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Heidi Knight, editor



Next meeting will be

June 26, 2011 at 4:00 p.m.

Special points of interest:

- Upcoming events
- We are having the Azure Hills Flute Choir

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At our next meeting we will be having my flute choir come in to play two pieces for the flute society members. The group, Azure Hills Flute Choir is brand new we started up in June 2010, and it consists of flute players from the Azure Hills SDA church in Grand Terrace. Members age range is between 12 and 50. We meet once a month and new members are always welcome. Our first performance took place on Saturday June 4th at the Azure Hills SDA Church service. The current members are Aida, Bailey, Hannah, Julia, Kara, Kim, Lexine, Michelle, and Rebecca.

The purpose of the group is to help them to experience flute choir music, enhance their flute skills and to bring our music out to the community . If you want more information email me at junebughk@msn.com.

Heidi Knight– Director

Presidents Corner

Hi Everyone,

As you know we have a meeting coming up on Sunday June 26,2011 at 4 p.m. Brenda is coordinating a nice potluck meal so please remember to bring your dish, we have a few extra guests so keep that in mind when you prepare your portion size. If you need any prep please plan on being a little so you can have your dish ready in time.

Heidi has put together a nice little flute choir through her church, called the Azure Hills Flute Choir. This group currently has 8 members. They will perform for us at 4 p.m (note the time change). Please be on time, we will start & end on time. Officers please have your reports ready to go, we don't want to spend the whole time doing business.

Some of my goals for the next year is;

- To bring in some interesting topics
- To help its members grow.
- Hear some new and interesting performers/groups.
- Provide an outlet for our members to come out of their shell and perform for each other.

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Bring your calendars and flutes, we will plan our year and play some music together. We are working towards a new year, if everyone attending could plan on bringing their next year's dues, that would help us get started on a positive note. I know that we've had some rough times, but I believe that with some fine tuning and getting our commitment back to this group we can move forward and eventually have an organization that can teach and encourage for a long time. If each member goes out and brings someone new in this year we can double our size in no time.

Hope to see you all our June meeting.

-Jackie Aronowitz

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Silver Sounds Update

We've begun our summer sessions, although our size is a bit smaller our excitement and flute skills continue to grow. We are currently working towards our Fall 2011 CD which should be available at the beginning of October. We've been invited to play with Tracy Harris at her Flute Festival on October 15th in Point Loma. That should be exciting, we want to encourage Miss Harris to perform a solo with us as her accompanist. I've been working on finding us some new and exciting events for the next year. Of course we will audition for Disneyland again, and hopefully play end of January or beginning of February. Anyone interested in auditioning off their flute and coming in to play some exciting and challenging music is welcome, members can join at any time. There are two groups, one on Wednesday nights and one on Sunday afternoons.

Jackie Aronowitz, Director

Silver Sounds Flute Ensembles

<http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=202090361013&ref=ts>

Fundraisers for IEVFS

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Attention all flutists!

Memberships

We need to have more members in our Inland Valley Empire Flute Society. So be proud of your flute club that is so close to you. Please if each one of you brings a new guest with you we will have doubled our size. This would be good!

Monthly meetings aren't all business. If you have not been to a meeting lately what are you waiting for? The meetings always center around good food and conversation and a healthy dose of business. We regularly include a presentation by a guest artist, viewing of a new, exciting artist online, or flute choir music sight-reading session. Any suggestions for future events and meetings are always welcome. Come join in the flutie fun!

Membership chapter news

Stolen flute

Keep your eyes open still for this:

On February 1, 2011, My open-hole, C-foot Haynes flute serial #25718 was stolen. I purchased it in 1956. Please keep your eyes and ears open.

Thank You, Harriet Foucher

Congratulations to Liz!

Elizabeth Lehto will be getting married on July 10.

Emails:

Please when you receive emails from the flute society gmail account, please remember to respond on time and only respond to our flute society email account. Not to anybody else's personal email account.

2011 Board Members

President: Jackie Aronowitz

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Secretary: Lauren Bergh

Editor: Heidi Knight

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Program Coordinator: Kathleen Norsworthy

Scholarship Coordinator: John Zavela

Event Coordinator: Jackie Aronowitz

Our IEVFS scrapbook

All members are invited to contribute to the scrapbook and add any pictures or anything else that you have. If you are interested in helping out in putting a page or two together we will be passing the book around at the meetings.

- Heidi Knight has created a flash drive containing all photos from IEVFS events, if you are interesting in adding any pictures to this please contact Jackie.

News about Ensembles and studios in the Area:

Silver Sounds Flute Ensemble:

Is accepting new members for the new season if you would like to join contact Jackie at jackie_aronowitz@yahoo.com

Their CD for 2010 is ready for YOUR ears! It is now available for \$18.00. All profits go towards scholarships in the flute choir or lessons. To put your order in now, just email Jackie at sweetsilver@earthlink.net.

Sweet Silver Flute Quartet:

For more information go to www.myspace.com/sweetsilverflutes.

Zanja Fife & Drum corp:

We will be performing for the annual 4th of July parade in Redlands at 10:30 a.m.

To join or for more performance information go to: www.zanjafifeanddrum.musicteaching.info/

Aronowitz Flute Studio:

If you are interested in flute lessons or know of someone that wants flute lessons please contact Jackie at sweetsilver@earthlink.net.

Dee Ogden, Lake Arrowhead flute studios:

See the above news on Dee's studio.

Membership

We are working towards our non-profit status. Our Business Member includes Sacred Mountain Acupuncture Clinic. In order to help you decide which membership to choose, here is a list and the benefits included:

General Membership-\$30.00.

Student Membership-\$15.00. This is offered to all high school and full time college students. Same member privileges and activities as general membership.

Teacher Membership-\$40.00. Same member privileges as general membership. Additionally, all teacher members will be listed separately in the roster, giving them the opportunity to reach out to prospective students.

Sponsor/Vendor Membership-\$70.00. Any business may submit their company logo in all programs, newsletters and events of the society. You will be given a table as a Vendor to sell items and promote your business at the annual flute festival.

Additionally, all members are eligible to apply for the Society's annual scholarship, as are the students of any teacher member.

Dues

As with all organizations, it is that time of the year when your annual membership fees are due. Our year goes from August 1st to July 31st.

After you receive this newsletter, you will also be receiving a form to fill out and mail back with your money. It is important that these are sent in promptly as we depend on them to help with business expenses for the flute society.

Student Membership: \$15

General Membership:\$30

Teacher Membership: \$40

Business Membership: \$70

Annual IEVFS's lesson scholarship

The purpose of this scholarship is to help a dedicated student who is having financial difficulties paying for their flute lessons.

Due date for the applications will be announced. Applicants will be notified of their status once the applications have been examined and finalists chosen. Requirements of the scholarship:

1. Based on financial need.
2. Applicant must be a current member, or the student of a teacher member, of the society. Current member means dues are up to date.
3. Any age or ability may apply.
4. Winner will perform at a meeting of the society during the next year.
5. Applicant must provide the name of the flute teacher they are studying with. Applicant will be responsible for paying half of their lesson fees for 6 month, scholarship will pay for the other half. Funds received will go directly to the flute instructor; applicant may choose their own instructor

Business Members:

Sacred Mountain Acupuncture
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Don't see your business?

Business members must be current on dues to be included in the newsletter.

See our web-site for information on becoming a member!

Business members may join anytime of the year.



Local ensembles in the area:

The Lake Arrowhead Flute Choir- meets weekly on Thursdays at 4:30 at Dee Dee Ogden's Flute studio in Lake Arrowhead. There are 2 levels available; one for elementary to high school ages, and the other for adults. There are all types of music to be played, costing \$5 per rehearsal. If you are interested, contact Dee Ogden at (909)-336-2426 or by email at dr.deedee@verison.net.

Zanja Fife & Drum Corps- is a Revolutionary War militia unit, formed in the spring of 1999 out of unit of the Redlands 4th of July Band. The corps has grown to over 20 members. They have performed at Sea World in San Diego, Ronald Reagan Presidential Library, Hemet Library Dedication, and many musters in the Inland Empire. Rehearsals vary. For more information, contact Jackie Aronowitz by email at sweet-silver@earthlink.net

Jenifer Aragon has a flute choir reading session that meets on the 2nd & 4th Friday of the month in Bloomington, 4:00 p.m. If you are interested contact her at jenny-flute52@yahoo.com

The Silver Sounds Flute Ensembles- meets on Sunday or Wednesday in Redlands, as an outlet for flute players of all ages, looking to expand their abilities beyond band and orchestra. Founded in 1993 by Jackie Aronowitz, they've performed at various places, including church services, retirement homes, and amusement parks such as Disneyland and Knotts Berry Farm. If you're interested in joining, contact the director at (909)-335-1833 or email sweetsilver@earthlink.net

Musical Events Calendar

Go to Jackie's website to see the next musical events coming up. Website is:

www.sweetsilver.privatemusiclessons.net

Society Calendar 2010 – 2011

June 26, 2011: 4:00 pm General Meeting

August 21, 2011: 3:30pm General Meeting

September 18, 2011: 3:30pm Annual Social

October 16, 2011: Guest artist Tracy Harris.

Time and location TBA

November 20, 2011: 3:30pm General Meeting

January 15, 2012: 3:30pm General Meeting

February 19, 2012: 3:30pm General Meeting

March 18, 2012: 3:30pm General Meeting

April 15, 2012: 3:30pm General Meeting

May 20, 2012: 3:30pm General Meeting

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