



MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENTS

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Our annual **ISOA Spring Jubilee** is our largest fundraiser of the year that is fast approaching. As you know, this event is being held on **Saturday, April 27, 2024**, at the Dallara IndyCar Factory in Speedway. You should have received your invitation in the mail. You will want to **register today** before the **early bird deadline** passes you by on **April 5th**. You will be able to view the silent auction items on **April 12** with bidding beginning on **April 19**. You may also go to our website www.passionformusic.org to view the invitation.

Jan Pierce and Terry Snell



How to Purchase Jubilee Tickets

Early Bird Deadline April 5, Reservation
Deadline April 12

YOU MAY INDICATE SEATING PREFERENCES ON
QTEGO

STEP 1: Purchasing Tickets

1. Click on isoa.ticket.qtego.us for reservations.
2. Scroll to **Purchase Event Tickets** and **Ticket and Package Options**. Click the tickets you prefer (Gold, Silver).
3. An **Order Summary Box** appears on the

right with your total. Click **Edit Guest Info.**, typing requested information - the names of guests and their email addresses.

4. Click next and view the **Donate** box. (See below)
5. **Special Requests**. Follow the instructions.
6. **Payment Information**. Make sure your email is included to receive confirmation.
7. **Create a Qtego account** to bid online and sign up for parties online, and Click Submit.

8. People writing checks may turn in the Response Card that came with the invitation.

Step 2: Registering for the Auction

1. Go to the Homepage and in the upper right click on **Register for the Event**.
2. Fill in your information and click **Submit Registration**. You will be sent a personal pin on your mobile phone. Type in the code. You are now registered to view the silent auction items. Bidding is available one week before the event.

UNABLE TO ATTEND but want to DONATE and/or purchase items

1. To make a donation: Click on **would like to donate** under Purchase Event Tickets.
2. To bid on auction items: Click on **Register for the Event** in the upper right-hand corner of Homepage and follow instructions. You will be able to bid on items.

WANT TO ATTEND and are single? Don't have a table?

Contact Joanna Weiler, 2024 Jubilee Chair, at joannaweiler@comcast.net



SINGLE LADIES' NIGHT

The Spring Jubilee is for all of our members. No one is left out. We have a very diverse population. Many of us do not have partners and are single to mingle. Please accept this invitation to come to or Jubilee and be assured

April is membership month which is our way to celebrate you! You can enjoy invitations to events and special experiences, participate in volunteer opportunities, and socialize in ways that will inspire you to get active and stay engaged. All members will be receiving an emailed membership and preference form on April 1 to be completed by April 30. We are asking that you **REGISTER ONLINE** to make it easier to keep track of your information and to make sure your information is correct and up to date. You may either pay online or by check. The registration form allows for both options. Dues are \$60 for Individual, \$100 for Couple, \$125 for Patron, and \$175 for Patron Couple. Forms will be posted on our website for new members. Thank you for being a member!

SYMPHONY IN COLOR

that you will have a table reserved for you. Contact Joanna Weiler at joannaweiler@comcast.net if you are attending by yourself and would like to partake in the festivities. You will leave fulfilled and uplifted by the experience.

CHASE THE WINTER

BLAHS: Approximately 98 guests representing each of the City Groups attended the party in the Wood Room which preceded the ISO concert on March 2. We thank Tim Stephenson for the musical entertainment and Frances Heavrin for serving as bartender as well as to other ISO staff and ISOA members who helped with the event.



Celebrates Award Winners

There were approximately 5,500 students from eleven Indiana counties participating in SIC this year. This year's theme was "Animated Classics" with music taken from Disney's *The Lion King* and *Fantasia*. Judging took place at the historic Propylaeum Foundation Carriage House on January 29. The People's Choice Luncheon was held on February 6, attended by approximately 90 people. The Awards Tea was held at the HCT on March 3 with 115 people in attendance. Vanna Craun, (5th grade, Swayzee Elementary) was the Pacini Award winner, and the People's Choice Award Winner was Olivia Ly (6th grade, Marshall Elem, Mooresville).

Thank you to Linda Sykes for organizing the tea and the luncheon, as well as to many others who gave their assistance.

Pictured Below: 1. Mary Richards and Jan Pierce with Lula Avery, Grade 2, Gold Ribbon Winner; 2. People's Choice Award created by Olivia Ly (6th grade, Marshall Elkem. School, Mooresville); 3. Pacini Award created by Vanna Craun (5th grade, Swayzee Elem. Swayzee)

Discovery - Ushers Needed

This year has been so exciting with Discovery Concerts! The theme this year is "Around the World with the ISO", and the students, grades 3-6, get to experience music from all over the world. The Discovery Concert ushers are given a scarf to wear with their outfits as a fun way to represent their role as a flight attendant... to welcome the students, and guide them through this musical experience. It is always so much fun to see the students' faces when they walk into Hilbert Circle Theater. The ushers get to welcome the students, and then enjoy the concert with the students. The conductor, Su-Han Yang, does a great job of interacting with the students during this concert. What a fantastic program this year!!

Volunteers are needed for April 9. Arrival time is 8:45 in the coat check area. Contact Deb Dyar (North)





**MICHAEL BEN AND ILLENE KOMISAROW
MAURER YOUNG MUSICIANS CONTEST
and SIDE BY SIDE
Concert Held March 20th**

Total hours reported by the Groups for July 2023 through February 2024 are:

- East = 1,256.25
- North = 3,530
- South = 2,953
- West = 947
- Wabash = 116

Total volunteer hours for the above-

Eleven applicants entered the YMC, eight of whom were in the high school division and three of whom were in the middle school (Rising Star) division.

Winners for the Rising Star Division: Prudence Peng, violin, \$500; Felicia Xei, piano, \$250;

Finalist Award of Excellence: Jessia Xie, piano, \$100. High School Division: Miranda Isbitts, violin, \$2,000; Sasha Varchenko, violin, \$1,000; Emma Levesque, harp, \$500;

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8,802.25.

are **Finalist Awards of Excellence:** Braden Riley, violin, \$100; Sinead Whelan, viola, \$100. Appreciation is expressed to those ISOA members who assisted with the Competition. There were 40 students who qualified for the Side-by-Side. The concert was held on March 20, with Miranda Isbitts as orchestra soloist that evening.

Congratulations to all and thank you Meg Niehaus for being our chair person and liaison with these educational programs at the ISO.

[If you have a question on anything ask your Group Chair.](#)

CALENDAR REMINDERS!

April 1-30: Membership renewal forms will be appearing in your inboxes. Register online.

April 5: Whole Note articles due to Linda Sanning

April 10: South Group Musical Evening at the Cabaret

April 17: West Group Luncheon at Country Club of Indianapolis

April 27: ISOA Spring Jubilee at the Dallara Indycar Factory

May 5: South Group Style Show and Shopping at Cynthia's Hallmark

May 6: North Group Musical Evening at John Seest's

June 3: West Group Avon Gardens

June 20: North Group Bridgewater with Glen Kwok

June 22: South Group Annual Meeting and Celebration

August 28: ISOA Volunteer Award Luncheon and Annual Celebration

MONTHLY MEETING

Be Connected. Be Heard. Be Informed.

MONTHLY BOARD MEETING REMINDERS

Arrival time for the social period is 9:30am with meetings beginning at 10am. All group members are invited and encouraged to attend their respective group board meetings.

- First Wednesday - Executive Board (Zoom available)
- Second Thursday - East Group
- Fourth Thursday - North Group
- Second Monday - South Group
- Second Monday - West Group