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The World's Longest HalloweeM Party

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Welcome to HalloweeM XVI!

It's great to have you with us! We like to think that Chicago Area Mensa's Regional Gatherings are second to none, and we know that it is our guests, not the committee, that make it so.

A few reminders will help you to enjoy your weekend to the fullest. Take a moment to look over the following tips before diving into the details of the programs on the pages following.

How to get the most from the RG

Registration: The registration desk will be open on Friday from 3:00 to 10:00 pm; on Saturday from 7:00 am to 8:00 pm; and on Sunday from 8:00 am to 12:00 noon.

Questions: Ask anyone with a DON'T PANIC or a GHost button. If they don't know the answer, they'll know where to get it.

Name Badges: Your name badge must be worn to all functions, suites, meetings, hospitality rooms, etc. It's the only way we have of identifying the members of our group in a hotel which will have other large meetings the same weekend.

Program changes, etc.: Personal messages, program changes, and other announcements will be posted on a bulletin board in the registration area.

Meal Tickets: A ticket for each meal you ordered will be collected at the meal.

Hospitality Suites: One is for smokers; three are for non-smokers. The suites will be open most of the time during the weekend. They are located on the 9th floor of the tower (P in the elevator for Penthouse).

Feeding Frenzies: Five are scheduled at various times throughout the weekend in the hospitality suites, so check the following pages for fabulous chow-downs.

Game rooms: There are two—one for smokers (Room 2621) and one for non-smokers (Room 2620). Both rooms are available the entire weekend for informal groups wishing to play such table games as Bridge, Scrabble™, Trivial Pursuit™, Boggle™, etc. Games are supplied. Feel free to move the games from one game room to the other. On Saturday, there will be Bridge in Plaza I from 3:00 to 5:30 pm. On Sunday there will be an additional game room especially for children in Plaza I from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm.

Auction: This year's auction begins at 9:00 pm on Saturday in the Ballroom. The highest bidder for each item is the purchaser, and we will take cash or personal checks. The auction benefits the Mensa of Illinois

Scholarship Fund.

T-shirts: T-shirts are available during all registration hours: Friday—3:00 pm to 10:00 pm; Saturday—7:00 am to 8:00 pm; Sunday—8:00 am to 12:00 noon. The price is $7.00 per t-shirt.

Book Sale: Leave your donation of used books, videotapes, or audio tapes in Plaza II or in the registration area after 3:00 pm on Friday. The books will be sold in Plaza II on Friday from 4:00 to 9:00 pm, on Saturday from 10:00 am to 7:00 pm, and on Sunday from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon. Take advantage of some undisputed bargains! Proceeds go to the Mensa of Illinois scholarship fund.

Adults only: Some sessions may contain explicit and adult material. Admission to those events will be restricted.

Smoking: No smoking in seminar sessions.

Alcohol and Youth: Illinois law, Ramada rules, and Chicago Area Mensa policies are both unforgiving and strict about no alcoholic beverages for minors. Please do not be insulted if you are asked for proof of age. Also, although you may provide your children with alcoholic drinks at home, you will not be free to do the same at HalloweeM XVI. Adherence to this rule has been stressed to all Hospitality GHosts.

Food and Beverages: Please help us obey hotel policy. Food and beverages must remain in the hospitality suites. No food or beverages may be taken into the seminar rooms or onto the first floor.

Hugs: Some people don't want to hug at all. Others are very selective. Pick up a suitable button at the registration desk if you are in either of these groups. Because hugging is a mutual act, it's probably wise to ask before lunging at an unlabeled person.

Volunteers: Mensa still wants and needs your help in Hospitality or at Registration. Check at those locations or with anyone wearing a DON'T PANIC button.

Icebreaker Game: With your registration materials you will find a fortune cookie. Go ahead and eat it, but save the fortune paper to play Spiel of Fortune. Each fortune paper has one word on it. Join your word with the words on other people's fortune papers to form the longest sentence you can. Look for the rules and entry form with your registration packet. Deposit your entry in the box at the registration desk. Winner(s) will be announced at the Sunday brunch, and prizes will be awarded.

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4:00 pm - 9:00 pm — Plaza II

BOOK SALE: Proceeds benefit the Mensa of Illinois scholarship fund.

5:30 pm 'til the food's gone — Penthouse

FEEDING FRENZY: Sandwich Supper. Hosted by Chicago M Reed Dunlap, this traditional build-it-yourself bonanza sandwich bar is a great way to prepare for the horrific fun ahead.

5:30 pm - 7:30 pm — Plaza III

SINGLES MIXER: Don't wait until Sunday to meet that special someone!. Come mix, learn, and, if you wish, get a special sticker for our nametag so you can be identified/can identify singles. Two programs within the mixer: "How to Flirt" and "Rotate the Hollow Fused-Silica Container." See descriptions below.

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm — Salon A

MEET THE RVC: Come by and say "Hi" and "Happy Birthday" to newly- elected Region 4 Vice Chairman Russ Washburne. Share your thoughts on what Mensa *can* be and how we can get there.

6:00 pm - 8:00 pm — Salon D

LOVE SIG: How do you get love as a force to enrich your life? Come explore the possibilities with Chicago M Walter Darson, Love SIG Coordinator.

6:00 pm - 6:30 pm — Plaza III

HOW TO FLIRT: Although we're running this during the Singles Mixer, everyone is welcome to hear Chicago M Robin Carkhuff enlighten us about this age- old art that, if we do it right, we can practice right into old age! If your spouse or S.O. suggests you might be interested in this program—TAKE THE HINT!

6:30 pm - 7:30 pm — Plaza III

ROTATE THE HOLLOW FUSED-SILICA CONTAINER: Or, for the older generation/less technically inclined—Spin the Bottle. Although this is running during the Singles Mixer, all are invited. Come see if it's as much fun as you remember. Alabama M Gordon Cross leads the way.

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6:30 pm - 8:00 pm — Plaza IV

SEXYG FABULOUS FISHBOWL FORUM: Chicago M John Lee Bingham will lead a discovery trek into the different worlds of men and women. Will we learn enough to stop being mystified and learn to enjoy our differences? **ADULTS ONLY.** NOTE: No participants will be admitted after 6:40 pm.

7:00 pm - 11:00 pm — Plaza I

WHAT'S IN THE CARDS FOR YOU?: Chicago M Janet Berres, a 17-year veteran tarot card reader and college lecturer on the subject, and other experts in matters of the occult will be available for consultations. ($10 cash fee required, payable to the card reader.) NOTE: Please pick up a numbered ticket outside Plaza I beginning at 6:45 pm to ensure your turn for a reading. The current number being read will be posted outside Plaza I at all times so participants can determine when their numbers are called.

7:15 pm - 7:30 pm — Penthouse

HELL'S Ms: This is a meeting for current and potential Hell's Ms. What's it all about? PARTYING!! Don't forget the vote for Party Animal on Sunday—the winner will be announced at Sunday brunch.

8:00 pm - 9:00pm — Plaza III

MORE MUSIC FOR THE BEDROOM: Chicago M Alexis Jump promises to (re)introduce you to music for the bedroom. Discover the power of music in spicing up your romantic life. **ADULTS ONLY.**

8:00 pm - 1:00 am — Salons A-D

COSTUME PARTY/DJ DANCE: DJ Jay Congdon of WMAQ and Chicago Mensa presents the music. Don't miss the costume parade at 10:00 pm emceed by Jay Congdon and Ethel Grene. Prizes will be awarded for the best costumes. Cash bar.

11:00 pm 'til the food's gone — Penthouse

FEEDING FRENZY: Ice Cream Social. Chocolate decadence, turtle sundae, and all sorts of lively, almost sinful treats. All this and more awaits you (all calories have been removed especially for the occasion!).

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11:30 pm - ? — Penthouse

50's-60's FOLK/POP HOOTENANNY: Join Chicago M Larry Leeb for a hootenanny (sing-along). Some songbooks will be available, but you are encouraged to bring along your own music to share. No audition required, so regardless of your musical talent, bring your voice—and guitar, if you have one.

12:00 midnight - ? — Plaza I

THE GREAT CARNELLI CHALLENGE: Play the title game created by Washington D.C. Ms Jan Carnell and Jim Lange. Chicago M Carol Mason will teach you how to link words, plots, authors from literature, music and movies in this fun, fast-paced word association game. Carol will be the arbitrary, capricious, and absolutely final judge. Try it—or try it again.

✶✶✶ Saturday, October 26, 1991 ✶✶✶

8:00 am - 10:00 am — Penthouse

FEEDING FRENZY: Bagel Breakfast. Join Chicago M Claire Pieterek for this traditional HalloweeM way to breakfast. Join her for bagels, muffins, and more.

9:00 am - 10:00 am — Salon A

MORNING EXERCISE WITH SKINNER: All right you maggots, get moving or I'll... (oops, that was the Marine Corps program which was cancelled for lack of interest). Dayton Area M Skinner will lead a friendly, move-at-your-own-pace, get- the-blood-flowing-for-another-day-at-HalloweeM program with mixed impact/non- aerobic stretching and exercises.

9:00 am - 10:00 am — Salon B

TIME TRAVEL—THE ULTIMATE CLUB MED VACATION?: Michigan M Holly Sadow, national coordinator of the Time Travel SIG, invites neophytes and veterans to the subject to join in the fun.

9:00 am - 10:00 am — Salon C

SELF PSYCHOANALYTICAL VALUE OF CARTOONS: Chicago M Al Potter uses cartoons from three continents to show how laughter triggered by cartoons can reveal repressed emotions. To be examined are the male ego, the female image, and the interaction of the two. Come see yourself in the funny papers.

9:00 am - 10:00 am — Salon D

NOW WHAT MOVIE IS THAT TUNE FROM?: Chicago M Bob Finnegan challenges you—for fun and prizes—to name the movie which goes with the music he'll play.

9:00 am - 12:00 noon — Press Room

MENSA PROCTORED TEST: Prospective members are invited to take the Mensa qualifying test. $25 fee. Test begins promptly. **YOU MUST BE ON TIME.** No latecomers will be admitted. All materials supplied by the test proctor. Think clearly, and good luck!

10:00 am - 11:00 — Salon A

WHOSE LIFE IS THIS, ANYWAY?: Explore the puzzlement of advanced medical technology versus quality of life. Don Shaw of the Hemlock Society of Illinois will try to guide us through the legal/medical/personal morass of active/passive euthanasia, life support systems, and how to plan so others will follow *your* wishes.

10:00 am - 11:00 am — Salon B

LIVING SAFELY IN A DANGEROUS WORLD: The FBI says a crime is committed every two seconds. How to avoid becoming a statistic is the purpose of Citizens Against Crime, an organization dedicated to educating the public in practical, every-day ways to avoid becoming a crime victim. Avoiding the subject will not make you any safer—knowledge will. (Safety items will be available for purchase at this workshop.)

10:00 am - 11:00 am — Salon C

TRANSFORMATIONAL COUNSELING: Chicago M Joseph Mill will discuss the role of metaphor in counseling and personal growth and how to evaluate your therapist or choose one. There will also be discussion on the use of metaphor in Gestalt therapy, neuro-linguistic programming, and hypnotherapy.

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10:00 am - 11:00 am — Salon D

COME SHOW YOUR CLASS(ICAL MUSIC KNOWLEDGE): Chicago M Howard Wachtel has devised a quiz to test just how classical your musical knowledge is. Fun for all—prizes for the winners.

10:00 am - 11:00 am — Plaza I

THE ART IN HEART: Developing a sense of the importance of enjoying art in our lives is a lifelong quest. Darch Clampitt, artist and art teacher for gifted children, will use slides and other media to help us learn to encourage our children and ourselves in enjoying art. No grades! No public displays! Come to explore. Spectators OK, too.

10:00 am - 7:00 pm — Plaza II

BOOK SALE: Proceeds benefit the Mensa of Illinois scholarship fund.

10:00 am - 11:30 am — Plaza III

FIENDISH ARMCHAIR TREASURE HUNT: Or, How many chairs can Mensans hunt if Mensans can hunt chairs? So, it's Mensa-caliber competition you want, eh ducky? Come join a team to solve rebus-type clues—goal: be the first to identify geographical locales. The only rule for the hunt is "Revere the Judges." Cheating and judge-bribing are not only allowed, but encouraged (this IS Chicago!!). Developed by Chicago Ms Jay Smith and Ray Martin (who are, coincidentally, the judges).

10:00 am - 11:00 am — Plaza IV

YOU CAN GET BLOOD OUT OF TURNIP: Think you have no creativity? Mensa First Vice Chairman Darlene Criss not only will prove you wrong, but you will be more creative at the end of this hour! Optional audience participation.

11:00 am - 12:00 noon — Salon A

ALTERED STATES—NLP: Too bad our brains didn't come with a user's manual, but Neuro-Linguistic Programming concepts provide the next best thing. Join Chicago Ms Jan and Bob Bennett for an introductory look at the ever-changing field of NLP—a field whose foundation is the modeling of excellence.

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11:00 am - 12:00 noon — Salon B

SCOTTISH FOLK DANCING How far can a Highlander *really* fling? Enjoy a demonstration by this colorful, costumed, and energetic group.

11:00 am - 12:00 noon — Salon C

BIBLICAL PROPHESY AND ITS FULFILLMENT IN CURRENT WORLD AFFAIRS: Chicago M Ron Shea invites us to take a fresh look at turbulent world events.

11:00 am - 12:00 noon — Salon D

FRACTURED ENGLISH TRAVELING ROAD SHOW: Minnesota M Gordon Andersen and the Save Our Tongue Society (SOTS) return with a humorous plea for better communication. This "bloopers" show will be fair warning as to why we should speak carefully and carry a big dictionary!

12:00 noon - 1:00 pm — Ballroom

LUNCHEON: Enjoy a delicious light lunch and stimulating conversation with old and new friends. (Prepaid meal ticket necessary.)

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm — Ballroom

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: The Job Market and the Intelligent Employee: How to Find (and Keep) Your Job. Happy with your job and want to make sure you're a survivor in this crazy job market? Hate your job and want to find a new one? Don't have a job and want to find THE JOB...or even A JOB? Is that your problem, bunky?

Well, John Challenger, Vice President of Sales for Challenger, Gray & Christmas, will discuss how to conduct a successful job search, strategies for strengthening your position with your current employer, and how to avoid the pitfalls which may put you back into the job search market against your will. He will address the issue of how to make your high-IQ work *for* you instead of *against* you.

Challenger, Gray & Christmas originated the outplacement firm: its clients include 70 percent of Fortune 500 companies. John Challenger holds an undergraduate degree in history from Harvard University and has eight years' experience in the outplacement/employment field.

Note: You don't need a meal ticket to attend.

The Program at a Glance—Pull-out Section

Friday, October 26

4:00 pm, Plaza II, **BOOK SALE**
5:30 pm, Penthouse, **FEEDING FRENZY**
5:30 pm, Plaza III, **SINGLES MIXER**
6:00 pm, Salon A, **MEET THE RVC**
6:00 pm, Salon D, **LOVE SIG**
6:00 pm, Plaza III, **HOW TO FLIRT**
6:30 pm, Plaza III, **ROTATE THE HOLLOW...**
6:30 am, Plaza IV, **SEXYG FABULOUS FISHBOWL FORUM**
7:00 pm, Plaza I, **WHAT'S IN THE CARDS?**
7:15 pm, Penthouse, **HELL'S Ms**
8:00 pm, Plaza III, **MORE MUSIC FOR THE BEDROOM**
8:00 pm, Salons A-D, **COSTUME PARTY/DJ DANCE**
11:00 pm, Penthouse, **FEEDING FRENZY**
11:30 pm, Penthouse, **HOOTENANNY**
12:00 am, Plaza I, **CARNELLI GAME**

Saturday, October 26

8:00 am, Penthouse, **FEEDING FRENZY**
9:00 am, Salon A, **MORNING EXERCISE**
9:00 am, Salon B, **TIME TRAVEL**
9:00 am, Salon C, **CARTOONS...**
9:00 am, Salon D, **MOVIE QUIZ**
9:00 am, Press Room, **MENSA PROCTORED TEST**
10:00 am, Salon A, **WHOSE LIFE IS IT?**
10:00 am, Salon B, **LIVING SAFELY...**
10:00 am, Salon C, **TRANSFORMATIONAL COUNSELING**
10:00 am, Salon D, **CLASSICAL MUSIC QUIZ**
10:00 am, Plaza I, **THE ART IN HEART**
10:00 am, Plaza II, **BOOK SALE**
10:00 am, Plaza III, **FIENDISH ARMCHAIR TREASURE HUNT**
10:00 am, Plaza IV, **CREATIVITY**
11:00 am, Salon A, **ALTERED STATES—NLP**
11:00 am, Salon B, **SCOTTISH FOLK DANCING**
11:00 am, Salon C, **BIBLICAL PROPHESY...**
11:00 am, Salon D, **FRACTURED ENGLISH ROAD SHOW**
Noon, Ballroom, **LUNCHEON**
1:00 pm, Ballroom, **KEYNOTE SPEAKER**
2:00 pm, Salon C, **CHICAGO QUIZ COMPETITION**
2:00 pm, Salon D, **DECADENCE**
2:00 pm, Plaza I, **SMASHING WRITER'S BLOCK**
2:00 pm, Plaza III, **CAN YOU DIG IT?**
2:00 pm, Plaza IV, **HOW TO STRIP FOR YOUR MAN**
3:00 pm, Penthouse, **SOUTH SUBURBAN GET-TOGETHER**
3:00 pm, Salons A-B, **MASSAGE WORKSHOP**
3:00 pm, Plaza II, **NOT SO SERIOUS BRIDGE**
3:00 pm, Plazas III-IV, **AUSTRALIA**
6:00 pm, Ballroom, **COCKTAILS**
7:00 pm, Ballroom, **DINNER BANQUET**
9:00 pm, Ballroom, **AUCTION**
9:30 pm, Ballroom, **DANCE**
10:00 pm, Salon D, **BIZARRE SEXUAL PRACTICES...**
11:00 pm, Plazas III-IV, **JOKE-OFF**
Midnight, Penthouse, **FEEDING FRENZY**

Room	AM 9-10	AM 10-11	AM 11-12	PM 12-1	PM 1-2	PM 2-3	PM 3-4	PM 4-5	PM 5-6	PM 6-7	PM 7-8	PM 8-9	PM 9-10	PM 10-11	PM 11-12	AM 12-1
Foyer	<=7:00 REGISTRATION															
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Pent-house	<-Feed Frenzy						South Suburban								Feeding Frenzy	
Salon A	Morning Exercise	Whose Life?	NLP				Massage Demon-stration	I N T M	Massage Practice							
Salon B	Time Travel	Living Safely	Scottish Dancing													
Salon C	Cartoons	Transf. Couns.	Biblical Prophesy				Quiz Bowl									
Salon D	Movie Quiz	Music Quiz	Fract. English			Deca-dence								Bizarre Practice		
Plaza I		The Art in Heart				Writer Workshop	Not so serious Bridge									
Plaza II		BOOK SALE	BOOK SALE	BOOK SALE	BOOK SALE	BOOK SALE										
Plaza III		Armchair Treasurehunt				Can You Dig It?	Australia Slide Show							Joke		
Plaza IV		Crea-tivity				How to Strip								Off		
D-22	Mensa Proctored Test															
Ball-room				Lunch-eon	Keynote Speaker					Cock-tails	Dinner	Aw-ards	Auc-tion	Dance		

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1991

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1991

Room	AM 9-10	AM 10-11	AM 11-12	PM 12-1	PM 1-2	PM 2-3	PM 3-4	PM 4-5	PM 5-6	PM 6-7	PM 7-8	PM 8-9	PM 9-10	PM 10-11	PM 11-12	AM 12-1
Foyer						REGISTRATION DESK OPEN										
Pent-house							Feeding Frenzy	Hell Ms							Feeding Frenzy & Hootenanny	
Salon A							Meet the RVC						Costume Party		Costume Parade 10 PM	
Salon B																
Salon C																
Salon D							Love SIG								Dance	
Plaza I													Tarot Card Readings - First come basis			Carnelli
Plaza II						BOOK SALE	BOOK SALE	BOOK SALE	BOOK SALE	BOOK SALE						
Plaza III									Singles Mixer//How to flirt/rot. cyl.							
Plaza IV										Sexyy Fish-bowl Forum						
Plaza III													Music Bedroom			
Press Room																
Ball-room																

Sunday, October 27

8:00 am, Penthouse, **MORNING SNACK**
9:00 am, Salon A, **YO YO'S**
9:00 am, Salon B, **MOVIE FLUBS**
9:00 am, Plaza I, **GAME ROOM**
10:00 am, Salon B, **SUPERQUEST**
10:00 am, Salon C, **FIGHT CITY HALL**
10:00 am, Plaza II, **BOOK SALE**
11:00 am, Ballroom, **BRUNCH**
Noon, Penthouse, **FEEDING FRENZY**
Noon, Salon A, **ADOPTING A NON-INFANT**
Noon, Salon B, **CHICAGO STORY**
1:00 pm, Salon A, **ORIGAMI**
1:00 pm, Salon B, **BACKYARD TO BOONDOCKS**
2:00 pm, Salon C, **STORYTELLING**

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1991

Room	AM 9-10	AM 10-11	AM 11-12	PM 12-1	PM 1-2	PM 2-3
Foyer	<=8:00 REGISTRATION DESK OPEN					
Pent-house	<=8:00 Snack			Feeding Frenzy		
Salon A	Yo-Yos			Adoption	Origami	
Salon B	Movie Flubs	Super Quest		Chicago History	Travel	
Salon C		Govt & GCs				Story-telling
Salon D						
Plaza I	Game Room		Game Room	Game Room		Game Room
Plaza II		BOOK SALE	BOOK SALE			
Ball-room			Brunch			

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2:00 pm - 5:00 pm — Salon C

CHICAGO QUIZBOWL: Is "Jeopardy" your idea of fun? Did you wish "College Bowl" was still on the air? Do you just *love* to get the answers before everyone else—even when there's no prize? If so, then this Quizbowl is for you. Pick up a rules sheet and entry form at the registration table, get together a winning four-person team, then deposit the completed entry in the box at the registration table.

Teams must be entered by **NOON SATURDAY**.

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm — Salon D

DECADENCE: A zany, audience-participation game challenges two teams of four to solve a mystery. Crank up your sense of adventure to join a team—or just come to watch the fun!

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm — Plaza I

SMASHING WRITER'S BLOCK: A workshop on how to jump-start your brain and begin writing. Chicago M Donna Bocian, coordinator for the national Writers' SIG, is presenting some sure-fire ways to start those words flowing.

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm — Plaza III

CAN YOU DIG IT?: Chicago Ms and amateur archaeologists Dave Fuller and Jean Adams discuss the joys of discovery. Using slides, they will take you on actual digs, discuss the where, what, why—and, most important, how *you* can join the fun. Discussion period.

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm — Plaza IV

HOW TO STRIP FOR YOUR MAN: For women only. Always wanted to see if you have the talent? The nerve? This participation/demonstration workshop is locked door/women only for friendly good fun. Add some spice to your life! Chicago M Mary Jane Tala leads the way.

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm — Penthouse

SOUTH SUBURBAN (CHICAGO) GET-TOGETHER: Here's a chance for south- siders to decide what they want to do, when, where, how, and maybe even why!?!?

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3:00 pm - 6:00 pm — Salons A-B

MASSAGE WORKSHOP: Dayton Area M Skinner returns with one of the most popular RG programs, a two-part workshop to teach techniques of pleasant, relaxing, non-therapeutic, non-sexual massage.

The workshop will be done in two parts. The first will be an introduction to the elements of massage and a demonstration of the basic strokes (3:00 - 4:30 pm). The second part will be a clothing-optional massage practice (4:40 - 6:00 pm). Doors will be locked for privacy. There is an intermission from 4:30 to 4:40 pm. Please bring a towel.

3:00 pm - 5:30 pm — Plaza II

NOT SO SERIOUS BRIDGE: Chicago M Candis King will host a bridge party for beginners and up. Kibbitzers are welcome, too. "Tournament" is limited to the first 40 who sign up. NOTE: This room will stay set up for bridge in the evening, too.

3:00 pm - 5:00 pm — Plazas III-IV

AUSTRALIA—A LAND OF WONDER: All new! For those multitudes who enjoyed Chicago M Cynthia Clampitt's last slide and narrative program—come see the new. For first-timers, some see what you've been missing.

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm — Ballroom

COCKTAILS: Enjoy your favorite libations at the cash bar.

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm — Ballroom

DINNER BANQUET: Partake of a sumptuous dinner with old and new friends. (Prepaid meal tickets required.) **AWARDS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS** follow dinner (they begin at 8:30).

9:00 pm - 9:30 pm — Ballroom

AUCTION: An autographed Chicago Bears hat, autographed White Sox pictures, an autographed book by Sara Paretsky, theatre tickets, and other items of interest will be auctioned. Proceeds will benefit the Mensa of Illinois scholarship fund.

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9:30 pm - 1:00 am — Ballroom

DANCE: Music provided by Fourth Estate Audio. Dancing provided by you.

10:00 pm - 11:00 pm — Salon D

BIZARRE SEXUAL PRACTICES AMONG ANIMALS: Well, you didn't thing Hugh Hefner was one of a kind, did you? Chicago M Bob Finnegan will take us on a humorous survey of our furred and feathered friends' more "interesting" habits. **ADULTS ONLY.**

11:00 pm - ? — Plazas III-IV

JOKE-OFF: A Chicago Mensa tradition. Bring your favorite joke—rib-ticklers or groaners— and have a very punny time. Master emcee and Chicago M Dennis Salazar returns to oversee the best competition in the Midwest!

12:00 midnight 'til the food runs out — Penthouse

FEEDING FRENZY: Vegetarian feast provided by Chicago M Joe Dunphy. Stop by to experience a vegetarian feast designed to intrigue the novice and satisfy the experienced vegetarian. A new taste treat added to this year's HalloweeM.

✶✶✶ Sunday, October 27, 1991 ✶✶✶

8:00 am - 10:00 am — Penthouse

MORNING SNACK: Bagels and More. For those early risers, or a before-bed snack. Bagels, muffins, juice, and more.

9:00 am - 10:00 am — Salon A

WALK THE DOG...ROCK THE BABY...FEAR NO MAN!: Through the ancient art of yo-yo-do you can achieve the power to impress friends, small children, and attractive members of the opposite sex. Learn the basics from Rev. C. N. "Bhuck" Windstrom, a SubGenial priest who studied under master FuLung in the Philippines until his family was expelled from that country in 1984. Come prepared to sling yo. Either bring your own, or you can purchase one at the workshop.

9:00 am - 10:00 am — Salon B

FRANKLY MY DAMN, I DON'T GIVE A DEAR!: Uh-oh. Even our most cherished movie treasures often had major errors. Chicago M Bob Finnegan will take us on a merry video romp through big-budget boo-boos, including *Gone With The Wind* and *Star Wars*.

9:00 am - 3:00 pm — Plaza I

GAME ROOM: Board games and the like are available for children to play (games like Stop Thief!). This is a separate event from the Games Rooms.

10:00 am - 11:00 am — Salon B

SUPERSTUDENTS SEEK TIME ON SUPERCOMPUTERS THROUGH SUPERCOMPETITION: Dave Workman from the Illinois Math and Science Academy will discuss Superquest—a national high school team competition. The winning team is awarded time on a supercomputer to solve the problem they have posed. Come enjoy examples from the best and the brightest.

10:00 am - 11:00 am — Salon C

GOVERNMENT AND GIFTED CHILDREN—YOU CAN FIGHT CITY HALL: New York M Roger Herz teaches us strategies and tactics. Strengthen your allies, neutralize your enemies, win support from people in the middle. Questions welcome.

✶✶✶ Sunday, October 27, 1991 ✶✶✶

10:00 am - 12:00 noon — Plaza II

BOOK SALE: Proceeds benefit the Mensa of Illinois scholarship fund.

11:00 am - 12:00 noon — 9th Floor Ballroom

BRUNCH: Partake of a sumptuous brunch and say goodbye to old and new friends. (Prepaid meal tickets required.) Announcements will be made following the brunch.

12:00 noon - 1:00 pm — Penthouse

FEEDING FRENZY: The subs have landed! A flotilla of six-foot submarine sandwiches has docked in hospitality, so bring an empty stomach. (Included in the registration price for HalloweeM Sunday.)

12:00 noon - 1:00 pm — Salon A

ADOPTING A NON-INFANT: Many people are looking beyond infants when choosing new family members. Here's a look at who's available and why, what kinds of parents the placements agencies seek, what types of medical & counseling aids are provided by the state and for how long—plus an opportunity to ask questions.

12:00 noon - 1:00 pm — Salon B

CHICAGO—MORE THAN GANGSTERS, MORE THAN TALL BUILDINGS: Chicago M John Lee Bingham takes you on a tour of a Chicago you may never have heard of or seen—whether you're a native or a visitor.

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm — Salon A

ORIGAMI: Didja ever wonder how anyone could take a flat sheet of paper and make all those wonderful objects, animals and flowers? This is your chance to find out under the caring tutelage of Indiana M Joanne Ortman. Supplies supplied!

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm — Salon B

FROM BACKYARD TO BOONDOCKS: Open eyes and open minds open up a world of wonder no matter where you travel. Join Chicago M Cynthia Clampitt for another fascinating slide show.

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2:00 pm - 3:00 pm — Salon C

STORYTELLING: Chicago M Marty Zwart will demonstrate the secrets of good storytelling. Participants are then encouraged to try out their own skills in a warm, supportive atmosphere.

HalloweeM XVI Committee

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Saturday Morning	Claire Pieterek
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Program & other written materials (October)	Stacey Kirsch
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