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Conductor's Podium From Roberta Atkinson, President

"If music be the food of love, play on." William Shakespeare

Dear Guild Members,

The Guild year started with a wonderful meeting at Alabama Piano Gallery with two wonderful freshmen pianists from ASFA. Directories were available and if you ordered one, you should have it by now. Linda has had some more printed so if you want one for \$5 let her know. Judy Anderson, Hospitality chair had to go bags of snacks for attendees.

The next meeting is November 19, 2021 at my house on Shades Crest Road. We will have a string quartet from Indian Springs School.

We are looking forward to the annual Christmas party on December 2, at Nancy Canada's home Look for more details on that and your invitation.

Cheree Carlton will soon be putting together a nominating committee. If you would like to serve as a board member or on the committee, please let her know. She is also hosting the new member party in January.

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Calendar of Events

General Meetings @ 11 am

November 19, 2021: General Meeting (Masks Required)

Location: 314 Shades Crest Road, Hoover, Al 35226

Program: Indian Springs String Quartet

December 2 Christmas Party: Nancy Canada's home, 6:30-8:30 pm

January 21, 2022: General Meeting @ 11 am (Masks Required)

Location: The Club, 1 Robert Smith Drive, Birmingham, AL 35209

Program: Mountain Brook Middle & High School Chamber Music Groups

May 20, 2022: Installation

Location: TBD

Scholarship

March 5, 2022: Scholarship Competition at Birmingham Southern College

April 1, 2022: Scholarship Luncheon at Birmingham Country Club

Board Meetings

Third Tuesday of each month at 12 pm at Vestavia Hills Baptist Church

Newsletter Schedule September 1, November 1, January 1, March 1



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Join us for a

Prelude to the Holidays

December 2, 2021

6:30-8:30 p m

at the home of Nancy and Kevin Canada 4253 Antietam Drive 35213

Rsvp to the evite by 11/24/2021
Wear festive attire and bring a bottle of wine
Food prepared by committee



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Susanne Thomas, Treasurer