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22nd Induction Ceremony to be held Nov. 5

The 22nd Annual Minnesota Music Hall of Fame Banquest and Induction

Ceremony will be held at Turner Halle in New Ulm on Friday, November 5th beginning at 6:00 p.m. Inductees for this year are:

- **Dick Kimmel**, New Ulm. Dick has been associated with traditional bluegrass and old-time country music for more than forty years as a performer, recording artist, and songwriter. He is a vocalist and multi-instrumentalist playing guitar, mandolin and clawhammer banjo performing throughout North America and Europe.

- **Doug Kodet**, Fairmont and **Roger Kodet**, New London. Doug's professional work with bands began in 1956, his instruments being trumpet, saxophone and clarinet. His education career spanned thirty-four years as a band director for twelve years and twenty-two years as a school administrator. Roger Began his career as a professional musician in 1953.

Playing trumpet, saxophone and clarinet, he worked with a combo until 1959 when he and Doug became partners in "The Cards Orchestra". The Cards featured old time and modern music traveling

through Minnesota, northern Iowa and South Dakota.

- **Andrews Sisters**, Mound. A famous singing trio who performed on stage, screen and radio, Laverne, Maxine and Patty Andrews began their sixty-five year career in 1931 when they were hired to perform by a vaudevillian. During World War II they made many trips overseas with USO groups to entertain our troops. The Andrews sisters had more top hits than Elvis Presley or the Beatles.

- **Minnesota Chorale**, Minneapolis. The Minnesota Chorale is Principal Chorus of the Minnesota Orchestra and ranks among the foremost professional chorales in the United States. They celebrate the human voice and its power to educate, enrich, unite and inspire by performing an ever-widening repertory of choral music, at the highest artistic level, for a broad community of audiences.

- **Keith Reese**, Lafayette. A jazz musician, but equally adapt at playing classical, pop, country rock and old time, or writing and arranging music. His career spanned 58 years. Keith's

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instruments were trumpet, fluegel horn, cornet, valve trombone and piano. In the 1950s he had his own band, The Flames, and later organized the Keith Reese Trio which traveled a seven-state area. Working as a sideman, he played with many popular local and area bands.

• **Gary Rue**, Twin Cities. Once a rocker, now a respected composer of theatrical music, Gary resists labels and still has the itch for the elusive goal of perfection. Country blends into ballad into rock into power pop into torch into soul into Tin Pan Alley into campy jingle into sweet childhood. This is his musical catalog – either an eclectic testament of genius or the mark of a dabbler who won't commit to one genre.



Pam & Sherwin Linton Christmas Show Nov. 28

Presented by the Minnesota Music Hall of Fame, Sherwin and Pam Linton bring to New Ulm their ever popular Christmas Show to be held on Sunday, November 28th at Turner Halle. The Christmas Show begins at 4:00 p.m. followed by their



Classic Country Show and Tribute to Johnny Cash at 6:00 p.m. Food and beverages are available.

Tickets are \$15.00 in advance and \$20.00 at the door. Advance tickets may be purchased at the MMHF Museum, New Ulm and area Chamber of Commerce, Hy-Vee Food Store or Cash Wise Food Store. Phone 507-354-7305 for more information or to reserve tickets.



Land of Lakes Choirboys Concert December 4

Minnesota's Land of Lakes Choirboys will play a return engagement concert Saturday, December 4th, 7:30 p.m. at Holy Trinity Cathedral in New Ulm. Those who attended their concert in 2009 will be delighted to hear them again. There is no admission charge but there will be a free-will offering to help defray the Choirboys' expenses. On Sunday, December 5th the choirboys will perform at Our Savior's Lutheran Church, New Ulm, during two services; 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

The Choirboys perform an amazing

musical presentation. They sing with a thrilling Viennese sound of sheer beauty and crystalline clarity. Following is a review from a German newspaper:

Pure intonation, impeccable enunciation, excellent vowel formation, wide dynamic range, effortless top notes, fantastic voice placement...the Land of Lakes Choirboys are outstanding - Schabische Post, Germany.

Send Get Well Wishes to Charlie . . .

MMHF Museum Administrator, Charlie

Coming Events



MMHF Banquet and Induction Ceremony

Friday November 5, 2010
Turner Halle, New Ulm
beginning at 5:00 p.m.

Inductee Showcase
Saturday, November 6, 2010
10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
MMHF Museum

Pam & Sherwin Linton Christmas Show

Sunday, November 28, 2010
Turner Halle, New Ulm
4:00 p.m.

Land of Lakes Choirboys Concert

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Our Savior's Lutheran Church
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a.m.



MMHF 2011 Fundraisers

Sunday, January 16, 2011
Park Ballroom, New Prague
Sunday, March 6, 2011
Turner Halle, New Ulm

Braunreiter, recently experienced a stroke. He is at home recuperating and doing very well. Send your greeting to 1015 North Jefferson, New Ulm, MN 56073.

Obituary

Rosemary Schueller 1924 - 2010

Rosemary, wife of Vern Schueller, was born and raised in Wabasso, MN. She was 86 years old. On September 24 a Mass of the Christian Burial was held at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Franklin, Interment at St. Patrick's Birch Coulee Cemetery. She is survived by her husband, daughters Barbara (Bruce) Snyder, LeeAnn Olson, Diane Schueller, and son John Schueller, her brother Harold (Phyllis) Lensing, sister Verona Wallace, sisters-in-law Arlene Lensing and Lillian Lensing, grandchildren, great grandchildren and step-grandchildren.



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