

FEBRUARY AT THE PALACE

A LIVE, MIXED MEDIA SHOWCASE

On this past November first, a preliminary planning session was hosted, at Lasermedia by Joan Collins, for our showcase meeting at "The Palace" in Hollywood. This event is scheduled for February 12, 1985. It is suggested that we will be co-hosts and producers with the Visual Music Alliance and the Independent Composers Association. Lasermedia will provide "The Palace" facility and laser equipment and technology. Tickets are proposed to be in the \$8.50-10.00 range.

The purpose of this first meeting was to generate a feeling of direction and to explore the resources which will be brought to this endeavor. Some highlights: media discussed include chromatic music display, live dance and dance with real-time computer animated chroma-key display. Other performances could include contemporary state-of-the-art experimental music, live interactive video, live as well as recorded computer video animation, computer graphics display and, of course, lasers.

Should be quite an exhibit! We have drawn many volunteers from the creative fields mentioned above as well as film, video and laserdisk production. Students, artists and engineers round out the group (hope I didn't leave anyone out).

Another meeting will be held November 8th, at Lasermedia. Information can be obtained from Joan Collins at (213) 820-3750. More help is always needed. Similar shows I produced for the Long Beach Grand Prix required a committee of 65-80 people. So, let's get out and support this meeting. Call Joan, she is assembling a list of personnel resources. Help will be appreciated, I am sure. You don't need to be an artist, you just need enthusiasm. RANDY RANDALL.

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