

Wednesday Morning Music Club http://www.musicclubaustin.org Austin, Texas



Meeting Minutes April 3, 2019, 10 AM Triumphant Love Lutheran Church 9508 Great Hills Trail, Austin, Texas

President Janie Keys called the business meeting to order at 11:15 a.m. There were 39 members and 16 guests in attendance for the program. Please see pages after these minutes for the program as performed. Marcia Edwards introduced two TFMC guests: President Lois Armor and "poetry guru" Marque McKay. Janie welcomed all of the guests. The business meeting started with the approval of the minutes from the March 20 meeting as read.

Officer Reports

Janie Keys announced that on May 1, our last meeting of this program year, we will be asked to vote for our venue for next year. The choices are Triumphant Love Lutheran Church or First Unitarian Universalist Church. Both venues satisfy all our important requirements. More information will be provided at the April 17 meeting.

Committee Reports

Wilcox, Maurer, Rudd, and Putter High School Awards Chair Mary Parse summarized the results of the March 23 contests. There were 31 applicants. Of the 31 applicants 28 performed: 8 pianists, 5 violinists, 3 violists, 2 cellists, 1 flute, and 9 singers. The 2019 winners in the Maurer Contest for High School Seniors are First Place (\$1800): Casey Boyer, viola, Second Place Putter Award (\$1600): Katelyn Rodrigues, mezzo-soprano, and Honorable Mention: Julius Tabery, baritone. The 2019 winners in the Wilcox Contest for 9th, 10th, and 11th Grade Students are First Place (\$1200) and Rudd Award (\$250) with a total of \$(1450): Kellen Cao, piano, Second Place (\$1000): Sophie Ayer, violin, and 5 Honorable Mentions: Abigail Garner, flute, Sarah Qi, piano, Andre Plackis, cello, Weiran Jiang, violin, and Molly Snodgrass, mezzo-soprano. The four First Place and Second Place winners will perform at our May 15 Luncheon.

The judges were from the U.T. Austin Butler School of Music: Dr. Laurie Scott, strings, David Small, voice, and Dr. Colette Valentine, piano. The WMMC volunteers were: Mary Parse, Barbara Buttrey, Janie Keys, Virginia Kniesner, Sarah Harriman, Katharine Shields, Carolyn McColloch, Nan Hampton, and Pat Yingst.

Announcements

Marianne Weiss Kim is responsible for inviting the Small Wonders Puppet Theater performers to our program today. She has seen the complete performance with Frank Sinatra, Louis Armstrong, and others performing. This is a non-profit organization that does shows for Senior Citizen's Facilities, Memory Care Units, and Senior Recreational Centers/Meeting Facilities. Please feel free to donate. There are brochures out in the lobby.

Pat Yingst announced that she will be playing flute in Gomes Piano Trio along with oboist Dr. Andrew Ross, and pianist Dr. Maxine Gomes at the Lakeway Activity Center (105 Cross Creek) on Sunday, April 28 from 4-5 p.m. Admission is free. Please see the flyers in the lobby.

Joy Gooden announced that there was an article in last Sunday's *Austin American-Statesman* about musician Christine Albert and psychotherapist Gaea Logan who organized free private concerts in the early nineties for music lovers who were terminally ill or nearing the end of life. Their non-profit organization founded in 2005 is called Swan Songs, and they bring music to homes and health care facilities. Please see the brochures in the lobby.

Janie encouraged members to look at Kit Thompson's photos for the March 6 program at the First Unitarian Universalist Church. They are especially good.

Hospitality Committee Co-Chair Elizabeth Lerner announced that there is candy on the table in the lobby in keeping with the "Pops Concert" theme of the music program.

Greta Gutman announced that former member John Sanders passed away on March 22. He used to tune our pianos and the pianos at the First Unitarian Universalist Church. He received the 2008 WMMC Distinguished Service Award. There is no service planned.

Program Committee member Elizabeth Lerner announced that the deadline and Guidelines for Performance Submissions is on p. 54 in our Yearbook. The deadline for submissions for the 2019-2020 season is June 1 2019.

Carla Johnson announced that her husband Phil Johnson received the TFMC Distinguished Service Award at the TFMC annual convention last week in Lubbock.

The meeting adjourned at 11:28 a.m.

Submitted by Virginia Kniesner, Recording Secretary

Pops Program April 3, 2019

Program Leader: Carol Brnnon
Collect Leader: Suzy Gallagher

Together We Sing: April Showers

Charles Palmer, leader Kathryn Govier, piano

Program

When the Saints Go Marching In

I Whistle a Happy Tune

Richard Rodgers (1902-1979)

Oscar Hammerstein II (1895-1960)

Forgotten Dreams

Up, Up and Away

Thanks for the Memory

Eroy Anderson (1908-1975)

Jimmy Webb (b. 1946)

Ralph Rainger (1901-1942)

Leo Robin (1900-1984)

Silver Strings Orchestra Catherine van Zanten, Director

Nobody Makes a Pass at Me Harold Rome (1908-1993)

from Pins and Needles

Fran Rush, alto Greta Gutman, piano

I Can Cook Too Leonard Bernstein (1918-1990)

from *On the Town*

Suzy Gallagher, soprano Greta Gutman, piano

To a Tea Linda Mae Dennis (b. 1957)

Marcia Edwards and Sarah Harriman, speakers

An Irving Berlin Love Story Irving Berlin (1888-1989)

When I Lost You (1912), What'll I Do (1923)

Always (1925), Blue Skies (1926)

Charles Palmer, baritone Kathryn Govier, piano A Great Stroll Down Memory Lane Young at Heart

Johnny Richards (1911-1968) Carolyn Leigh (1926-1983)

Puppet performance of Frank Sinatra singing with original recording and moving puppet

Small Wonders Puppet Theater
**Joan Klasson, Artistic Director

**Guest Performer