

ARTS FESTIVAL OPENS NOVEMBER 13

The 1966 Edinboro State College Fine Arts Festival will open on Sunday, November 13 at 2 o'clock in Memorial Auditorium. The events that will follow during the next five days will present to the public a varied program of the arts, ranging from photography to theatre, and including graphic art, music, poetry, and cinema.

The opening event of the First Fine Arts Festival will be a concert by the famed jazz pianist, Thelonius Monk. Monday's event, at 8:15 in the auditorium is "Coffee House" inspired, the entertainer being Cedric Smith from the Black Swan Coffee House of Stratford, Canada. At 2 o'clock in Memorial Auditorium, Donald Hall, a famous contemporary poet, will speak on "The New Poetry." In the Erie Civic Theatre at 8:15 p.m. the world premiere of Tennessee Williams' American Blues will be presented.

Alfred Kern, a contemporary novelist of note, will conduct an interesting and informative lecture and discussion on the subject of contemporary literature on Wednesday at 2:00 p.m. in Memorial Auditorium. Thursday, 2:00 p.m. Seonain Robertson of the University of London will lecture on current trends in art and at 8:15 the Edinboro State College Collegiate Singers will present a special concert. Friday, Brett Rutherford will present a World Premieres concert of his newly written works for piano. The Festival will close Friday evening in Memorial Auditorium with the showing of the 1961 Swedish cinematic masterpiece, Mein Kampf. During this week, November 13-18, a photography exhibit by Alan Perkins will be on display in the

in the lobby of Ross Dining Hall.

The 1966 Edinboro State College Fine Arts Festival offers many opportunities for both students and residents of surrounding areas to enhance their cultural knowledge, as well as being thoroughly entertained by the many fine events. The Arts Festival is an activity that occurs but once a year, and it is a rare opportunity for individuals to participate in a nearly complete synthesis of the fine arts.

The public is welcome to attend all events but must obtain tickets in advance at the Auditorium Office for the Thelonius Monk performance.

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THAT'S RESOURCEFUL

Remember the terrible rain we had on All-University Day? And then the rain had to follow us home and turn Behrend into a pool of water. One unfortunate freshman, after wading in the rain was faced with the aggravation of not being able to close his umbrella. He fought with the thing for a while, became quite irate, and took the umbrella apart. Behrend now has a good start on a television antenna (all we need is a television) and our student can be seen walking in the rain wearing a black poncho (that for some reason looks like it came from an umbrella).

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