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Taking Note!...

Williamsport Music Club

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It's been a FABULOUS SEASON at WMC, folks! Hats off to all of the monthly program chairs, greeters, song & poem presenters, accompanists, choral singers, program participants, and audience members who made the music happen! You are the jewels in our crown at WMC☺

I know I speak for all of WMC when I say how grateful we are for our President Ryan Workman, who goes above and beyond the call in leading WMC! He rushes to board meetings/programs from Milton straight from a long day at work. He prints our programs, designs our posters, He & Ann not only served as Season Program Chairs this year, but additionally chaired several of the monthly programs. Thank you for all you do for our organization!

As we wrap up this great season, consider how you will participate and serve in this great organization of ours when September rolls around. Please share program ideas you would like to see with our President, Ryan. Planning happens over the summer, so let's all consider how we can be contributing to our great organization. We share a common interest and unique mission as we join with others in our community who champion the power and joy that music brings to our lives. We all support one another and in doing so we can do more together than we can contribute alone. It is an honor to be a part of NFMC, PFMC and WMC!

"Let there be Music!"

Kristin

*"TO SINGING AND TO MUSIC, TO JOYFUL FRIENDSHIP TRUE;
TO MOMENTS FILLED WITH HAPPINESS,
REFRESHING EACH DAY ANEW.
FROM THE VALLEYS AND FROM HILLTOPS, FROM SEA TO SHINING SEA
LET EARTH RESOUND WITH MUSIC AND LIFE THE RICHER BE."*

FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK...

The Williamsport Music Club season flies by because we have fun! It seems like our September 2024 program was just yesterday! Hopefully you had an opportunity to enjoy a great program during the 2024-2025 Season and look as much forward to kicking off next season as much as I do!

Thank you to chairman Dave Koskey and all involved in a spectacular showcase of Broadway favorites last week. This Tuesday (yes, THIS Tuesday!) is our final program of the season featuring the rising musical stars of the Williamsport area. Scott Schell has put together a great variety of styles and genres, certain to be enjoyed by all!

Of course, we always precede the June program with a meal and fellowship. If you couldn't sign-up in time to partake, please stay tuned for more information about the September program which will also begin with a meal. Vice President Ann Kaufman has solicited the reliable services of "The Food Guy" once again and I know you are going to enjoy your meal! Note we begin the meal at 6:00 p.m. and the program follows at 7:30 p.m. (not 7:00 p.m.) at Pine Street United Methodist Church.

Thank you to our board officers, members and program chairs who made my job easy over the past year. I truly couldn't do it without you. The success of our club and the ability to put on monthly, free concerts is only possible because there are helping hands, minds, voices, and instruments willing to assist our club. If you would like to be more involved, please reach out to me: 570-980-4673. I am particularly looking for folks willing to assist Kristin Ivers and Suzanne Heilman with our scrapbook, as well as a 2025-2026 Season Program Chairperson: the person who selects the annual and monthly themes and chairpersons, but is done with their job come September!

Stay in touch and follow our social media over the summer. See you soon!

Ryan Workman

WMC President



JUNE MEETING INFORMATION!

JOIN US AT OUR JUNE MEETING!

Chaired by Scott Schell


Dinner Chaired by Ann Kaufman- meal is \$25

Catered by The Food Guy - <https://www.facebook.com/thefoodguycateringcompany>

Dues for next year will also be accepted by Leatha

GREETERS:
GRETA ELLIOTT &
ANN KAUFMAN

The Williamsport Music Club
presents
**United to Keep
Music Alive in
Williamsport**



Tuesday, June 3, 2025 6:00 PM - Meal & 7:30 PM Program
Pine Street United Methodist Church
441 Pine Street Williamsport, PA
www.williamsportmusicclub.com

SONG/POEM OF THE
MONTH:
MITZI BURGET &
KRISTIN IVERS

Program includes performances from...

- *Russell Goocey – piano*
 - *Nora Lenig - piano*
 - *Pierce Biddle - piano*
 - *Grace Stoltz – violin*
 - *Marco Blas –vocal*
- *Jayden Brown – vocal/guitar*
 - *Serin Heller – violin*
- *Laurel Wolgemuth – piano*
 - *Maria Blas – vocal*
- *Scott Schell & Kathy Cimini – vocal/guitar*

MEMBER NEWS!

~Do you have member news to share? **Please contact this editor** to help keep our WMC members connected and in the know!~

Congratulations to **Benjamin Goertzen**, piano student of WMC member **John Ravert**! Benjie recently won 3rd place (\$300) at the Westchester Piano Competition, resulting in a performance of the Chopin Ballad in G mi. at the winner's concert. Benjie is an amazing pianist and is fortunate to have an amazing teacher and friend in John!

The **WMC Board** recently attended a Tea Party bridal shower hosted by **Mitzi Burget** and **Lois Williams** at Lois' home in honor of **Ann**. The floral arrangements were beautifully done by **Nan Young**. It was a delightful afternoon of fellowship, smiles, and singing! Yes, and gifts were presented, opened, and received gratefully by Ann. Ryan and Ann will be united in marriage on June 14, 2025 at St. Joseph the Worker Catholic Church. Many blessings and best wishes go out to them as they begin life together.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR!



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| June 3, 2025 | Dinner, Ann Kaufman /United to Keep Music Alive in Williamsport– Scott Schell, program
Where: Pine Street UMC 441 Pine Street, Wmspt
When: 6:00 Dinner & 7:30 program |
| June 8, 2025 | Bald Eagle Art Show/Repasz Band/ Strawberry Festival
Where: Ways Garden and Trinity Episcopal Pro-Cathedral, 844 W 4th St, Williamsport
When: 11:30 – 3:30pm, Repasz performs @ approx. 2:00

BBQ sandwiches, hot dogs, baked beans, cold drinks and strawberries with shortcake and ice cream will be sold. Tours of the church will be offered, and the Bald Eagle Art Show will be held at Way's Garden. |
| June 10-14, 2025 | NFMC 2025 Convention in Austin, TX

https://www.nfmc-music.org/2025-convention/ |
| July 1, 2025 | WMC Summer Board Meeting

Where: Home of Ryan & Ann Workman, 414 Wyndham Crt. (off of Homewood Ave.)
When: 6:00 PM |

A look back at May...





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