THE DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-EAU CLAIRE

presents the

1993

INDIANHEAD HONORS BAND

and the

UNIVERSITY SYMPHONY BAND DONALD S. GEORGE, CONDUCTOR

ALBERTO ASERCION GUEST CLINICIAN

and

CLARINET SOLOIST

Saturday, February 27, 1993 7:00 p.m. Gantner Concert Hall

PROGRAM THE UNIVERSITY SYMPHONY BAND

THAT SHAKESPEHERIAN RAG
Premiere Performance

William Ryden

FOUR SCOTTISH DANCES

Malcolm Arnold arr. John P. Paynter

I. Pesante II. Vivace III. Allegretto IV. Con Brio

CONCERT FANTASIA on Themes
from Verdi's Opera "RIGOLETTO"

Luigi Bassi

Encore: HATING GABI

arr. Eric Osterting

ALBERTO ASERCION, Clarinet Soloist

THE LAST GRAND POLKA
Premiere Performance

John Cacavas

INTERMISSION

THE INDIANHEAD HONORS BAND

KING COTTON - March
ALBERTO ASERCION, Conducting

John Philip Sousa

AMERICAN RIVER SONGS

Pierre La Plante

YE BANKS AND BRAES O' BONNIE DOON

Percy Grainger

CREOLE BELLES - Ragtime March

J. Bodewalt Lampe arr. Keith Brion

PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

DR. DAVID BAKER Chairman, Department of Music

SYMPHONY NO. 1 "THE LORD OF THE RINGS"

Johan de Meij

V. "HOBBITS"

TRIPOLI - Italian Symphonic March

Ross Hastings

DIRECTORS OF PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS

Kris Giese, Adams-Friendship Joan Draxler-Ruff, Alma Robert Baldwin, Altoona Patricia Riske, Athens Kelli Auman, Augusta Norman Yamada, Barron Ronald Gard, Bloomer Diane Woodford, Cadott Barbara Sparish, Clayton Dennis Brie, Cornell Stephen Wells, Eau Claire Memorial Howard Lehman, Eau Claire North David Mueller, Eleva-Strum Central Gregory Harpke, Fall Creek James Wirth, Gilman James Hurst, Glenwood City Stanley Marzak, Grantsburg James Tabbert, Hayward Steven Bina, La Crosse Logan John Telitz, Ladysmith

Aleta Anderson, Luck Christopher Tank, Mauston Henry Clark, Medford Miles Mortensen, Menomonie Richard Putzier, Mondovi Wm. Shawn Smith, Nekoosa Candace Brown, New Auburn Richard Tiller, Osseo-Fairchild Merlyn Aude, Plum City Margaret Conard, Prescott Dawn Legge, Prentice Ned Orthmann, Rib Lake Dan Duffy, Rice Lake Ted Aarestad, Schofield-D.C. Everest Gary Smith, Spring Valley James Miles, Stanley-Boyd Denise Broadbeck, Tigerton Corinne Arnevik, Tony-Flambeau Jackie Goplin, Whitehall Robert Keiser, Wisconsin Rapids Lincoln

ALBERTO ASERCION CLINICIAN AND CLARINET SOLOIST

Alberto Asercion, Guest Artist/Clarinet Instructor, is from Virginia Beach, Virginia. Mr. Asercion holds the Bachelor of Music Degree from Saint Leo College; Bandmaster Course, Armed Forces School of Music, and the Master of Arts (Music) from Norfolk State University. For five years he served as Concertmaster/soloist and associate conductor with the United States Naval Academy Band. He is a highly sought after soloist and clinician having been a guest at Florida Southern College, The Canadian International Band & Chorus Festival, Norfolk State University, the Philippine Cultural Center in Manila, and the College Band Directors National Association meeting at Northwestern University. While in the service he was the lead alto saxophone with the 7th Fleet Band and toured the Far East. As a conductor Mr. Asercion has served as All-State conductor in the states of North Carolina, West Virginia, Georgia, Virginia, Delaware, and Alabama. Symphony Orchestra conducting engagements include, Huntsville, Alabama; Virginia Beach, Virginia; and the Philippine-American Chamber Orchestra and Youth Band to name a few. For 17 years Mr. Asercion served as Professor of Conducting and Woodwinds for the Armed Forces School of Music. Mr. Asercion appears in part through the courtesy of the Selmer Corporation of Elkhart, Indiana.

THE DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

The University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire Department of Music is acclaimed for the high quality of both its faculty and student body. The aim of the department is to graduate students who are capable of pursuing successful careers in the field of music. While expecting a high level of accomplishment, it is the department's goal to give each student every possible aid in achieving the excellence required of a successful musician.

The faculty includes artists in all performing areas of music and specialists in music education, music therapy, music literature, music history, and composition. In addition, the conductors of each of the ensembles, which includes the bands, orchestra, and choirs, are recognized authorities in their respective fields.

THE UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-EAU CLAIRE SYMPHONY BAND

Since 1968, the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire Band Program has grown to include over 200 students. The Symphony Band 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. Performances by the Symphony Band have received praise from conductors William D. Revelli, Frederick Fennell, Merle Evans, and Harry Begian. Composers Norman Dello Joio, Karel Husa, Elie Seigmeister, Carlos Surinach, Vincent Persichetti, Jim Curnow, and Johan de Meij have praised the Symphony Band for its interpretation of their compositions. The Symphony Band rehearses five hours each week and presents several concerts on campus each year. In addition, the band goes on tour in the spring. The 71-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.



PICCOLO

Heather Wall, Altoona

FLUTE

Kim Buchholz, Fall Creek
Jessi Crowe, Augusta
Kristina Girdeen, Spring Valley
Stephane Guse, Whitehall
Missie Jahr, Cadott
Anna Johnson, Menomonie
Rachel Kiebloe, Tigerton
Robin Larson, Eau Claire North
Sarah Le Due, Fall Creek
Nicole Roeder, Fall Creek
Doris Thauer, Nekoosa
Laurie Wing, La Crosse Logan

OBOE

Janelle Bielecki, Stanley-Boyd Kelly Clark, Medford Lisa Frost, Mauston Bekah Harris, Eau Claire Memorial

BASSOON

Sarah Failing, Rib Lake
Garrick Johnson, Stanley-Boyd
Ben Thompson, Eau Claire North
Becca Tillman, Rice Lake

Eb CLARINET

Kris Doverspike, Osseo-Fairchild

Bb CLARINET

Brian Bartell, Eau Claire Memorial
Tonya Beyer, Spring Valley
Rachel Ann Blees, Glenwood City
Jennifer Boyles, Wisconsin Rapids Lincoln
Chondra Carlson, Prescott
Jessica Draxler; Schofield-D.C. Everest
Stephanie Ewings, Cornell
Balinda Gilbert, Cornell
Kate Green, Eau Claire North
Charise Hallberg, Prentice
Sarah Kahl, Rice Lake

Heidi Kellen, New Auburn
Julie Martin, Whitehall
Michelle Moss, Eleva-Strum
Courtney Mueller, Eleva-Strum
Jenny Ockwood, Hayward
Laurie Peterson, Plum City
Alexis Pheiffer, Adams-Friendship
Laurie Proett, Eau Claire North
Ingrid Schaller, Fall Creek
Traci Story, Gilman
Cathy Timm, Alma

ALTO CLARINET

Katrina Klemen, Osseo-Fairchild Sara Larson, Clayton

BASS CLARINET

Kate Brown, Ladysmith Theresa Phillippi, Plum City Christopher Werner, Medford

CONTRA CLARINET

Stephanie Decker, Medford Erica Kane, Plum City

ALTO SAXOPHONE

Katie Juran, Eau Claire Memorial Donna Larson, Rice Lake Jeffrey Quarberg, Alma Sandy Voytovich, Eau Claire North Bridget Cusick, Barron Jodi Herman, Eleva-Strum Laura Winchell, Luck

CORNET

Miranda Blakeley, Altoona
Brenda Donath, Spring Valley
Kelly Herold, Alma
Becky Morris, Wisconsin Rapids Lincoln
Andrew Knott, Eau Claire North
Mike Knutson, Eau Claire Memorial
Kelly Kyle, Eau Claire Memorial
Ryan Mayer, Fall Creek
Heather Skerven, Menomonie

TRUMPET

Alex Hummel, Fall Creek Corrina Mc Graw, Eleva-Strum Brian Smith, Glenwood City Natasha Walkowiez, Medford

HORN

Liz Barton, Rib Lake Joe Genz, Spring Valley Sara Gunderson, Mondovi Elizabeth Hammond, La Crosse Logan Anna Knutson, Eau Claire Memorial Heidi La Gesse, Bloomer Steven Michaels, Wisconsin Rapids Lincoln Meghan Telitz, Ladysmith

TROMBONE

Beth Bauer, Gilman
Jennifer Dale, Alma
Jared Hintzman, Menomonie
Eric Kringle, Rice Lake
Jessup Le Barron, Osseo-Fairchild
Lynn Lecheler, Plum City
Joe Carlson, Bloomer
Kyle Manske, Rice Lake
Neil Ralston, Eau Claire North

EUPHONIUM

Sarah Hanks, Altoona Jessie Me Kinley, Tony-Flambeau Jessa Thompson, Medford Rebecca Walker, Bloomer

TUBA

Kariann Farrey, Wisconsin Rapids Lincoln Brian Fisher, Eau Claire North Chris Kawleski, Nekoosa Debbie Olson, Clayton Tim Skutley, Eau Claire Memorial Ryan Waldhart, Medford

PERCUSSION

Sarah Basel, Osseo-Fairchild Aaron Bray, Mauston Megan Jacobson, Eau Claire North Jason Roberts, Schofield-D.C. Everest Christine Weiler, Athens Anna Weiner, Eau Claire Memorial

Please respect the need for silence during performances. Our concerts and recitals are recorded. Coughing, beepers, electronic watches, careless handling of programs, and other extraneous noises are serious distractions to performers and audience. The use of cameras and recording equipment cannot be permitted.