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Tickets available for 'Fantasticks'

Tickets for "The Fantasticks," a musical to be presented by the University Players, are now available in HPR 272 .

The premiere production of the Department of Drama and Communication is scheduled 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, April 22 - 23, and 2 p.m. Sunday, April 24 in ADM 127.

Complimentary tickets are available to UT Tyler employees and students (two to each faculty and staff member, one to each student); tickets are on sale to the general public at \$3 for adults, \$2 for students, and \$1 for children and senior citizens.

Leads are Jonathon Moon as El Gallo, Dawn Toone as Louisa and Jon Kimlicko as Matt. Other cast members are Floyd Brigdon as Bellamy, Dewyane Nelsen as Henry, Billy Slaughter as Huckaby, Lisa Henry as Mortimer, and April Kuykendall as Mute.

Musical director is Sheila Kimlicko and pianist is John Williams. Dee Phillips is choreographer. Janee McGoff, instructor of drama, is director of the production.

For more information call the Department of Drama and Communication, ext. 7253.

Artist to present lecture Wednesday

Internationally recognized artist Vernon Fisher will speak Wednesday, April 13 as part of the spring art lecture series. Open to the public at no charge, the program begins at 7:30 p.m. in BUS 158.

Recipient of three Individual Artist's Fellowship grants from the National Endowment for the Arts, Fisher maintains a studio in Fort Worth and is professor of art at North Texas State University.

Fisher's work has been exhibited internationally, including one-person exhibitions in Germany and Holland and group exhibitions in New York City, New Orleans, Washington, D.C., Los Angeles, San Francisco, Houston, Fort Worth and Dallas.

Fisher, who holds an M.F.A. degree from the University of Illinois, recently created an installation piece for the Dallas Museum of Art and was the subject of an extensive article in *The Dallas Morning News*. He also has been featured in *The New York Times*, *The Washington Post*, *The Minneapolis Star and Tribune*, and *The Los Angeles Herald Examiner*.

Annual Springfest activities planned

Ultraviolet, a Chicago-based modern pop band, will highlight annual Springfest activities Saturday, April 16 on campus. Sponsored by the Student Association, the concert is open to the public at no charge.

Scheduled to perform at 8 p.m. in the University Center, Ultraviolet is comprised of lead vocalist and guitarist Chris Schneider, drummer Angelo Vancheri, guitarist Bob Pucci and Phil Ulrich on keyboard and synthesizers.

Springfest activities, which begin at 10 a.m. on the playing fields, include a volleyball tournament, a three-legged race, softball and numerous other recreational activities presented by student organizations.

in the spotlight . . .

Amy S. Glenn, instructor of political science, spoke on "The Global Environment: Reassessing the Threat" in the Great Decisions series sponsored by the East Texas Council on World Affairs March 9.

Gus Gordon, assistant professor of accounting, gave a presentation on oil and gas accounting to the Tyler chapter of the National Association of Accountants March 17 at the Plaza Club.

Dr. George Joyce, professor of marketing, attended the Southwestern Federation of Administrative Disciplines annual meeting in San Antonio recently. He presented a paper, "A Managerial Approach to Industrial Market Segmentation and Marketing Professional Services," as part of the Southwestern Marketing Association's program. He also served as an invited panelist for a session on service marketing and chaired two sessions for the Southwestern Small Business Institute Association.

Dr. James F. Koukl, director of medical technology, presented his paper, "Doctoral Preferences for the Job of Medical Technology Program Director in the Academic Setting," at the Texas Society for Medical Technology Education Scientific Assembly April 7 in Dallas.

Dr. W. Allen Martin, associate professor of sociology, presented a paper, "Asian Entrepreneurs in East Texas" at the Midwest Sociological Association meetings March 25 in Minneapolis.

Darrel L. McDonald, instructor of geography, received the Barbara Lawrence graduate student paper award for his presentation of "A Survey of Public Plantings in Front Yards of Galveston, Texas, USA" at the Ethnobiology Conference held in Mexico City in conjunction with the Jardin Botanico, UNAM.

James Pace, assistant professor of art, received a merit award in the Dakotas 100 International Works on Paper Exhibition at Dickinson State University, Dickinson, N.D., and the Haas Foundation Award at the 22nd Annual National exhibition at Del Mar College, Corpus Christi.

Dr. Jack Riley, assistant professor of curriculum and instruction, presented "Whose Problem Is It Anyway? How Preservice Teachers Classify Instructional and Management Problems" at the Association of Teacher Educators Feb. 14-17 in San Diego, Calif. and "Logo for Early Childhood Education: It's EZ-er Than You Think" at the Texas Computer Education Association annual conference Feb. 25-27 in Dallas.

Dr. Lynn Sherrod, School of Sciences and Mathematics dean, and **Dr. Neil Ford**, assistant professor of biology, presented "Natural History of Costa Rica" to biology classes at Northeast Texas Community College March 30 in Mount Pleasant.

Dr. Andrew Szarka, associate professor of history, presented a paper, "The Historian and the Artist: A Case Study in Art as a Historical Source," at the "Intellectual History: Artists and Authors" session of the 66th Annual Meeting of the Southwestern Social Science Association recently in Houston.

Storytelling workshop to be presented Tuesday

A workshop on the art of storytelling will be presented 4 - 6 p.m. Tuesday, April 12 in BUS 158. Sponsored by the Department of Drama, the workshop is open to the public at no charge.

Dr. Ted Colson, professor of speech at North Texas State University, will lead the workshop. A master storyteller and founder of the Texas Storytelling Guild, Colson will present his entertaining and information method of teaching others how to become more effective in the art of storytelling.

Instructors sought for fall non-credit courses

The Office of Continuing Education and Professional Development is in the process of scheduling courses (non-credit) for the fall semester. Faculty members interested in teaching a course or seminar that would attract public interest should call Johns Childs, ext. 7363.

Continuing education courses set

Three non-credit courses are scheduled this month by the Office of Continuing Education and Professional Development.

°"Practical Financial Planning for the Successful Woman (CE 88-11)" will meet in two sessions, 6 - 9 p.m. Monday and Wednesday, April 18 and 20. Intended for the woman who has little or no experience with finance, investments, tax or estate planning, this course offers basic information designed to take the mystery out of finances.

Instructor for the course, which provides 0.6 CEUs, is Dr. Buddy Odom.

°"Hiring Practices for the Small Business (CE 88-5)" is scheduled 9 a.m.- noon Friday, April 22. The seminar covers employee selection and the law with emphasis on fair employment practices and equal employment opportunity, affirmative action programs and reporting requirements under the law. Recruitment and selection practices will be covered to include source of applicants, development of an effective application form, conducting an interview, testing and the exit interview.

Instructors will be Dr. Ray Gullett and Susan Schmitt. 0.3 CEUs will be provided.

°"So You Want to Start a New Business (CE 88-34)," cosponsored by Students in Free Enterprise, will meet 8:30 a.m.- noon Saturday, April 23. Topics include how to get a loan, last minute marketing tips, and advice on how to set up a business as an individual proprietorship, a partnership or a corporation.

Enrollment for the course, to be taught by Don Young, is limited to 35 participants. 0.35 CEUs will be provided.

For more information call John Childs, ext. 7363.

Children's Place accepting applications

The Children's Place is accepting applications for summer and fall child care. The on-campus preschool program for children ages 3 - 6 is open 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Monday - Friday. Half-day and partial week rates are available.

For more information come by PHE 114 or call ext. 7038.

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