The Department of Music University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire

presents

the

University Symphony Band DONALD S. GEORGE, CONDUCTOR

RODNEY HUDSON Assistant Conductor-Trombone Soloist

FACULTY SOLOISTS

WENDY HERBENER-MEHNE, Flute RICHARD FLETCHER, Clarinet KRISTINE FLETCHER, Bassoon

On Tour 1983

April 13 D. C. Everest High School Schofield

April 14 West High School Appleton

Fox Valley Area Alumni-Parents Concert Paper Valley Conference Center Appleton

April 15 Neenah High School

<u>April 17</u> University of Wisconsin Eau Claire

PROGRAM

(to be selected from the following)

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SYMPHONY IN B FLAT FOR CONCERT BANDPaul Hindemith
CAPRICCIO ESPAGNOLEN. Rimsky-Korsakov arr. Mark Hindsley
CARNIVAL OVERTUREAntonin Dvorak arr. Leigh Steiger
PRELUDE ON THREE WELSH HYMN TUNESRalph Vaughan Williams scored for band by Jim Curnow
SCOTCH STRATHSPEY AND REEL Percy Grainger arr. Leroy Osmon
CARMINA BURANACarl Orff arr. John Krance
ELSA'S PROCESSION TO THE CATHEDRALRichard Wagner arr. Lucien Cailliet
FANTASIA NOVABob Margolis
MUSIC FOR THE ROYAL FIREWORKSGeorge Frideric Handel arr. William Schaefer
THE CARNIVAL OF VENICE, Op 14P. A. Genin
Faculty Soloist: WENDY HERBENER-MEHNE, Flute
ANDANTE AND HUNGARIAN RONDOC. M. von Weber
Faculty Soloist: KRISTINE FLETCHER, Bassoon
SOLO DE CONCOURSA. Messager
Faculty Soloist: RICHARD FLETCHER, Clarinet
ANNIE LAURIEArthur Pryor
Faculty Soloist: RODNEY HUDSON, Trombone
FRAGMENTSRobert Muczynski
Faculty Woodwind Trio: MRS. MEHNE, MRS. FLETCHER, DR. FLETCHER
Marches: TRIPOLI, Symphonic Concert MarchA. D'Anna arr. Ross Hastings TRANSCONTINENTALHarry R. Hughes ON THE MALLEdwin Franko Goldman BOYS OF THE OLD BRIGADEW. Paris Chambers THE GALLANT SEVENTHJohn Philip Sousa HONEY BOYS ON PARADEE. V. Cupero

THE UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-EAU CLAIPE SYMPHONY EAND

is a select group of the most highly qualified musicians on campus regardless of their major area of study. Repertoire is carefully selected to represent the finest in music for concert band, balancing an emphasis on contemporary literature with works drawn from preceding periods and styles. The Symphony Band rehearses five hours each week and presents several concerts on campus each year. In addition, the band goes on tour for four days in the spring. The 85-piece Symphony Band is one of three concert bands at UW-EC, thus giving all instrumentalists at the University the opportunity to gain experience and enjoyment from band participation and performance.

DONALD S. GEORGE, CONDUCTOR

of the Symphony Band, received his education at Ohio Wesleyan University, the Eastman School of Music, Mannes College in New York City, and Teachers College, Columbia University. He has studied clarinet with Rufus Arey and Robert McGinnis. His teaching experience has been in the public schools of New Jersey, having been Director of Music for Midland Park, N.J., Public Schools for eleven years. He has also taught at Teachers College, Columbia University, and has been Director of Bands at the Glassboro State College Summer Fine Arts Camp. Dr. George joined the faculty of the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire in September, 1968. At the university he is Director of University Bands and teaches clarinet and conducting. He also directs the University Clarinet Choir.

RODNEY HUDSON, ASSISTANT CONDUCTOR AND TROMBONE SOLOIST

attended undergraduate school at Minot State College, Minot, North Dakota. From 1964-67 Mr. Hudson was Band and Choir Director at public schools in North Dakota. From 1967-69 he was Director of Instrumental Music for the public schools in Brandon, Manitoba, Canada, and was also Brass Instructor at Brandon University. From 1969-71 Mr. Hudson attended graduate school at the University of Iowa where he received an M.A. and M.F.A. degree in Performance. Mr. Hudson has studied trombone with Charles Moore and John D. Hill. Be was principal trombone with the Minot Symphony Orchestra and Brandon University Chamber Orchestra. In the fall of 1971, he came to the University of Wisconsin-Eau Clare as Assistant Band Director and Low Brass Instructor.

WENDY MEHNE, FLUTE SOLOIST

is instructor of flute and Director of the University Flute Choir. As a recitalist and as a member of the Telemann Society, she has achieved recognition throughout the upper Midwest as an outstanding performer. Mrs. Mehne has given master classes at the Indianhead Center at Shell Lake, and prior to coming to Eau Claire was flute instructor at Henderson State College in Arkansas. She holds a Bachelor of Music degree from the University of Nebraska, and a Master of Music degree from Michigan State University.

KRISTINE FLETCHER, BASSOON SOLOIST

is instructor of bassoon and double-reed techniques, is a doctoral candidate at the University of Iowa where she held a teaching assistantship in bassoon. In addition to appearing as a recitalist, Mrs. Fletcher has performed in numerous orchestras in Iowa and Arkansas. As an experienced performer of chamber music, she has appeared at several MENC conventions and on educational television. She holds both the Bachelor's and Master's degrees from the University of Iowa.

RICHARD FLETCHER, CLARINET SOLOIST

is an Associate Professor of Music at UW-Eau Claire where he teaches clarinet and saxophone. He is the author of several articles on woodwind music and is active as a soloist and chamber musician. A graduate of the University of Iowa, Dr. Fletcher has studied clarinet with Himie Voxman and George Silfies, and saxophone with Ronald Tyree. Before coming to UW-EC he taught for a number of years at Arkansas Tech University.

PERSONNEL

UW-EC SYMPHONY BAND

PICCOLO Stephanie Carlson

FLUTE Tamara Aderman Cynthia Anderson Amy Barry Katherine Beier Denise Brodbeck Mary Gwidt Vicky Maahs Lisa Mattern Wendy Price Pamela Sedgwick Tammy Thornell *Ann Wichman

OBOE

*Sharon Golombowski Kerry Smith Julie Triemstra

ENGLISH HORN Julie Triemstra

BASSOON Ann Alnes *Kris Follstad

Eb CLARINET Kathleen Rynish

Bb CLARINET Connie Behrens Jane Bereza Julie Durocher Mary Ebert Kelli Farrand Anne Fenzl Kathy Giesegh *Deb Jarvis Joann Kekula Shelly Klassen Lori Mancl Joanne Perrizo Kathleen Rynish Betty Van Gompel Ruth Weber

BASS CLARINET Heidi Racanelli *Carolyn Thauer

CONTRABASS CLARINET Daniel Funk

ALTO SAXOPHONE Greg Keel Pat Mallinger Jeff Reitz Steve Sveum

TENOR SAXOPHONE Sally Brown Terry Minett

BARITONE SAXOPHONE Daniel Larson

TRUMPET

*Laurie Armstrong Jeanette Eastman Tom Falkavage Kevin Kjos Paul Lehner James Tabbert Keith Thompson Jeanne Walker

HORN Nola Kann Vicki Kohlman Michele Mickelson Sarah Milinovich *Mary Scott Lois Vaillette Kelli Van Acker Chris Watke

TROMBONE

Tony Alms Ethan Freier Todd Halverson *Peter Keuer Guy Machel Cindy Myhers

WIND/PERCUSSION FACULTY

Wendy Mehne, Flute Ivar Lunde, Jr., Oboe Kristine Fletcher, Bassoon Donald George, Clarinet Richard Fletcher, Saxophone/Clarinet Henry Mauther, Trumpet Boris Rybka, Horn Rodney Hudson, Trombone Mary Perry, Suphoniem, Tuba Ronald Xeezer, Percussion

EUPHONIUM *Garwood Anderson Pete Bartell John Zwolanek

TUBA Dennis Conroy Jeffrey Newman *James Woodford

STRING BASS Brian Benson Michael Kropf

PERCUSSION Jenny Clark Lew Dexter Franklin Gauer Mark Holte *M. Allan Sloniker Kevin Weber

HARP and PIANO Mimi Campenhout

*Principal