

NOTES TO REMEMBER



Daytona Beach
symphony
GUILD

Upcoming Guild Meeting
March 6th, 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.

MARCH 2017

March 1st and 8th
Music Appreciation
Classes

March 28th
Talbots – All day Shopping
10% proceeds to Guild

March 30th
St. Augustine Wild Reserve

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President's Message

Things I Know:

"I have learned that people will forget
What you said; people will forget
What you did; people will never forget
How you made them feel."

Amazing! February (the shortest month of the year) is in our rear view mirror and swiftly moving to an end. I hope you are seizing every opportunity to take care of "you." The members of the Executive and Expanded Boards are meeting, exchanging ideas, organizing and coordinating events for the future, particularly as it relates to fundraising. Thanks to many of you and your participation in Parties of Note and other Guild sponsored events, we are moving closer and closer our goal of a \$25,000 gift to the Daytona Beach Symphony Society. YEAH! I encourage each of you to persist in your supports as we continue our race to meet our financial commitment.

I am so very pleased to say the printing of our Guild Brochure is complete! The brochure is outstanding and available for distribution. Copies will be available at monthly Guild meetings beginning March 6th. Be sure to pick up a copy and I am certain you will share my delight and pride as well! Again, thanks for your patience as we worked to insure a brochure which would appropriately represent the sentiments of our Guild.

We began the process of meeting with community groups and agencies to inform and share information about our amazing Guild. Most recently, Lucy Jackman and I met with the folks at Tanger Outlet Mall, completed radio promotional interviews, and participated in a Society and Guild informational table at the Arts Week Volusia EXPO. Thanks Tracy Marino for the invitation to sit with you at the

Society's table. A Speakers Bureau meeting will be scheduled in the near future as many of you have expressed interest in participating.

Just a "soft" reminder about the Guild Calendar: We are resuming the past practice of listing events and meetings for other community service groups/organizations on our monthly Guild calendar. Many of us are member(s) of other organizations and want to extend/continue this courtesy to our colleagues.

For those who participate on Facebook, please take a look and "like" the Guild's page. I am thrilled and appreciate Tracy's postings of Guild events and activities. Janet Rabe-Meyer, Alicia Keenon, Mary Ann Singer and Tracy Marino's contributions to our Facebook page makes us proud!

A very special "shout-out" to Christine Gerhardt, Director of Operations for the Symphony Society, for all you do to aid and assist various Guild members to enhance and promote our numerous functions, PON's, meetings, and excursions just to name a few. You are a treasure to us all! You have our sincere gratitude and appreciation.

A "gentle" reminder: The March 6th event is by reservation only! Hopefully, your space was reserved at the February meeting as lunch is included, and there is limited space. This information was discussed at the January 9th meeting and was also noted in the February Guild Newsletter. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation. Please note the change in schedule for this meeting as follows:

9:30 – 10:00AM...Light refreshment,
Purchase PON's/Excursions, Luncheon
Tickets, Pay Dues and Connect with friends
10:00 – 11:30AM...Meeting & Special Events
11:30Lunch is Served

May the Grace in Me, Greet the Grace in You,

Gerri

Let the "Fun"draising Begin

Lucy Jackman, *Fundraising*

Historical Factoid:

A gala reception was held at the home of Dr. David G. Schultz on October 31st, 1962 to Honor Flutist James Galway and his wife Jeanne immediately following his concert.

SPECIAL EVENTS

MUSIC APPRECIATION WORKSHOP

Wed. March 1 –Classical Period

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

The workshop 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.**

For the Luncheon we could still use a few items for the Silent Auction! Please contact Lucy at 672-8335 if you have anything to donate.



Program Chair
Janet Rabe-Meyer

Spring Luncheon and Fashion Show



"Rhapsody in Blue"

Saturday, April 8th

\$40.00 per person

Hilton Hotel, Hyde Park Entrance, Daytona Beach

Lobby doors open at 9:30

Dining Room opens at 11:30

Come early and bid on Silent and Chinese Auctions.

A table will be set up for PONs/Excursion sign-ups for the rest of the Guild year and part of the following year.

Centerpieces will be on sale at the end of the day!

New and Renewal memberships will be available. Also remember a special discount of 35% off the price of Symphony Season (2017 - 2018) subscription will be offered at the luncheon for members only.

We will enjoy Fashion from the Trails offered by Chicos, White House/Black Market, Ann Taylor Loft and Jos. A. Banks. Of course, all of these wonderful clothes being modeled by our own Guild members.

Background music will be played by our own members: Vita Fortin and Jo Traywick. There will be harp music played in the lobby. Fashion Coordinator will be member Pam Elkins.

****FREE Valet Parking**** Voucher available at registration table.

Signup available at March and April meetings or Call Christine at the Symphony Office 386 253 2901

RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE BY APRIL 4TH

A special thanks to Francine Chorost for all the wonderful pictures

Membership News

Joan Fenton, *Membership*

New Members

One hundred seven members attended our monthly membership meeting. We are so pleased to welcome five new members and have them as part of our Guild family! We will now be including the name of the person who introduced the new person/and or the way they discovered the Guild; the person will then be designated as his/her sponsor.

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Hometown News

SPECIAL THANKS TO MEMBERSHIP TEAM AT THE February 6th MEETING

The Team arrives each meeting to welcome you and help you with any questions you may have about membership. Those helping at this meeting were:

Name tags: Elaine Carlini-Davis, Lila Griggs and Angela Nagy
Greeters: Annemarie Schutz, Lynn Hecklinger, Carol Skou, Jo Traywick and Kathleen Lazarus

Directory Distribution: Sue Janaro

Guest table: Emmie Beck and Edna Alexander

New Member Table: Gertrud Philllips, Valerie Norman, Gisela Schafer and Nancy Tucker

Hostess Table for Guests and New Members: Barbara Doliner

EASY CHOICES FOR \$40 DUES PAYMENT by MAY 1st *

You will see a renewal form for 2017-18 as an enclosure in this newsletter. You will also find renewal forms available at our March, April and May meetings and online at dbss.org. Just follow the directions on the form as shown below:

Make your \$40 check payable to DB(DAYTONA BEACH) SYMPHONY GUILD

1. Bring your check and renewal form to March 6th or April 3rd or May 1st meeting

OR

2. Send your check and renewal form before May 1st to:

**Symphony Guild
c/o Joan Fenton, Membership
P.O. Box 2
Daytona Beach, FL32115**

OR

3. Contact Christine Gerhardt at the Society office at 253-2901 and pay by credit card by May 1st.

You can complete the form right over the phone.

*Please remember you must pay your renewal dues of \$40 prior to purchasing your season tickets in order to receive your 35% discount. The discount is for purchasing season tickets **only**.



Sponsor's Corner

Sandy Gosch and Patti Gloekler

Our February Sponsor, Thomas J. Upchurch of Every, Stack & Upchurch was featured at the monthly meeting. Mr. Upchurch provided our members with excellent advice on providing financial institutions with accurate Power of Attorney information. He very generously offered DBS Guild members a complimentary first visit to the law practice located at 4444 Seabreeze Blvd., #1003, Daytona Beach, 32118.

Our very own Janet Rabe-Meyer is our Sponsor of the Month for March. In addition to utilizing her vocal talent and expertise as a professional musician to provide Guild programs, she is a realtor with Keller Williams Realty.



Sponsor: Thomas J. Upchurch



February Raffle donations from Janet Damiano of tickets for the Bamburg Symphony and Carmen Opera and clock and wine by Cory Sinkeldam and Symphony Guild Boutique; winners were Cathy Bauerle and Heather McDonald. CONGRATULATIONS!

Correspondence

Ann Meine

A note of sympathy was sent this month to Richard Layng of Palm Coast, whose wife Diane passed. She was a member of the Guild several years ago.

Get Well notes were sent to Mary Deininger and Sue Fillion's husband Bill.

PON's and Cultural Excursions

Irene Fennell and Janice Griffith

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.

