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University Fieldhouse

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April twentieth

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JOSEPH HAYDN

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2. Free as sun, green round their eyes, Soar, proud serene eagle of the mind.
3. Alma Mater, thine glory, In thought and learning,

Pride we feel and love yet greater, While we raise our grainful song.
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