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Sparta High Christmas Concert Set December 23

The beautiful music of Christmas will be presented in a concert by the combined vocal and instrumental department of the Sparta Senior High School at 7:30 on Tuesday evening, December 23, in the school auditorium.

This concert is being performed for the holiday enjoyment of everyone in the Sparta area. Therefore, as usual, there will be no admission charge.

The Spartan Madrigals, Varsity Choir and Spar-Tones will combine their efforts to present a new and exciting sacred cantata entitled, "Christmas Folk-Style". This thirty-minute musical contains selections, both new and familiar, performed in a style that appeals to young and old alike. These include: "Go Tell it on the Mountain", "Hallelu", "Wasn't That a Mighty Day?" and "What Child Is This?"

Girl Scout Skating Party December 27

The annual Girl Scout Christmas Skating Party will be held from one to four o'clock on Saturday afternoon, December 27, at Bloomfield Gardens Roller Rink on M-57 east of Kent City.

This is a family affair and all Girl Scouts and their families will be admitted free. There will be a rental charge for skates if these are needed.

will be Lynn Braford, Patty Bullis, Mark Clark, James Guiles, Vernon Lamb, Beth Pulsifer, Colleen Schutter, Steven St. Amour and Charlyn Tindall.

Accompanying soloists are as follows: Lynn Braford, guitar; Robert Cumings, Bass viol; Tom Cooper, percussion; Colleen Moore, organ; Darla Murry, piano and Hank Postma, guitar.

The Concert Band will perform the following selections for the second portion of the program:

"Noel", a medley of familiar Christmas songs; "Themes from 'The Nutcracker Suite'" by Tchaikovsky; "Parade of the Wooden Soldiers"; and "The Toy Shop", a descriptive fantasy narrated by Mr. Hess Wever.

Mr. Robert Stiles is director of the concert.

Refreshments of cookies and punch will be served by the Senior High PTA following the concert.

Dads Go To Nursery School

Dads and tots of the Sparta Cooperative Nursery School enjoyed an hour and a half of sharing experiences on Saturday, December 13 and Monday, December 15. The Holiday Time Party was held at the Holy Family Parish Hall on Sparta Avenue.

Dads went thru the paces of a regular school session. They had the opportunity to paint at the easel, build at the work bench and enjoy the sandtable with their proud son or daughter as guide. Special events included the singing of two new songs, a story time and presenting each Dad with a hand decorated 1970 Michigan map.

Refreshments of holiday cookies and punch were enjoyed.

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Sparta High Student Council Officers

Officers of the Sparta High School Student Council are, left to right:

Front row - Alice Baehre, Public Relations; Mary D'Amour, Secretary of Social Affairs; Dawn Schut, Secretary General; and Bruce Klenk, Secretary of Internal Affairs;

Back row - Gary Herman, Secretary of State; Tom Badgerow, Attorney General; Scott Siegel, President; Dwight Anderson, Secretary of Treasury; Peter Hessler, Vice-President; and Bob Blaauw, Junior Secretary of State.

Other members of the Student Council were elected by each grade as follows:

Seniors - Joy Lovell, Max Derks, Carolyn Bloomstrom, Lee McFall, Dan Batchelder and Jackie Radloff. Exchange students Bea Akkerman and Danilo Palma are honorary members.

Juniors - Mary Shepard, Bob Cumings, Mark Schaefer, Mary Johnson, Terry Bayes and Larry Carter.

Sophomores - Charlyn Tindall, Barbara Ryan, Steven Wever, Bill Pitsch, Nadine Baehre and Brian Tindle.

Freshmen - Sheila Snowden, Jan Wilson, Janet Stevens, Kim Eadie, Jayne Heath and Dixie Olin.

Sparta Middle School Concert Dec. 22 for 7th & 8th Grades

The 7th and 8th-Grade Bands and Choruses of the Sparta Middle School will present a Christmas concert at 7:30 on Monday evening, December 22, in the school gymnasium. Parents and interested persons in the community are invited to attend.

The 8th-Grade Band will play six Christmas selections, one festival number and one popular song. The 7th-Grade Band will present two Christmas selections and one festival song.

The 7th-Grade Girls' Chorus will sing three songs and the 8th-Grade Mixed Chorus will present five songs. The 8th-

Grade Band and Chorus will join together in the performance of "The Christmas Song".

5th & 6th—December 19

The 5th-Grade will have a Christmas music program at 8:40 on Friday morning, December 19, in the cafeteria.

The 6th-Grade Band Christmas program is being held from 9:40 to 10:20 on Friday morning, December 19, in the cafeteria. Boys and girls' choirs will be singing and solos and duets will be performed with piano accompaniment.

TRANSPORTATION FOR SENIOR CITIZENS

The Sparta Rotary Club would like to extend a most cordial invitation to any Senior Citizen desiring transportation to the Senior High School Musical to be held Tuesday December 23rd at 7:30 p.m.

It is the Rotary Club's sincerest wish to help make the Christmas season more meaningful and enjoyable by enabling everyone to attend this performance.

Those desiring transportation please call one of the following Rotarians: Charles Rogers 887-3541, Dr. Jay Dean 887-4061 or Dr. Wayne Bannink 887-9669.

Sparta Township Tax Payment

Sparta Township taxes may be paid at the Township Office, 156 E. Division Street, Sparta, on the following schedule:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday - 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Thursday and Saturday - 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

Mrs. Marian Telder, Township Treasurer, announces that dog licenses are also due and may be paid on the same schedule: Male and unsexed dogs - \$1.50; Females - \$3.00.

SPECIAL NOTICE . . .

The Christmas greeting card issue of The Sentinel Leader will be mailed early next week to enable our readers to receive it in time for the holiday.

A Friday deadline (as early as possible) for all news and advertising must be observed to be included in this issue.

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