

January 2011

## The Windline

#### **Susquehanna Valley Chapter - ATOS**

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A 501(c)(3) corporation dedicated to the preservation and presentation of Theatre Organs. Proudly supporting the Mighty Wurlitzer Pipe Organ at the Capitol Theatre in York, PA





## New Signup Contact:

Contact Don Schoeps to "book" a time slot. Don especially needs someone to help him lift the heavy floor panels early in the day, and someone to help do the same in the evening.

Call now. dschoeps@aol.com or 717-254-6097.



#### From a Dusty Corner

As we welcome a new year it's a good time to take a look at our goals for the year and see how we are doing. A few months ago your leadership team adopted eight goals for the 2010-2011 season. Here are the first four. Behind each one is my assessment of progress toward each one.

Complete the planning and launch the fund raising and advertising for an open-to-the-public event. With tremendous thanks to Larry Fenner and Barry Howard, the planning stage is complete and we are ready to launch the fund raising effort. The advertising and promotion will follow late this spring and over the summer.



<u>Play for movies as requested.</u> This is a key part of our relationship with the theatre and we are dong a great job! Our best folks are playing before the movie on the first Sunday of every month. Thanks everyone!!

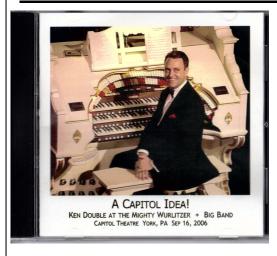
Increase membership by 10%. Membership renewal notices went out in the fall and we are following up any that did not respond. But this goal is not just for the leadership!! We need each of you to invite friends and associates to our meetings and promote membership!!

Create and perform at least six shows for the Masonic Village. Not only did we do six great shows last year, they want six more this year!! Thanks to Sam Groh and all who participated. (See the photo from the Christmas show elsewhere in this newsletter – Ed.)

Your comments and suggestions are welcome. We want to know how we can make SVTOS a more vital and vibrant organization.

Dusty

## IT'S HERE! - "OUR OWN" SVTOS CD!



The CD is called "**A Capitol Idea**" and features Ken Double at our mighty Wurlitzer, and the Bob Clay Orchestra.

Originally recorded in Sep of 1996, with substitute recordings from 2009. The band featured Skip Stine on first trumpet doing the Harry James renditions of some of his most famous tunes.

There are twenty tunes with 1/3 being organ, 1/3 being big band, and 1/3 featuring the organ and band combined.

Retail price for the disk is \$20. But **members of SVTOS can** buy it for \$15.

When you get it, crank it up and enjoy!!

#### Subject: Dick Smith @ Dickinson Saturday January 29

We have three tickets for the Dick Smith Concert at Dickinson on Saturday January 29th that we're offering free to a good home. The seats are in the third row of the front center section. Just let me know and I'll send them to you. Have a Great 2011!! Larry, Barry, and Bob Matterness

# <u>Exciting New Season!</u> All Events start at 7:00PM at Capitol Theatre, York unless noted

January 17, 2011	All Day OPEN CONSOLE
February 21, 2011	All Day OPEN CONSOLE
March 14, 2011	Don Kinnier Silent Movie Showcase (regular members & students only)
April 11, 2011	Film: "Legendary Theatre Organists" "My Favorite Arrangement" (member participation)
May 9, 2011	Annual Meeting "Arrangers' Challenge" - Piece selected by Don Kinnier Open Console if time permits
June 13, 2011	Juan Cardona, Jr. Showcase (regular members & students only)
July 11, 2011	All Day OPEN CONSOLE
August ??, 2011	Annual Picnic

### The Merriment Makers at the December Event at Masonic Village

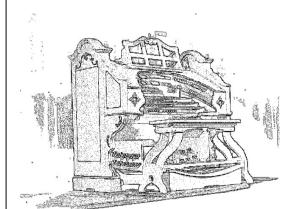


### Organists Wanted!—Sign-Up Sheet

Sam Groh will have a sign-up sheet at the Open Console meetings for next years concert series (beginning the 2nd Wed in Feb) at Masonic Village.



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