

The Arts & The Wisconsin Idea: New Vigor for Local Arts

October 23, 2003

Carson Gully Hall on the University of Wisconsin Campus

- 10:00 Barbara Strauss: Welcome
- 10:15 The Wisconsin Idea
Governor and Mrs. Robert M. La Follette
- 10:45 The Wisconsin Idea And The Arts
Curt Meine, Aldo Leopold Foundation, Moderator
Karen Cowan, UW Extension Dance
Maryo Gard Ewell, Arts Administrator
Harv Thompson, UW Extension Theatre
- 11:45 "A Sense Of Place"
Jerry Apps, Wisconsin Author
- 11:55 Lunch
- 1:00 "Our Mission, If We Choose To Accept It..."
Joan Fischer, WI Academy of Sciences, Arts & Letters
Mark Lefebvre, UW Foundation
Barbara Strauss, President, Gard Foundation
Mike Warlum, Project Director, Arts in the Small Community
- 1:10 The Arts In The Small Community
Steve Duchrow, Elgin Community College, Moderator
Dr. Robert J. Curtis, Portage, Arts in the Small Community
Liz Nevers, Sauk County Extension
Mike Warlum

- 2:15 Taking It Home: The Task
Belle LaFollette; George Tzougros, Wisconsin Arts Board
- 2:25 Break Into Groups: How Can We Use This On Monday?
- 3:00 Break
- 3:15 Bus Departs For Robert E. Gard Memorial Ceremony At Muir Knoll
- 3:30 Muir Knoll Ceremony
Mark LeFebvre: Welcome and Context
Natural Areas Committee: Comments
Maryo Gard Ewell: Poetry
David Peterson: Music
The Ceremony
Mark Lefebvre, University of Wisconsin Foundation
Natural Areas Committee
Maryo K. Gard
George Tzougros, Wisconsin Arts Board
Anne Katz, Wisconsin Assembly of Local Arts
Barbara Strauss: Robert Gard-Wisconsin Idea
Foundation
Jerry Apps, on behalf of Wisconsin's writers
Harv Thompson, University of Wisconsin-Arts
Extension
Mike Strigel, Wisconsin Academy of Sciences,
Arts and Letters
Mark Lefebvre: Closing Thoughts
- 4:00 Bus Returns to Carson Gully Hall
- 4:15 Reception