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Mid-America Singers Madrigal Feastes — New music, new cast members featured in 26th annual event

The Mid-America Singers will present their 26th annual Madrigal Feastes, a beautiful evening of fine food and lavish song set in Medieval England and featuring several new and beautiful pieces of music and cast members.

The feastes will start at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Friday, Saturday, November 30 and December 1 and 2, and 6 p.m. Sunday, December 3, in the University Center Dining Room (Saturday night already is sold out). Tickets are \$21 for general admission, \$16 for children/students/USI students/senior citizens (60-plus), or \$19.50 per person in

groups of 20 or more. Call extension 1735 for reservations or information.

Mr. Daniel R. Craig, USI assistant professor of music who directs the Singers and their annual holiday celebration, said the new music will include "Welcome Sweet Pleasure" by Thomas Weelkes; "Flow Not So Fast, Ye Fountains" by John Dowland; "My Bonnie Lass She Smelleth" by P.D.Q. Bach (a parody on an old English Madrigal by Thomas Morley entitled "My Bonnie Lass She Smileth").

Also, "Pastime with Good Company" by King Henry VIII; "Cantate Domino" by Giuseppe Pitoni; "The Gift" by Bob Chilcott, a member of the King Singers; "O Magnum Mysterium" by Thoma Luis De Victoria; and "Salvation Is Created" by P. Tschesnokoff.

"Zdrowas Krolewno Wyborna (Hail Supreme Mother)" and "Modlitwa O Pokoj (Prayer for Peace)" will be among three selections the Singers will feature from their trip to Poland earlier this year. They also will present several traditional pieces like "Boar's Head Carol," "The Flaming Pudding Carol," and "The Twelve Days of Christmas."

Three new jesters — **Mr. Adam Wilson** (Head Jester), **Ms. Lisa Fikes** (Silent Jester), and **Ms. Chanda Davis** (Little Jester) — will spread their cheer and antics across the dining room, while **Mr. Jeremy Brack** has taken on the role of the Lord Chamberlain. **Mr. Michael Galvin** and **Ms. Varbi Huck Galvin**, USI education graduates, return to their roles as the Lord and

United Way campaign surpasses goal

The United Way committee thanks the University community for its continued support in boosting the 1995 campaign over its \$33,000 goal. Gifts and pledges still are being accepted. See your coordinator soon if you wish to contribute. All United Way donors were eligible for prizes. Congratulations to the following winners:

Fair Share givers —

Faculty - New Harmony getaway weekend - **Mrs. Pam B. Koob**, assistant professor of nursing; \$100 gift certificate - **Mrs. Ann H. White**, program coordinator, undergraduate nursing
Administrative - New Harmony weekend - **Ms. Jean Denton Brubbeck**, assistant director, University Development; vacation day - **Mrs. Kathy W. Funke**, director, News and Information Services

Biweekly - New Harmony weekend - **Mrs. Sandra A. Hatfield**, senior secretary, Athletic Department; vacation day - **Mrs. Mary Alice Weigand**,

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USI Theatre to celebrate holiday season with *A Christmas Carol*

Treat yourself and your family and friends to a holiday classic when USI Theatre presents Charles Dickens' *A Christmas Carol*. The production will be staged on a varying schedule from November 30 through December 17 at the theatre, 3001 Igleheart Avenue.

Mr. Edward Journey, an Alabaman who came to southern Indiana for Lincoln Amphitheatre productions of *Young Abe Lincoln* and *Big River*, will be guest director for the Dickens classic.

Mr. Mark Atchison of Evansville community theater will head the cast as Ebenezer Scrooge. The ghosts who visit him one Christmas Eve will be played by **Ms. Jacquelyn Moore** (Christmas Past), USI theater senior; **Mr. Greg Appel** (Christmas Present), USI theater junior; and **Mr. Danny Givens** (Christmas Yet To Come), USI theater sophomore. **Mr. Patrick Litteken** will portray Tiny Tim and **Mr. Timothy Paul Taylor**, USI theater senior, will be Bob Cratchit.

Other cast members include: **Mr. Tony DeVries**, **Ms. Amanda Feagley**, **Mr. Matthew Herrmann**, **Ms. Abby Hobbs**, **Mr. Rick Hobbs**, **Dr. Douglas Hubbell**, **Mr. John Jensen**, **Mr. Andrew Kemp**, **Ms. Allison Larty**, **Ms. Jayme Lively**, **Ms. Jolie McCraw**, **Ms. Melissa Panzarelli**, **Mr. Charles Schefer**, **Ms. Lori Van Scyoc**, **Mr. Curt Stewart**, **Ms. Tara Taylor**, and **Ms. Krista Youngblood**.

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The curtain will rise at 8 p.m. Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, November 30-December 1-2 and December 7-8-9 and at 2 p.m. Sundays, December 3 and 10. Special performances also are planned at 5 and 8 p.m. on Friday, December 15; 2, 5, and 8 p.m. on Saturday, December 16; and 2 and 5 p.m. Sunday, December 17.

Tickets are \$7 for general admission and \$5 for the USI community and senior citizens (60-plus). Reservations are suggested. Call the USI Theatre Office, extension 1668, for reservations or information.

Lady of the Manor. Other student cast members are:

Royal Ladies of the Court -

Mses. Annette Barton, Heather Gilmore, Amy Grayson, Alyssia Lamb, Emily Lockmund, Meg Lyon, Cynthia Sanders, Kim Smith, Tricia Stocks, Paula Strange

Royal Lords of the Court -

Messrs. Ron Baker, Gregory Bryant, Jeremy Cross, Richard Dyer, Matt Hinz, Brian Moell, Troy Rhinefort, Corey Woolsey

Wenches -

Mses. Michele Rodriguez, April Stocks, Lisa Wiggins

Royal Page -

Mr. Barry Parker

Stage manager -

Mr. Jason Porter

Town beggar -

Mr. Bryan Wheeler

Names in the news:

Dr. Hilary A. Braysmith, assistant professor of art history, gave a paper entitled "Why, not Who, are the Great Artists of History" at the Art Education Association of Indiana annual conference October 26 in Indianapolis.

Drs. Scott Gordon and Deke Gunderson, assistant professors of biology, recently presented papers at the 111th Annual Meeting of the Indiana Academy of Sciences (IAS) in Indianapolis. Dr. Gunderson presented a paper on "Subacute Toxicity of the Water-

Soluble Fraction of Kuwaiti Crude Oil and Partially Combusted Crude Oil on Menidia beryllina." Dr. Gordon presented a paper entitled "Intercontinental Variation Within Three Species of Marasmius (Agaricales, Basidiomycotina, Fungi)." Dr. Gordon was elected to serve as vice chair of the IAS Botany Section for 1996-97 and assume duties as chair for 1997-98.

Mr. Matthew R. Graham, associate professor of English, will have two new poems published in the December/January issue of the *Cincinnati Review*.

Mrs. Nancy M. Myers, mathematics specialist in Academic Skills, presented a table display on "Math Anxiety" at the November 2 Math Fair at Harrison High School, sponsored by the Southwest Indiana Council of Teachers of Mathematics. Table presentations covered a range of grade levels (K through college). Ms. GeorgeAnn Griffin and Mr. Donald E. Purcell, instructors in mathematics, also presented.

Dr. Joseph J. Palladino, professor of psychology, and Dr. Bill Hill of Kennesaw State College presented a symposium, "The ABCs of grading: Pedagogical, ethical, and legal issues" at the meeting of the American Psychological Association in New York City. The symposium was selected as a highlighted session by the Division on Teaching.

Dr. Palladino, Dr. Hill, and Dr. John Norcross of the University of Scranton collaborated on an article that appeared in the *American Psychological Society Observer*. They reviewed their research on extra credit opportunities that revealed, among other findings, an absence of educational value associated with a number of extra credit opportunities actually used by college/university faculty members.

PAC hours

The Physical Activities Center will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Wednesday, November 22, but the pool and weight room will be closed. The building will close for the Thanksgiving holiday, Thursday-Sunday, November 23-26.

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senior secretary, University Division
Volunteer coordinator prize
New Harmony weekend - Dr. Dane M. Partridge, assistant professor of management

Contributors of \$15 or more
Basketball season tickets - Ms. Karen J. Weber, programmer manager, Computer Center

The New Harmony Theatre season tickets - Ms. Sharon M. Morrow, instructor in English

Marriott lunch pass - Mrs. Stephanie R. Fuelling, director, Printing Services; Mrs. Deborah J. Weigand, purchasing agent

Reserved parking space - Mrs. Barbara B. Claypool, senior administrative secretary, School of Business

USI T-shirt - Mrs. Jerri Ann Maier, administrative secretary, Controller's Office; Dr. Daniel C. Scavone, professor of history

Autographed basketball - Mrs. Jennie L. Head, senior secretary, Security Office

Special thanks to the USI Athletic Department, The New Harmony Theatre, USI Bookstore, Marriott Dining Services, Red Geranium Enterprises, and USI Foundation for providing the prizes.

The "Teaching Issues" column of the summer/fall 1995 *Interactions*, a quarterly newsletter accompanying Prentice Hall's *Psychology* by Dr. Palladino and Dr. Stephen Davis of Emporia State University covered the topic of legal issues in grading. The column will be reprinted in Prentice Hall's newsletter *Symposium*, which is distributed to faculty members from all disciplines.

Dr. Palladino also is editor of the first edition of Dushkin Publishing's *Abnormal Psychology 96/97*, the most recent volume in the *Annual Editions* series.

Dr. Phyllis S. Toy, assistant professor of English, presented a paper, "Postmodern History in D. M. Thomas's *The White Hotel*," at the November 8 Andiron Lectures on Literature and Society at the University of Evansville.

Outlaws, a one-act play written by Mr. Elliot H. Wasserman, assistant professor of theatre, was showcased at Actors Theatre of Louisville again last spring and also will be presented at Los Angeles City College, opening December 5. *Outlaws* premiered at Actors Theatre in December 1993.

Works by Ms. Kathryn M. Waters, associate professor of art, are represented in three current art exhibitions: the Cheekwood Museum of Art in Nashville, Tennessee; "Narrative Art: Fact, Fantasy, or Fiction" at the Christian DeHaan Fine Arts Gallery, University of Indianapolis; and "Paducah '95" at the Yeiser Art Center in Paducah, Kentucky. Ms. Waters' drawing won a merit award at the Paducah exhibition.

Two of Dr. Marie G. Hankins' research students presented papers at the Indiana Academy of Science meeting November 3. Mr. Brandon Willis presented "Specific Heat Capacity, Polymers, DSC, and Physical Chemistry Laboratory." Mr. James Cargille's presentation was titled "Crystallization Kinetics Utilizing Polyethylene Terephthalate and DSC." Ms. Nicole Cable, one of Dr. Mark D. Krahling's research students, presented a paper on the weathering of polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs). Dr. Hankins is chair of the Chem-

istry Department and associate professor of chemistry; Dr. Krahling is an assistant professor of chemistry.

Sympathy:

The University community extends its sympathy to Mr. Jon Mark Hall, assistant athletic director, in the death November 13 of his grandmother, Mrs. Willie Maude Paris, 82, of Uniontown, Kentucky.

The University community extends its sympathy to Mr. Timothy A. Hicklin, custodial worker, in the death November 11 of his stepfather, Mr. William C. Condor, 71, of Evansville. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association.

The University community extends its sympathy to Ms. L. Chancellor Dugan, women's basketball coach, in the death November 4 of her sister, Mrs. Nancy Poore, 38, of Louisville.

Thank you ...

Mrs. Corinne, Mr. David, and Dr. Melissa Vandevere wish to thank the entire University community for their many expressions of sympathy after the death of their beloved husband, father, and father-in-law. The support and concern were heartwarming and most appreciated.

faculty assistance in dealing with an ongoing problem. Please do not move audio/visual equipment from one room to another. If there is a problem with a piece of equipment, contact Media Services, extension 1888, or send a student to our office, FA184, and we will take care of the situation as soon as possible. "Borrowing" equipment from another classroom only creates more problems. Media Services thanks you for your immediate attention to the problem.

Movies:

Fall film series - *Planet of the Apes* (1968) Director: Franklin J. Schaffner; cast: Charlton Heston, Roddy McDowall, Kim Hunter. Three American astronauts crash on a planet where the rulers are articulate apes who hunt humans. The movie will be shown at 1:30 and 6 p.m. Tuesday, November 21, in Forum I; it is free and open to the public. For information, call extension 1735.

Paris in the spring:

Mr. Eric D. Braysmith, lecturer in English, and Dr. Sherry B. Darrell, professor of English, are faculty sponsors for a spring tour of the art and culture of Paris. The group, departing the U.S. on May 9, will visit such landmarks as the Louvre, Notre Dame, Versailles Palace, Chartres Cathedral and the Loire River Valley, and Musee d'Orsay. The student price for the nine-day, seven-night trip will be \$1,190 plus tax, and covers air fare, two meals a day, and the hotel stay; there is a small surcharge for those over age 26. For information, call Mr. Braysmith, extension 1740, or Dr. Darrell, extension 1754.

Media Services needs your help: The Media Services office is asking for

Sports this week —

Basketball preview:

The 1995-96 basketball preview published by *The Shield* has been available on the USI newsstands since last week. If you were unable to get a copy, call *The Shield* office, extension 1645.

Cross country - seniors Amy Roll and Keil Kaiser will participate in the NCAA cross country nationals, Saturday, November 18, University of South Carolina-Spartanburg

Men's basketball - USI in U. of Alaska-Fairbanks Tournament of Champions, Friday-Saturday, November 17-18 — USI vs. Oklahoma City University, 10 p.m. (Evansville time) Friday, November 17; the fourth team is University of Wisconsin-Platteville; consolation game, 10 p.m., and tournament championship, 12 midnight Saturday, local time

Women's basketball - U. of Missouri-St. Louis at USI, 7:30 p.m. Friday, November 17; Northern Kentucky at USI, 7 p.m. Tuesday, November 21

Intramurals:

Anyone interested in refereeing intramural basketball should contact baseball Coach Michael J. Goedde, assistant intramurals director, extension 1943, before November 21. Competition begins November 27 and continues through spring break.

Southern Hospitality Day:

The fourth fall Southern Hospitality Day is slated Saturday, November 18, to allow Tri-State high school students to become acquainted with USI. The program begins at 9 a.m. in Mitchell Auditorium. Students and their parents and friends are invited to join the USI Enrollment Services staff for informational sessions on academic programs, financial assistance, campus activities and tours, free lunch, and more. **Reservations are required this year.** For information, call Enrollment Services, extension 1765.

Nothing in government is harder than cutting nonessential spending — unless it is getting agreement on what that is.

The following positions are available for November 17, 1995. The University of Southern Indiana is subject to the requirements of Executive Order 11246 and is an Affirmative Action Employer. Interested individuals should contact the Human Resources Office, FWA166, extension 1844. Each job has been assigned a reference number. When applying for positions please use the reference number.

FACULTY/ADMINISTRATIVE

Assistant Professor of Philosophy - F5022 - School of Liberal Arts - OP: 11/6/95 - AD: 12/10/95

Assistant Professor of Broadcast Communication - F5023 - School of Liberal Arts - OP: 11/6/95 - AD: 12/12/95

Assistant/Associate Professor of Computer Science - F5024 - School of Science and Engineering Technology

Tenure-track position beginning August 1996. Responsibilities include 12 semester hours of

Positions available

computer science programming/mathematics courses per semester. Ph.D. in computer science required; supporting background in mathematics preferred. The University is committed to excellence in teaching, scholarship and professional activity, and service to the University and the community. Application deadline is January 15, but applications will be accepted until position filled. Submit letter of application, curriculum vita, and names and addresses of three professional references to Dr. David Kinsey, Chair, Mathematics Department.

Chair, Psychology Department - F5025 - School of Liberal Arts

Full-time, tenure-track position beginning fall 1996. Appointment is for associate professor or above. Successful candidate will demonstrate effective leadership and management skills, as well as a strong commitment to undergraduate teaching. Administrative experience desirable.

Teaching responsibilities may include research methodology, statistics, and area of specialty. Must be a Ph.D. psychologist. The University is committed to excellence in teaching, scholarship and professional activity, and service to the University and the community. Application deadline is January 31, but applications will be accepted until position filled. Submit letter of application, curriculum vita, and names and addresses of three professional references to Dr. Sid Hall, Search Committee Chair, Psychology Department.

CLERICAL/SUPPORT

Library Assistant - B5056 - Library Services - OP: 11/6/95 - AD: 11/17/95

Custodial Worker - B5057 - Physical Plant - OP: 11/6/95 - AD: 11/17/95

Receptionist - B5058 - Enrollment Services - OP: 11/6/95 - AD: 11/17/95

Account Clerk I - B5059 - Business Office

Full-time position, Monday-Friday. Will be responsible for processing accounting documents, assisting in the preparation and distribution of accounts payable disbursements, and working with the computer-based financial records system. Position requires high school diploma or equivalent and one year general office experience; experience in bookkeeping or accounting and knowledge of word-processing software, spreadsheets, and dBase desired. Application deadline: November 24, but applications accepted until position filled. F030B/\$5.90/hr.

Student Loan Clerk - B5060 - Enrollment Services

Full-time position, Monday-Friday; may be required to work occasional evenings and weekends. Will be responsible for processing and maintaining student loan applications, dealing with students, assisting with file reviews, and all other duties associated with position. Position requires high school diploma or equivalent with two years office experience or an equivalent combination of education and experience, knowledge of word-processing software, and good communication and organizational skills; college coursework preferred. Application deadline: November 24, but applications accepted until position filled. F040B/\$6.36/hr.

Financial Aid Clerk B5061 - Enrollment Services

Full-time position, Monday-Friday; may be required to work occasional evenings and weekends. Will be responsible for processing and maintaining institutional fee waiver programs, agency inquiries, outside scholarship and third-party payments, work with students and clients, assist with file review, and all other duties logically associated with position. Position requires high school diploma or equivalent with two years office experience or an equivalent combination of education and experience, knowledge of word-processing software, and good communication and organizational skills; previous college coursework preferred. Application deadline: November 24, but applications accepted until position filled. F040B/\$6.36/hr.

Marketplace

For sale

Building site - 1.483 acres on County Line Road, 5 minutes from USI; virtually developed and ready for construction; back, left side of lot wooded. Call extension 1821 or 428-4210 after 6 p.m.

1994 Dodge Shadow ES - excellent condition, garage kept, 5-speed, 29,000 miles. Price reduced! \$9,500. Call 985-5853.

1991 Ford Tempo GL - 4-door, new tires and battery, power steering and windows; 65,000 miles; well maintained. Retail value \$6,675; asking \$5,500. Call June, extension 1685.

'85 Chevy El Camino - 305 V-8; runs great, good condition. \$5,000. Call extension 1867 or 424-9541 after 5:30 p.m.

Miscellaneous - I've got these billiard balls, see, but I've looked all over the house and don't seem to have a billiard table! So, unless I find a giant who wants to play marbles, I might as well sell the billiard balls! Full set, cue ball and rack. And while we're at it — I'm also selling an electric adding machine (think of its potential antique value!) and a metal magazine rack/phone stand. Buy any two of the above items and I'll throw in the third one free! Call extension 1932 or 422-4288 after 5 p.m.

Brother word processor - model WP-2600Q; Tetris, whisper print, grammar check, and more; 10 extra disks; excellent condition. \$350. Call 673-4251.

TI-82 graphing calculator - essential for algebra course; barely used; price negotiable. Call Pete Ambrosone, 853-3619, after 9 p.m.

3 solid oak living room tables - long rectangular coffee table w/smoked-glass top, octagon end table, rectangular end table; all w/storage space; antiqued brass knobs and fixtures; all 20 1/2 inches tall. \$250 for set. Call extension 1971 or 473-0548, leave message.

Free

Just in time for Christmas - Little Tykes party kitchen w/lots of accessories; Little Tykes laundry center; pink Barbie Corvette; 2 Queen Anne cherry chairs w/ivory-padded seats; old-fashioned "icebox," chest, shelf, all w/carved wheat design; beautiful Christmas decorations, large tree stand. Call extension 1877 or 423-0476 after 5:30 p.m.

Solarbron Pointe apartments

A few apartments remain available for leasing in Solarbron Pointe Retirement Community's new 34-unit addition; for persons age 60 or older; 1- and 2-bedroom, ground floor, one monthly fee covers fine dining, weekly housekeeping, cable TV, utilities, educational and cultural events, and more. For a complimentary noon dinner/tour, contact Mrs. Mary Lue russler, public relations and retirement coordinator, 985-9955.

Services

Stringer's corner - serving the West Side tennis and racquetball stringing needs (also restring old strings). \$8 plus string. Call 423-7101, ask for Nathaniel or Tom.

Wanted

Home or apartment - Japanese instructor looking for home or apartment; willing to rent/share for the spring semester. Call extension 1293.

Shrine Circus tickets
Call Ray Walker, 426-2944.
He will deliver.

OP: original publication date
AD: application deadline