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### ABER DAY CONCERT SCHEDULED

MISSOULA--

A free concert by the University of Montana Wind Ensemble, the Symphonic Band and the Varsity Band is scheduled for May 18, Aber Day, at the University Center Ballroom on the UM campus. The concert will begin at 8 p.m.

The UM Wind Ensemble, conducted by Thomas H. Cook, associate professor of music, will perform Theme and Variations, Op. 43a by Arnold Schoenberg; Concerto in C Major, P. 78 by Antonio Vivaldi, arr. by Alfred Reed, with piccolo soloist Debra Shorrock, associate professor of music; and "Country Band March" by Charles Ives.

The UM Symphonic Band, also conducted by Cook, will perform "The Purple Pageant March" by Karl L. King; "Mutanza" by Jim Curnow; and "A Smile Can Mean So Many Things" by Marcia Miget, with Miget, Dartanyan Brown and Lance Boyd. Boyd, an associate professor of music, is director of Jazz Studies at the UM and principal trombonist with the Missoula Symphony. Miget and Brown are jazz artists-in-residence at the UM.

The UM Varsity Band, conducted by graduate student Timothy J. Holtan, will perform "Thus Do You Fare My Jesus" by Alfred Reed, and "Divergents" by W. Francis McBeth.

Aber Day is an annual UM holiday named for an early-day professor, William M. "Daddy" Aber. Events include a campus cleanup, an arts and crafts fair, a foot race a barbecue and games.

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