



**SEASON '94:
THE AMERICAN
MASTERS FESTIVAL**

The New Harmony Theatre will inaugurate the American Masters Festival for Season '94, a festival that will bring to life the works of one of America's most noted playwrights.

Season subscriptions to The New Harmony Theatre American Masters Festival make a terrific gift for the holidays. Gift certificates will be available through December 23. Call The New Harmony Theatre box office, extension 1635.

Using the plays of Tennessee Williams and the dramatists of his period as the focal point, The New Harmony Theatre directors will select plays that reflect the vibrant heritage of the American theatre. This season, four productions examine the optimistic and turbulent spirit of the nation's post-World War II era.

The Pulitzer Prize winning classic *Picnic* by William Inge will open the season, June 17-July 9, in Murphy Auditorium.

The longest-running musical in theatre history, *The Fantasticks*, will spring to life July 1-31 in Thrall's Opera House.

Widely recognized as one of the
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DISTANCE EDUCATION TO BE EXPLORED

Indiana's Partnership for Statewide Education is sponsoring a weekly series of video conferences to help the faculties of Indiana's higher education institutions become acquainted with the concepts and practice of distance education.

The symposium, partially funded by The Lilly Endowment, Inc., will be distributed on the Indiana Higher Education Telecommunication System (IHETS) so faculty members may participate at their convenience. Programs will air at 1 p.m. Fridays (local time), live with two-way audio interaction.

The series began December 3 and will continue through the end of April 1994. The first two programs, December 3 and 10, are 90-minute general information sessions; when the series resumes January 14, one-hour programs will cover specific topics. Faculty members may attend any or all sessions; there is no attendance requirement.

The December 3 program, "Indiana's Partnership for Statewide Education and the Statewide Transfer Agreement," includes the origin of the mandated transfer agreement, how the ten courses were selected, background and accomplishments of the partnership, how the two projects are related, and current plans for both. The December 10 program, "Research on the Effectiveness of Distance Education," will offer a research overview and recent evaluations of two major Indiana degree programs delivered entirely via distance education.

At USI, the December 10 program will be aired in FWA170. Dr. M. Edward Jones, associate vice president for Academic Affairs and director of Extended Services, said programs will be videotaped and filed, so faculty members may view or review them at their convenience. For information contact Ms. Karen H. Bonnell, assistant professor of communications, extension

1968, or Dr. Jones, extension 1863.

**DR. KELLEY DOCUMENTS
SHERLOCK HOLMES**

Dr. Gordon E. Kelley became his own "resident expert" on the many incarnations of Sherlock Holmes while trying to sort out programs featuring the famed master sleuth of fiction for the vintage radio collection he had turned into a weekly *Radio Theatre*.

His Holmes expertise has now grown into a book -- *Sherlock Holmes: Screen and Sound Guide* -- due out in January from Scarecrow Press, Inc., in Metuchen, New Jersey.

The associate dean of the School of Nursing and Health Professions isn't sure what the book will bring but doubts it will be anything more surprising than the Holmes facts he accumulated, such facts as:

-- Sherlock Holmes has appeared in every form of public entertainment since his creation by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle in 1887, and new stories continue to appear with regularity.
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HIGHWAY HEARINGS

The Indiana Department of Transportation has scheduled the latest public hearings on the proposed Eickhoff-Koressel corridor, running north of the USI campus to Highway 66 and ultimately to Interstate 64. The hearings will be at 4 and 7 p.m. Thursday, December 9, in Forum I. Highway alignment maps will be available in the corridor, for public viewing before and after hearings.



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est comedies ever written for the American stage, Garson Kanin's *Born Yesterday* will be presented July 15 through July 30 in Murphy Auditorium.

Season '94 will close with the Tennessee Williams classic *Suddenly Last Summer* August 5-20 in Murphy Auditorium.

Single-performance tickets for The New Harmony Theatre American Masters Festival are \$14 general admission, \$13 for students and senior citizens (60-plus), and \$12 each for groups of 20 or more. Season subscriptions are available for \$48, saving \$2 off the general admission price of each

FOR THE HOLIDAYS

Christmas treat sale - Phi Beta Sigma will be selling Christmas treats at two locations -- the Administration hallway and Eagle's Nest -- from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. through Friday, December 10.

APB Children's Christmas Party - The Activities Programming Board will hold its annual Christmas party for children of students, faculty, and staff at 12 noon Saturday, December 11, in UC350.

Holiday Ball - The annual Holiday Ball, featuring music by the Temple-Aires, will be held at 8:30 p.m. Saturday, December 11, in Thrall's Opera House at New Harmony. Tickets are \$10 per person. Call the Red Geranium Bookstore, 682-4423.

Secretaries Party - The USI Secretaries and Associates annual Christmas party will be held at 12 noon Thursday, December 16, at the Old Mill on New Harmony Road. The roast beef lunch will be followed by entertainment, Santa, holiday bingo, door prizes, and caroling. Lunch is \$6 for members, \$7 for non-members; reservations should be

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-- In addition to his native England, Holmes still solves mysteries on the air in the U.S., Canada, South Africa, Australia, and Japan.

-- There are thousands of people who are interested in Sherlock Holmes, including the more than 600 Sherlock Holmes societies in the world.

Dr. Kelley figures that leaves a lot of room for discussion, and maybe occasional disagreement over the facts. He is willing to discuss his Holmes facts with anyone who is interested but isn't sure what the future holds if, for example, all the 600-plus societies would want to talk with him about the book.

Dr. Kelley started making lists of Holmes data after finding a proliferation of programs but no documentation. It was not unusual for him to receive duplicate programs, usually with no list of actors, dates the programs aired, or even titles.

Dr. Kelley collected vintage radio programs as a hobby, but when the University received its own radio station, WSWI, he turned the hobby into a weekend avocation, hosting two hours of *Radio Theatre* each Saturday for eight years. Sherlock Holmes was a regular and Dr. Kelley needed to be able to tell his listeners who they were listening to, and when the program first aired.

Mr. Doyle's Holmes originally appeared in 56 short stories and four novels. Dr. Kelley chronologically names and summarizes plots for those and each new story he has found -- in motion pictures, radio, television, recordings, and computer programs. He called the latter two "afterthoughts," being added to his data after he discovered Holmes in talking books and computer games.

His list was invaluable to him. He found others who agreed on its value, and sold a few copies. Then it occurred to him there might be a wider interest and he contacted some publishers. Scarecrow was interested and persuaded him to turn his information into the 300-page book due out next month.

NAMES IN THE NEWS. The 48th edition (1994) of *Who's Who in America* includes biographical sketches of two USI



made by Friday, December 10, with Mrs. Janet Duncan, Purchasing secretary, extension 1848.

Open House - Dr. David L. Rice and Mrs. Betty Rice will hold their annual holiday open house for faculty and staff from 2 to 4 p.m. Friday, December 17.

University Notes - The weekly newsletter will not be published the last two weeks of the year. The final 1993 issue will come out on Wednesday, December 15; the first 1994 issue will be Wednesday, January 5. Happy Holidays!

HOLIDAY GIVING

Toys for Tots - The U.S. Marine Corps has brought three Christmas Toys for Tots boxes for USI family convenience. The boxes are located in the Student Life Office, UC; Business Office, behind the cashier, OC lower level; and Business Affairs Office, AD102. The donated toys will be picked up around December 20, for distribution to infants and children who might otherwise have no Christmas.

HOLIDAY WARNING

Decorations - Mr. Barry J. Hart, Safety and Security director, is passing along Indiana Department of Fire Prevention and Building Safety recommendations for a safe holiday. The lengthy list applies to such materials as cotton batting, straw, dry vines, leaves, evergreen cuttings (including trees), and foam, plastic, or other flammable materials. Anyone using natural greenery must get it approved by the safety director; artificial trees, lighting, and decorations must be labeled flame retardant by a recognized testing lab; and trees should not block exits or fire-alarm boxes. Questions should be directed to Mr. Hart, extension 1845.

WEIGAND FUND

Among the mounting medical expenses facing the Weigand family in their son's battle with large-cell lymphoma are co-insurance hospital bills now expected to run well over \$30,000.

The Weigands -- Mary Alice, University Division secretary; her husband Glenn; and the 17-year-old son, Sean -- have returned to Nashville after spending Thanksgiving at home, so Sean could resume chemotherapy treatments at Vanderbilt Hospital. The family expects to be home again for Christmas.

The USI Development Office is continuing the Weigand Fund. Cash or checks made payable to the USI Foundation and marked for the Weigand family should be sent or delivered to Development. That office is acting only as a facilitator, however, and anyone wishing to make a large or tax-deductible gift is advised to send it to the Weigand Fund in care of St. Paul's United Methodist Church, 5201 S. St. Philips Road, Evansville, IN 47712. Any questions should be directed to Mrs. Suzanne A.

Nicholson, Development director, extension 1918.

The USI Communications Arts Club also is conducting a fundraising campaign to collect money, gift certificates, clothing, shoes, toys, games, food, and personal hygiene items to benefit two families for the holidays -- the Weigand family and another family in the community.

There will be a Sean Weigand Breakfast from 7 to 10 a.m. Saturday, December 11, at the McDonald's restaurant in Mt. Vernon, Indiana. Tickets are \$2; call Sean's aunt, Mrs. Debbie J. Weigand, USI purchasing agent, extension 1982.

Anyone wishing to send cards or other messages to Sean or his family may send them in care of Mrs. Weigand at Ronald McDonald House, 2144 Fairfax Avenue, PO Box 120425, Nashville, Tennessee 37212. Sean is in room 11026 at Vanderbilt; his room phone is 615/343-9315.

professors, Dr. Charles T. Barber, chair of the Philosophy and Political Science Department and professor of political science, and Dr. Melvin W. Denner, professor of biology. The fourth edition (1994-95) of *Who's Who in American Education* includes USI President David L. Rice, Dr. Barber, Dr. Victoria M. Pohl, professor of mathematics, and Mr. Eric L. VonFuhrmann, assistant professor of English.

Mrs. Becky Coble, secretary in Health Services and HIV/AIDS Peer Facilitator program coordinator, assisted in training 17 new facilitators across the state, including four from USI: Ms. Kimm Brugge-man, Mr. Travis Campbell, Ms. Amy Mehringer, and Ms. Lisa Powers.

Mr. Matthew R. Graham, associate professor of English/creative writing, will read from his poetry during an English Coffee Hour at 4 p.m. Thursday, December 9, in the Bower-Suhrheinrich Room of the McCurdy Union Building, University of Evansville. The public is invited.

Dr. Abbas Foroughi, associate professor of business, attended the 36th annual joint national meeting of the Operations Research Society of America and the Institute of Management Sciences, held October 31-November 3 in Phoenix. He presented his paper, "The Impact of Decision Support and Electronic Communication on Effectiveness of Negotiation Support Systems,"

which was published in the meeting Bulletin. Co-authors are Dr. William C. Perkins of Indiana University, and Dr. Michael M. Delaney of St. Joseph's University.

Mrs. Sandra L. Lawrence, director of Health Services, passed the College Health Nurse Certification examination held October 2 by the American Nurses Association and the American College Health

Association. The certification means Mrs. Lawrence has met standards for specialty practice in College Health Nursing.

WELCOME. The University community extends a welcome to two new employees - Mrs. Dianna Brust, head cashier at the USI Bookstore, and Mr. Jerel W. Heilman, computer operator. Mrs. Brust is a part-time student at Ivy Tech who has worked part-time at the USI Bookstore. Mr. Heilman has been a student at Ivy Tech and USI and previously was employed by The Evansville Courier Company and Deaconess Hospital.

A SURPRISE RECEPTION -- that's right, surprise! -- will be held at 3 p.m. Friday, December 10, in the UC Dining Room, honoring Mrs. Ida Laymon. She is retiring after 19 years with the food service, which includes opening the snack bar shortly after she started work at the University; she has been there since. Keep the secret and drop by to wish her well.

RETIREMENT RECEPTION. A retirement reception will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. Wednesday, December 15, in the President's Suite. The guests of honor will be Mr. David S. Deering, USI Bookstore manager the past 20 years, and Dr. Barbara J. Marting, chair of the Management and Marketing Department. She was one of five honored for 25 years of service at the 1993 Founder's Day program.

"THE WONDER OF WORK"

An unusual combination of engineering and art has resulted in the exhibition, "Great Engineering is Great Art," which is on display through Saturday, December 11, at Midstates Contemporary Gallery, 208 Main Street, on the Downtown Evansville Walkway. The exhibit was prepared by Mr. Augustine "Jay" Fredrich, professor of civil engineering technology, to showcase images created by Mr. Joseph Pennell, a Philadelphia-born illustrator and artist whose pen-and-ink drawings, etchings, and lithographs are included in museum collections around the world. It will be available to the public during regular gallery hours: 10:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. Thursday and Friday, 7-9 p.m. Friday; and 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday.

**FINALS WEEK AT
DAVID L. RICE LIBRARY**

**9 a.m.-7 p.m.
Saturday, December 11**

**2 p.m.-12 midnight
Sunday, December 12**

**7:45 a.m.-12 midnight
Monday-Thursday, December 13-16**

CONGRATULATIONS to Mr. Bruce Pearl, men's head basketball coach, and his wife Kim on the birth November 30 of their second daughter, Leah M.

SYMPATHY. The University community extends its sympathy to:

The family of Mr. James D. Baumeyer, 67, retired USI maintenance supervisor, who died November 30 in Evansville.

The family of Mr. Charles W. Board, 67, retired USI Safety and Security supervisor, who died December 2 in Evansville.

Mrs. Emily Winters-Brown, Student Life program advisor, in the death November 30 of her father, Mr. Joseph L. Winters of Henderson, Kentucky.

Mr. G. Richard Mills, retired audio-video technician in Media Services, in the death November 11, of his mother, Mrs. Nellie Lange Wooton Mills, 92, of Hanson, Kentucky.

The family of Mrs. Kay Beatty, 75, former USI Bookstore employee, who died in early November.

The family of Mr. DeJuan "Spider" Rowser, a 1977 USI graduate and former Eagles basketball standout, who died in early November.

UNITED WAY RECEPTION. A United Way reception will be held Monday, December 13 honoring "Fair Share" contributors and group coordinators in the campus campaign. Call extension 1770 for information.

REPORT FROM THE OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT FOR ACADEMIC AFFAIRS. Curricular petitions for a new course and course modifications have been received and approved, including:

School of Business - New Course
CIS 111 Introduction to Programming Logic - 3 hrs.; implementation date: Fall 1994

Course Modifications
ASBE 401 Career Planning and Professional Development - 1 hr.; implementation date: Fall 1994

MNGT 141 Introduction to Business - 3 hrs.; implementation date: Fall 1994

MNGT 361 Business Environmental Factors - 3 hrs.; implementation date: Fall 1994

School of Education and Human Services - Course Modifications

EDUC 448 Synthesis Seminar in Secondary Teaching - 3 hrs.; implementation date: Fall 1994

EDUC 458 Synthesis Seminar in Elementary Teaching - 3 hrs.; implementation date: Fall 1994

WINTER RECESS CHECK RUN. University checks will be printed only once during the week preceding the winter recess. To ensure payment before the holiday, all departmental paperwork (check vouchers, receiving reports, etc.) needs to be submitted to Accounts Payable by noon Wednesday, December 22. University checks will be written on December 23; the next date when checks will be written is January 7. Please plan payment needs accordingly. Call extension 1885 with any questions.

CHILDREN'S CENTER BENEFIT. The Children's Center is collecting Buehler's Buy-Low receipts for cash rebate, with the money to be used for classroom materials. The USI community is reminded, now that

the Buehler's has opened in the University Shopping Center, to save receipts and send them to the Children's Center or Extended Services. Buehler's will give the center a one percent rebate on receipt totals.

E MAIL CLASS. The Computer Center plans a class on the Network Electronic Mail System (E Mail), to be held from 1 to 4 p.m. Wednesday, December 22, in OC3074. Call extension 1899 to make a reservation.

WEIGHT ROOM TO CLOSE. The weight room in the Physical Activities Center will be closed for renovation Monday, December 13, through January 9.

SPORTS THIS WEEK - Women's basketball - USI in Middle Tennessee State Tournament, 6 p.m. Friday and 2 p.m. Saturday, December 10-11.

Snowflake Derby - The annual Snowflake Derby will be held Saturday, December 11, co-sponsored by the USI cross country program and numerous local businesses. There will be a 4K run at 10 a.m. and an 8K run at 10:30. The derby is open to men and women, with categories ranging from 12-under to 70-plus. Registration is \$10 and will be available from 8:45 to 9:45 a.m. Saturday in the PAC. Call extension 1846 for information.

BASEBALL CAMP. Mr. Mike Goedde, head baseball coach, is conducting two Winter Baseball Camps December 27-30, a morning session for 8 to 12 year olds and an afternoon session for 13 to 17 year olds. The fee is \$70 per camper. Call Mr. Goedde for information, extension 1943.

GO NORTH WITH THE EAGLES

Friday, December 10, is the deadline to sign up for a four-day trip north with the USI Eagles that will include an opportunity to watch Evansville's Calbert Cheaney in action with the Washington Bullets. The bus will leave at 7 a.m. Monday, December 27, and return after the Eagles -- men's and women's teams -- face the University of Indianapolis Greyhounds on Thursday night, December 30, in Indy. In the meantime, the group will see the Bullets/Milwaukee Bucks game Monday evening and the Eagles/University of Wisconsin-Parkside game Tuesday evening. The \$200 fee includes transportation, lodging for three nights, dinner with the Eagles at Mader's German Restaurant in Milwaukee, and time on your own in Chicago and Indianapolis. Call Mrs. Joyce Assalone, director of special events, extension 1654, for information or to sign up for the trip.

The following positions are available for December 8, 1993. 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

Accountant - A3021 - Business Office

Full-time administrative position; will prepare budgets, develop budgeting systems, maintain accounting records, and coordinate reporting requirements for University auxiliary funds such as retail operations, athletics program, and the University Center. Position requires a bachelor's degree in accounting; previous accounting experience and knowledge of personal computers preferred. Submit letter of application, resume including salary history, and the names and addresses of three professional references by December 13 to: Michael W. Whipple, controller.

Assistant Professor - F3029 - Sociology/Anthropology

Tenure-track position beginning in Fall 1994; applicants must have Ph.D. degree in sociology by hiring date. The department is seeking a qualified candidate to teach Principles of Sociology and two or more of the following areas: social gerontology, criminal justice, urban sociology, environmental sociology, social psychology, or social problems. Salary commensurate with qualifications and experience. Screening of applicants will begin February 15. Submit letter of interest, vita, and the names and addresses of three professional references to Dr. Charles Petranek,

POSITIONS AVAILABLE

Chair, Department of Sociology.

Counselor/Credentials Analyst - A3022 - Enrollment Services

Full-time administrative position; will interview and counsel prospective and transfer students, process academic transcripts, and provide information regarding admissions policies, academic offerings, and student services. Duties include answering student applications inquiries; corresponding with students; and assisting with program coordination. Position requires bachelor's degree and ability to communicate effectively; knowledge of automated information processing systems desired. Submit letter of application, resume, and names and addresses of three professional references by December 23 to Mr. Timothy Buecher, Dean, Enrollment Services.

Manager - A3023 - USI Bookstore

Full-time administrative position; will manage all areas of the University bookstore. Duties include overseeing daily operations, establishing and administering policies and procedures applicable to an efficient and profitable operation, preparing and analyzing reports, and maintaining all records for the bookstore. Position requires a bachelor's degree, with three to five years experience in a bookstore; must have working knowledge of word-processing, spreadsheet and database programs; previous supervisory experience preferred. Submit letter of application, resume, and the names and addresses of three professional references by January 6 to Richard Schmidt, Vice President for Business Affairs.

Assistant Professor - F3030 - School of Science and Engineering Technology

Tenure-track faculty position beginning fall 1994 in analytical chemistry; earned Ph.D. required. Must be committed to development of analytical chemistry courses and excellence in teaching; emphasis in environmental analysis desirable. Teaching responsibilities will include instrumental analysis, quantitative analysis, and various introductory-level courses; undergraduate research is required. Submit letter of application, curriculum vitae, and statement of both research and teaching philosophy, and arrange to have three letters of recommendation sent by February 1 to Dr. Marie Hankins, Chair, Department of Chemistry.

CLERICAL/SUPPORT

Administrative Clerk - B3046 - Office of Registrar

Full-time position, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday; will provide clerical support in the pre-registration and registration process, work with academic records, assist students, and maintain files. Position requires two to three years of office experience or a combination of experience and education, typing skills of 45-50 w.p.m., and knowledge of word-processing programs. Application deadline: December 10. F040B/\$6.08/hr.

Teacher - B3047 - Children's Center

Part-time, 12-month position, 8:30 a.m.-12:20 p.m. Monday-Friday; will planning programs and activities for the children, maintain children's records, and supervise student workers. Position requires associate degree in early childhood education with previous child-care experience preferred. Application deadline: December 10. G030B/\$5.65/hr.

MARKETPLACE

For Sale

'93-'94 basketball cards - first cards of Cheaney, Mashburn & Weber; great Christmas gifts for kids and grandkids. Call Mike Adcock, extension 1653 or 428-0662, for details.

Sleeper sofa - country decor, earthtones, excellent condition. \$60. Call Michelle, extension 7037.

Men's Burberry raincoat - w/ plaid lining; medium; worn once.

\$300. Call 838-2183, leave message.

Small AM/FM radio/cassette player - runs on AC or batteries. \$10 or best offer. Call extension 1863.

IBM Selectric II - noncorrecting; \$125. Call extension 1719 or 428-0731 after 5 p.m.

Yamaha clarinet - wooden; excellent condition; w/carrying case. \$300. Call extension 7005 or 424-0478 after 4:30 p.m.

Diplomacy is the art of letting someone else have your way.

A word to the wise may be just enough to start an argument.