

The Seventh Creative Living Series



Irene F. Hughes, psychic-mystic, has attained national and international prominence through her powers of ESP, accurately predicting world-wide events. She has appeared on nationwide radio and TV, including the "Lee Phillip Show," "At Random" and the "Kup Show." Mrs. Hughes will discuss ESP (extra sensory perception) and psychic abilities. You'll hear her predictions on the outcome of domestic and foreign affairs (good and bad) and other significant events of the future.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15 — 10 a.m.



Bergen Evans, Northwestern University English professor, well-known radio and TV personality, columnist and semanticist, will present a program "On Being Funny." Mr. Evans will discuss the social, psychological and literary problems of humor. Why is something funny in one company but not in another — funny one day but not the next? What is laughter? Why are children so comic? Come join us and find out!

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19 — 10 a.m.



James Uhler, vice president and Art Group Head of Foote, Cone and Belding Advertising, Inc., will speak on "The Many Faces of Tell-It-Like-It-Is," discussing the advertising media from an artist's viewpoint. How is an ad put together? What are the considerations in selecting various art forms? How has the nature of advertising changed over the years? Mr. Uhler, a resident of Harvard, Illinois, has a B.F.A. from Colorado University and M.F.A. from the Art Institute of Chicago. He has exhibited his paintings and sculpture in numerous shows and galleries throughout the country.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 21 — 10 a.m.



Betsy Ross Davis, interior designer, brings to our stage a vast knowledge of the newest in color schemes, space-age fabrics, furniture arranging and home planning. Mrs. Davis, a lively, dynamic speaker, has been a frequent guest on radio and TV, and currently introduces home furnishing lines in the Decorator's Walk — the glamorous Merchandise Mart showroom. Here's an opportunity to get expert advice on your redecorating problems — top-flight tips on successful interior design.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18 — 10 a.m.



Reverend Anthony J. Becker will add a new dimension to the Creative Living series programs when he discusses "graphology" — the science of handwriting analysis. Reverend Becker will project on screen a sampling of handwriting styles, discussing the personality traits indicative in each. And program guests — if they're willing — may have their signatures analyzed. Reverend Becker, pastor of St. Mary's Church, Elgin, is an educator and counselor, with a M.A. in Classical Languages and a Ph.D. in Educational Psychology. Remember — this is the only evening program of the series.

THURSDAY, MARCH 18 — 8 p.m.



Lila Letchinger brings to the Opera House stage a rare artistry which combines dramatic talent and academic training with experience as an actress, speech teacher and artist reader. She will entertain with excerpts from "Half-way Up the Tree," an urbane, sophisticated comedy by Peter Ustinov which has delighted audiences in both this country and abroad. Mrs. Letchinger is a Chicagoan with B.S. and M.A. degrees from Northwestern University. She has taught speech and radio courses on the university level in addition to many entertainment engagements.

THURSDAY, APRIL 15 — 10 a.m.

Coffee will be served at 9:00 a.m. in the Green Room before each morning program.




Join us for the Seventh Creative Living Series

A PROGRAM SERIES ON SEMANTICS, DRAMA, INTERIOR DESIGN, GRAPHOLOGY, ESP, ART. PRESENTED BY THE WOMEN'S GUILD OF THE WOODSTOCK FINE ARTS ASSOCIATION AT THE HISTORIC OPERA HOUSE ON THE SQUARE.

The Creative Living Series has been planned to give women in the area an opportunity to hear and talk with well-known personalities in a variety of fields. The six-program series will run from October 15 through April 15.

Hear a psychic-mystic predict future happenings. Listen to a well-known semanticist discuss humor values. Hear an advertising executive tell the inside story on creating an ad. Get expert advice on redecorating that "spare" room. Find out what your signature reveals about your inner self. Be entertained by a talented dramatist.

 The angel symbol used by the Guild denotes the theater angel, the name traditionally applied to those who support fine arts productions. Become a theater angel this year and support the Creative Living Series. You'll find the programs a worthwhile, creative addition to your schedule for '70-'71.

SINGLE TICKET: \$2.00, purchased at box office
SERIES TICKET: \$10.00, see clipping at right



Please join us . . .

The Women's Guild

Since its formation in 1964, the Guild has aspired to restore and maintain the historic, turn-of-the-century Opera House by programming stimulating events of interest to area residents. Programs under their sponsorship include the Creative Living Series and the Hospitality Day Open House. In 1968, the Guild introduced ballet classes for children and adults, and the enthusiastic response to the classes has resulted in an expanded program for '70-'71. Proceeds from the Women's Guild activities are used to further the Fine Arts programs and also aid in Opera House restoration. A modest \$3.00 annual membership fee, payable in February, provides program funds.

The Women's Guild is a hard-core working organization of the Fine Arts Association. Annual Association dues provide for general maintenance costs and year-round cultural, educational and entertainment events for people for all ages.

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