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The Watermelon Music Series

Patriotic organ music on tap July 5

RANGELEY — The Church of the Good Shepherd the first in its the second annual series of summer musical events, The Watermelon Music Series.

Sunday, July 5, beginning at 6 p.m. the church will present Stars and Stripes, a concert of Patriotic Songs performed on the powerful church organ by Robert Ludwig, full-time Organist and Choirmaster at Garden City's (N.Y.) Cathedral of the Incarnation where he is also a full-time teacher.

In addition to his work as a choral director and solo organist, Ludwig is widely recognized for his expertise as an accompanist, with collaborations including world-renowned classical instrumentalists and singers, Broadway revues, world class choirs and students.

The concert is free; donations will be accepted for the church's music and outreach programs.

Meet the artist at a Wine and Watermelon Reception in the Undercroft of the Church following the concert.

Oquossoc Days coming

OQUOSSOC — For those planning ahead, Oquossoc Day is Saturday, Aug. 22 and its boat parade theme is Harvest in August/Halloween. Call Linda Sikes at 491-6566 for boat parade info.

Anyone planning to attend the potluck dinner beginning at 5 p.m. is asked to call Joanne Koob at 864-5584 or Joann Bean at 864-2284 and tell them what they will be bringing.

For general information about Oquossoc Days, call Deb White at 864-2330.

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The cast of "Crazy for You," which will be performed July 4 to 7 at Lakeside Theater. (Submitted photo)

'Crazy for You' comes to Rangeley

RANGELEY — The Rangeley Friends of the Arts production of "Crazy For You" will be held at the Lakeside Theater each evening July 4 through 7.

"Crazy For You" is the story of Bobby Child, a well-to-do 1930s playboy, whose dream in life is to dance. And despite the serious efforts of his mother and soon-to-be-ex-fiancée, he achieves his dream. The musical is a high energy comedy which includes mistaken identity, plot twists, fabulous dance numbers and classic Gershwin music.

The show includes very familiar tunes like: "Shall We Dance," "I've Got Rhythm," "Bidin' My Time," "Embraceable You," "Tonight's The Night" and many, many more. The book was written by Ken Ludwig, based partly on the Gershwin musical, "Girl Crazy" with music by George Gershwin and lyrics by Ira Gershwin.

This RFA Production will be held July 4 to 7, at 7 p.m. at Lakeside Theater. Tickets (\$15) are available at the Rangeley Lakes Chamber of Commerce, 864-5364.

COUNTRY MUSIC COMES TO SADDLEBACK

RANGELEY — Beginning in July, Saddleback Maine is launching a Summer Country Music Concert Series. The concerts will be held in its post-and-beam Base Lodge in an intimate setting with seating for only 200 people.

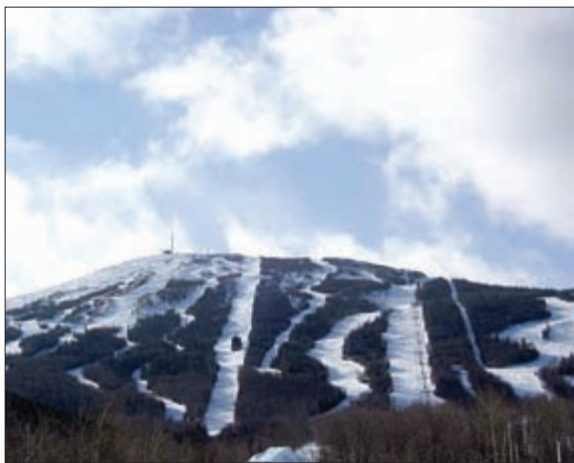
Pre-concert dinner reservations are available from 5:30

to 7 p.m. The menu will feature Saddleback Country Style Barbecue, with a wide variety of dining options available with a wide range of prices.

Concert tickets range from \$30 to \$50 and are sold

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