



Mark Your Calendar

October 23rd 5:00
Patron Celebration
Event

November 7th 1:00
Tea Holladay Park
Portland Opera

November 13th 2:00
Musicale at Art and
Terri's Johnstone
home

November 14th 1:00
Board Meeting -
Zoom

December 13th 11:30
Holiday Luncheon
Tualatin Valley
Country Club



President
Terri Johnstone

We kicked off our season on October 3rd with a wonderful performance and visit from the Oregon Symphony. Zach Galatis, a flutist and piccolo player for over 12 years with the symphony, who performed and answered many questions to our

enthusiastic audience. We were all amazed to hear the piccolo played with gentle tones and learn about his gold, yes solid gold flute and the piccolo's range being one (1) octave higher than the flute. Very interesting! The Symphony's outreach and diversity is growing. Check out the Oregon Symphony schedule. It was an **awesome** way to start our new season! The Symphony also provided a letter of recommendation for our grant proposal, which was a clear example of our mutual partnership. We had 37 members in attendance. Let's *double* that for November with the Portland Opera performing. It is such great entertainment.

We are continuing to hold our board meetings on Zoom on the second Monday of the month at 10:00am. (one exception is November 14th it will be at 1:00pm). All club members are invited to attend and you can just watch and listen muted if you like.

We look forward to hosting the Patron appreciation event at Bill and Linda Vogler's winery on October 23rd at 5:00pm. If you received an invitation, please RSVP! Carpooling will be available.

Our **November 7th tea** will be held at **Holladay Park Plaza Penthouse, at 1:00pm.** Our entertainment will be the **Portland Opera** who will bring four (4) amazing voices to carry us away. Please make plans to join us.

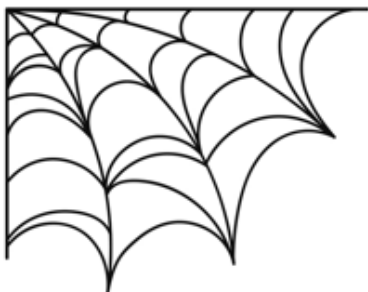
On November 13th from 2:00-4:00pm, Art and Terri Johnstone will host a Musicale at their home, with none other than our own Bev Owen and 1-2 other performers. The space is limited to 18. Sign up will be on November 7th at the tea. If you are unable to attend the tea on November 7th, please call Terri 503-703-5760 to reserve your seats. **We want new members to help**





As Terri mentioned, we had a great start to the year with a lively discussion by Zack Galatis of the Oregon Symphony with his flute and piccolo performance to kick off our 2022–23 season. We had 37 people in attendance and would love to see everyone there at the next one as we have our final farewell at Holladay Park Plaza.

Our next tea will feature the Resident Artists of the Portland Opera. This is always one of our best and most exciting events of our season so don't miss it! We look forward to seeing everyone there.



our club thrive, so bring a guest. These events are so personal and fun so please help them be successful with members, guests, and donations.

On December 13th at 11:30am we will be provided a lovely luncheon and choral performance & sing along by Gresham High School's Overtones at Tualatin Country Club (it is such a lovely setting). Tickets will be on sale at our November 7th Tea. Please bring your checkbook as the ticket price will be \$40 and it promises to be worth every penny! Contact Terri if there are any questions. We will have a very small raffle/silent auction with some items such as tickets to events, and possibly a cabin overnight. It's such a positive tradition and opportunity to gather friends for a great time. *We don't want anyone to miss this!*

Our new hot pink Directory for 2022-2023 has been produced once again by Cynthia Marberry, is available to all paid members. Thank you Cynthia! They will be distributed at the November tea. If a paid member will not be able to pick it up in person, Cynthia will be happy to mail it to them upon request. Call her at 503-630-2915 or email your request to cindynloren@gmail.com. It has been suggested by Bev Owen, that we include birthdays in next year's directory. Hope people will join in.

Our new partnership with **Westminster Presbyterian Church** is finalized! The address is **1624 NE Hancock. 97212.**

- Our first Tea of 2023 will be there on **January 9th at 1pm** with the Portland Youth Philharmonic performing for us.

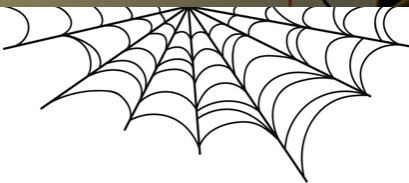
This is so very exciting to be moving to an environment that has a large membership with very active, potential members under the roof. There is a large parking lot, elevators, ramps, and a drop off for those who don't want to have to even walk from the parking lot. We have some rooms available that will meet our needs for different events. Please join us in this transition to a new space. While change is challenging, this one is worth it.

As we have sensed, the direction of Holladay Park Plaza has changed and we are not in that plan. We so appreciate the years of being able to enjoy the Penthouse views, the coffee services and set ups. We appreciate all the HPP MMC members' support. Thank you all. We are just a short distance now to encourage you to keep attending. Jan Plog announced, there is even a bus that is almost door to door with Westminster.

- We have once again secured the Reedwood Friends Church for the Piano event in April on April 3rd. Stay tuned for more details!
- Our Auditions will be held in our new location April 15th and performances by the winners will be held May 1st.
- Our year end Annual Meeting is on June 5, 2023, final location TBA.

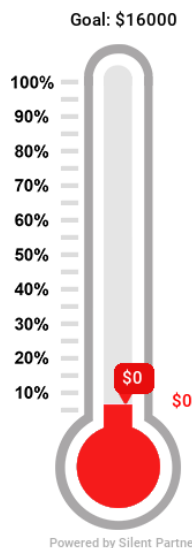
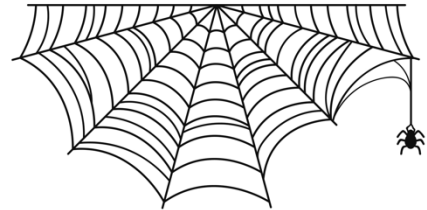
Scholarships
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I am happy to correct the September newsletter to say that our scholarship awards will be increased from last year and we will give out \$16,000 in 2023. This is a reflection of the health and recovery of our organization that is made possible by the gifts and donations of our members everyone there.



Thanks to everyone who is a part of this small community of music lovers. Blessed with new enthusiasm and hope, we believe we can grow with just each of us bringing in guests and attending our events.

We can have an impact on the community. Let's do it!



Our committee is so excited to report some upcoming MMC events!

- Musicale fundraiser, as noted above, Sunday, November 13th 2:00-4:00p at Art and Terri Johnstone's home. Sign up at Nov. Tea. Flyer to follow.
- Holiday Luncheon and raffle/ auction, also noted above, December 13th, 11:30am at Tualatin Country Club, 9145 SW Tualatin Rd, Tualatin. The price will be \$40 per ticket, for sale at the November Tea. There will be the opportunity to purchase the whole table of 8 for a 10% discount. The setting is beautiful and the menu delicious. Don't hesitate to contact Jerre Ann or Terri for questions.
- Christmas Caroling (TBA) starting at the Johnstone's home, strolling, singing, and refreshments in front of fireplace.
- Dinner and Oregon Symphony concert in January, (TBA). We can get a group discount for Symphony tickets. If interested, let Jerre Ann know so we can get a group of tickets early.

Please, we need raffle items for the Holiday luncheon. Looks like we will have a gift card and basket for Alison Inn, possibly, Timbers' tickets, and look forward to your additional contributions. Please, continue to use Fred Meyer Rewards and Pay Pal for support of our MMC.

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