

# Guild Notes

Apr/May 2013

Keep the Music Playing

From the President's Desk

Dear Guild Members,

As we come to the closing of another year of Guild activities, it may be time for a bit of reflection. The Presidents' Reception at the Barber's home was a financial and cultural success. A monthly meeting and lunch at Northampton Wines was another very enjoyable event. And the successful Tour of Homes, *Prelude to the Park*, was a highlight of the season. Numerous elegant Concert Previews allowed us social time and descriptions of the Masterworks music from the Maestro. The Duke Middle School Concert, the Michelin Childrens' Concert, Lollipops and Timbre Tales helped us connect with the younger groups and future concertgoers. All this capped by the Black & White Ball, *Starry Starry Night*, honoring our "star" musicians, which was a highly successful, elegant evening.

Thanks to all of you who have made this possible through dedication and hard work. You are sincerely appreciated. It has been quite a journey!

*Phyllis*



## "Tcheers" for Tchaikovsky

Guild members are invited to a Post-Concert Reception on Saturday, May 4, at the Westin Poinsett. The Reception is being sponsored by the Guild.

## Welcome New Members

*Individual*

Nanci Cheskey  
Beverly Lambert

We are delighted to welcome you and look forward to your participation in Guild events.

Members please continue to invite new people to join the Guild.

Ginny, VP Membership

## Guild Monthly Meeting and Lunch

April 22, 2013

11:00 am

Runway Café

21 Airport Road Ext. Greenville 29607

Call the Guild office to make reservations.

## Membership Renewal

It is time to renew your Guild membership for the 2013-14 season. A renewal form is included with this newsletter. Please return applications no later than **June 1** to have your contact information included in our directory. Also, note that members who have joined the Guild since January 1 and paid full price for membership should renew at 1/2 the membership cost.

*Thank You*  
*VP of Membership*

## CONCERT PREVIEW

May 3  
10:00 am

Home of Pat and Rick Timmons  
50 Cherry Laurel Court  
Greenville, SC 29607

Directions: From N. Pleasantburg Dr./State Park Rd., turn right on Poinsett Hwy, turn left onto Old Buncombe Rd., turn slight right onto New Roe Ford Rd. (New Roe Ford Rd. becomes Roe Ford Rd.), turn right onto Cherry Laurel Ct.

## Annual Meeting and Installation of Officers

May 14  
11:00 am  
Poinsett Club

Please plan to attend the Annual Meeting and lunch where the installation of new officers, recognition of exceptional members and presentation of a check to the Greenville Symphony will be the highlights.

Cost of the lunch is \$20. Reservations should be made through the Guild office at 370-0965 no later than Wednesday, May 8. Look forward to seeing you there.

## The Guild and Social Media

The Guild Facebook page is up and running, and as of April 7th has 45 "Likes"! We have big plans to make it more exciting and animated so that it will attract new visitors and portray the Guild as an organization worth checking out. For those of you already on Facebook, you can either search for it when you are in Facebook or use the following link.

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/The-Guild-of-the-Greenville-Symphony/153033078188889?fref=ts>. If you are not on Facebook, now would be a good time to sign up. It is free and easy to do. If you belong to any other organizations, please spread the word and encourage everyone to visit our page as increased exposure may translate into new Guild members!

Thanks to the hardworking committee: Liz Albers, Tim Baiden and Debra Strange, along with Todd Weir from the GSO office and Ashley Marshall from Furman, who is currently interning with the GSO. Suggestions for improvement of the Facebook Page would be much appreciated, so please contact any of the committee members with your ideas.

Ellie Mioduski

## Haiti Music Project



Our own Katie Dey, principal viola of the Greenville Symphony, will spend another summer working with the Haiti Music Project. This is an effort to bring music to students of Zanmi Lasante in Cange, Haiti. They are in need of all sorts of musical instruments. If you have any musical instruments not being used, please donate them to this very worthwhile cause.

You may leave them at the Guild office or the Symphony office, 200 S. Main Street prior to June 1. Your donation will be much appreciated.



Tchinos and Tchaikovsky, a fundraiser benefitting the Greenville Symphony Orchestra, will be hosted on Thursday, May 2, 2013 at Genevieve's at The Peace Center.

Casual attire, \$50/person. Your check is your reservation, mail to: Greenville Symphony Orchestra, 200 S. Main Street, Greenville,

SC 29601 or call 864-232-0344, ext. 12, to pay by credit card.

SAVE THE DATE FOR  
2013 TOUR of HOMES

**When**

Patron Party: Thursday, October 3, 2013

Home Tour: Friday, October 4 through Sunday, October 6, 2013

**Where:**

Beautiful homes in Collins Creek, E. Parkins Mill and Hollingsworth Park

**Tour Co-Chairs**

Margaret Wasson, 350-6881, wassongm@gmail.com

Jeanne Perkinson, 430-2228, jperkinson@charter.net

More information will be announced in the next several months.

To volunteer for a committee, please contact Margaret or Jeanne.

SAVE THE DATE FOR

**Roundtable 2013  
“Message in a Bottle”**

When: Thursday, October 17  
2:30 registration

Friday, October 18  
9:00 to 3:00

New Format

Where: Marriott Resort & Spa  
At Grand Dunes  
Myrtle Beach, SC



2012 DOWNTOWN CONDO RONDO UPDATE

I'm pleased to report that additional ticket sales money was received the end of December for Downtown Condo Rondo. The net profit is \$18,022.63 surpassing our estimate. Amazing for our second one day bi-annual fund raiser. Many thanks again to our generous condo homeowners, sponsors, committee members, volunteers and tour attendees who made this tour so successful.

Edna Thompson  
DCR Tour Chairman

Thanks to....

**Chamber orchestra dinner, March 8:** Laura Arnold, Carol and Jim Bendig, Anne Civilette, Nancy Cureton, Pat Ferro, Laura Gossett, Christine Lyles, Edna Ruth and Vernon Miller, Elaine Paine, Nancy Riegel, Estee and Tom Rudski, Roz Smith, Fran and Marty Wertheim.



**Masterworks orchestra dinner March 21:** Suzie Albritton, Carolyn Beckie, Diane Darling, Laura Edwards, Margaret Fallon, Sue Fisher, Lorraine Goldstein, Carrie and Skip Gordon, Ginny Johnson, Ettalee Kearns, Claudette Mahoney, Sherena Matzberger, Terri Price, Roz Smith, Sue Stover, Julianne Taylor, Margret Wasson, Hal Weiss.

*Keep in your thoughts and prayers:*

Get Well wishes to Vernon Gooch.



Please call or email (ellenwhitpow@gmail.com) Ellen Powell, Countess of Courtesy, about health issues or condolences for any Guild member and their family.

# GUILD CALENDAR

<p>Apr. 11      Chamber Orchestra Dinner</p> <p>Apr. 12-14   Chamber Orchestra IV <i>Mediterranean Spirit</i> Gunter Theatre Friday and Saturday 8:00 pm, Sunday 3:00 pm</p> <p>Apr. 20      Lollipops VI <i>Hayden's Farewell Symphony</i> Hendricks Library, Simpsonville, 10:00am Hughes Library, Heritage Green, 11:30am</p> <p>Apr. 22      Guild Monthly Meeting and Lunch Runway Café 11:00 am</p> <p>May 3        Concert Preview Home of Pat and Rick Timmons 10:00 am</p>	<p>May 3        Masterworks Orchestra Dinner</p> <p>May 4-5      Masterworks VI <i>"Tcheers" for Tchaikovsky</i> Rachael Lee, violin Peace Center Saturday 8:00 pm, Sunday 3:00m</p> <p>May 7        Timbre Tales <i>Instructions</i> with GSO Percussion South Carolina Children's Theatre 2:30 pm</p> <p>May 14      Annual Meeting and Installation of Officers Pontsett Club 11:00 am</p> <p>May 28      Joint Board Meeting Home of Beth Lee 11:00 am</p>
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