



"The State of the Arts"  
TFMC President's Newsletter  
Spring 2018

## Musical Greetings!

Tennessee's State Flower, the Iris, is in bloom everywhere—even in the heading of this newsletter. This signals that the Federation year (for some of us) is coming to a close. I hope that you and your Music Club have had a wonderful 2017-2018! This has already been a very busy year for the Tennessee Federation! I will mention just a few highlights.

## Reports

- ♪ All TFMC Officers and State Chairmen – please send your year-end reports to me as soon as possible.
- ♪ Senior Club Presidents and Junior Counselors – please forward any news that you might like to share, either in the summer newsletter or in my President's Report to National.
- ♪ All Junior Counselors – if your JMC has performed any type of musical service to the community (during the 2017-2018 year), please let me know, so that you and your club may be recognized in the 5th Annual "TFMC President's Award for Outstanding Community Service" by a Junior Music Club. The deadline for submission of information is June 1.
- ♪ National Music Week Participants – Please send your reports, along with programs, bulletins, photos, etc. to the NMW State Chair Bob Gilliam before June 1.
- ♪ Junior Achievement Reports – There is a new form for submitting your JMC activities. The updated and simplified JR 1-1 can be found on the NFMC website: <https://www.nfmc-music.org/publicationcategory/juioir/>
- ♪ Senior Club Summary Reports – The 2018 Report Forms for Senior Music Appreciation Clubs (ME 7-1) and Senior Music Teaching Clubs (ME 7-2) are to be sent to me by July 1. Both reports are available online: <https://www.nfmc-music.org/publicationcategory/membership/>

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 *Special Event & Request*

- ♪ On February 23, the TFMC Planning Committee – Mary Ellen Noletti, Barbara Hildebrand, Bob Gilliam and I – met with the Representatives of the Sewanee Summer Music Festival (located at The University of The South) to discuss preparations for the NFMC Southeastern Region’s Annual Meeting. This is the first time in 70 years that the regional meeting has been held in a location other than Brevard, NC. Therefore, the TFMC wants to show Tennessee and Sewanee in the best possible light!
- ♪ **Calling all Volunteers** – If you or your club could help the TFMC in any way, as we host approximately 50 attendees from across the Southeast, please contact me as soon as possible. We will gladly accept material contributions (including “freebies” from local banks/businesses, etc.) for the “Hospitality Bags.” Otherwise, monetary donations (checks made payable to “TFMC” and sent to Barbara Hildebrand) would be greatly appreciated. Any club or individual making a contribution will be recognized in the printed program and at the SER Meeting.
- ♪ A “Tentative Schedule” is included below. We invite you to attend!!

A *Thank You* Note 



A special “Thank You!” to all of you who give of your time, energy and resources to support our Federation!! You keep the music playing as an integral part of our country’s culture! Please know that your noble efforts are appreciated!!

“Chordially,”  
Janie

Janie Gilliam, Ph.D.  
President  
Tennessee Federation of Music Clubs

# TENNESSEE FEDERATION OF MUSIC CLUBS

Cordially invites you to  
NATIONAL FEDERATION OF MUSIC CLUBS  
Southeastern Region Federation Weekend  
Sewanee Summer Music Festival  
The University of The South  
Sewanee, Tennessee



July 13-14, 2018

“Music . . . *The Domain* of the Heart”

## TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

♪ FRIDAY, July 13:

1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. ~ Registration, McGriff Alumni Hall

1:00 p.m. ~ Tour of the University of The South (Free)

4:00 p.m. ~ Tour of the University of The South (Free)



All Saints Chapel (Photo: J. Gilliam)

5:00 p.m. ~ Evensong Concert ~ All Saints Chapel (Free)

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5:45 p.m. ~ Banquet/Meeting ~ McGriff Alumni Hall

7:00 p.m. ~ 3 Free Student Orchestras/Ensembles Concerts  
in the following venues:

- ♪ Convocation Hall
- ♪ Guerry Auditorium
- ♪ St. Luke's Chapel

All three venues in close proximity to the Alumni House, and  
SER Meeting attendees may attend any of these after the Banquet.

♪ SATURDAY, July 14:

9:00 - 9:30 a.m. ~ Late/one-day Registration

9:30 a.m. ~ Business Meeting, McGriff Alumni Hall

♪ Group Photos

12:00 ~ Luncheon

- ♪ Performance by and presentation of award to the winner of the Gladys R. Coult Scholarship
- ♪ Invitation to 2019 SER Meeting
- ♪ Other business

1:15 p.m. ~ SER Meeting Adjourns

7:30 – 9:00 p.m. ~ Faculty/Artist Concert (\$20.00 per Ticket)\*

- ♪ Bohuslav Martinu: “Trio for Flute, Cello and Piano”  
Donna Shin, Natasha Farny, Steve Beck
- ♪ Zoltan Kodaly: “Serenade for Two Violins and Viola”  
Robert Uchida, Anna Reider, Sheldon Person
- ♪ Erich Wolfgang Korngold: “Trio for Violin, Cello and Piano”  
Lin He, Dennis Parker, Amy I-Lin Cheng

LOCATION: Guerry Hall

♪ SUNDAY, July 15:

2:30 – 4:30 p.m. ~ Concerts by the Cumberland Orchestra  
and Sewanee Symphony (\$20.00 for both Concerts)\*

♪ Cumberland Orchestra, Cesar Leal, Conductor

Aaron Copland: “An Outdoor Overture”  
Claude Debussy/Colnot: “La Cathedral Engloutie”  
Antonio Dvorak: “Slavonic Dances,” Op.46 1-4 and 8  
Zequinha de Abreu: “Tico Tico 4”

♪ Sewanee Symphony, Jacomo Bairos, Conductor

Chris Rogerson: “Luminosity”  
George Gershwin: “Cat Fish Row,” from *Porgy and Bess*  
Maurice Ravel: “Daphnis and Chloe”  
Maurice Ravel: La Valse

LOCATION: Guerry Auditorium

\*Please note: Special Concert Pricing Package: \$35.00 per ticket for the  
Combined Saturday and Sunday Concerts

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