

**COMING EVENT . . .**

Our next event will be a **Meet, Eat, and Sing** — **Saturday morning, September 17 with Cliff Hill** at Calvary Episcopal Church in Williamsville. Cliff always brings the best music and variety of publishers, so put this date on your calendar now so you won't miss it. All the details about this event will appear in the September *Bombarde*.

**ABOUT MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS**

**Please note that your membership renewal is included with this Bombarde . . . don't overlook it, and renewals are due by June 15.** Every year we have people who are not in the Membership Directory that is published in August/September because their renewals have not been received in time for inclusion. Then we get complaints from members that some members are not in the directory. If you are planning on renewing your membership for this year PLEASE get it in on time so you will be included in the directory.

**TO THOSE WHO SUBSTITUTE . . .**

If you are currently on the chapter's substitute list and want to continue being on that list, you will need to fill out the Substitute Service Information form on the back of the Membership Renewal form. Otherwise, your name will be removed from the list of those available to substitute. This is done every year to keep this list as up-to-date as possible. **PLEASE NOTE** that you will need to **mail this form to Marge Metz**. Please mail the form as soon as possible — especially if you can help by subbing during the summer months.

**NEXT BOARD MEETING**

The next Board Meeting will take place on Friday, May 20, 7:00 PM at North Presbyterian Church, 300 North Forest Road, Williamsville. Please let Chris Snyder (832-4969 / C50Snyder@aol.com) know if you are not able to attend.

**PROGRAM COMMITTEE STILL NEEDS MEMBERS**

The Program Committee is still in need of members. If you can help by serving the chapter in this way please contact Debi Overton, chair at 688-8085 or debi93@verizon.net.

**BOMBARDE DEADLINES**

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**FROM THE DEAN**

Greetings, everyone . . .

Well, I trust we've all survived our Easter music challenges and are getting ready for what for many of us will be a more relaxed summer season. Already the weather is warmer, and it looks like we'll really have summer weather this year.

On April 15th we were treated to an excellent recital by Stephen Price. Stephen, a Buffalo native, played an excellent recital at Westminster Presbyterian Church. The first part of the recital was performed on the smaller organ in the Holmes Chapel (no relation to me!). We heard works of Sweelinck and Bach. The second half of the recital was played on the sanctuary organ and included music by Bolcom, Dupré, and Tournemire. It's great to see a local guy doing so well. He's now pursuing a Master of Music degree in Organ Performance at Indiana University (that's where I went to graduate school — in Chemistry!). A big "Thank You" to the staff at Westminster Church and to Organist/Choirmaster Richard Herr for hosting this fine event.

Our final program this year will be a Sunday afternoon brunch and annual meeting at Clarence Presbyterian Church on Main Street (just past Clarence High School on the south side of Main). The program will include a brief recital by Director of Music Ministries Kotoe Shimojo on the church's Schlicker pipe organ. Details of the brunch and menu selections appear elsewhere in this issue. Please try to return your reservation early. The meal will be catered by Lisa Schultz, whose wonderful food we have enjoyed a couple of other times.

I wish everyone a wonderful summer, and I'm looking forward to seeing you on May 22.

— Curt Holmes, CAGO, Dean

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