

THE EDMONTON OPTIMIST CLUB

PROUDLY PRESENT



Hootenanny Sing Out

Thursday April 16th
Jubilee Auditorium

"friend of the boy"



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Edmonton Optimist Hootenanny

Northern Alberta Jubilee Auditorium

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PROGRAMME

OPENING

1. The Merry Men
2. Hans Stamer
3. Pat Max
4. Cellar Dwellers

INTERMISSION

5. Vern Ray
6. The Hermits
7. Joni Anderson
8. Kopala Trio

GRAND FINALE

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Joni Anderson



Joni Anderson's interest in Folk-Music began last winter while working in the Louis Riel Coffee House in Saskatoon. Here, while listening to the entertainers on and off stage, Joni decided that she wanted to be more than just a passive folk-addict and in March purchased a ten dollar ukelele. A month later she bought the baritone uke and at the present time plays a classical guitar. By August of the year, Joni's accompaniment, although still very elementary, was sufficient for her to be asked to do a half hour T.V. show in Prince Rupert. Joni says, "My Mother was mortified, my Father indifferent, while I was petrified."

Besides playing in Saskatoon, Joni has played in Calgary in the newly opened Depression. Here, she feels is where she really began. Her accompaniment took great advances under the guidance of fellow singers and her voice developed greater power. She has played in several Allied Art Centre Hootenannys sponsored by CFAC, the U. of A. Hoot, which was video-taped, private banquets, at the Press Club, a local hotel and is now at a new club which has opened called the "Folk and Blues". While in Edmonton, Joni has played the Yardbird Suite and expresses her thanks to the very appreciative audience found there.



The Optimist Creed

Promise Yourself . . .

- To** be so strong that nothing can disturb your peace of mind.
- To** talk health, happiness and prosperity to every person you meet.
- To** make all your friends feel that there is something in them.
- To** look at the sunny side of everything and make your optimism come true.
- To** think only of the best, to work only for the best and expect only the best.
- To** be just as enthusiastic about the success of others as you are about your own.
- To** forget the mistakes of the past and press on to the greater achievements of the future.
- To** wear a cheerful countenance at all times and give every living creature you meet a smile.
- To** give so much time to the improvement of yourself that you have no time to criticize others,
- To** be too large for worry, too noble for anger, too strong for fear and too happy to permit the presence of trouble.