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72-MEMBER UM CONCERT BAND BEGINS STATEWIDE TOUR APRIL 10

MISSOULA --

The 72-member University of Montana Concert Band, under the direction of Butler R. Eitel, UM professor of music, will begin its 1973 statewide tour Tuesday (April 10).

Concerts and clinics are scheduled in <u>Bozeman</u>, <u>Billings</u>, <u>Great Falls</u>, <u>Deer Lodge</u> and <u>Butte</u>. Lance Boyd is assistant conductor of the band.

Major concerts are as follows:

April 10 1:15 p.m. Willson School Auditorium, Bozeman.

8:15 p.m. Fortin Hall at Rocky Mountain College, Billings.

April 11 8:30 a.m. <u>Billings</u> Senior High School Auditorium.

8:00 p.m. West Junior High Auditorium, Great Falls.

April 12 9:30 a.m. West Junior High Auditorium, Great Falls.

2:30 p.m. Deer Lodge High School Gym.

7:30 p.m. Butte Public High School Auditorium.

All of the programs are open to the public without charge under the sponsorship of the UM School of Fine Arts and Department of Music.

The programs for each concert will be selected from a general program consisting of 18 works. The music includes "Four Scottish Dances" by Arnold Daynter; "Procession of the Nobles" by Christensen and McDunn; "Overture to 'The School for Scandal'" by Barber; "Agean Festival Overture" by Makris; "Fanfare from the Twentieth Olympiad" by Moffit; and "We the People" by Maltby, a number featuring choir and band, based on the Preamble of the Constitution of the United States.

Three individual soloists will present various works during the programs. They are John Barker, <u>Missoula</u>, trombone; Beth Eitel, <u>Missoula</u>, oboe, and Betty Ellis, <u>Conrad</u>, French horn. The entire clarinet section will be featured in "Concertino for Clarinet" by Weber.

For health reasons, a musician originally scheduled to perform during the UM Concert Band's spring tour will be unable to make the trip. He is Phil Farkas, a French horn soloist and clinician at Indiam University, <u>Bloomington</u>. Eitel said an attempt would be made to reschedule the Farkas appearances later.

Members of the 1973 UN Concert Band who will perform during the tour are:

FLUTES--Anne Elizabeth Diemer (Helena), Brooke Ann Fargo (Havre), Rhonda Louise Jones (Cut Bank), Janet Gail Medina (Montclair, N.J.), Paula M. Schuster (Great Falls), Deborah Lynn Sherman (Conrad), Marian Margaret Wind (Savage) and Rebecca Ann Yager (Silesia).

OBOES--Duane R. Conitz (<u>Havre</u>), Elizabeth Anne Eitel (<u>Missoula</u>), Katherine D. Hartung (Moscow, Ida.) and Gail Edair Vaughan (Missoula).

BASSOONS--Janice Lee Clark (St. James, Minn.) and Karen Eleanor Cochran (Missoula).

CLARINETS--Diane True Allen (Minneapolis, Minn.), Clara Eleanor Gerlach (Missoula),

Roberta Kay Dahl (Billings), Terri Drew (Missoula), Robert M. Kampfer (Great Falls), Cathy

Janine Smith (Cut Bank) and Linda Lou Walby (Glasgow).

BASS CLARINETS--Robert A. Schlack (Columbia Falls) and Katherine Brooks Woodley, (Palo Alto, Calif.).

SAXOPHONES--Priscilla Louise Bergen (<u>Dutton</u>), Judy W. McDonough (<u>Butte</u>), Bruce W. McHaney (Columbia Falls) and Kenneth Lee Perrin (Custer).

CORNETS-TRUMPETS--Vicki Denise Bjorgen (Westby), Gary L. Crannel (Polson), Gary D. Disney (Libby), David G. Eitel (Missoula), Cindy Lou Gould (St. Ignatius), Craig R. Hymer (Great Falls), Douglas R. Martin (Butte), Kenneth P. Mottram (Miles City), Niles Nelson (Missoula), Timothy A. Taylor (Malta), Paul B. Ulmer (Helena) and Poy N. Wong (Helena).

HORNS--Annette Denise Bogden (Broadview), Barbara Jean Conrad (Columbia Falls), Elizabeth Rachel Ellis (Great Falls), Mary Jo Grass (Billings), Larry D. Johnson (Plentywood), Gregory G. Murphy (Helena), Theresa Faye Saunders (Glasgow) and Christine Alice VanMeter (Missoula).

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TROMBONES--John F. Barker (Missoula), Kenneth M. Elliott (Lewistown), Thomas N. Martin (Troy), David L. Remington (Helena), Warren W. Schumacher (Lake Forest, 111.), Russell E. Van Horne (Missoula), Jesse L. Walton (Missoula) and R. Timothy Zanol (Missoula).

BARITONES--David W. Harris (<u>Bigfork</u>), John McKinley (<u>Anaconda</u>), Linda Mae Mickelson (<u>Deer Lodge</u>) and W. Hank Overturf (<u>Missoula</u>).

TUBAS--Edwin M. Cook (Missoula) and Lawrence J. Reynolds III (Troy).

STRING BASS--Stewart E. Arfman (Helena).

PERCUSSION--Steven A. Armstrong (Missoula), Gary L. Brook (Billings), David B. Heidel (Broadus), Joseph R. Payne (Missoula), Charles A. Wallace (Anaconda) and Robert S. Wick (Great Falls).

HARP--Jane Elise Burnham (Missoula).