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YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio - A two day Spring Microcomputer Show will be held March 19 and 20 in Youngstown State University's Kilcawley Center.

The show will be divided into two parts with an education focus on Tuesday, March 19, and business sector concentration on Wednesday, March 20.

Educators will be interested in an exhibit of microcomputers for elementary and high schools from noon until 9 p.m., March 19. A keynote address on "Microcomputers in Education" will be given by Ronald W. Erickson, editor of electronic publishing products for the South-Western Publishing Co.

Three other sessions relevant to education will be offered on Tuesday:

"Put PEP in Your Classroom - People, Equipment and Procedures," "Setting Up a

Microcomputer Lab," and "Creative Resources for Teaching Computer Literacy."

Participants may attend any or all sessions. The fee for one session is \$5; for all three sessions, \$10. Dinner is available for an additional \$8.

Wednesday's seminar will feature a microcomputer exhibit focused on business applications. Sessions include "Meeting the Challenges of the Microcomputer Acquisition Process," "Lotus 1-2-3," "Data Manager-Fourth Generation Business System Generator," and "Strategic Planning for Office Automation." These fees are \$10 for one session and \$25 for the entire day.

Registration should be made no later than March 12. To obtain an information brochure, or to register, contact the YSU Office of Continuing Education at (216) 742-3358.

The event is being co-sponsored by YSU's Office of Continuing Education and the Ohio Western Reserve Chapter of the Association of Information System Professionals.

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YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio - WYSU-FM (88.5), Youngstewn State University's fine arts radio station, will broadcast "Ernani" by Giuseppe Verdi at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 9.

The opera will be broadcast live from New York by the Texaco-Metropolitan Opera Radio Network.

Montserrat Caballe will sing the role of Elvira with Ermanno Mauro as her lover, Ernani. Pablo Elvira will perform as Don Carlo, the King of Spain, and Paul Plishka will portray Silva, Elvira's fiance.

The conductor will be Thomas Fulton, and the announcer, Peter Allen.

During the first intermission, Jorge Bolet will discuss and illustrate the art of operatic piano transcription. "Texaco's Opera Quiz" returns for the second intermission with panelists Johanna Fiedler, Peter Bonelli and Charles Osborne, author of many books on Verdi. M. Owen Lee, professor of Latin and Greek classical literature at the University of Toronto, will present a preview of Wagner's "Die Meistersinger von Nuernberg" during the final intermission.

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ADD TO YSU ALUMNI-CUSHWA STORY

Serving as general chairman for the YSU Alumni Association's Distinguished Citizen Award dinner honoring Margaret Cushwa June 14 is Thomas J. Travers of

Boardman, former Board Chairman of Commercial Shearing, Inc., now retired.

The announcement was made by Ralph I. Dillon, Canfield, President of the YSU Alumni Association Board of Directors. Mr. Dillon, Executive Vice President and Treasurer of Standard Slag Co., will be master of ceremonies.

Serving as area chairman for the program are:

Mahoning County area, co-chairmen--Donald W. McGowan, Poland, Chairman of the Board and President, Ohio Bancorp, and President, Dollar Savings and Trust Co. of Youngstown, and John Nelson, Liberty, Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, Commercial Shearing, Inc.

Trumbull County area, co-chairmen--Charles J. Foley, former Chairman of the Board, Union Savings and Trust Co., Warren, now retired, and President, Community Improvement Corp. of Warren and Trumbull County, and Otto W. Thomas, Executive Vice President, Bank One of Eastern Ohio.

Western Pennsylvania--James E. Feeney, Sharon, Senior Vice President of Operations, Wheatland Tube Co.

Pittsburgh area--R.J. Wean, Jr., Chairman of the Board of Administrators, the Raymond John Wean Foundation, Wean United, Inc.

Cleveland area--Atty. Patrick F. McCartan of Jones, Day, Reavis and Pogue, Cleveland.