



From our President – Bev Owen



Mark Your Calendar

- 2/28/2022 at 10:00am
MMC Board Meeting
- 3/7/2022 at 1:00pm
Portland Opera
- 3/28/2022 at 10:00am
MMC Board Meeting
- 4/4/2022 at 1:00pm
Two Piano Concert

Hello Everyone!

We finally had our first tea in two years, and thank you to all who helped make it a success. Having the MYSfits perform again for us was a real treat. Please be aware of our next board meeting on February 28th at 10:00 AM on Zoom. All members are always welcome.

Leave it to Grant to already have the music awards auditions filled.

Thank you to all who are sending well wishes, cards, balloons, flowers and prayers my way. I REALLY, REALLY appreciate everything I've received.

Very sincerely,
Bev Owen

In Appreciation to all,

Bev

Bev and all the Board and Appointed Officers



Two Pianos Update

It's a go for April 4th at Reedwood Friends church! The committee met via Zoom with Bev, and she has secured the church, pianos from Classic Piano, and multiple 2 piano duets. Stay tuned for more details for this much enjoyed and successful fundraising tradition.



From our Programs Chair – Grant Porter

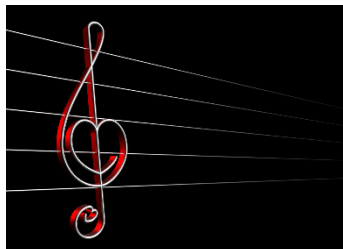


On February 7th, we held our first in-person Tea since the 2019-20 season was halted due to Covid. The event was coordinated by Grant and Jerre Ann Pappelis who arranged the use of the Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church. The church provided outstanding support to enable us to record the event and broadcast over Zoom. A total of 28 people attended the event live while another nine attended on Zoom. Thanks to Director Greta Christensen and her team who provided delicious treats and sandwiches

for the Valentines Day themed event. The MYS “MYSfits” 18 piece string ensemble led by the renowned Violist Kenji Bunch performed a wide range of selections. Kenji was accompanied by Musical Director Raúl Gómez-Rojas and Executive Director, Diana Scoggins who accepted our \$1000 gift as well as a \$300 stipend for the musicians.

Mark your calendars for March 7th at 1 pm as plans are underway for a Zoom presentation by the Portland Opera. The invite will be provided by Recording Secretary, Nancy Woo, who has graciously volunteered to host any remaining Zoom events this season. We look forward to hearing recordings and an overview of the Portland Opera’s 2022 season.

Grant Porter
Programs Chairman



From our Scholarship Chair – Grant Porter

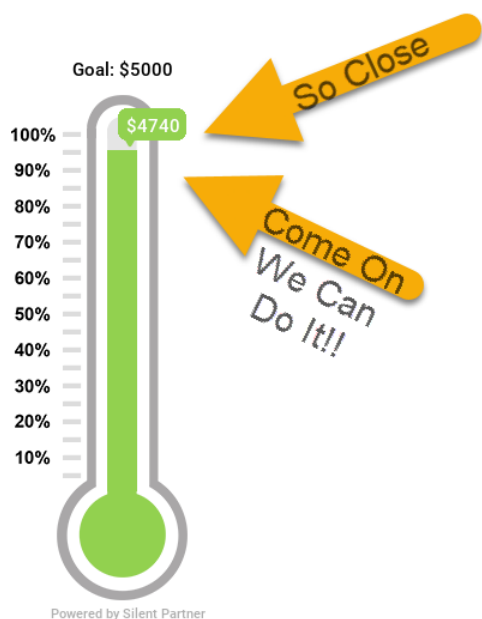
The 2022 Monday Musical Club scholarship program was announced on January 31st and is now full. We received 30 applications and have one more on standby. This includes 13 string applicants, nine pianists, five voice and three other instrumentalists (two flute and one clarinet). Auditions will take place in Beacock Hall at Clark Community College in Vancouver on April 23rd with a winners performance on May 2nd. We greatly appreciate the support of our many members who have donated in response to our fundraising efforts, especially for the support that allows us to award grand prizes in the names of the Phillips, Foster and Colliver families.

Please see our [scholarship information page](#) on our website for additional details. Please coordinate with me if you would like to attend the audition sessions. Space will be limited to allow for required social distancing and there are unique requirements that will need to be followed.

Grant Porter
Scholarship Chairman
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From Our Ways and Means - Jerre Ann Pappelis



Thank you to all who participated in the **California Pizza Kitchen Fundraiser**. It's exciting that we are getting so close to our goal and it's all because of you and your generous donations! To date we are at \$4,740.00. **We are almost to our goal!**

Upcoming Fundraisers for March...



“Pot O’ Gold” Fundraiser

Donate to the Pot O’ Gold for the month of March. Please, please, send in your donations to Jan Petersen. Any amount helps to fill the

Pot O’ Gold with funds going toward scholarships for these amazing young musicians!

Questions? Talk to Jerre Ann Pappelis



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February 20, 2022

WE WANT YOU... Seeking MMC members who would like to showcase your hidden talent at a future musical event. If you need an accompanist, we will find you one, as well as a venue. Please contact Jerre Ann Pappelis

Ways and Means is seeking donations for the Monday Musical Club Raffle/Silent Auction. We are looking for tickets to upcoming concerts/performances, wine, weekend stay at a vacation home, gift cards, items for a theme basket- i.e., Garden, Night at the Opera, Spa Day, Sports or something you think is appropriate. We can pick up any item(s) you donate. Please contact Jerre Ann Pappelis.

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