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Busy Fall Calendar Filled With Musical Variety

Schedule features large and small vocal and instrumental ensembles, performing works from medieval to modern

Fall Chapel Vespers & Showcase Series

282nd U.S. Army Show Band
Sun., Nov. 3, 3:00 PM
Gaither Chapel

Aureolan Trio
Sun., Nov. 10, 5:00 PM
Chapel of the Prodigal

Pastyme
Sun., Dec. 8, 5:00 PM
Chapel of the Prodigal

Dates, times, and venues may be subject to change. Please check the *Quarter Notes*, *Black Mountain News*, or our website (www.montreat.edu/cpc/music) for information about additional performances as they are added to our schedule. All performances are free, with a \$5 per person donation or Friends of Music membership suggested.

Chapel Vespers and Showcase Series audiences will enjoy a wide variety of music this autumn, with works performed from the medieval through the contemporary period.

The new Showcase Series, inaugurated by the Friends of Music this year, will continue with an appearance by the *282nd Army Band* in Gaither Chapel on Sunday, November 3rd at 3:00 P.M. (See cover story.)

Following on November 10th will be the debut to the Chapel Vespers Series of the *Aureolan Trio*. Consisting of Katie Hamilton, Cello, Barbara Baker, Flute, and Karen Boyd, Piano, their program will feature little known and newly arranged works for flute, cello, and piano

trio. A trio by Kuhlau (a contemporary of Beethoven) will be followed by the Brahms *Trio Op. 87*, which has been arranged by Barbara Baker for this combination of instruments. A very beautiful work, *Three Watercolors* by Philippe Gaubert, rarely performed because of its difficulty, will conclude the program.

Our December 8th Chapel Vespers program will feature an encore performance by the ever-popular vocal ensemble *Pastyme*. Audiences have delighted to their previous performances of sacred and liturgical music from the medieval through the modern period.

The Friends of Music is still seeking additional pro-



The vocal ensemble "Pastyme" will perform in the Chapel of the Prodigal on Sunday, December 8th at 5:00 P.M.

grams for our Showcase Series for the remainder of the academic year, and we are also beginning to book performers for the 2003-2004 season for both the Showcase and the Chapel Vespers series. Please call the Montreat College Music Office at 828-669-8012 x 3771.

Montreat College

Department of Creative,
Performance, and
Communication Arts
2002-3 Schedule

Montreat College
Concert Choir
Nov. 17, 7:00 PM
Chapel of the Prodigal

*Community Lessons &
Carols Service with
Montreat College
Concert Choir*
Dec. 8, 3:00 PM
Assembly Inn

1st Annual Montreat
College Christian High
School Choral Festival
May 2, 7:00 PM
Anderson Auditorium

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Active Effort Continues To Build Montreat College Music Program

Present Focus Is On Expanding Choir, Fundraising, And Student Recruiting

By Dr. Eunice W. Stackhouse, Chair, Montreat College Department of Creative, Performance, and Communication Arts

The music program at Montreat College continues to grow through the efforts of our faculty and Friends.

November 17th will feature the debut of our new Montreat College Concert Choir Director and Assistant Professor of Music, Mr. Robert Boer. The Friends of Music is hosting a reception after the performance, and I am hoping that all of you can be there to meet Mr. Boer in person.

Mr. Boer has also begun planning the Spring choir tour. To raise funds for this project, we

will soon be soliciting program advertising and underwriting.

Another exciting new project that is underway is the Friends of Music Scholarship. This also depends upon the generous donations of our friends. If you have not yet made a donation, would you please consider helping us with this?

Mr. Boer has also begun planning to host the first annual Montreat College Christian High School Choral Festival on May 2nd, 2003. This will feature the combined voices of over 200 singers from around our region.

Many of these projects are part of an ongoing effort to recruit new music students. If you know of any college-bound students interested in studying music, please let us know about them.

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