

State of the Arts

February 26 - March 4

Special Events

"40th Annual Omaha Boat, Sports & Travel Show"
 Thursday, Feb. 26 6 p.m.-11 p.m.
 Fri. & Sat., Feb. 27-28 noon-11 p.m.
 Sunday, March 1 noon-6 p.m.
 Omaha Civic Auditorium
 \$4 general admission, \$2 children under 12

Nebraska Statehood Day
 Friday, Feb. 27 11 a.m.
 State Capitol 14th & K Sts.

Flea Market
 Sat. & Sun., Feb. 28 & March 1
 10 a.m.-6 p.m.
 Pershing Auditorium

AIDS Vigil
 Sunday, March 1 8 p.m.-9 p.m.
 People will gather outside the Nebraska Union on Memorial Plaza with candles. The purpose of the vigil is to remember the persons who have died because of AIDS and to protest the state's slow response to the AIDS epidemic. A minister will deliver a memorial.

Concerts

KANSAS — in concert with special guests The Rainmakers
 Friday, February 27 8 p.m.
 Omaha Civic Auditorium Music Hall
 \$14.50, \$15.50 day of show; tickets available at Civic, Brandeis, Pickles, TIX or call 344-3750.

The Ravnar Two — father & daughter
 Thursday, February 26 7:30 p.m.
 Notre Dame Center 35th & State Sts.
 \$2.50 at the door

The Billy Taylor Trio — Omaha Symphony Superpops Series
 Fri. & Sat., February 27-28 8 p.m.
 Orpheum Omaha
 Tickets \$18.25, \$15.25, \$12.25, \$7.25; students and seniors 1/2 priced; charge by phone 342-3560.

Gary Lakes — tenor from The Met
 Tuesday, March 3 8 p.m.
 Joslyn Museum 22nd & Dodge Sts.
 Adults \$20, students \$10; tickets at the door or call TIX 342-7107.

Veronica Maah, flute recital
 Thursday, Feb. 26 4:30 p.m.
 Sheldon Gallery admission free

Brian Walker, clarinet recital
 Thursday, Feb. 26 8 p.m.
 Westbrook Music Hall admission free

Harvey Hinshaw, harpsichord recital
 Thursday, February 26 8 p.m.
 Wick Alumni Center admission free

William McMullen, oboe recital
 Saturday, February 28 8 p.m.
 Wick Alumni Center

The Ravnar Two — Bagels & Bach
 Sunday, March 1 10:30 a.m.
 Storz Fountain Ct. Joslyn Museum
 22nd & Dodge Sts.

Bands & Bars

CHESTERFIELD, BOTTOMSLEY & POTTS
 Friday & Saturday — Delux, \$2 cover
 Monday — Mother's Big Band Jazz, no cover
 Lower Level Gunny's 475-8007

ANTHONY BLUES
 Thursday — Jazz Underground, no cover
 Friday — Jazz jam session, 5 p.m., no cover
 1042 P St. 474-9138

DRUMSTICK
 Thursday — The Precautionz plus The Raves, \$2 cover
 Friday & Saturday — The Hipsters plus The Knot Heades, \$3 cover
 547 N. 48th St. 464-4745

THE HORNY BULL
 Thursday through Saturday — Johyn Mariott, no cover
 27th & Cornhusker Hwy. 474-7248

LITTLE BO'S
 Thursday through Saturday — Top Secret, no cover
 Thursday — Naughty nightie contest, \$1 cover
 27th & Cornhusker Hwy. 464-1492

PLA-MOR BALLROOM
 Saturday — Don Hoy, \$8 advance, \$10 at the door
 Sunday — Ernic Kucera, \$3 cover
 No blue jeans
 6600 West O St. 475-4030

THE ROADHOUSE
 Friday — Jack Nolan, no cover
 Saturday — Balderdash, no cover
 13800 S. 158th St., Bennet 782-7945

ROYAL GROVE NIGHTCLUB
 Friday & Saturday — Tight Fit, no cover
 Monday through Wednesday — Mistree, no cover
 Wednesday — Dance contest, \$1 cover after 9:25 p.m.
 340 W. Cornhusker Hwy. 477-2026

ZOO BAR
 Thursday-Saturday — The Belairs, \$2 Thursday; \$3 Friday & Saturday
 Monday — C.S. Express, blues jazz, \$1.50 cover
 Tuesday — Spelling Bee
 Wednesday — Tony Trishcka & Skyline, \$3 cover
 136 N. 14th St. 435-8754

SANDY'S
 Tuesday — Paul Phillips Talent Night, open stage, 9 p.m.-1 a.m., no cover
 Thursday — Paul Phillips, 9 p.m.-1 a.m., no cover
 FAC Friday — 3 p.m.-10 p.m.
 112 N. 11th St. 475-2418

THE BRASS RAIL
 Thursday through Saturday — Country & rock with "Sunrise"; Open stage 9 p.m.-1 a.m., no cover
 1436 O St. 474-5741

Sports & Rec

All-University Snow Volleyball Tournament
 Saturday, February 28 9 a.m.
 Harper-Schramm-Smith Field
 Men's, women's & coed teams; trophies & T-shirts to winning teams. Contact the Chi Phi house (476-7719) to register. Proceeds benefit Y-Pals.

NU Men's & Women's Gymnastics
 Southwest Cup, Tempe, AZ

NU Wrestling Team
 Friday, February 27 against Drake at Bob Devaney Sports Complex, 7 p.m.

NU Women's Softball Team
 Wednesday, March 4 against Arizona & Univ. of Toledo at Las Cruces, N.M.

NU Men's & Women's Track & Field
 Friday & Saturday, Feb. 27-28 Big Eight Championships
 Friday 9 a.m., Saturday noon at Bob Devaney Sports Center Track

NU Men's Baseball
 Wednesday, March 4 against NW Missouri State at Buck Beltzer Field, 1:30 p.m.

NU Cornhusker Basketball
Women's: Saturday through Monday, Feb. 28-March 2 Big Eight Conference Championships in Salina, Kan.

Men's: Saturday, Feb. 28 against Kansas at Bob Devaney Sports Center, 1:10 p.m., televised

On Stage

"A Marvelous Party"
 Friday & Saturday, Feb. 27-28 8 p.m.
 Lecture Hall Joslyn Museum
 2200 Dodge St. Omaha
 Tickets \$5; call 553-4715

"Wally's Cafe"
 Thursday through Saturday, Feb. 12-14; doors open at 6 p.m.
 Firehouse Dinner & Theatre
 514 S. 11th St., Omaha
 Tickets available at Brandeis of call 346-8833

"Sugar"
 Friday & Saturday, Feb. 20-21 8 p.m.
 Bellevue Little Theatre
 203 W. Mission Ave., Bellevue
 Tickets \$6 adults, \$5 students & senior citizens, \$4 children; call 291-1554 for reservations

"Squabbles"
 Thursday through Sunday, Feb. 19-22 — dinner 6:30 p.m., show 8 p.m.
 Wednesday & Sunday — dinner noon, show 1:30 p.m.
 Upstairs Dinner Theatre
 221 S. 19th St., Omaha
 Call 344-7777 for reservations

"To Be Young Gifted & Black"
 Friday & Saturday, Feb. 27-28 8 p.m.
 Sunday 2 p.m. & 7 p.m.
 Center Stage 3010 R St., Omaha
 Tickets \$6 students & senior citizens, \$7 general public, \$3 children

"On The Air" — a 1940s holiday radio revue
 Thursday through Saturday, Feb. 19-22 8 p.m.
 French Underground, 1017 Howard St. Omaha, For reservations call Brandeis or 341-3547

Hungarian State Folk ensemble
 Saturday, Feb. 28 8 p.m.
 UNO Strauss Performing Arts Center
 \$12 general public, \$5 UNO students; tickets available at Brandeis & Milo Bail Student Center

Sam Kinison — presented by Z92 Comedy Series
 Saturday, Feb. 28 8 p.m. & 10:30 p.m.
 Omaha Civic Auditorium Music Hall
 \$15; tickets available at Civic, Brandeis, Pickles & TIX

Dancing Gershwin!
 Thursday through Saturday 8 p.m.
 Saturday matinee 3 p.m.
 Kimball Recital Hall 11th & R Sts.
 \$8 general public, \$6 students and senior citizens; available at University Theater-Dance box office, 472-2073

"Children of a Lesser God"
 Thursday, Feb. 26 8 p.m.
 Fri. & Sat., Feb. 27-28 8:30 p.m.
 Omaha Community Playhouse
 6915 Cass St. Omaha
 553-0800 for ticket information

Galleries

UNL Dept. of Art Gallery
 Richards Hall Rooms 101-102
 Exhibits: "Two Sculptors": by Alison Helm & Terry Slade; Photography Invitational by Gloria DeFilippis Brush, Leslie Bell, Sandy Croce Warner & Erik Lauritzen
 Monday through Thursday 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Friday 7 p.m.-9 p.m.

UNL Art League Gallery
 Richards Hall Room 205
 Monday through Friday 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Sheldon Memorial Art Gallery
 12th & R streets
 Exhibits include: "The Photographer's Subject; The Nude"; "Rhythmic Clay" by Jun Kanedo, "The Sheldon Nudes on Paper" and UNL Art Dept. graduate student works.
 Closed Monday; Tuesday & Wednesday noon-5 p.m.; Thursday through Saturday noon-5 p.m. & 7 p.m.-9 p.m.; Sunday 2 p.m.-9 p.m.

Joslyn Art Museum
 2200 Dodge St. Omaha
 Exhibits: "Body & Soul: Aspects of Recent Figurative Sculpture"
 Closed Monday; Tuesday through Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 1 p.m.-5 p.m.

Lenz Center for Asian Culture
 304 Morrill Hall
 Tuesday through Saturday 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; Sunday 1:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m.

Meetings

ASUN Senate meeting
 Wednesday, March 4 6:30 p.m.
 Nebraska Union room posted

Campus Group of Alcoholics Anonymous
 Monday & Thursday 1:30 p.m.
 Nebraska Union room posted

"How to Improve Your Self Esteem," by Don Dickerson, Ph.D.
 Thursday, Feb. 26 8 p.m.
 Nebraska Union Room 342
 UNL Gay/Lesbian Resource Center; Call 472-5644 for more information.

Cinema

"Twist & Shout"
 Sheldon Film Theatre
 Thurs. through Sun. 7 p.m. & 9 p.m.
 Sat. at 3 p.m.; Sun. at 5 p.m.

Sites To See

"Sheldon/A Home for Art"
 Monday, March 2 9:30 p.m.
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 Nebraska ETV Network
 This Nebraska ETV cultural affairs special focuses on UNL's Sheldon Memorial Art Gallery and the role it plays as a liaison between the public and the artist. The program examines the gallery's collection of works by living and past artists, the preservation and restoration of the works, research and interpretation and finally, presentation.

Laser Fantasy Show
 Friday & Saturday, Feb. 27-28
 8 p.m., 9:30 p.m., & 11 p.m.
 Ralph Mueller Planetarium
 Morrill Hall
 From Springsteen to the Beatles, there's music for all kinds of tastes in the soundtracks of this spring's "Laser Fantasies" shows at the planetarium. Admission to the shows is \$3.50 for adults, \$3 for students with ID and \$1.50 for children under 12. Call 472-2642 for more information.

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 1400 R STREET
 LINCOLN, NE 68588-0443
 Leave information with secretary for Julie Jordan Hendricks. Deadline is Monday at 6 p.m. for publication Thursday of the same week.