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1990... the sun rises over a glistening, frozen Lake Mendota and the Wisconsin Union forges into a new decade...the decade that will carry us into the 21st century. Allow, if you will, a brief reflection on several accomplishments during the past 10 years: the Wisconsin Union incorporated multiculturalism as an integral part of its administration goals and programming activities; physical improvements to the Lakefront Cafeteria and Rathskeller Service areas have further enhanced Union dining; a remodeled and expanded Red Oak Grill created the perfect atmosphere for the popular 'Jazz Hot Off The Grill' music series; the Union Theater played host to some of the decade's most memorable entertainers and political figures: Itzak Perlman, Dr. Ruth, Geraldine Ferraro, the Bodeans, Jesse Jackson, Yo-Yo Ma, Living Colour, the Dave Brubeck Quartet with the Murray Louis Dance Company... the impressive list continues; a staircase in the atrium of Union South eased access to all levels, and enhanced the visual atmosphere; popcorn was introduced, and quickly became a major player in the Union Food

Service program; Hoofers added sailboarding and hang gliding to its family of clubs; the landmark Union Terrace was expanded, reaching closer to Lake Mendota, Hoofers activities pier and the Alumni House; an all university lecture series introduced new and challenging ideas and issues into WUD programming; Taste of Cultures was established as an annual event to provide students and members with the opportunity to experience the food and customs of other cultures; a recycling program was initiated to meet increasing environmental demands; and the Union Theater and Hoofers headquarters celebrated 50 years within the Memorial Union.

What a list...and this is only a sampling of all that happened in the 1980's. Needless to say, you can expect more of the same positive impact at the Wisconsin Union in the new decade. Remember to visit the Union often to take advantage of your many member benefits.

Happy New Year... we look forward to your next visit.



THE WISCONSIN UNION

THEATER

The golden anniversary celebration continues at the Wisconsin Union Theater with symphony and song, screen and stage drama. Travel, via film, to the South Pacific, take a "Grand Tour" through seven of Europe's most beloved cities or visit the storybook castles that dot the Rhine Valley. Take part in the celebration of the fiftieth Theater season by attending one or more of the Concert or Performance Series events.

Enjoy the warm-hearted comedy, "Rosie's Cafe", presented by one of New York's theatrical treasures—the Pan-Asian Repertory Theatre. Warm up with Mozart's Adagio in E Major, or enjoy the Dutilleux L'Arbre des Songes, a violin concerto commissioned for and performed by Isaac Stern, one of the world's musical titans.

Order tickets with your Spotlight order form, or call the Box Office at (608)262-2201. Box Office hours, beginning January 16, 1990, will be 11a.m. to 5:30p.m., Monday through Friday.

1989-90 Season – Spring Semester Schedule:

CONCERT SERIES

Håkan Hagegård, baritone
February 7, 8pm

I Solisti Italiani w/ Michala Petri, recorder
February 19, 20 & 21, 8pm

Janina Fialkowska, piano
March 10, 8pm

Pro Arte Quartet with Guest Artist
(Bonus Concert) - April 11, 8pm

Emanuel Ax & Yo-Yo Ma
May 2, 8pm

TRAVEL FILM SERIES

A New Look at Germany
February 19, 20, & 21, 8pm

Hawaii - Lovelier Than Ever
March 5, 6, & 7, 8pm

Great Cities of Europe
April 2, 3, & 4, 8pm

PERFORMANCE SERIES

Pan-Asian Repertory Theatre
February 16, 8pm

Isaac Stern with the Baltimore
Symphony Orchestra
March 29, 8pm

The King's Singers
April 25, 8pm

Ariadne auf Naxos
April 27, 8pm, & April 29, 3pm



TRAVEL

The Lake Mendota view from the Terrace is one of skiing rather than sailing these days. The Union Travel Center wants to turn your thoughts from snow and frost to sand and sun. Back by popular demand, the Travel Center is planning another fantastic Mexican vacation during Spring Break. This year, travelers will experience the magic of Cancun. Bask under the golden Mayan sun, enjoy the feel of white, powdery sand under your feet, swim in the clear, turquoise waters of the Caribbean and explore the mysteries of a lost civilization. No matter what your pleasure, you'll discover the magic everywhere. From the breathtaking sunrises to the pulsating nightlife, Cancun is the place to be.

A Travel Center representative will escort you on this getaway which includes: roundtrip airfare from Chicago on Continental Airlines; accommodations for seven nights at one of two excellent resorts — the first class Fiesta Inn, or the deluxe, five-star Crowne Plaza; roundtrip transfers from the airport to the hotel; hotel taxes and gratuities; predeparture information meeting; welcome hospitality party; and daily hospitality desk services. In addition, each person will receive \$35 in coupons for food and beverage purchases within the hotels.

Prices for this exciting trip start at just \$529 per person. Space is limited, so interested travelers are encouraged to register soon. Don't be disappointed. Act now and join other students, staff, and Union Members for a memorable break from the Wisconsin winter.

Wabakimi Canoe Trip

The Wabakimi tradition continues into the 90's with five trips scheduled to explore the wilderness of Northern Ontario. The Travel Center is sponsoring these high adventure canoe trips from July 6 through August 10. This will be the eleventh summer of Wabakimi outings which take you through clean, clear water, vast conifer forests, and past cliffs and jagged rock outcroppings. Experience wildlife, including the moose and timber wolf, as you travel through their natural habitat. You will end your trip a confident, veteran voyageur.

TRIP SCHEDULE

July 6-July 15
July 13-July 22
July 27-Aug. 5
Aug. 3-Aug. 12
Aug. 10-Aug. 19

For more information on Cancun or Wabakimi, please call the Union Travel Center at 262-6200.

Celebrate Travel

Travel Center staff and students will host the Grand Opening of the new, fourth floor Memorial Union headquarters from February 5-8, 9am-5pm. Each day will carry a different theme: study and work abroad opportunities, general travel information, and the celebration of cultural differences. Travelers past and present will be available to share travel photos and stories. Contests will test your knowledge of travel trivia and travel tips. Celebrate with the Travel Center and let us export your senses with ethnic snacks and music.





The Perfect Gift for Any Occasion!

Gift certificates for the purchase of a membership in all Wisconsin Hoofers clubs are now available. Wisconsin Hoofers offers outdoor recreation education for everyone from beginners to advanced. The Hoofers clubs include Hang Gliding, Mountaineering, Riding, Sailing, Scuba, Ski, and Outing. Activities, including many social events, are year round. For further information, call Wisconsin Hoofers at (608)262-1630.

Campus Video

Campus Video, conveniently located at The Alley in the west basement wing of the Memorial Union, offers more than 2,000 movies for rental at \$2.49 each. You don't have a VCR? No problem. You can rent one for only \$4.99 a day.

New releases include: "License to Kill," "Turner and Hooch," "Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade" (Feb.90), "Parent-hood" (Feb.90), and more!

Campus Video is open from noon to 11p.m., seven days a week. Call or stop in for your favorite selections.

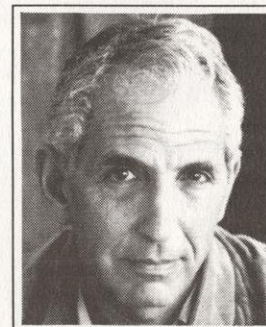
The Distinguished Lecture Series

The Distinguished Lectures Series has established a reputation for bringing exciting voices, ideas, opinions and controversies to the stages of the Wisconsin Union Theater. The two final lectures of the 1989-90 series will carry this tradition into the new decade. All lectures are free and open to Union members.

MAYA ANGELOU, author of *I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings*, will deliver an evening lecture and reading about "the black experience, the human condition...about what we can endure, dream, fail at, and still survive." Ms. Angelou is hailed as one of the great voices in contemporary black literature and a remarkable Renaissance woman. She will speak in the Wisconsin Union Theater, Wednesday, February 14, at 8 p.m.



DANIEL ELLSBERG will present two lectures on intervention and nuclear disarmament issues, Wednesday, March 28, at 2 p.m. & 7 p.m. in the Union Theater. Ellsberg is a former strategic analyst at the Rand Corporation and consultant to the Departments of Defense and State. Ellsberg became known during the Vietnam War when, in 1971, he photocopied and released "the Pentagon Papers." He is currently involved in an ongoing research project focused on U.S. first-use threats and the risks of nuclear war.



A New Decade of Mini Course Adventure

"New" news from the Mini Course office: the Mini Course Winter/Spring catalog contains more than 65 new courses!

From BONSAI to SNOWBOARDING, there's a new course for you. Whether you're a regular Mini Course user, or a novice, now is the time to check us out.

Like to dance? How about joining the TAP DANCE resurgence? Or you can swing in WESTERN SWING and shine on the nightclub floor in CLUB DANCING. Flying more your speed? Try HANG GLIDING or begin work toward a pilot's license in PRIVATE PILOT GROUND SCHOOL.

Looking for computer help? We now have courses in IBM and MACINTOSH, even a course to help you overcome your COMPUTER PHOBIA. Stressed out from computing all day? Try relaxing in ROLFING or KUNDALINI YOGA.

There's a new craft awaiting you in KNIT A SWEATER or NOMADIC FURNITURE. You can even build your own neon light in GLASS & GAS.

Feeling a bit more cerebral? How about POETRY APPRECIATION, DREAMS, or OPERA? You can be a little "crazy" and take HISTORY OF THE GRATEFUL DEAD or enroll in MUSIC COMPOSITION for your creative side.

If it's a treat you want, sign up for CHINESE COOKING, or a one-night workshop in EGG ROLLS or CHINESE NOODLES. You can also treat yourself to a unique excursion. We have arranged a special tour of the GHOST TOWNS OF SOUTHERN WISCONSIN. Yep pardner, ghost towns! Other traveling courses will teach you about CRANES IN WISCONSIN and allow you to observe them in the wild. You can explore DEEP ECOLOGY and visit Aldo Leopold's famous shack and the Muir family homestead.

Looking for a children's idea? Check out STORY TELLING, BATS: FLYING MAMMALS or our special SPRING BREAK PLAY opportunity.

This is just a sampling of the new offerings. If you haven't seen the new Mini Course Winter/Spring catalog yet — call 262-3156. All of our new courses plus many old favorites, are in the catalog.

Gliding Across the Dance Floor

The popular BALLROOM DANCE LIVE returns to Great Hall, Tuesday, April 24, from 7:30-10p.m. Big band sounds will fill Madison's best dance room for the 4th annual evening of fox trot, waltz and jitterbug. Tickets are only \$3.50/person for Union Members. If you take a ballroom Mini Course, you can attend free! Call 262-3156 for information.

Put on your dancing shoes...we'll see you there!

Film Series

MOVIE TIME Fri/Sat/Sun

Fredric March Play Circle
Memorial Union • Admission \$2.50

1/26-28 Earth Girls Are Easy
2/2-4 Chocolat
2/9-11 Vampire's Kiss
2/16-18 Voices of Sarafina
2/23-25 Sex lies and videotape
3/2-4 Little Vera
3/9-11 Eat A Bowl of Tea
3/30-4/1 The Four Adventures of Reinette
and Mirabelle
4/6-8 My Left Foot
4/20-22 Crimes and Misdemeanors
4/27-29 The Bear
5/4-6 Breaking In

LAKESIDE CINEMA

Mondays, 8 p.m. Rathskeller,
Memorial Union • Admission-FREE

1/22 The Graduate
1/29 The Incredible Mr. Limpitt
2/5 Roxanne
2/12 Singing in the Rain
2/19 She's Gotta Have It
2/26 Lolita
3/5 Freaky Friday
3/12 Darby O'Gill & the Little People
3/26 Gus
4/2 Motel Hell
4/9 The Exorcist
4/16 Rosemary's Baby
4/23 Hannah and Her Sisters
4/30 The Cotton Club
5/7 Moonstruck

STARLIGHT CINEMA

Thursdays, 8 p.m. Room 109,
Union South • Admission-FREE

1/25 Alice
2/1 Wedding in Galilee
2/8 Faces of Women
2/15 Adversary
2/22 Blood of the Condor
3/1 Man Is Not a Bird
3/8 Jam, the Story of a People
3/29 Death of a Bureaucrat
4/5 Man of Marble
4/11 In the Realm of the Senses
4/19 Yaaba
4/26 Letters From a Dead Man
5/3 Dona Flor and Her Two
Husbands

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CORRECTION

The Winkler Lounge, referred to in the Fall 1989 Anniversary issue, was named after William Winkler, Class of 1937. Our apologies for incorrectly identifying the gift source.

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