

Pennsylvania - PFMC State Song Gertrude Martin Rohrer
Linda Flick, *piano*

*Pennsylvania, my native state, to you we pledge our devotion.
Pennsylvania, our loyalty is boundless as the ocean.*

*Pennsylvania, Pennsylvania, strong and true.
Pennsylvania, Pennsylvania, hear our song to you.
There is beauty in our mountains,
There is peace upon your hills.
And where'er I roam, my only home is Pennsylvania.*

*Pennsylvania, we thrill with pride to be your loyal decedents;
Pennsylvania, all hail to you, the foundation of independence.*

Official Song of the Pennsylvania Federation of Music Clubs

Adjournment and Closing Remarks

Invitation to 2020 Philadelphia District Conference

HOST CLUB

The Music Study Club of the Stroudsburgs

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2020

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2019

ZENTZ COMMUNITY CENTER
3020 FELLOWSHIP DRIVE
WHITEHALL, PA



ABOUT THE NFMC

National Federation of Music Clubs (NFMC) is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to Music Education and the promotion of creative and performing arts in America.

Since its founding in 1898, the NFMC has grown into one of the world's largest music organizations with club and individual members of all ages. The NFMC is chartered by the Congress of the United States, and is the only music organization member of the United Nations. Further history about NFMC can be found on the web at: www.nfmc-music.org.

ABOUT OUR HOSTS

Started in 1906 in Estelle Wright's living room, the Allentown Music Club formed as an outlet for performers, music study and a haven for music lovers. It took the club until 1915 to become affiliated with the Pennsylvania Federation. During the 1930's membership increased and the Woman's Club, now known as the Barrister's Club, became home to their performances. Its members did regular local radio broadcasts during the 1930's, when the chorus now in existence formed. In the 1950's, a Junior Music Club (ages 13-18), now known as the Young Musicians Club (ages 6-18) perform for the sponsoring Senior Club and also at local churches and nursing homes. 1951 marked the year men finally were admitted to the club as members and artist performers. From 2010 to 2015, we called Hope UCC home. During 2015 to 2017, we called Jordan UCC home. Then in 2017 we return to Hope UCC until it sold. Beginning April 2018, we moved our monthly meetings to Zentz Community Building on the campus of Fellowship Manor. Further information can be found on the web at: www.AllentownMusicClub.com

French Suites Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)
Suite V in G Major - Allemande

15 Etudes de Virtuosit , Op.72 Moritz Moszkowski (1854-1925)
6. Presto in F Major

Estampes (Prints) Claude Debussy (1862-1918)
III. Jardins sous la pluie (Gardens in the Rain)

Evangelyn Shen, piano
2019 Summer Music Camp Winner



Images, 1ere s rie Claude Debussy (1862-1918)
1. Reflets dans l'eau ("Reflections in the Water")

Three Preludes George Gershwin (1898-1937)
1. Allegro ben ritmato e deciso
2. Andante con moto
3. Agitato

Rhys Williams, piano
2016 Summer Music Camp Winner

PROGRAM

Music for the Royal Fireworks George Frideric Handel (1685-1759)
4. La Réjouissance (Allegro)
3. La Paix (Largo alla siciliana)

Water Music George Frideric Handel (1685-1759)
8. Hornpipe in D from Suite in F Major (HWV 348)

The Four Seasons Antonio Vivaldi (1678-1741)
Concerto No. 4 in F minor, Op. 8, RV 297, "Winter" (L'inverno)
II. Largo in Eb Major
Concerto No. 1 in E major, Op. 8, RV 269, "Spring" (La primavera)
I. Allegro in E Major

Cantata BMV 1 Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)
Wie schön leuchtet der Morgenstern
3. Aria "Erfüllet, ihr himmlischen göttlichen Flammen"

Eine kleine Nachtmusik Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (1756-1791)
1. Allegro

Musicians of Recordante Winds
Linda Bolasky, bassoon
Karen El-Chaar, flute
Rachel Holton, oboe & English horn

MORNING SESSION

Registration and Coffee 9:00 A.M.

Business Meeting and Conference 10:00 A.M.

Pledge of Allegiance lead by Linda Flick

National Anthem lead by Kathryn Skewis
Santa J. Peters, *piano*

NFMC Collect May Belle Cole

*We praise and thank Thee, Father, for the gift of music.
Through us as channels of Thy grace, may this blessed legacy be
shared with all mankind.*

*Grant that we may exemplify in our own lives the harmony of
Thy great purpose for us.*

*Give us magnitude of soul and such understanding hearts that
we, who make music, may be as players upon rightly tuned
instruments, responding to Thy leading.*

*Let us with renewed consecration dedicate ourselves to the
purpose of our Federation to bring the spiritualizing force of music
to the inner life of our nation. Open our minds that divine
knowledge and wisdom may teach us how best to execute our
pledge.*

Ritual of the National Federation of Music Clubs
(Excerpts taken from *The Musical Ritual* written by Mrs. Frank A. Seiberling)

NFMC Invocation Julia Smith

*We will sing a song of prayer to Thee,
O Lord, our God, eternally.
To invoke Thy blessings on this day
In all we do and all we say.
O Lord, hear our suppliant plea.
We will sing the song yet again to Thee
With a loving heart and fervently:
For we know all Good, all Truth and Light
Come from Thee, our source, our strength, our might.
O Lord! O Lord! Be with us through this night. Amen*

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Federation Hymn words: Irene Foreman Williams
music: Geistliche Kirchengesange Cologne
LASST UNS ERFREUEN
Arr: R. Vaughn Williams
Santa J. Peters, *piano*

Welcome Kathryn Skewis

Response Linda Flick

Business Meeting presided by Linda Flick

Secretary-Treasurer Report Katherine Hoopes

Club President Reports

State Chair Reports

Introduction of PFMC President Linda Flick

Honored Guest and Speaker Linda Maurhoff

Presentation of Certificates Linda Maurhoff

LUNCHEON
12:00 P.M.

Introduction of Officers and Guests Linda Flick
Philadelphia District Chair

Invocation Kathy Skewis
Philadelphia District Vice-Chair



AFTERNOON SESSION
1:30 P.M.
ZENTZ COMMUNITY CENTER

Introduction of Musical Artists Santa Peters

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