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# GALA

## WEEKEND



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Something very exciting is about to happen on the campus of Fort Hays State University and we want you to be a part of it. Read through this brochure quickly and then fill out the coupon for tickets and mail it back at your earliest convenience. Why? Because we believe that the fantastic events we have scheduled for the **Gala Weekend** April 18, 19 and 20, 1991, will bring standing-room-only crowds and that tickets will move extremely fast. Included in this brochure is information about each event for that fantastic weekend. All activities take place in the sparkling new Beach/Schmidt Performing Arts Center located in renovated Sheridan Hall. See you there!

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### Thursday, April 18:

The Orchestre National De Lyon from France will officially christen the Beach/Schmidt Performing Arts Center in an 8 p.m. performance. You might want to wear your finest evening attire for the spectacular event. (Black Tie Optional)

### Friday, April 19:

The Department of Music of Fort Hays State University will showcase its best student and faculty talent in both vocal and instrumental performances in a musical collage at 8 p.m. You won't want to miss this exciting evening of entertainment.

### Saturday, April 20:

A repeat performance by the FHSU Department of Music's collage is set for 2 p.m.

### Saturday, April 20:

Two great shows are on tap for you this evening. At 8 p.m., comedian Tom Parks of HBO fame, will take you on a truly enjoyable trip to comedy-land. Then the Four Freshmen, a group of singers, some of whom performed many years ago in Sheridan Hall, will have you tapping your toes and singing along with them as they close out the Gala Weekend of entertainment activities.



MORE ABOUT EACH PERFORMANCE

# Orchestre National de Lyon

France's oldest regional, and one of its two leading orchestras, the Orchestre National de Lyon, will perform at 8 p.m. Thursday, April 18. The Lyon Orchestre, some 100 members strong, has been enthralling audiences since 1969 and regularly tours many foreign countries. In 1981, the Orchestre was awarded the "Disque d'Or," an honor that no other French symphony orchestra had ever obtained. The Lyon National Orchestre participates regularly at the festivals of Aiz-en-Provence, Strasbourg, Paris and Prague. Everywhere the Orchestre performs it receives rave reviews such as:

"A musical gourmand's delight, supporting the artistic reputation of France's Second City." THE WASHINGTON POST

"An ensemble of fine technical attainments. They played with care and conviction, and the audience responded warmly." THE NEW YORK TIMES



## The Collage Concert



This truly unique event will be presented at 8 p.m. on Friday, April 19, and should prove to be an unforgettable performance. The concept behind the collage is essentially one that consists of a celebration of all music. No one group, performer or piece of music is featured. The collage involves over 200 performers, placed in various positions in the Beach/Schmidt Performing Arts Center, playing and singing a wide variety of music from many centuries and styles. Each piece of music that is to be performed is followed immediately by the next piece, without interruption. The music represents the very best of its particular style and period. You definitely won't want to miss this dramatic program!

## The Four Freshmen

Through the "Folk Singers Craze" the "Elvis Phase," "Beatle-mania" and "Acid Rock" the Four Freshmen have continued a steady parade of musical albums. Their album sales have reached the two million mark. They have won every major music poll available and have been honored time and again by Downbeat, Playboy, Billboard, and a host of other leading publications. Not only do the Four Freshmen sing but they play instruments, seven different ones in fact, and exhibit a wonderful brand of humor which has become a Freshmen trademark. The quartet has appeared on every major campus in America and will share with you the musicianship that is the real key to their success. Be there!



## Tom Parks

Tom Parks is one of the hottest comedians on the college circuit. He is well-known for his appearances on The Tonight Show, HBO, A&E, Evening at the Improv, Late Night with

David Letterman, and many other comedy shows. He has appeared in television commercials, in movies, on radio commercials, is a spokesperson for the American Diabetes Assn., and is a writer and producer. Parks has been touring clubs, conventions and colleges since 1976 sharing his unique brand of humor. For an evening of laughter and entertainment, you must attend the Parks show!

## TICKET COUPON

Please fill out the following form and return, with a check, in the enclosed return envelope. Ticket orders will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Tickets go on sale to the general public March 27, 1991. We will mail your tickets to you at the address you provide on the order form.

Seating Code:

O= Orchestra

DC=Dress Circle

BkO=Back Orchestra

B=Balcony

THURSDAY NIGHT — Orchestre De Lyon

| Individual Ticket Price | #of Tickets | FHSU F/S Sr Cit/Stud | #of Tickets | Total Amount |
|-------------------------|-------------|----------------------|-------------|--------------|
| O = \$22.00             | _____       | \$18.00              | _____       | _____        |
| DC = \$22.00            | _____       | \$18.00              | _____       | _____        |
| BkO = \$18.00           | _____       | \$14.00              | _____       | _____        |
| B = \$18.00             | _____       | \$14.00              | _____       | _____        |

FRIDAY NIGHT — Collage Concert

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|---------------|-------|--------|-------|-------|
| O = \$10.00   | _____ | \$8.00 | _____ | _____ |
| DC = \$10.00  | _____ | \$8.00 | _____ | _____ |
| BkO = \$ 6.00 | _____ | \$4.00 | _____ | _____ |
| B = \$ 6.00   | _____ | \$4.00 | _____ | _____ |

SATURDAY MATINEE — Collage Concert

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| O = \$ 4.00   | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| DC = \$ 4.00  | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| BkO = \$ 2.00 | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| B = \$ 2.00   | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |

SATURDAY NIGHT — Tom Parks/Four Freshmen

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| O = \$20.00   | _____ | \$16.00 | _____ | _____ |
| DC = \$20.00  | _____ | \$16.00 | _____ | _____ |
| BkO = \$16.00 | _____ | \$12.00 | _____ | _____ |
| B = \$16.00   | _____ | \$12.00 | _____ | _____ |

Block Tickets To All Three Performances

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| O = \$42.00   | _____ | \$34.00 | _____ | _____ |
| DC = \$42.00  | _____ | \$34.00 | _____ | _____ |
| BkO = \$30.00 | _____ | \$22.00 | _____ | _____ |
| B = \$30.00   | _____ | \$22.00 | _____ | _____ |

TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_

(See back panel for mailing information)





Fort Hays State University  
600 Park Street  
Hays, KS 67601

Enclosed is my check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ made payable to GALA WEEKEND.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (where you can be reached during the day) ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_