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FIVE PUBLIC RECITALS AMONG HIGHLIGHTS OF 46TH MSMTA CONVENTION AT UNIVERSITY

MISSOULA--

Five free public recitals featuring a variety of music will be among the highlights of the 46th annual convention of the Montana State Music Teachers Association (MSMTA) Sunday through Thursday (July 22-26) at the University of Montana, Missoula. Convention theme will be "Sharing Music,"

An organ recital by Jacqueline Perry, followed by a commissioned work by David Thomas and ensemble, will be presented at 8 p.m. Sunday in the University Music Recital Hall.

Other free public programs scheduled during the convention will include:

MONDAY--Concert by the MSMTA Student Affiliate Chapter, 8:30 p.m., UM Music Recital Hall (MRH).

TUESDAY--Recital by vocalist Joanne Werner Cure, 1 p.m., MRH.

WEDNESDAY--Recital by pianist Dorothy Beck, northwest alternate winner in Montana piano auditions, 1 p.m., MRH. Also scheduled Wednesday is a piano recital at 8:30 p.m. in the MRH by Ruth Slenczynska, convention guest artist and lecturer, who has made more than 3,000 concert appearances and has recorded over 100 compositions. She is artist-in-residence at Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville.

Convention registration will be in the lobby of the University Music Building beginning at 1:15 p.m. Sunday and at 8 a.m. daily Monday through Thursday.

The convention banquet will be at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Edgewater Restaurant at Village Motor Inn.

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A listing of workshops and lectures which will be among those held in the Music Building follows.

Workshops on accompanying voice will be conducted at 1:15 p.m. Monday by Margaret Kenck and Elizabeth Bretherton, Butte. A group piano demonstration by Shirley Braxton and Marilyn Vinje, Missoula, will begin at 4:15 p.m. Monday.

Tuesday's workshops will include one on accompanying wind instruments by Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Davis of Western Montana College, Dillon, beginning at 1:15 p.m., and another on student affiliate master classes in piano by Margaret Saunders Ott of Spokane, Wash., beginning at 4:15 p.m.

Dr. Joseph A. Mussulman, a UM music professor, will discuss "The Synthesizer," an electronic machine used to produce musical sounds, at 8:45 a.m. Wednesday. Donald O. Denegar, Bellevue, Wash., a past president of the MSMTA, will conduct a rhythm workshop at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Dr. Gerald H. Doty, UM music professor, and Lucien Hut, assistant professor of music at UM, will discuss accompanying stringed instruments at 1:15 p.m. Thursday. Ott will conduct piano master classes for student affiliates at 4:15 p.m. Thursday.

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