President’s Message

Greetings from sunny, not so warm, Florida. (It went down to 31 degrees last night). After speaking with several board members, I can share a few tidbits with all of you.
The Fine Arts Association lists Music Therapy as “the structured use of music experience by a trained professional to help individuals of all ages and abilities achieve specific goals such as attention to task, motor development, appropriate social interaction, language development, positive self-worth, emotional expression and much more”, and FAA has this wonderful program to offer those in need. Ann Marie Raddell certainly has the credentials and her presentation was, and I quote one of our board members, “Ann gave a nice review of how the program has evolved from the start and how far they have come in reaching many, especially outside of Fine Arts as well. I liked her audience participation and her vocals as well. The whole thing was very educational.” So, thank you to FAA, Ann Marie Raddell and her staff.

After the presentation, everyone headed to the beef! The mini-meatloaves were once again a big hit.

Congratulations to Diane Meros who is the winner of the 50/50 raffle!

Our donation to FAA for their wish list request is coming to fruition. The electronic message boards are installed and can be seen as you enter the gallery. Check them out!

Treasurer, Judy Nagel, reported that our benefit in December realized $21,792. And the net income was $13,851. Well done committee!!!

On February 12th, we will enjoy the music of some of the faculty from FAA. “Interludes of Music” will be presented by Judith Elias, Phyllis Spears, and Sanni Kearns. See the detailed information included in this newsletter.

I’m looking forward to seeing all of you in February.

Karen Pribula
The Second Wednesday Program/Luncheon Series

February 12th, 2020 @ 11 a.m.

“Interludes of Music”

Performers:
Judith Elias (flutist)
Phyllis Spears (mezzo soprano)
Sanni Kearns (pianist)

You are in for a special treat this month! Our February program will feature three long-time Fine Arts Association music instructors collaborating to create an entertaining program just for our Women’s Committee. Their selections are from American composers. They will perform compositions such as “Love is a Many Splendored Thing and “Regrets & Resolutions”. Please join us!

RSVP Deadline is: Noon on Friday, February 7th, 2020

A Friendly Reminder: Program & luncheon reservations are required!
The preferred method is to email fineartsrsvp@gmail.com.

Phone reservations can be made by calling 440-951-7500 ext. 103. Phone reservations are confirmed by phone. Email reservations are confirmed by email. If you do not receive a confirmation you do not have a reservation.

Cancellation policy: Must be by noon on Friday, February 7th, 2020 or you will be responsible for payment.

Chicken Florentine Alfredo over penne pasta served with a garden salad. You’ll enjoy tender chicken breast and spinach tossed in a creamy Alfredo sauce.

Dessert – Sweetheart specials

Catering is by Dave Baker at Manna Catering. His Manna Café is at 1821 N. Ridge Rd. Painesville. Open: 7am-2pm Tues- Sun. If you have any menu suggestions or comments please contact Susan M. Miller, 440-479-9195.

THANK YOU TO THE HOSTESSES FOR FEBRUARY:
Janice Robinson, Chair  Gloria Abbott  Stephanie Cerula  Bea Woidtke
MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE REPORT

Please help us WELCOME our newest members.

Also update your directory with the following info:

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YOU can win a free voucher to the production of your choice!!

Here is how: Invite a friend to a Program/Luncheon
- When they become a member, YOU win a voucher!
- Enjoy the show of your choice at the Fine Arts Assoc.

March 11
“Everyone Loves Dancing”
A performance by Fine Arts Dance Students

Don’t miss the Fine Arts Association’s production of “Charlotte’s Web”
February 14 – March 1
The charming tale of Fern Arable and her “humble”, “terrific”, “some Pig”, Wilbur.