

Walker Center plans program

Walker Art Center will present the first of four programs of "Poetry on the West Bank" at 9 p.m. Tuesday at the Guild for Performing Arts, 504 Cedar Av.

Keating will give poetry, song show

"When I Was a Boy with Never a Crack in My Heart," a one-man show of poetry and song featuring Minnesota Theatre Company actor Charles Keating, will be presented at 8 p.m. Thursday at the Minneapolis Public Library.

Keating's program will include poetry by Yeats, John Masefield, Wilfred Owens and Dylan Thomas, and complementary songs.

Reading their works Tuesday will be Robert Bly, Minnesota poet who won the 1968 National Book Award for verse, and Keith Gunderson. Bly, who lives in Madison, Minn., most recently published "The Light Around the Body." Gunderson is an associate professor of Philosophy at the University of Minnesota, and has had verse printed by numerous magazines.

Poets who will appear later in the series are Michael Kincaid and Roy McBride, Feb. 10; Garrison Keillor, Robin Raygor and Greg Bitz, Feb. 19; and John Caddy and Michael Tjepkes, Feb. 26.

Admission to all programs will be free.