For the 2000-2001 Secret Art Series, the library will present a series of classical performers, from a flute and harp duo to contemporary "dance" fiddlers. The series will start with flutist Eugenia Zukerman and harpist Maria Kononassis, a book with her sister, Dr. Julie Kondonassis called "The Harp". She entered Bard College, New York State where she studied with the late Boris Berman, a renowned flutist. She has played with some of the world’s finest musicians in many of the world’s great cities. She is a sought-after master of the harp since she was 9 years old and attended the Interlochen Arts Academy for high school. She received her bachelor’s and master’s degrees at the Columbia University’s School of Music. As a soloist, Zukerman has appeared in a number of recitals and concerts in New York and around the country, if not the entire Southeast.

The newly designed Ring Theater features a spectacular stage. In the Elizabethan stage for the production of The Merchant of Venice.

ABOVE: The Bang On A Can All-Stars and the RIGHT: the Takacs String Quartet are just two of the groups lined up for this year’s Secret Art Series.

Music lovers will surely be delighted to discover Ziggy’s Tavern, one of the premier venues to catch up-and-coming artists. Ziggy’s Tavern is the only bar located in Winston-Salem’s nightlife this week. The bar features a unique music and entertainment scene with an excellent sound system. This fall’s lineup offers no exception.

The infamous venue was originally called The Wash, but was later purchased by the current owner, Mark Stewart in 1998. Stewart was a former bartender at the White Horse. His nickname was the "Flaming Skunks."

Located just off University Parkway near the new Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center, Ziggy’s Tavern is the perfect place to catch both up-and-coming and established bands in North Carolina, if not the entire Southeast. Ziggy’s Tavern is the only bar located in Winston-Salem’s nightlife this week. The bar features a unique music and entertainment scene with an excellent sound system. This fall’s lineup offers no exception.

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Ziggy’s attracts students, bands

Ziggy’s Tavern is the best place in Winston-Salem to catch musical acts from seasoned Seasons to brand new Flaming Skunks.

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Despite this, Kondonassis wants to change classical music. An article in The Washington Post in which Kondonassis said wants to change classical music. An article in The Washington Post in which Kondonassis said that classical music needs to be more accessible. She said, in an article in the Washington Post, "We need to make classical music more relevant to the people who are listening to it, and that means finding new ways to present it."
Men's soccer ready for opener against Connecticut

By Shaw Lentz  Old Gold and Black Reporter

After one of the most successful regular-season men’s soccer history, the second round exit from the NCAA tournament was unexpected and disappointing for the Demon Deacons. Now the 11th-ranked Deacons are looking to build upon their success of last year and continue to improve both their play and results and also to move further into the national scene in 2000.

The Deacons return seven starters from last year’s team including six of their top seven scorers. With the addition of eight highly regarded recruits, the Deacons should be able to fulfill the demands of a tough schedule.

The season opens with a visit to Storrs, Conn., this weekend as the Deacons take on the fourth-ranked Connecticut Huskies and the 13th-ranked St. John’s Red Storm for the first two games of the season, which should allow the team to steady its way to measure the team. This is in addition to the Atlantic Coast Conference schedule, which boasts six teams currently ranked in the top 25.

“We’re an extremely young team,” head coach Jay Vidovich said. “We feel this will be a tremendous test and we can find out about our team right now.” Vidovich said.

However, Vidovich’s dilemma last year was the huddling of other key performers in one of Vidovich’s main concerns.

“The key to this team is the health of the team. Whether it be Bobby Gehring, Kevin Wickart, or Jamal Seale, (all of whom) have missed a lot of last season or this preseason.”

Seale’s health could be especially important to the Deacons. The team leader in assists last season, Seale has exploded at the beginning of the season each of the last two years, but injuries last year limited his influence at the close of season.

Also key to the Deacons’ hopes are last year’s team leader in points, junior Chris Lonteen (7 goals, 6 assists) and leading goal scorer senior Ben Stafford (8 goals, 7 assists). While the trio should provide offense, the Deacons must improve defensively after losing three all-ACC performers last year.

Senior Brock Hippen returns as sweeper, second-year man Matt Thompson as an attacking option at a left midfield/wingback position, and sophomore Aaron Thomas as a defensive midfielder.

“Brock is playing well fulfilling his role this year, Matt Thompson is playing with much more responsibility, and Aaron Thomas is really the heart and soul of the team right now,” Vidovich said.

A question that still lingers is who will emerge for the Deacs in the net, replacing three-year starter Sean Conner.

Freshman Will Hesmer, Senior Rob Vartughian, and sophomore Brad McEachern are all competing for the job.

The Deacons expect to continue to play a possession-oriented attack but with more decisive and quick moves towards the net.

“Collectively the team must continue to be a better passing team, play a lot faster and become better at going to goal. This team has great mobility and versatility,” Vidovich said.

So far, the team has performed well winning all three of its preseason games. The Deacons defeated Greensboro College 1-0 on a goal from White. Goals from White, Lonteen, and Stafford gave the team a 3-0 win against Coastal Carolina, and a first half penalty from Lonteen, combined with a calm finish from Stafford, helped the Deacons defeat USC-Spartanburg in their last tune up match.

The Deacons’ first match at home is Friday the 8th of September against UNC-Greensboro at Spry Stadium. Game time is 7:00 PM.

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2000 Mens’ Soccer Schedule

Sept. 1  Connecticut* TBA
Sept. 2  St. John* TBA
Sept. 8  UNC Greensboro 7:30
Sept. 12  @ Liberty 5:00
Sept. 16  Virginia 7:00
Sept. 20  at UNC Wilmington 7:00
Sept. 23  South Carolina 7:00
Sept. 27  @ Davidson 6:15
Sept. 30  Maryland 7:00
Oct. 8  @ N.C. State 2:00
Oct. 10  UNC Asheville 7:00
Oct. 15  @ UNC Charlotte 3:30
Oct. 18  George Mason 7:00
Oct. 21  Clemson 7:00
Oct. 25  @ High Point 7:00
Oct. 28  @ North Carolina 7:00
Nov. 3  @ Duke 7:00
Nov. 9-11  ACC Tournament@Spry Soccer Stadium  * = Nike-Huskie Classic @ Storrs, Connecticut home games in bold

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Senior Ben Stafford looks to have his work cut out for him as he looks to keep control of the ball against two USC-Spartanburg defenders. Stafford led the Deacs in goals scored a season ago.

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