



*Susquehanna Valley Theatre
Organ Society*

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SVTOS MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL TIME

It's That Time Again Your SVTOS Membership Is Due

It's once again time to renew your SVTOS Membership for the 2024-2025 Season that runs from September 2024 through August 2025. **If you haven't already paid**, your personalized 2024-2025 SVTOS Membership Renewal Form is attached to the email that delivered this newsletter. Please print that form, review the information, make any necessary changes, and mail it along with your check made payable to "SVTOS" to Roy Wainwright at the address at the bottom of the form. You can also bring it to the next SVTOS meeting and give it to Roy.

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Thank you for your continuing support!

Please Note: This is no SVTOS meeting in August. Enjoy your summer!

SVTOS is a 501(c)(3) corporation dedicated to the preservation and presentation of Theatre Pipe Organs. Proudly supporting the Mighty WurliTzer Theatre Pipe Organ in the Capitol Theatre in York, PA.

Hope everyone is having a great summer. The Susquehanna Valley Theatre Organ Society's (SVTOS) July Picnic with Donnie Rankin at the Walker was a great success, and we had 37 in attendance. A special thanks to Bob Bower and Shawn Gordon from Rochester, NY, and Andrew Moore for all their set-up, cooking, and take-down assistance.

Our playing members continue to provide pre-movie theatre organ music, so consider a trip to the Capitol Theatre in York if you are looking for a local summer expedition (schedule on Page 3). Our next SVTOS event will be on Monday evening, September 16th at the Appell Center's Capitol Theatre. Then, Michael Carter (Editor of the Journal for the Cinema Organ Society's magazine) will be our guest artist while visiting from England. Michael tours his country playing programs on pipe as well as electronic organs. I've asked Michael to give the Chapter some highlights of theatre organs of the United Kingdom, insight to that country's theatre organ venues, as well as provide us with some tunes on the Capitol's theatre organ.

The rest of the year's plans are noted in this issue of the Windline (schedule also on Page 3), with a couple of member's programs yet to be finalized. The SVTOS holiday program will be presented on Sunday afternoon December 1st, including a short silent film, and will be open to the community like last year's program. This program will be co-sponsored by the Appell Center.

Enjoy the rest of your summer.

Richard Neidich

President, SVTOS



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SVTOS 2024-2025 SEASON

*Monday, September 16 7:00 PM	*Michael Carter Showcase (from the United Kingdom!!), Capitol Theatre, York, PA
Monday, October 14th 7:00 PM	"60 Years of ATOS" Slide/Video Show, Capitol Theatre, York, PA
Monday, November 11 7:00 PM	To Be Announced
*Sunday, December 1 Time TBD	*SVTOS Christmas Concert featuring Brett Miller (Open to the public), Capitol Theatre, York, PA
*Monday, January 20	*SVTOS Open Console (MLK Day), Capitol Theatre, York, PA
*Monday, February 17	*SVTOS Open Console (Presidents' Day), Capitol Theatre, York, PA
Monday, March 10 7:00 PM	SVTOS Members' Showcase, Capitol Theatre, York, PA
Monday, April 14 7:00 PM	To Be Announced
*Saturday, May 17 2:30 PM	* Ian Fraser Showcase on Opus 501, Howard-Fenner Residence, Lebanon, PA
Monday, June 9 7:00 PM	Pierre Fracalanza Showcase, Capitol Theatre, York, PA
* Indicates meetings <u>NOT</u> held on the usual second Monday of the month <u>and/or</u> at a different time or location	

"SVTOS Plays For The Movies"

Hear these SVTOS members play the Wurlitzer 30 minutes before listed times at the Capitol Theatre. Consult the Capitol Theatre Website ([Click here](#)) for the details and admission prices.

- Friday, August 2nd @ 6:30 PM, *Sleeping Beauty* (First Friday **FREE** Film) - **GARY COLLER**
- Friday, September 6, 6:30 PM, *The Iron Giant* – **ROY WAINWRIGHT**
- Saturday, September 7, 7:00 PM, *Nausicaa of the Valley of the Wind* – **DON SCHOEPS**
- Sunday, September 8, 3:00 PM, *Paris, Texas* – **ROY WAINWRIGHT**
- Saturday, September 14, 7:00 PM, *Princess Mononoke* – **LARRY FENNER**
- Sunday, September 15, 3:00 PM, Film TBD – **BARRY HOWARD**
- Saturday, September 21, 7:00 PM screening, *Spirited Away* – **GARY COLLER**
- Sunday, September 22, 3:00 PM screening, Film TBD – **BILL AUTRY**
- Saturday, September 28, 7:00 PM screening, *The Boy and the Heron* – **GLENN HOUGH**



COMING ATTRACTIONS

Saturday, September 14 Noon until 3:00 PM	Dickinson Theatre Organ Society Open House . Get up close with The Mighty Kimball, you can play, see the pipes, Q&A time, mini-concert at 2 PM featuring Luke Staisiunas at 2:00 PM. A free event!
Sunday, September 29 4:00 PM	Felix Hell organist at Market Square Presbyterian Church , \$15 dollars suggested donation
Saturday, October 12 2:00 PM	Dickinson Theatre Organ Society . Monte Maxwell. Wilmington, DE
Sunday, October 27 2:00 PM	Glenn Hough accompanies silent film "Nosferatu", Theatre Organ Society of the Delaware Valley , Colonial Theatre, Phoenixville, PA
Saturday, November 16 2:00 PM	Dickinson Theatre Organ Society . Jelani Eddington.
Sunday, December 8 2:00 PM	Candi Carley-Roth and the Valley Forge Chorus (chapter of "The Sweet Adelines"), TOSDV Holiday Concert, Theatre Organ Society of the Delaware Valley , Colonial Theatre, Phoenixville, PA
Saturday, January 25 2:00 PM	Dickinson Theatre Organ Society . Ian Fraser . Wilmington, DE
Saturday, March 15 2:00 PM	Dickinson Theatre Organ Society . Pierre Fracalanza. Wilmington, DE
Saturday, May 3 2:00 PM	Dickinson Theatre Organ Society . Dave Wickerham. Wilmington, DE
Friday, May 16 7:00 PM	<i>The Hunchback of Notre Dame</i> with organ accompaniment by Jason Roberts, Market Square Presbyterian Church , Tickets \$10 General admission; Students \$5

Click on the underlined links to find additional information, including location and cost, for these events.

