



MUSIC LIBRARY ASSOCIATION - MIDWEST CHAPTER

NEWSLETTER

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MUSIC LIBRARY ASSOCIATION - MIDWEST CHAPTER
ANNUAL MEETING

INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA
October 21-23, 1982

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Wednesday, October 20

7:00 - 9:30 p.m.

Advance Registration

7:30 - 9:00 p.m.

Tour of Indianapolis-Marion County Public Library

Thursday, October 21

8:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Registration

10:30 a.m. - 12 Noon

OPEN COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Bibliographic Instruction Committee: review of
a draft document "Bibliographic Competencies
for Undergraduate Music Students"

Preservation Working Group: organizational meeting,
definition of goals and objectives

Cataloging Committee: current problems in the
cataloging world

12 Noon - 1:30 p.m.

(free time)

1:45 - 4:45 p.m.

WORKSHOPS (coffee-break served at mid-point)

"A Master Class for Librarians in Teaching Skills"
Sharon Rogers, Associate Dean, Bowling Green
State University Libraries

5:00 - 6:30 p.m.

(free time)

6:30 - 7:00 p.m.

Reception (cash bar)

7:00 - ???

CHAPTER BANQUET

-Menu: Choice of Breast of Chicken Normandy or
Beef Stroganoff

-Entertainment by the Butler University Dance
Department

-Music for listening, dancing, talking after
the meal

Friday, October 22

8:00 - 9:30 p.m.

Registration

Coffee and rolls

9:00 - 10:30 a.m.

SESSION 1

"The Role of Research in Music Librarianship"
Glenn Patton (OCLC); Richard Smiraglia
(University of Illinois); Brad Young
(University of Illinois) and respondents

Friday, October 22 (continued)

10:30 - 10:45 a.m.	Coffee break
10:45 - 11:45 a.m.	<u>OPEN FORUM</u> Bring your ideas, questions, suggestions, needs: this is your chance to plan future meetings, get new committees and working groups started, etc.; both Chapter and professional matters
12 Noon - 1:45 p.m.	<u>CHAPTER LUNCHEON & BUSINESS MEETING</u> Special business: new By-laws and Constitution for Midwest Chapter (see last issue of the <u>Newsletter</u>) & re-naming our newsletter.
2:00 - 4:00 p.m.	<u>SESSION 2</u> (Coffee break at mid-point) "Catalogs, Catalogs, Catalogs!" Solutions to AACR-2 Problems, presented by the Chapter Cataloging Committee; Two Uses of Computer Catalogs presented by Paul Gunther (Milwaukee Symphony Orchestra) and Richard LeSueur (Ann Arbor Public Library)
5:00 - 6:30 p.m.	Reception
6.30 - ???	Evening free: a limited number of tickets for the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra will be available at the Registration table.

Saturday, October 23

9:00 a.m.	Bus leaves Essex Hotel for Butler University
9:30 - 10:00 a.m.	Reception (coffee and rolls) in the Music Library, Jordan School of Fine Arts
10:15 - 11:30 a.m.	The Jean Sibelius Collection and other topics
11:30 a.m.	Bus returns to the Essex Hotel

NOTES FROM THE CHAIR:

You Asked for It: 1982 in Indianapolis

This issue contains the preliminary program for the 1982 meeting of the Midwest Chapter. We have tried to plan a program which is as varied, interesting, exciting, and attractive as possible. More than that, however, we have tried to plan a meeting which would suit your ideas, requests, suggestions, etc. Incorporating and integrating all of the ideas which were raised at last year's Open Forum with those which were mentioned shortly before, during, or shortly after the Oberlin meeting (to say nothing of a number of very helpful and inspired letters I received during the last several months) has been a real challenge, but I think we have come up with a "member's meeting" for you. For instance:

--Someone said: "*Fewer people will be able to attend the national meeting this year, so our meeting should be longer and include more topics!*" : so we have added a full extra day and provide a real variety of topics, formats and presentations.

--"*Why don't we meet with some other organizations: we could learn from them and we can get our ideas across to them.*" The Indiana Library Association will be meeting concurrently with us at a hotel a block away; their registration materials will contain a copy of our program and an

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invitation to attend those meetings which interest them, and your registration packet will include their schedule of events (the meeting has time for visiting the events and exhibits also).

- "The Open Forum occurs too late in our meetings; everyone is too tired by 11:00 on Saturday."* The Open Forum is scheduled at the mid-point of this year's meeting: 10:45 on Friday. Bring your ideas.
- "We should have more time for visiting, as individuals and as groups, and more social time as a Chapter."* : We have a Banquet and a Luncheon scheduled, 3 receptions, and two meal times with nothing scheduled; in addition, after the Chapter Banquet we will provide music for visiting, listening, and dancing. Social enough?
- "We ought to have more performances during the meetings; are we musicians or not? A chance to hear professional groups from the area would be good too."* Phyllis has scheduled the Butler Dance Department for a performance at the Banquet (a rather unusual one I am told), and suggests that she may be able to provide some more entertainment in addition. The Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra is performing Friday night (completely free on the schedule); a limited number of tickets will be available at the Registration Desk.
- "What are our committees doing, anyway? We almost never hear from them."* : We have scheduled 3 open committee meetings where you can see and hear what is going on and participate.
- "Everyone comes on Thursday anyway, why don't we have something happening then?"* : The schedule is arranged so that you can have interesting events happening whatever time you arrive. We hope you will be able to attend the entire meeting.
- "We need some local workshops! After all, everyone can't go to those national ones."* : We have scheduled two such workshops: the library teaching skills workshop is the first such ever held in the MLA.
- "Keep the price down!"* This was the hardest to fulfill, but I think we have succeeded. If you attend everything, the total cost is \$25.00. This includes registration (coffee breaks, transportation to Butler, workshop costs, all materials) and two meals (which I am assured will be spectacular; and each of which costs less than the meal charges two years ago). The hotel rates are remarkably low and the central location should mean that no one has to travel too far. I think it is a bargain at the price and I hope you will also.
- "Keep it interesting and fast moving!"* "Interesting" is in the eye of the beholder, I suppose, but I think we have something to interest anyone who is a music librarian.

I hope you will agree that this is a meeting you can't miss. Send in your registration as soon as possible and we'll see you in Indianapolis in October.

---Richard Jones
Chairperson
Midwest Chapter

NEWS & NOTES

Deadlines, deadlines...

Several important forms for the Chapter Meeting appear in this Newsletter. Please be sure to send your room reservation form (p. 7) directly to the Essex Hotel by October 1st. Our block of rooms will only be held until that date.

Phyllis Schoonover would like to have your Registration form for the meeting by Monday, October 18th, in order to have accurate meal counts and do other last-minute planning and preparation. Walk-in registrants will of course also be welcomed.

Bibliographic Instruction Committee Publication...

Along with this Newsletter, you are receiving a copy of *A Directory of Music Library Instruction Programs in the Midwest*, compiled by members of the Bibliographic Instruction Committee of the Midwest Chapter. Additional copies are available from ERIC (the ERIC document number will be available at the Chapter meeting and printed in the next Newsletter issue) or from Karen Nagy, Secretary-Treasurer. Congratulations to members of the committee for a fine job in compiling and producing this directory.

Dues...

Chapter Dues for the 1983 year are payable with your registration for the Chapter Meeting as indicated on the form on p. 9. Dues are \$5 for both individual and institutional members. If you do not plan to attend the meeting in Indianapolis, please send your dues to: *Karen Nagy, Secretary-Treasurer, MLA-Midwest Chapter, Northwestern University Music Library, 1935 Sheridan Rd., Evanston, IL 60201*

Constitution and Bylaws revision...

The Summer 1982 issue of the Newsletter contained the proposed changes to our Constitution and Bylaws. These revisions will be discussed and voted on at the annual Business Meeting on October 22nd in Indianapolis. If you will not be attending that meeting, please return the ballot on p. 11 of that issue to the Secretary-Treasurer (see address above) by October 15th, 1982 so that your vote and/or comments can be included by proxy.

A form for News of Members appeared on the same page of the Summer Newsletter. Please return any information about yourself, especially if you will not be attending the meeting...so that we can share it with your other friends and colleagues there.

Newsletter Naming Contest...

On page 7 you will find the "Official Entry Blank" for our contest to come up with a name for our chapter Newsletter. You have until Friday, October 22nd to be creative, witty or artistic in contributing your suggestions. The winner will be decided and the prize awarded at the Chapter Luncheon/Business Meeting on that day.

TRANSPORTATION TO INDIANAPOLIS

Indianapolis is served by most major airlines, bus companies and Amtrack. The main bus terminal and the train station are both located in the downtown area. Limousine service is available from the airport every 15-20 minutes from 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. The cost varies from \$3.60 to \$6.80 depending on the number of passengers. A taxi will cost \$10 - \$11 with a \$0.50 charge for each additional passenger. For those who wish to drive, Essex Hotel has a parking garage. The Essex Hotel is located at 421 North Pennsylvania Street on the left hand side of the street as you travel south. Pennsylvania Street is not shown on the large map, but it is the first street west of and parallel to Delaware Street.

Three interstate highways go through Indianapolis; I-70, I-74, and I-65. I-465 is the belt highway around Indianapolis. Coming from the northwest on I-65 south: Follow it into the city and take exit 113 - Routes 31 & 37 and Meridian Street. The first intersection is Illinois St. and the second is Meridian. Turn right at the third intersection which is Pennsylvania. The Essex is about 6½ blocks south.

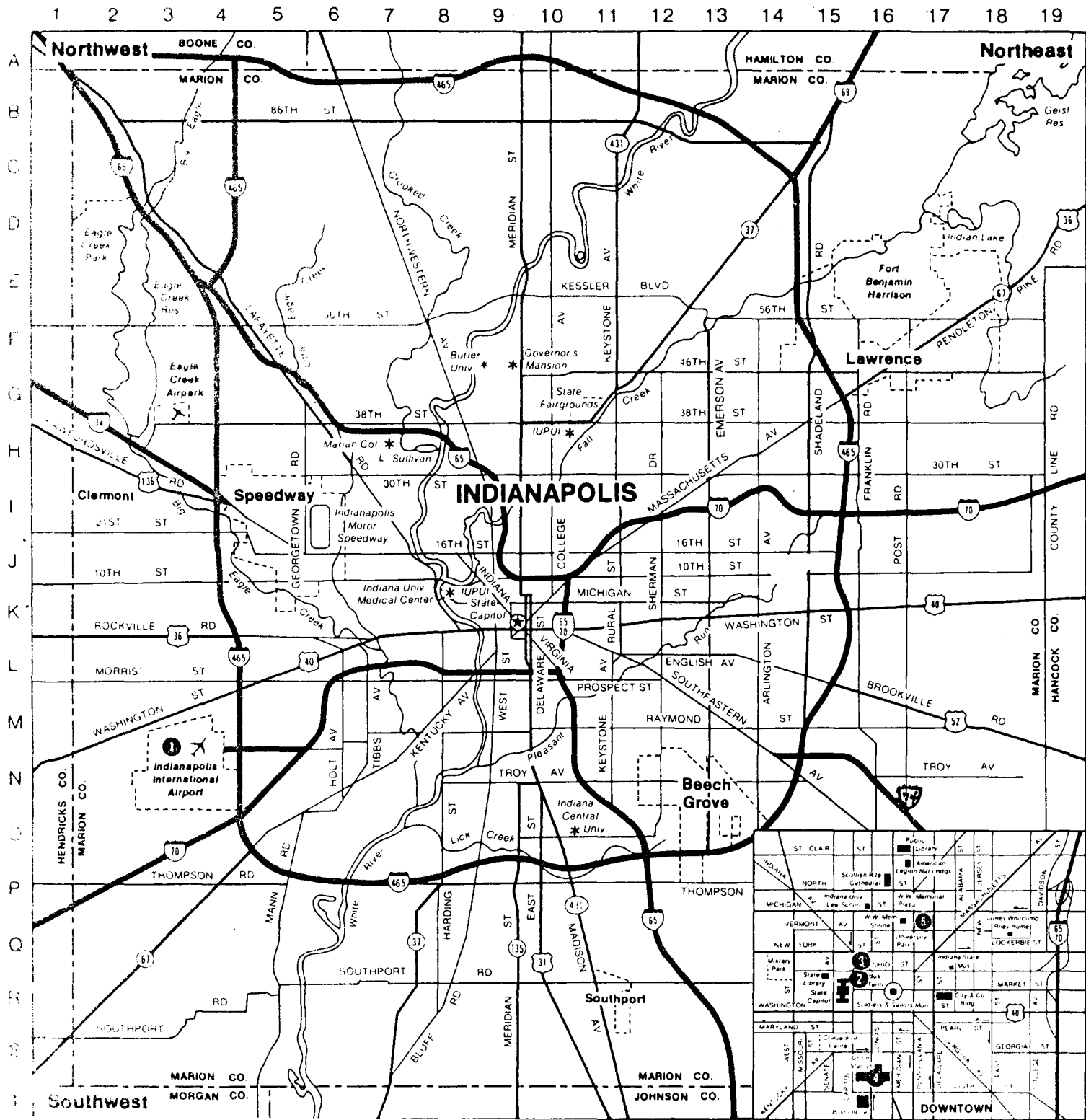
Coming from the east on I-70 west: After you enter Indianapolis proper, it will merge with I-65 south. Stay on I-65 south and follow directions for I-65 south.

Traveling from the south on I-65 north: Take exit 113 - Meridian St. and Pennsylvania St. Pennsylvania is the first intersection. Turn left and follow it to the Essex. Approaching from the southwest on I-70 east: After you enter Indianapolis proper, this will join I-65 north. Where the two split again, remain on I-65 north (keep left) and follow directions for I-65 north.

If you are traveling from the southeast on I-74, take I-465 to I-65 north and follow directions for I-65 north. I-74 does not go through the downtown area.

If you are traveling on I-74 from the west, the most direct route is to stay on the street which I-74 becomes (Hulman Memorial Way). At the 500 race track, the street ends on 16th Street. Follow 16th St. east until you reach Pennsylvania (the first street east of Meridian), turn right and follow it to the Essex Hotel.

(See map on verso)



1—Indianapolis International Airport
 2—Greyhound Bus Terminal
 3—Continental Trailways Bus Terminal
 4—Union Station
 Monument Circle conveniently marks the center of the city. Four diagonal avenues radiate from the circle: Indiana, Massachusetts, Kentucky, and Virginia. All other downtown streets run east-west and north-south. The following major east-west streets are one-way: Michigan (west), New York (east), Pearl (west), Maryland (east), Georgia (east). Major north-south arteries which are limited to one-way traffic in the downtown area are: Capitol (south), Illinois (north), Pennsylvania (south), Delaware (north), East St. (south). The main arteries of the city are Meridian (north-south) and Washington (east-west), both of which are designed for two-way traffic.
 5—Essex Hotel