

# Elton John to perform at Devaney Sports Center

The amazing Elton John, rock'n'roll star and leader in the spectacle fashion field, is returning to Lincoln for one performance only on Friday, Sept. 21 at 8 p.m. in the Bob Devaney Sports Center.

Tickets go on sale Saturday at all Brandeis outlets, all three Pickles stores, Dirt Cheap Records-East Park Plaza and the Nebraska Union. Tickets will go on sale at 9 a.m. at the Nebraska Union. Mastercard, Visa and checks will be accepted at the Nebraska Union with two forms of identification. There will be a 50 cent handling charge

per ticket at all outlets.

All seats are reserved.

To order tickets by mail, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope along with a money order or cashier's check (add an additional \$1 for mail order) to:

Elton John  
c/o University Program Council  
220 Nebraska Union  
Lincoln, NE 68588

There is a 10 ticket limit per person.

For more information, call 472-5252.



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Rock 'n' roll spectacle mogul Elton John.

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## 'Never Ending Story' pleasant fantasy tale

By Mark Hendricks  
Daily Nebraskan Staff Writer  
The "Neverending Story" is a Warner Brothers movie about a 10-year-old boy who is adjusting to the recent death of his mother. Produced by Bernd

book in the school's attic. He reads of a land called "Fantasia" where an evil "nothing" is spreading rapidly to destroy "Fantasia." He reads of magical creatures such as giant blue-eyed rock chowers, who dine on gourmet quartz, and of bats used as hang-gliders. He also reads about a young Indian boy who hunts purple buffalo, who Bastian identifies with, and is shocked when he screams and finds his scream integrated in the book he is reading.

### Movie Review

Eichinger and directed by Wolfgang Peterson (who also directed "Das Boot"), the film parallels the mood of Walt Disney's animated classics, where good and evil duel to rule an imaginary realm.

The story begins as Bastian Bux (played by Barret Oliver) escapes being "canned" by ducking into a bookstore. The owner of the store, after questioning Bastian about his motives, tells Bastian about a magic book and cons him into taking the book by telling him not to take the book.

Bastian proceeds to school to find out that he is late for a math test and decides to cut class and start reading the

In the end Bastian manifests himself into the story to save "Fantasia."

The movie has nice German overtones, apparent in the development of the characters of "Fantasia". The Gnomes and the Luck Dragon look as though they could be illustrations from "Grimm's Fairy Tales," and like the fairy tales, the "Neverending Story" has a moral — never give up on yourself and never stop dreaming: There are no borders of the imagination. That's sound advice for audiences of all ages.

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