



2017 Spring Fling!

Spring 2017 Newsletter

Don't miss the Spring Fling - Tues, May 16!

Location: Chester Bird Legion Post 523 - 200 N Lilac Dr in Golden Valley

This is on the northeast quadrant of Hwy 100 and Glenwood Ave (near Breck School)

From Hwy 100, go EAST on Glenwood Ave. The FIRST LEFT is Lilac Dr.

Time: 6:00 - Social time with cash bar

6:45 - Buffet dinner

7:30 - Program includes performance(s) by scholarship winner(s), induction of new members, and an Evergreen Sing-along

Cost: \$30 per person and guests are welcome!

Critical! *Return the attached registration form and check to Kay Hawley (address on form) postmarked no later than Monday, May 8*

2017 Nominations for New Members

The Evergreen Club was started (over 100 years ago!) in 1916 by nine friends who wanted an informal but regular gathering with one thing in common – music. Who would you like to see and have a chance to talk with a couple of times a year? Consider nominating someone for membership this spring! Nominees need to have been involved in the Twin Cities music scene for 20+ years. Consideration also made for Twin Cities musicians active in our local music scene but newer to the area.

Is there someone you would like to nominate? Have him/her complete the nomination form, you sign it as the sponsor, and *return it to Doug Schmitt*. The Past First Fiddles vote on new members, and their decisions will be communicated with nominees/sponsors as quickly as possible.

Scholarship Competition

This is the 51th year of our scholarship competition! The competition is open to high school seniors who will be going on to study music at a college or university following high school graduation. In 2017, we are able to offer two scholarships for \$1,500 each. Help us pass the word and sponsor a talented young musician. An application is attached. All entries must be submitted digitally. Our winners for this year have been selected but it is never too early to start thinking of a potential recipient and encouraging them to considering applying next spring. This year's Scholarship winners will be our feature entertainment at our Spring Fling on May 16.

Michael Hiatt, First Fiddle • Doug Schmitt, Second Fiddle • Kay Hawley, Viola/Cello
Mary Brindle, Membership & Webmaster • Jim ten Bensel, Historian

2017 Dues are Due - See Spring Fling Registration Form

By action of the First Fiddles in the fall of 2015 are dues are set at \$15.00. Dues are paid annually by everyone other than Life Members and collected with registration for the Spring Fling. What is the money used for? Small expenses such as postage and printing (costs not already offset by in-kind donations), website hosting, banking fees, nametags. Any dues money remaining at the end of the year will be “swept” into the scholarship fund.

44 Life Members!

Congratulations, Life Members! These are members who were inducted into The Evergreen Club in 1992 or before! As a Life Member they no longer have to pay annual dues.

Adams, C. Richard (1986)	Handberg, Channing (1978)	Oliveri, Frank (1990)
Anderson, Clyde (1987)	Haugen, Ruben (1969)	Peterson, Robert (1984)
Anderson, Jim (1988)	Hoel, Roger Satrang (1984)	Preus, James (1985)
Bortolussi, Richard (1991)	Johnson, Richard (1988)	Quesnel, Steve (1985)
Brunelle, Philip (1974)	Kaess, John (1983)	Ristrom, Reuben (1987)
Chlebeczek, James (1986)	Lake, Robert (1986)	Shaffer, Thomas (1987)
Chlebeczek, George (1984)	Lipke, Carl (1991)	Smith, Henry Charles (1979)
Davenport, Edward (1991)	Madson, John (1988)	Spong, Robert (1975)
Dean, Robert (1982)	Marvin, David (1990)	Stamm, William (1983)
Dressen, Dan (1986)	Melichar, Edwin (1987)	Sutton, Vern (1976)
Edstrom, Richard (1991)	Moen, D. Craig (1980)	ten Bensel, James (1981)
Evenrud, Jerry (1987)	Moore, Russell (1981)	Waggoner, Richard (1987)
Ferguson, David (1961)	Morshare, Robert (1967)	Wessberg, Monte A.J. (1990)
Folin, John (1987)	Neddermeyer, Neil (1987)	Wyland, Dick (1986)
Hallquist, Robert (1988)	Nielsen, John (1987)	

Visited theevergreenclub.org lately?

This is the place to find the most up-to-date information on member news including concerts and obituaries. *If you have news to share or a concert to promote, contact our webmaster and membership chair, Mary Brindle: mbrindle@comcast.net.* This is also the place to find another copy of the 2016 Scholarship Application and 2017 Nomination for Membership forms. The password for the Members page is pinetree.

Worth Repeating – Please keep us informed

If you have a new address, news to share or a concert to promote, contact our webmaster and membership chair, Mary Brindle: mbrindle@comcast.net. News and events will be posted on our website.

Want to “unsubscribe” from Evergreen?

We’d hate to see you go... but if you no longer wish to stay connected to The Evergreen Club, please contact Mary Brindle: mbrindle@comcast.net or 6901 Paiute Dr., Edina, MN 55439 or (952) 941-7746.