

NOTES TO REMEMBER



Daytona Beach
symphony
GUILD

Upcoming Guild Meeting
February 6, 2017
9:30 AM Social
10:00 AM Meeting
St. James Episcopal Church
38 S. Halifax Drive
Ormond Beach, FL

OUR MISSION: To promote community awareness, contribute to the Symphony Society's financial strength, and provide volunteer support to the Symphony Society and the world-class music it presents.

FEBRUARY 2017

Sat. Feb. 25th
Masterpiece Jewelers

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President's Message

Things I Know:

Think good/positive thoughts

Say nice things

Do well for others

Everything (positive/negative) comes back to you!

I hope each of you is experiencing a wonderful beginning of 2017. I am particularly encouraged as this New Year brings opportunities to renew and rewrite how we perceive others as well as ourselves. As I reflect on the end of 2016, I am proud of all the Guild members who hosted, planned, organized and coordinated sundry Guild fundraising events and Parties of Note. And I am sure that most of us would agree that the December Party of Note was no exception to our usual excellent standards. The "Winter Interlude" at Chez Jacqueline Boutique was enjoyed by many and what a great way to begin our Holiday shopping. Many thanks and kudos to Karen Wolford and Beverly Senko!

I am sending a very special thank you to Mary Anne Singer, Publicity Chair, Christine Gerhardt and Tracy Marino for the bookmarks. This was a unique and creative idea as another tool for us to use to get the names of the Guild and Symphony Society in the public's eye.

Well, Guild family, we are finally finished with the re-writing of the Guild Brochure and will be sending for final printing during the next week or so. This process took some time as we wanted to ensure an accurate representation of the Guild.

Lucy Jackman and Anne Evans created a substantive initial foundation on which to build upon. And so, we hope you are generous with understanding that our promise for a December distribution was not realized.

Thank you to each of you who brought donated non-perishable food items to St. James Episcopal Church's food pantry. Your donations were essential to the replenishing and the re-stocking of the pantry. Many families were able to provide nutrition to their love ones in-part due to your generous donations.

In closing, I am pleased with our past efforts toward achieving our financial goal and promise to the Symphony Society, and am encouraged and optimistic as we move forward with Parties of Note, Excursions, Spring Luncheon and Special Events. Thank you for your past and continued support. We cannot be successful without each of you!

I wish each of you blessings, peace and grace as we begin this 2017.

A "soft" reminder:

9:30 – 10:00AM... Social Time
10:00 – 11:00AM... Business Meeting
11:00 – 11:30AM... Purchase
PON's/Excursion's; connect with
friends & bathroom break
11:30 – 12:00PM ...Program Sanctuary

I look forward to greeting you at our February 6, 2017, monthly meeting.

In Good Spirit,

Gerri

Send newsletter items to:

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csgrogg@aol.com

The March 6, 2017 Guild meeting is by reservation only as this meeting includes lunch for Guild members! Any member planning to attend the March meeting is asked to reserve his/her space for the Lunch Meeting on the "Reservation" form at the February 6, 2017 meeting. Please remember, the March 6th meeting is for Guild Members Only; No Visitors! Thank You for Your Cooperation.

Let the "Fun"draising Begin

Lucy Jackman, *Fundraising*

SPECIAL EVENTS

MUSIC APPRECIATION WORKSHOPS

Wed. February 22 - Classical Music of the Baroque Period

Wed. March 1 - Classical Period

Wed. March 8 - Romantic Period, 20th Century Classical Music and Opera(Ernie Murphy)

The workshops will be held from 10:00 to 12:30 at the Westminster Presbyterian Church in South Daytona. Free parking is available and refreshments and a light lunch will be served.

Explore culture as in Classical music and Opera with Dr. Dallas and Nancy Weekley, and Dr. Ernie Murphy. The Weekly s will be discussing the music genre along with playing various examples. Dr. Murphy is a retired Stetson professor along with being a tenor.

Come along and enjoy these workshops. The cost is **\$50 per workshop or \$125 for all three.**

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We are the longest running classical music organization in Volusia County, made possible with the fundraising help of the Symphony Guild. Are you part of this fundraising effort?

Historical Factoid:

During the Oct. 21, 1959 meeting, it was suggested that the name of "Women's Division of the Daytona Beach Symphony Society" is too long and cumbersome. It was suggested to read, Women's Symphony Committee or Women's Committee of the Symphony Society. At this meeting a suggestion that the group should have By-Laws was discussed. It was later changed to Women's Symphony Society and By-Laws were written and accepted.

In the late 1960's the name was changed again to Daytona Symphony Guild, which has now become the Daytona Beach Symphony Guild.

Spring Luncheon and Fashion Show

Saturday, April 8th

\$40.00 per person

"Rhapsody in Blue"

At the Hilton, Daytona Beach

Auction doors open at 9:30

Luncheon at 11:30



Lucy Jackman,
VP of Fundraising



The Guild welcomes
back Yolanda

Daytona Beach
symphony
SOCIETY



Vienna Boys' Choir

Tuesday, January 31st

To Purchase Tickets:

In Person - Peabody Auditorium Box Office

Ticketmaster - 800-745-3000

Online – DBSS.org

JUST A REMINDER: A pair of prescription glasses are still waiting to be claimed from the Nov. Beaujolais Nouveau PON at the Phelps' home. Please call Sharon 441-0956 or Cheri Whiting 443 910-0519 if they are yours!! **LAST CHANCE!**

Membership News

Joan Fenton, *Membership*

New Members

NEW MEMBERS FOR THE NEW YEAR!

We are thrilled to announce that we now have 294 members in our Symphony Guild. Please welcome our four new members who joined since our December meeting.

Linda Agnew, 1368 Sunningdale Lane, Ormond Beach, FL 32174, 860-836-7656,
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Mary Jackelen, 45 Cypress Grove Lane, Ormond Beach, FL, 32174, 386-265-1728,
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Camille Sanabria, 105 Briargate Look, Ormond Beach, FL 32174, 386-872-4748, 908-705-4270,
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Wanda Wood, 944 S. Peninsula Drive # 210, Daytona Beach, FL 32118, 321-747-8120,
wonderwood74@yahoo.com

Welcome new members and we look forward to your becoming part of our Symphony Guild family.

Corey Sinkeldam announced the January double raffle of a beautiful wine/champagne basket donated by Sandy Gosch and two tickets to the Feb. 10th Bamberg Symphony Orchestra performance donated by Carol Grogg which was won by Anetta Fehlhaber.



Carol Grogg (L) & Anetta Fehlhaber (R)



December Raffle Winner

Imani Kinshasa

LAST CALL FOR DIRECTORIES-FEBRUARY 6, 2017

Please let us know if you still have not received a directory for 2016-17. We will certainly still be including directories in *the Symphony Guild Notes* binders for new members as they join. **We will be handing the 2016-17 directories out to our seasonal members for the very last time at our next meeting on February 6 since our final group of snow birds will be arriving then.** Any questions, please contact **Joan Fenton at 386-767-0667.**

SPECIAL THANKS TO MEMBERSHIP TEAM AT THE JANUARY 9, 2017 MEETING

The Membership Team arrives each meeting extra early to set up and prepare to welcome our members. Each month the chairpersons rotate their committee members and give them an opportunity to participate. One hundred nine members and friends attended the January 9, 2017 meeting and were welcomed by the membership committees below:

Name tags: Elaine Carlini-Davis and Edna Alexander

Greeters: Annemarie Schutz, Sandra Riley Sullivan, Billie Wheeler and Carol Zofko.

Directory Distribution: Lynn Hecklinger

Guest table: Emmie Beck and Ruth Bunch

New Member Table: Gisela Shafer, Valerie Norman, Nancy Tucker, Marilyn Sproge

Hostess Table for Guests and New Members: Barbara Doliner

Thanks to the January 9 membership team for helping to make our members and friends feel part of our family.

Anne Peacock-Jacobs and the Hospitality group helped us welcome all members with the tasty treats and drinks at the January 9th Meeting.



A special thanks to Francine Chorost for all the wonderful pictures

Sponsor's Corner

Sandy Gosch and Patti Gloekler

Our January Sponsor, Florida Spine Wellness Institute, was showcased at the January monthly meeting. Dr. Heather Harris provided an excellent presentation on Spinal Health. Dr. Harris and her husband Dr. Andrew Harris, practice Chiropractic medicine at 175 South Nova Road in Ormond Beach. This year is their first as Guild Sponsors.



Guild Members will be delighted to know that Sylvia Nikitas, owner of Paper Dance, will be our February Sponsor. Sylvia has been a valued Sponsor and friend of the Guild for more than 10 years. Sylvia will be showcased as a world renowned wedding stylist as well as a business owner. She will be displaying her Mary Frances evening bags and has a surprise planned for our membership.



December Holiday Sing-a-long



January Entertainment
Mark Looney and
Shirley Wang



A visit from Santa
and his Elf



Irene
Fennell
Co-chair for
PON's and
Cultural
Excursions

Correspondence

Ann Meine

Two "thinking of you" notes were sent; one to Denise Brown and the other to Pauline Brown.

PON's and Cultural Excursions

Irene Fennell and Janice Griffith

Sat. Feb. 25th Masterpiece Jewelers on 1500 Beville Road, Daytona Beach from 2-5pm. There will be raffle gifts valued from \$100 to \$150 and a 50-50 drawing which will be 20% of take from sales. Refreshments (wine, cheese and chocolates), terrific jewelry and excellent prices are yours at this event.

Tues. March 28th An All Day Event at TALBOT'S in the Trails Shopping Center, Ormond Beach with 10% of their profits for the day being graciously donated back to the Guild! So come, shop and buy your ensemble for the Spring Luncheon !!

Thur. March 30th Time: 10:30 a.m. Cost: \$40. We will have the opportunity to visit the St. Augustine Wild Reserve which is a rescue habitat for wild cats such as lions, tigers, jaguars and other wildlife. It will be an easy 2 hour walk led by a docent; the staff is all volunteer and all funds go directly to the care and upkeep of the facility. We will carpool and handicap transportation is available by extended golf cart.

Sat. Apr. 22nd Bunco and Lunch. Cost \$30 at the lovely home of Eleanor Callon Atwood Lane, Ormond Beach from 10-2pm. Bunco is a great dice game which is easy, fast and you can talk and eat at the same time!

Come join the fun at these events. Anyone who has ideas or suggestions for an event, please call Irene or Janice.

Publicity

Mary Ann Singer

Every time an additional member or guest attends one of the Guild events or Parties of Note, our support for the Symphony Society gets bumped up in a special way, both financially and in expanding the interest in world class music in our community. Please contact your local media to thank them when they have broadcast or published our news. Also try us on *FACEBOOK* and spread the word to your friends. Volunteer to help generate ideas for Publicity. Word of mouth is the best Publicity so talk up the Symphony Guild with your friends and neighbors.