

## Letter from the President

June 9, 2009

Dear Fellow Woodbridge Music Club Members,

Our year is quickly drawing to a close. Summer and all that it brings is upon us. This signals the time to plan next year's programs and get all in order for the start of a new year in the fall. We are trying to compile the upcoming yearbook and get it ready to go to press soon. For this I need your help.

First of all, we have received applications and dues for next year from only about half the membership. This is a reminder that the June 15 deadline is coming up quickly. Please send in your application with your \$45 renewal fee as soon as possible, so that we can include your information in the 2009-10 yearbook. Our club has grown tremendously this year thanks to all of you. We want to continue improving and growing our club even more but need your help in renewing your membership. (If you have misplaced your membership application please visit our website ([WoodbridgeMusicClub.org](http://WoodbridgeMusicClub.org)). When you arrive at the welcome page look on the right side where it says "Join". Click on "About WMC" which is underlined and it will take you to another page. Again on your right find "Join" and click on "WMC Application 2009-10". The application form will open up before you. Print it, fill it out, and send it in with your dues.) If you have any family members, friends, or colleagues who love music, please talk to them about joining our club.

Secondly, I am looking for help for next year and may be calling on you to see if you might be able to aid our club in some way or other. If you are willing to participate, even in a small way, please contact me. The more members who share the workload, the easier it is. I want to thank all of you who helped in making our club run so smoothly this past year. The "many of you" who were behind the scenes were very much responsible for our success. By continuing to work together we can make our club bigger and better than ever in the future.

Our annual spring luncheon is coming up next Tuesday, June 16 at 11:30 in the morning. A wonderful luncheon at Thai Orchid Restaurant (4317 Dale Boulevard, Dale City - 703-897-0888) has been arranged for the sum of \$12 per person including tax and gratuity. If you are free that morning please join us.

Board members should plan to stay a short while after the luncheon for our final board meeting.

Our final "Saturdays at Five" House Concert will take place at the home of Leslie Bennett on Saturday, June 20 at 5:00 p.m. All members are welcome to perform and/or to listen that evening. Contact Donna Baldwin or Leslie Bennett if you plan to attend.

Our first program in September will again be comprised solely of member performances. Last year's September program was a great success, and we'd like to try it again. Ensembles and solos are welcome. The more variety we have, the more interesting the program will be. Please contact me or June Shuffett if you are interested in participating.

Once again, please send in your membership dues as soon as possible. I have enjoyed serving as your president this year, and I look forward to an exciting second term in office. Have a wonderful and restful summer. See you in the fall.

Sincerely,

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