



One Choir ♪ One Sound

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Notetations

Love and Laughter

By CJ Redden-Liotta

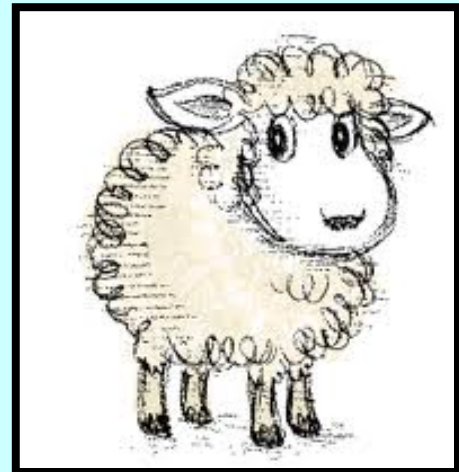
Love and laughter - two of my favorite emotions! Our Spring Concert will revolve around this theme. The first half of the concert will be lighter and traditional choral music exploring the topic, including a musicological journey with Mary and her lamb. Our second half will take a look at the subject through pop, Broadway and standard selections.



I enjoyed working with you all during the Christmas Concert, and I look forward to seeing all of you again this Spring.

Musical Selections

- Buffalo Gals
- Without Love
- Viva Tutti
- The Garden's Last Red Rose
- Dear John (Punctuated by Love)
- Landscape
- Landscape Additional Movements
- Neighbor's Chorus



- Seasons of Love
- I Have Dreamed
- Mambo Italiano
- Both Sides Now
- South Pacific Choral Selections
- Gaelic Blessing



Mark Your
Calendar

Board Meetings

after rehearsals on Feb. 20,
Mar. 19, April 16 - Open to all
choir members

January 30

Rehearsals begin at Lutheran
Church of the Covenant. (LCOC)

Registration: 7 PM
Rehearsal: 7:30 to 9:45 PM

February 27

Choir Party/Social after Rehearsal

March 12

Feature solo auditions following a
shortened rehearsal

April 30

On Site Rehearsal

Dr. A. J. Ferlazzo Building
15941 Donald Curtis Drive
Woodbridge

Concerts

**May 5, 2012
8 PM**

Dr. A. J. Ferlazzo Building
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**May 6, 2012
3 PM**

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May 18-20

Rehoboth Beach

August 27

Christmas Rehearsals Begin

Need Your Help

By *Bill Lake*

The Woodbridge Community Choir has several positions on the Board that are currently vacant. We are looking for choir and non-choir members who would be interested in helping to run the organization. For each of the vacant positions we have summary reports which outline the job functions and provide contact information as well as current Board Members who can provide guidance. Following are the open positions as well as a brief description of the responsibilities.



Grant Coordinator — Research potential funding opportunities from foundations and corporations as well as local, state and federal sources.

Fundraising Chairman — Plan and arrange fundraising activities. Develop a plan to recruit corporate sponsors and patrons and to increase advertising revenue.

Marketing/Publicity Chairman — Develop and implement a public relations program including media releases for rehearsals and concerts along with membership recruitment. Represent the WCC at Arts Council Meetings.

Our Rehearsal Site: Lutheran Church of the Covenant
15008 Cloverdale Road

From the North on Minnieville Road

Take Minnieville Road South toward Dale City. Take a left onto Dale Boulevard. Follow Dale Boulevard to Cloverdale Road (4 lights). Take a right at the light for Cloverdale Road. Follow Cloverdale down the hill and back up again. LCOC is located just past the 7-11 on the right side of the road.

From Interstate 95

Take Interstate 95 to the Dale City exit. Follow the exit for Dale Boulevard. Stay straight on Dale Boulevard until you reach Cloverdale Road. Take a left at the light for Cloverdale Road. Follow Cloverdale down the hill and back up again. LCOC is located just past the 7-11 on the right side of the road.

From the South on Minnieville Road

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Registration Discount

The Woodbridge Community Choir Board of Directors wants to offer a way to reduce or even eliminate your registration fee and increase our membership.

When you register and bring a new member for the Spring 2012 Concert Season your registration fee will be reduced by \$10 per person up to \$30. If you bring a new member after you register you can still receive a discount but it will be applied to the next concert season. A new member is anyone who has not sung for the past two concert seasons. So, bring your friends and neighbors to join.



For every concert season, a lot of work goes on behind the scenes where **we need your help.**

- **Can you play the piano?** *Directors can use your talent to help with rehearsals.*
- **Like to work on fundraisers?** *Vicki Bayer needs you.*
- **Can you move risers? Or help with stage setup?** *Allen Wheeler is looking for you!*
- **Can you contact people to take out ads in our programs?** *Let Vicki Bayer know.*
- **Do you have photos we could use in our scrapbook and website?** *Contact Jackie Topolski.*
- **Do you know of someone that can serve as ushers or help with the sales tables?** *Let Vicki Bayer know.*

There are so many ways for you to get involved. Please consider volunteering to help make our concerts special.

NOTETATIONS

Concert Attire

As in the past the Spring season is more relaxed and not as formal as our Christmas season. We **will not be wearing** long dresses ladies or black vests and white tuxedo shirts gentlemen.

Instead we will be wearing long black slacks/trousers for both men and women and solid jewel tone color shirts with sleeves. Shirts and blouses should be dark reds, blues, purples, greens—vivid colors, no pastels. If you like yellow it should be a gold tone; if you like pink it should be a “hot” pink. No pale reds, blues, purples, greens, yellows or pinks.

As always, wear comfortable black shoes and dark socks and stockings.



Did you know that the WCC has a Facebook page? Well, we do!!!

Please visit our Facebook page and like us.



Do you know of someone that has an acoustical piano in good shape that needs a home? WCC is looking for a piano in good

condition to enhance our concerts. Please let any Board member know and remember that such a contribution can provide a tax deductible donation.

WCC Committees

Fund Raising Committee

Vicki Bayer
Planning and manning fundraising events.

Production Committee

Allen Wheeler
Transport and set-up risers, lights, sound equipment, and staging.

Marketing/Publicity Committee

Lynne Pazuros
Press releases, mailings, and soliciting advertising.

Social Committee

Lillian Koenig
Coordination & Set-up of choir social.

Nominating Committee

Lynne Pazuros
Prepares slate of officers for June BOD elections, recruits new musical directors, accompanists, and Advisory Board Members.

Grants Committee

Bill Lake
Research, prepare, and submit grant applications.

If you are interested in volunteering for any of these committees - please contact the committee chair.

Snow Policy

As a reminder, no rehearsal will be held if Prince William County government is closed due to inclement weather. PWC closings are announced on local television/radio and can be verified by calling PWC Info at 703-792-4636 or by calling 703-590-0249 to hear a recorded message.



Fund Raising

by Vicki Bayer

Thank you to everyone who participated in fundraising activities -those who sold or bought See's Candies, sponsor contributors, those who provided baked goods for the concert sales table, etc. Thank you to Bill Morse, Joanne Barrett, and Lois Cohen for manning the sales table at the concerts. And special thanks to Nikki Unger for baking & decorating those delicious cupcakes!

WCC receives a grant from the County which is based on a percentage of the funds we bring for ourselves. The Fundraiser Chairman position is vacant. Responsibilities include: develop, plan & promote fundraisers; procure & sell refreshments at concerts; recruit ushers and sales table help for concerts. Please contact Lynne Pazuros or Vicki Bayer if you are willing to help with fundraising functions.



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