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Summary:

(October 6, 2005)-In the true spirit of "Viva Las Morris," the University of Minnesota, Morris Concert Band, Concert Choir, and Alumni Concert Band will showcase their musical talents during the annual Homecoming Concert in Recital Hall of Humanities Fine Arts at 2 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 23. Directed by Dr. John Stanley Ross, the Concert Band will perform works such as Samuel Hazo's "Ride," Ticheli's "Shenandoah," and Weber's "Second Concerto for Clarinet" with student soloist Albert Stimson.

UMM alumni will return to the stage along with current UMM musicians, to perform Sousa's "University Grand March" as well as Smetana's "Fanfares from Lisbuse." Carl Orff's masterwork, "Carmina Burana" will follow, featuring soprano soloist Alison Scherzer along with the UMM Concert Choir, led by Dr. Kenneth Hodgson. The final selection will feature all ensembles in a performance of the "UMM Hymn." The audience will be invited to participate.

A reception will be held in HFA following the concert. Tickets will be available at the door at the cost of \$5 for general admission and \$3 for students and seniors. Celebrate Homecoming 2005 and join the bands and choir for an enjoyable afternoon showcasing the long-standing tradition of great music at the University of Minnesota, Morris.

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