



The Winnipeg Ballet

OU Brings Ballet, Virtuosos Here

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Programs for the fall and spring Ottawa University Concert Lecture Series have been announced by Hurst Coffman, OU junior and committee chairman for the program.

Coffman said the scheduled performers for the series are: pianist Andrew Wolf; lecturer Maria Von Trapp; soprano Janet Baker; the Royal Winnipeg Ballet; violinist Miran Kojian; and classical lute player Karl Iferreshoff.

"All are world famous and highly professional performers," Coffman added. "We try to have a varied program to meet the interests of as many people as possible," Coffman said.

The first program of the series will be Oct. 22 at the OU Chapel. The performer will be Andrew Wolf, a long-time teacher and pianist at the Curtis Institute of Music.

Coffman said Wolf was a graduate of Curtis and has studied with Rudolf Serkin, famed international pianist. He has performed in concerts and recitals throughout the United States including Carnegie Hall and in Canada and Puerto Rico.

November 11, Maria Von Trapp will return to OU for her second visit in two years. Mrs. Von Trapp was the baroness, mother and leader of the Trapp Family Singers. "The Sound of Music," a Broadway play, which starred Mary Martin and more recently a movie starring Julie

Andrews, is based on the Trapp Family.

Jan. 17, Janet Baker, a New York Metropolitan Opera singer will enhance the series. Miss Baker was scheduled to appear last year, but cancelled at the last minute because of illness.

On Feb. 25, the Royal Winnipeg Ballet will perform at Ottawa's Memorial Auditorium. The company will feature modern ballet. The company has performed throughout Canada, the United States and England, including a performance before Queen Elizabeth II.

April 8, Miran Kojian, concert master of the Kansas City Philharmonic will perform. Kojian has been concertizing in Bach festivals in Europe this summer, Coffman said.

The last scheduled performer is Karl Iferreshoff, a classical lute and guitar player. He will appear April 29. All performances except the ballet are scheduled at the OU Chapel which seats 1,400, Coffman said. The performances will begin at 8 p.m., he added.

Coffman is in charge of performers for the 1969-1970 school year. This year's performers were arranged for by last year's committee chairman, Stuart Davidson, OU senior.

Coffman said ticket information will be available later although anyone who wants to be on the ticket information mailing list should contact Coffman, Carl Bobbish, or the OU Public Relations office.