment to: Union Theater Box Office • 800 Langdon St. • Madison, WI 53706

Fall into a new hobby with Mini Courses

Make the transition from summer to fall a breeze with these exciting new Mini Course offerings: Pet Portraits, The Mystery of Intimacy, Handmade Holiday Cards, and Planning for Financial Transitions. Or, if it just seems too soon to let go of summer, extend it with Mini Course favorites like Bicycle Maintenance, Kayaking or Rock Climbing.

Of course, as the weather inevitably turns colder, why not take advantage of the great indoors and learn ballroom dancing, increase financial know-how with a basic investment class, unwind with couples massage, or learn the art of wine tasting. Craftshop-based classes are also available through Mini Courses, including courses in pottery, woodworking, and metal jewelry construction. Mini Courses truly offers a class for every interest!

To learn more about Mini Courses and view the full fall schedule of classes, please visit www.wisc.edu/minicourses. To request a copy of the current catalog, call (608) 262-3156.

Free Art Fridays returns to Craftshop

Due to the successful debut of the Free Art Fridays program, the Wisconsin Union and the Craftshop will continue the program for the 2003-2004 academic year. Free Art Fridays offer students, Union members, and faculty the chance to utilize Craftshop space and equipment while having a great time socializing and sharing ideas with peers.

As part of the Wisconsin Union's efforts to offer the UW community a variety of late night programs, Free Art Fridays opens up the Craftshop for free use from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. every Friday. Although the entire facility is open, there is a featured media each week. Some of the favorite media include pottery and ceramic art, but darkroom projects, paper flower-making, henna tattoos, and candle-making are also popular.

Please call (608) 262-1282 to learn more about Free Art Fridays or request a schedule of featured media.

Don't miss Badger Bash at Union South

This football season, show your spirit by joining family, alumni, students and faculty at the Badger Bash! Two hours before each home football game, Union South hosts the biggest and best tailgate party around, offering freshly grilled brats, famous Babcock ice cream, burgers, refreshments, and more.

The UW Marching Band, Bucky Badger, and the UW spirit squad stop by to warm up the crowd. Plus, don't forget to stock up on Badger gear at the Corner Store at Union South before the game.

Don't have a ticket for the game? The Games Room at Union South continues the party atmosphere and shows the game on several TVs.

If you are interested in hosting your own private tailgate party, the Wisconsin Union offers many different room locations and menu options. Please contact the Central Reservations Office for more information at (608) 262-2511 or visit www.union.wisc.edu/conferenceservices.

Fall 2003 Badger football home games		
9/6/03	Akron	2:30 p.m.
9/13/03	UNLV	11:00 a.m.
9/20/03	North Carolina	TBA
10/11/03	Ohio State	8:00 p.m.
10/18/03	Purdue	11:00 a.m.
11/15/03	Michigan State	TBA
11/22/03	lowa	TBA

Happy 75th, Memorial Union!



Tasty treats on the Terrace



Join us on the Memorial Union Terrace to taste test the five finalists in the Ice Cream Jubilee, a contest to name a commemorative flavor of Babcock ice cream in honor of the Union's 75th. The tasting will be held from 4:00 -

7:00 p.m. (Rain location: Memorial Union Trophy Room across from the Rathskeller)

The five finalists are:

Der Banana Splitskeller

submitted by Susan Hegedus of Oshkosh Vanilla with chocolate chunks, fudge swirl, and pieces of banana, cherry, and pecan

Union Utopia

submitted by Kim Lintner of Madison Vanilla ice cream with a ribbon of fudge, peanut butter and caramel

Terrace Chairy

submitted by Shu-Chi Liang of Madison Cherry ice cream with cherry chunks

Rathskeller Razzleberry

submitted by Megan Wiseman of New Berlin Coffee ice cream with raspberries and dark chocolate chunks

Never Terrace Apart

submitted by Brian Potter of Madison Chocolate with vanilla bean, malt powder and chopped peanuts

For those who can't make it to the Terrace, visit our web site at www.union.wisc.edu/75 and click on Ice Cream Jubilee to cast a vote before September 6, 2003. The winner will be announced at our anniversary kick-off celebration on October 5 (see story on page 5).

Anniversary web site provides a global link to the celebration

The Wisconsin Union has launched its 75th anniversary web site, an online resource dedicated to the celebratory events of Memorial Union's anniversary year. It is available at www.union.wisc.edu/75, or it can be accessed through the Union's home page at www.union.wisc.edu.

The site features detailed information on all anniversary events, a media information page, campus and community links, historical facts and photos, and more.

"It's so exciting to see all the events and activities we've been planning for the anniversary

start to come alive on our web site," says
Margaret Tennessen, the Union's Assistant
Director for Marketing & External Relations. "Not
only is it a great resource for people who want to
find out about events locally, it also represents a
special way for those who live far away to take
part in our celebration."

The site is designed to offer interactive opportunities for participation in Memorial Union's anniversary. Visitors can share a favorite Union memory, cast a vote in the Ice Cream Jubilee or download a different desktop photo each month. Look for more features to be added throughout the anniversary year.

Veterans' Day observance will honor those for whom Memorial Union is named

When the movement to build a student union on the UW campus first began in 1919, the idea was to name the building in honor of Wisconsin veterans who fought in the First World War.

After Memorial Union was built, the names of the Wisconsin students and graduates who died in the Great War, as well as in the Civil War and Spanish-American War, were etched into wooden panels in the foyer outside of Main Lounge on the second floor of Memorial Union.

This fall, the Union's 75th anniversary celebration will include special events honoring veterans who have served Wisconsin and the nation. On Sunday, November 9, the National Guard Band will play a special concert in Main Lounge. Then, an event on Tuesday, November 11 (Veterans' Day), will feature a color guard, music by the National Guard Jazz Band, and photos and displays from the Wisconsin Veterans Museum.

Everyone is welcome to attend. For more information, or suggestions on how to further honor Wisconsin veterans, contact Marc Kennedy at (608) 262-5079 or mhkenned@wisc.edu.

Anniversary kick-off set for October 4-5

October 5, 2003, will mark 75 years to the day that Memorial Union first opened its doors on the UW-Madison campus. A special weekend celebration will honor the milestone.

The events on Saturday, October 4 are geared toward the UW-Madison student population and include a hiphop band followed by cartoons and a late-night breakfast. The community is invited to join the

celebration on Sunday, October 5 for a Packer party (game time: noon), a jazz band, the announcement of the Ice Cream Jubilee winner, and more. The winning ice cream flavor will be served with cake during half-time of the Packer game.

Stay tuned to www.union.wisc.edu/75 for details and updates. Or, for additional information, contact Susan Dibbell at smvandeh@wisc.edu or (608) 263-4009.

Schedule of anniversary events

ICE CREAM TOP 5 TASTING:

Friday, September 5, 2003

TERRACE CHAIRS ON THE TOWN SNEAK PREVIEW:

Saturday, September 20, 2003

TERRACE CHAIRS ON THE TOWN:

September 2003 - June 2004

ANNIVERSARY KICK-OFF:

Saturday, October 4 - Sunday, October 5, 2003

UNION REUNION WEEKEND:

Friday, October 10 - Saturday, October 11, 2003

WISCONSIN UNION DIRECTORATE SIGNATURE EVENTS:

November 2003 - May 2004

VETERANS' DAY OBSERVANCE:

Tuesday, November 11, 2003

TUDOR HOLIDAY DINNER CONCERTS:

Wednesday, December 3 - Wednesday, December 10, 2003

ALUMNI REUNION WEEKEND:

Friday, May 7 - Saturday, May 8, 2004

OPEN HOUSE CELEBRATION:

Friday, June 11 - Saturday, June 12, 2004

Please check our anniversary web site often for additions and changes to this schedule: www.union.wisc.edu/75

Fall 2003 lecture series announced

The Wisconsin Union Directorate Distinguished Lecture Series is proud to present the following speakers for fall 2003:

Kurt Vonnegut: September 22, 2003

Vonnegut combines science fiction, social satire and black comedy in his novels. He is the author of such works as "Cat's Cradle," "Player Piano," "Slaughterhouse-Five," "Bluebeard," and "Galapagos."

Salman Rushdie: October 28, 2003

Rushdie, respected author of "The Satanic Verses," received the fatwa calling for his death from the Ayatollah Khomeini in 1989. While awaiting the fatwa, Rushdie produced "The Moor's Last Sigh," "Midnight's Children" and frequent essays on intellectual freedom. The government of Iran lifted the fatwa in 1998.

Linda Chavez: November 3, 2003

A weekly columnist for *USA Today* and the former staff director of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, Chavez is the author of "Out of the Barrio: Toward a New Politics of Hispanic Assimilation." She addresses bilingual education, voting rights, immigration, and affirmative action.

James Dale: December 1, 2003

Dale was an Eagle Scout and volunteer Scoutmaster until 1990 when the Boy Scouts of America expelled him for being gay. Dale's message is of diversity, tolerance and understanding.

For more information, visit www.union.wisc.edu/dls.

Anniversary items now available

The online Terrace Store, Essentials at Memorial Union, and the Corner Store at Union South have been stocked with 75th anniversary items that will make wonderful keepsakes of the celebration.

T-shirts bearing the special anniversary design are available in short- and long-sleeved styles, and also come in women's and children's sizes. Hats are available in a variety of colors. A commemorative anniversary mug features the same design as the t-shirts. The online Terrace Store is available at www.uwalumni.com/store/union.html. The secure site is designed to make shopping quick and easy.

Also this fall, look for an exciting new twist on a traditional favorite as Terrace stools become available for purchase. The stools are made of the same durable metal and feature the unique sunburst design of the original Terrace chairs. Stools are available for \$249.95 (Union members receive a 10 percent discount). Orders can be placed by calling Betty Federer at (608) 263-2543.

Gallery Schedule

The Union art galleries have a busy fall schedule. Visit www.union.wisc.edu/art to check out more gallery highlights or view any changes.

September 12-October 13, 2003

Wisconsin Painters and Sculptors All galleries

September 16, 2003

Art committee kickoff, 7:00 p.m. Porter Butts Gallery

September 20, 2003

Arts Night Out! featuring the Terrace Chairs on the Town sneak preview Memorial Union

October 17-November 18, 2003

Tabula Rasa
Class of 1925 Gallery and
Porter Butts Gallery
Landscape photographs
Theater Gallery

Union Theater's 2003-2004 season offers an impressive line-up

Performance Series: Reptile Palace Orchestra to play post-Värttinä dance party

This season, the Union Theater is offering parties after the Värttinä and Oliver Mtukudzi performances. Dance the night away, meet the artists, eat, and register for door prizes, all for no additional fee. Madison's favorite world-music band, multiple award winners Reptile Palace Orchestra, will play its boisterous, eclectic repertoire at the post-Värttinä dance party November 15 from 10 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. "The Reptile Palace Orchestra certainly can't have any rivals for whatever the heck it is they do. For one thing, I don't know if the world's big enough to support more than one of them!" (*Green Man Review*). Buy your ticket early!

Answer the Travel Adventure Film Series survey and win prizes

Travel Adventure Film patrons will receive a survey by mail later this season. Don't throw it away! Responses will help determine future directions for the series. Better yet, all returned surveys will be entered into a drawing. Two lucky respondents will each receive a free pair of subscriptions for next season's Travel Adventure Film series.

Tickets for any of the Theater events can be purchased by calling the Union Theater box office at (608) 262-2201 or stopping by the box office in Memorial Union. Business hours are 11:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. when the University is in session.

Wisconsin Union Theater 2003/2004 Schedule

84th Annual Concert Series

St. Lawrence String Quartet with Todd Palmer, Clarinet, Friday, October 3, 2003 Vadim Repin, violin, Alexander Korsantia, piano, Friday, October 24, 2003 Los Angeles Guitar Quartet, Friday, November 14, 2003 Cantus, Saturday, January 31, 2004 Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center, Friday, February 13, 2004 Murray Perahia, piano, Friday, April 23, 2004

Performance Series

The Mahotella Queens, Saturday, September 27, 2003

The Mystical Arts of Tibet: Tibetan Monks from the Drepung Loseling Monastery, Friday, October 10, 2003

Värttinä, Saturday, November 15, 2003

Solas with Special Guest Bohola, Saturday, March 27, 2004

Oliver Mtukudzi, Saturday, April 24, 2004

44th Annual Travel Adventure Film Series

The Soul of India, with Rick Ray,
September 29-October 1, 2003
Western Canada with John Wilsen,
October 27-29, 2003
Ireland with Sandy Mortimer,
November 17-19, 2003
Hawaii with Frank Klicar, January 26-28, 2004
Morocco with Hal McClure, March 8-10, 2004
Bavaria and the Black Forest with Fran
Reidelberger, April 26-28, 2004

Theater Special

Streb! Elizabeth Streb Dance Company, Friday, March 26, 2004

Vouchers! Vouchers! Vouchers!

The Theater's vouchers program offers a cheaper, more flexible way to see some of the world's greatest performers. Buy seven or more and pay only \$27 per voucher. Then exchange as many as you like for any of our season shows. Students may buy five or more vouchers for only \$10 each. Valid UW-Madison student ID necessary for exchange to tickets. Please exchange vouchers early, tickets are subject to availability.

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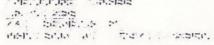
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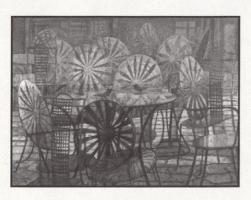






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75th anniversary print unveiled



The Union's 75th Anniversary Commemorative print reflects upon one of the most beloved spots in Madison. The print is a replication of the oil painting "The Terrace," by Santos Zingale (American, 1908-1999), a Wisconsin native who taught art at UW-Madison from 1946-1978. The Union held a special place in Zingale's heart. His wife, Joan, says he "loved the Union and the people there," adding, "He always brought his classes to the Union to sketch."

Zingale painted eight known images of the Terrace, and his sketchbooks are filled with Memorial Union's chairs and docks. When asked whether she thought the painting was an appropriate image to celebrate the Union's milestone, Joan said, "Yes, I think [Zingale] would be proud."

The print will be on sale in Memorial Union's Essentials Store and the Union South Corner Store, as well as online at www.union.wisc.edu, beginning this fall.

