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YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio - Blue grass, Irish ballads and popular folk favorites will be performed by The Mill Creek Ramblers as part of the outdoor Lunch & Lyrics series on Wednesday, July 30 on the Youngstown State University campus.

Sponsored by YSU's Program and Activities Council, the concert is free and open to the public and University community. The concert and barbecue lunch will be held in the Kilcawley Amphitheatre from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.

A varied luncheon menu, including summer salads, will be available for purchase.

The Mill Creek Ramblers are a folk trio which has played extensively throughout the Youngstown, Warren and Sharon area at festivals, concerts and school events.

Making up the trio are Brendan Minogue of Youngstown, YSU professor of philosophy, his wife, Judy Minogue, a YSU limited service instructor of English, and Barry Robbins a full-time musician who plays guitar, mandolin and fiddle.

The trio will be joined by Bill Lewis, a photographer for The Youngstown Vindicator

The group has performed at the Akron Arts Expo, the YSU World Fest, Hiram College's Homecoming, and the Bavarian Fun Fest in Sharon.

In case of rain, Lunch & Lyrics will be held in the Kilcawley Center Pub, Spring Street.

The Program and Activities Council sponsors the majority of entertainment in the student center.

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YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio - Dr. Gary M. Salvner of Boardman, associate professor of English at Youngstown State University, has been appointed a regional judge for the 1986 Achievement Awards in Writing by the National Council of Teachers of English (NCTE).

Through this national competition, approximately 800 high school seniors are cited for excellence in writing and are recommended to colleges and universities for admission and for financial aid, if needed.

Students are nominated by their high school English Department and chosen for recognition by state judging committees. The regional judging committees are composed of high school and college teachers.

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