

FYI: WEEKEND EVENTS

Theater

ENCORE DINNER THEATRE, 11 W. Iowa St., "I Love My Wife," today through Jan. 8. Dinner 6:30 p.m., show 8 p.m. Tuesdays through Saturdays; brunch 12:30 p.m., show 1:30 p.m. Sundays (\$15.50 to \$19.50 plus tax). Call 422-8899. Benefit show, dinner 6:30 p.m., show 8 p.m. Friday (\$25 per person). Proceeds benefit Boy Scout Scholarship Fund. Call 423-5246.

CIVIC THEATRE OF EVANSVILLE, 717 N. Fulton Ave., "The Musical Comedy Murders of 1940," 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday (\$10). Call 425-2800.

INDIANA REPERTORY THEATRE, Indianapolis, Cabaret Club: Home for the Holidays, through Dec. 23 (\$6 to \$10); Mainstage: "The Three Musketeers, through Dec. 23 (\$15 to \$30). Call (317) 635-5277.

INDIANA STATE UNIVERSITY, Terre Haute, Ind., S200 Recital Hall: ISU Steel Drum Ensemble, 8 p.m. EST today (free). Tilson Music Hall: Symphonic Band and Wind Ensemble concert, 8 p.m. Tuesday (free). Hulman Center: Jazz pianist Ahmad Jamal, 8 p.m. Tuesday (\$5 in advance, \$8 at the door). Call (812) 237-3811.

BLACKBURN THEATRE, Vincennes, Ind., "Arsenic and Old Lace," Friday, Saturday and Sunday, also Dec. 9, 10 and 11. Presented by Old Town Players (adults, \$5; students and senior citizens, \$3). Tickets available at the door. Call (812) 882-1639.

PLAY, "The Living Nativity," 5:30 p.m. Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Lincoln Pioneer Village, Rockport City Park, Rockport, Ind. (free).

Music

EVANSVILLE PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA, Peppermint Pops concert, 8 p.m. Saturday and 3 p.m. Sunday, Vanderburgh Auditorium (adults, \$11 to \$16; children 12 and under, \$5 to \$8). Call 425-5050.

CONCERT, Manchester Choral Society and Symphony Orchestra, 3 p.m. EST Sunday, Cordier Auditorium on the Manchester College campus; North Manchester, Ind. (\$3).

ADVENT-CHRISTMAS CONCERT, Lutheran Community Choir, 3 p.m. Sunday, Trinity Lutheran Church, 1000 W. Illinois St. (free).

CARSON LOWKY COUNTRY BLUEGRASS PICKIN' AND SINGIN'! with special guest Steve Mayo, 2 to 4:30 p.m. Sunday, C.K. Newsome Community Center, 100 E. Walnut St. (free).

THE FABULOUS FOX, St. Louis, 38 Special with special guest The Gregg Allman Band, 8 p.m. Friday (\$18.50 and \$16.50). The Osmond Family's Magic of Christmas, 3 and 7 p.m. Sunday (\$17.50 to \$5.50). Call Ticketmaster at (314) 652-5000. Call (314) 534-1678 for group discounts.



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WHEELER CONCERT HALL, University of Evansville campus, concert by the University of Evansville Jazz ensembles, 8 p.m. today (free). Call 479-2754.

KENTUCKY CENTER FOR THE ARTS, Louisville, Ky., Bomhard Theater: Guy Clark and Townes Van Zandt, 8 p.m. EST Friday (\$7.50 and \$8.50). Call (502) 584-7777 or toll-free (800) 283-7777. For group rate information, call (502) 562-0108.

BUTLER UNIVERSITY, Indianapolis, Clowes Memorial Hall: "The Nutcracker," presented by the Butler Ballet, 7:30 EST p.m. today, 1 and 8 p.m. Friday, 2 and 8 p.m. Saturday and 2 and 7 p.m. Sunday (adults, \$12; children under 12, \$6). Call (317) 239-1000 or (800) 234-2500.

Events

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN INDIANA, 8600 University Blvd., Fall Film Series: "Sophie's Choice," directed by Alan Pakula, 2 and 6 p.m. Tuesday, Forum 1 (free). Call 464-1735.

WESSELMAN PARK NATURE CENTER, Wesselman Park, wildlife Christmas party for kids 5-7, 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. Saturday. Activities include making a Christmas ornament, a holiday movie, decorating wildlife Christmas trees and a short hike. Hot chocolate and cookies will be served. Participation is limited (\$5 per child). Registration required. The basics of bird feeding, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday (50 cents, free to members and volunteers). Center open 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Tuesdays through Saturdays; noon to 4 p.m. Sundays.

BENEFIT LUNCHEON AND FASHION SHOW, "The Twelve Gifts of Christmas," 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. today, Radisson Royale Ballroom. Hosts are St. Mary's Foundation and the Medical Center Auxiliary. Proceeds go to the Medical Center's Care of the Poor Fund (individual tickets, \$25; patron-tables, \$135 and \$200). Call 479-4260.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR, 10 a.m. today, Catholic Community Center, New Harmony, Ind. Lunch served 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., dinner served 4:30 to 7 p.m. (adults, \$5; children, \$2.50). Sponsored by Johnson United Methodist Church in New Harmony.

CHRISTMAS MADRIGAL FEASTS, 7:30 p.m. today; Friday and Saturday and 6 p.m. Sunday, University Center Dining Room, University of Southern Indiana. Presented by the Mid-America Singers (\$15

per person, \$12 for students and senior citizens at the Sunday performance only). Call 476-6713 or 464-1735.

CHRISTMAS CANDLELIGHT TOURS, today through Wednesday, New Harmony, Ind. Music, holiday crafts and Christmas treats. Sponsored by Historic New Harmony and the New Harmony State Historic Site. Reservations required. Call (812) 682-4488.

CHRISTMAS CRAFTERS FAIR, along with P.C. Craft and Fair Show, 4 to 8 p.m. Friday, 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday, and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, Parke County Fairgrounds north of Rockville, Ind. (free) Food available. Call (317) 597-2537.

CHRISTMAS AT THE ZOO, Friday through Dec. 11, Mesker Park Zoo, St. Joseph and Bement avenues. Weekends noon to 8 p.m., weekdays 6 to 8 p.m. Live animal presentations, entertainment, live nativity scenes, home-baked goodies, pictures with Santa. Presented by the Evansville Zoological Society as a benefit to the zoo (general public, \$2; Evansville Zoological Society members, \$1.50).

CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT, German Christmas dinner, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Germania Maennerchor Hall, 916 N. Fulton Ave. (\$15 per person). Reservations required. Call 424-9800.

SPAGHETTI DINNER AND BAZAAR, 5 to 8 p.m. Saturday, Holy Redeemer Catholic Church, 918 W. Mill Road (adults, \$3.25; children, \$1.50).

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR AND BAKE SALE, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Christopher East Living Center, 4301 Washington Ave.

DINNER AND DANCE, Myron Floren and Orchestra, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Scottish Rite Cathedral, 203 Chestnut St. Fund-raiser for the building fund (\$30 per couple). Call 425-1396.

CHRISTMAS IN NEW HARMONY, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday, New Harmony, Ind. Presented by New Harmony Business Associates and community organizations. Parade at 10 a.m., entertainment, tours, Santa Claus. Call (812) 682-3271 or 464-9595.

ARTS AND CRAFTS FESTIVAL, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Madisonville North Hopkins High School, Madisonville, Ky. Call (502) 825-6017.

CHRISTMAS CASTLE ARTS AND CRAFTS SHOW, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Castle High School, Newburgh, Ind. Refreshments available (free admission and parking). Sponsored by Castle Band Boosters. Call 853-3182.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. EST Saturday, Red Door Industries, Washington, Ind. Call (812) 254-4471.

CHRISTMAS FAIR, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Trinity Lutheran Church, 1000 W. Illinois St. Free coffee in the church parlor, 8:30 to 10 a.m.; lunch served 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Fort Branch Community School Cafeteria, Fort Branch, Ind. (25 cents). Refreshments available. Sponsored by Kappa Omega Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority. Call (812) 753-3310.

CHRISTMAS ARTS AND CRAFTS SALE, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. EST Saturday, Crawford County High School, Marengo, Ind. Sponsored by Crawford County Arts and Crafts Association. Call (812) 968-3303, (812) 738-3543 or (812) 338-2602.

CHRISTMAS HOME TOUR AND TREASURE HUNT, fundraiser for the Henderson Arts Council, 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday, Henderson, Ky. Each home on the tour will have a mini-boutique. A reception will end the tour at Soaper Arts Center (\$7.50). Tickets available at Soaper Arts Center, Village Fashions, Trends and Traditions, Fashion Tree, Matt's News and Gifts, Matt's Hallmark, and the 1890s Store. Call (502) 826-5916 or 827-8034.

SELVIN COMMUNITY OLD-FASHIONED CHRISTMAS PARTY, Saturday, Pigeon Township Community Center, Selvin, Ind., to raise funds for its 150th year celebration next July. Dinner 4 p.m., entertainment 6 p.m. (adults, \$4; children, \$2).

GLASS ON THE OHIO 1988, stained glass juried show and sale, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, Sunburst Stained Glass Co., Newburgh, Ind. Call 853-0460.

BREAKFAST WITH SANTA, 8 a.m. to noon Sunday, Corpus Christi Catholic Church, 5530 Hogue Road (\$3.25, \$2.75 and \$1.25). Also a Christmas bazaar. Sponsored by Corpus Christi Booster Club.

FLEA MARKET, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, Vanderburgh Auditorium Gold Room. Sponsored by the Evansville Coin Club.

NEWBURGH CELEBRATES CHRISTMAS, downtown Newburgh, Ind., Sunday, sponsored by Historic Newburgh Inc. and the Newburgh Boosters Club. Caroling, refreshments, art show and sale, Holiday Home Tour 12:30 to 4:30 p.m. (adults, \$4; children, \$1). Proceeds

used to support the operation of Historic Newburgh Inc. Call 853-2815.

HOLIDAY TOUR OF HOMES, 1 to 5 p.m. Sunday, Madisonville, Ky., presented by the Woman's Club of Madisonville (\$5). Tickets available from any member of the Woman's Club, and at Gooseberry Station, Suburban Floral, Country Store Antiques and Crafts, Madison and Harvey's Department Store.

ANGEL MOUNDS STATE HISTORIC SITE, ancient Indian burial grounds, 8215 Pollack Ave., open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesdays through Saturdays, 1 to 5 p.m. Sundays and Tuesdays (free). Call 853-3956.

Attractions

HISTORIC NEW HARMONY, New Harmony, Ind., tours available, weekends only, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. All tours begin at the Athenaeum. Call (812) 682-4488 or (812) 464-9595.

MESKER PARK ZOO, St. Joseph and Bement avenues, open 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily (adults, \$2.50; children 3-12, \$1.50). Group rates available with advance notice and special tours can be arranged. Call 428-0715.

NEW HARMONY STATE HISTORIC SITE, New Harmony, Ind., open daily from 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m. (free). Fauntleroy Home, Opera House and Dormitory No. 2 are open Saturdays and Sundays; Monday through Friday tours are available to the Fauntleroy Home and Opera House leaving from Dormitory No. 2 at 9 and 10:30 a.m., 1 and 2:30 p.m. (free). Dormitory No. 2, 410 Main St., is open from 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m. Call (812) 682-3271 or write New Harmony State Historic Site, P.O. Box 607, New Harmony, Ind. 47631.

REITZ HOME HISTORIC MUSEUM, 224 SE First St., "A Nutcracker Christmas," through Dec. 11. Christmas decorations will reflect the reality and fantasy of this classic ballet and fairy story. Hours 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday through Sunday. Evening tours 7 to 9 p.m. today and Dec. 8. Lunches served in the Carriage House 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Thursday through Sunday. Group tours, by appointment, Monday through Wednesday (adults, \$3; children 12 and under, \$1). Call 426-1871.

Galleries

WILLARD LIBRARY, 21 First Ave., "The Eleventh Hour, Eleventh Day, Eleventh Month: Pictures and Memorabilia in Commemoration of the 70th Anniversary of the Armistice

Ending the First World War," through Sunday. "Entries in the Tenth Annual Friends of Willard Library Photography Competition," Tuesday through Dec. 31. Open 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesdays through Fridays, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturdays and 1 to 5 p.m. Sundays. Call 425-4309.

EVANSVILLE MUSEUM OF ARTS AND SCIENCE, "Edison after the Electric Light," through Dec. 11, sponsored by Southern Indiana Gas and Electric Co. 1988 Mid-State Art Exhibition, through Sunday. "A Doll's Eye View," through Jan. 9. "Only the Best," through Jan. 15. Open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesdays through Saturdays, noon to 5 p.m. Sundays (free). Call 425-2406.

KOCH PLANETARIUM, in the Evansville Museum, "The Little Star That Could," 1 p.m. Saturdays, and "The Sky Tonight," 3:30 p.m. Sundays. "More Than Meets the Eye," binocular and telescope views of Venus, Mars, Jupiter, Saturn, Orion Nebula, Andromeda Galaxy and Milky Way, through Dec. 31.

NEW HARMONY GALLERY OF CONTEMPORARY ART, New Harmony, Ind., "James Fenniger: Drawings and Constructions," through Dec. 24. Hours 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesdays through Saturdays, 1 to 5 p.m. Sundays (free). Call (812) 682-3156.

OWENSBORO MUSEUM OF FINE ART, Owensboro, Ky., "Christmas Around the World," Sunday through Dec. 28. Open 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mondays through Fridays, 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays (adults, \$1; children, 50 cents). Preview, benefit reception, 6 to 9 p.m. Saturday (\$20 per person). Call (502) 685-3181.

WARRICK COUNTY MUSEUM, Boonville, Ind., "Quilts," through Dec. 29. Open 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays (free). Call 897-3100 or 897-0835.

DAWSON SPRINGS MUSEUM AND ART CENTER, Dawson Springs, Ky., Christmas display, through December. Open 1 to 5 p.m. Tuesdays through Saturdays (free). Call (502) 797-3505 or (502) 797-3891.

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