

A Newsletter of the Rockland County Music Teachers Guild

Tuning Up!

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P.O. Box 283, New City, NY 10956

You are invited to our annual

'Kick -Off the New Season Dinner'

Courtesy of the Rockland County Music Teachers Guild.



September 24th, Saturday evening at 6:30 p.m. at the home of the Hazan's

RSVP to Lana Tonkoschkur lanatonk@verizon.net or 359-1432 by 9/20

Bring your spouse or a friend. Directions to the Hazan home are on back of page.

Letter from the President

Greetings to all our members! We remain a strong organization with a stable membership and a great group on the board - I am delighted to be helping to steer us toward a wonderful season of programs, events and gatherings this year. If you are anything like me, and you've taken the summer "off", it is hard to get back to work. Figuring out the schedule, getting all the materials organized, and last-minute thinking about repertoire and planning for the fall and beyond take so much time. There is a sense of a deep breath as the first student of September walks through the door and one thinks: am I ready to do this again? Then the little friendships re-awaken and the delights of sharing music remind us that there's a reason we've been teaching for all these years. There is something impossibly fresh in it. Have a super start to your teaching year, and I'll look forward to seeing you at the Hazan's! -Tedo

Meet Your Board

President: Fredrica Wyman

Vice President: Jennifer Eyges

Treasurer: Rosemary Waltzer

Corresp. Secretary: Carole Tilson

Recording Secretary: Arlene Linke

Committee Heads.

Membership: Suzanne Coletta

Marathon: Marilyn Hazan

Auditions: Marie Cowen

Hospitality: Lana Tonkoschkur

Newsletter: Rhoda Forté

Directions to the Hazan Home
#15 Windgate Road, New City. North on Main Street in New City, past P.O. and stop sign and as road curves to left continue through golf course to first left Woodhaven Rd. Proceed to rotary and take 3rd exit Windgate Rd.. #15 will be on your left a short distance up road..
Hazan phone: 914-260-5372

Members may want to think about what aspects of Business Practices and also Pedagogy they would like to discuss with their colleagues at Roundtables. Contact: Jennifer Eyges at email address: Littlemusicmom47@yahoo.com

Calendar for 2016 - 2017

***September 24-** 6:30 p.m. at Home of the Hazans
Annual Kick- Off Dinner
RSVP.....Sept 21 (see cover)

***October 5th-** 10 a.m.
Vince Di Mura- **Improvising**
Rockland Conservatory

***November 2nd** 10 a.m.
Roundtable on Nyssma.
Rockland Conservatory

***December 7th** 10 a.m.
Members Roundtable: TBA
Rockland Conservatory

***December 10/11**
MARATHON at Palisades Center Mall....10 to 5 pm.

***January 21st.....** 6:30 pm
Home of the Waltzers,
Winter Pot Luck Dinner

***March 1st at 10 a.m.**
Dr. Steve Moshman on
Composers' Secrets
Rockland Conservatory

***April 5th** 10 a.m.
Roundtable TBA
Rockland Conservatory

***May 3rd** 10 a.m.
Margarita Zeleniaia-
On Composition
Rockland Conservatory

***May 7th Auditions-** all day
Rockland Conservatory

***May 21st 1 p.m.**
Blue/Gold Recital
Rockland Conservatory

***June 7th Luncheon**
location TBA