

The Windline

September 2017



Susquehanna Valley Theatre

Organ Society

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G L E N N H O U G H

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11TH AT 7:00 PM
CAPITOL THEATRE, YORK, PA



Starting to play at the age of four, Glenn has always had a passion for the piano. He has turned his passion into a fulfilling career. He started out by making his name known in the Quarryville, PA area, where he and his wife raised four children. He has played events ranging from weddings to holiday parties. Entertaining age groups from kindergarten to senior citizens, his specialty is classic standards, music from the 20's, 30's and 40's.

Along with the keyboard and piano, he has greatly enjoyed playing the Theatre Pipe Organ. For a span of eleven years he played for silent movies at the Marietta Theater. He has current memberships with the Susquehanna Valley Theatre Organ Society and the Dickinson Theatre Organ Society. Along with solo work, he has performed with a couple of country bands including Fiddlesticks and Big River. He used to play in Just the Two of Us with the late drummer and singer, Joe Volk. In the past he also performed regularly at the Pennsylvania State Dairy Princess Pageant and currently performs at special events at Dickinson High School, Wilmington, Delaware, including the Nutcracker and 75th anniversary celebration of the organ. He plays for services at two area churches: Memorial Methodist in Quarryville, PA and Clearfield Methodist in Rawlinsville, PA.

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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 at the Capitol Theatre in York, PA.

As the Summer is coming to a close we are starting our 2017-2018 season with our first showcase on Monday September 11th featuring Glenn Hough at the Capitol Wurlitzer. Juan Cardona Jr. from Newtown, Connecticut, will be returning for his second visit to SVTOS and our second showcase on November 13th. Our third showcase will feature a new organist, Justin Stahl from Hilliard, OH, on April 2nd 2018. And returning for the third time will be Justin LaVoie from Canton, MI, who will be playing Wurlitzer Opus 501 at the Fenner/Howard residence in Lebanon, PA, on Sunday June 10th.

The Capitol Theatre will be undergoing some significant renovations from May through October 2018 and, as a result, our SVTOS meetings for May, June, September, and October 2018 will be held at the Fenner/Howard residence on Sunday afternoons at 3pm instead of Monday nights at 7pm. Wurlitzer Opus 501 is very near completion now and after many years of rebuilding and restoration you will finally be able to hear the complete organ.

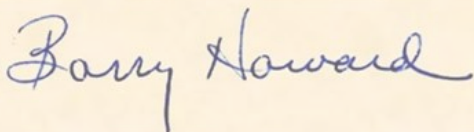
SVTOS continues to provide walk-in music 30 minutes prior to the films every Saturday evening and the first Friday of the month at the Capitol Theatre. Thank you to all of our volunteers who provided organ music before these films. The Capitol will again be showing a series of silent films beginning with a Halloween-themed film in late October. Don Kinnier will be providing the organ accompaniment for these films. Exact dates and film titles will be announced soon.

Nine SVTOS members attended the ATOS Convention in Tampa, FL, during the first week of July. As expected, the weather was extremely hot and humid with intermittent rain showers almost every afternoon. Some of the highlights included the 3 concerts at Grace Church in Sarasota, FL on the 4/32 Wurlitzer featuring Simon Gledhill, David Gray, and Mark Herman. Another highlight was Richard Hills playing the 5/92 Walker digital organ in the 20,000 seat Tampa Bay Amalie Arena. This organ was truly impressive and the sound filled the whole arena.

The start of our new 2017-2018 season means that **membership dues are now payable**. You may pay Roy Wainwright at our September meeting or complete the attached renewal form and mail it to Roy. Some new members who joined late in the season last year will be credited for the new season. If you are not sure if you are credited for the new season, please contact Larry Fenner (lryfnr@comcast.net).

Be sure to check out all the monthly events on the SVTOS calendar on page 3, including videos, open consoles, and the Masonic Christmas program.

I hope everyone had a Great Summer and look forward to seeing all of you at the September 11th Showcase!



“Welcome to our newest member!

Larry Pruett, Marietta, PA

SVTOS 2017-2018 SEASON

Monday, Sept 11 7:00 PM	Showcase: GLENN HOUGH, Quarryville, PA Capitol Theatre, York, PA
Monday, Oct. 9 7:00 PM	Video: "Tour Bus Goes to Spreckels" – world's largest outdoor organ (Austin) in Balboa Park, San Diego, CA -- followed by Open Console. Capitol Theatre, York, PA
Monday, Nov. 13 7:00 PM	Showcase: Juan Cardona, Jr, Newtown, CT. Capitol Theatre, York, PA
Tuesday, Dec. 12* 7:00 PM	SVTOS Annual Christmas Spectacular <i>Masonic Village, Elizabethtown, PA</i>
Monday, Jan. 15	Open Console at the Capitol Theatre WurliTzer, Martin Luther King Day Capitol Theatre, York, PA
Monday, Feb. 19	Open Console at the Capitol Theatre WurliTzer, President's Day Capitol Theatre, York, PA
Monday, March 12 7:00 PM	Video: "Pulling Out All The Stops" (a history of the organ in America) followed by Open Console — Capitol Theatre, York, PA
Monday, April 2* 7:00 PM	Showcase: Justin Stahl, Hilliard, OH Capitol Theatre, York, PA
Sunday, May 6* 3:00 PM	Annual business meeting, election of officers, and open console <i>Howard-Fenner Residence and WurliTzer Opus 501, Lebanon, PA</i>
Sunday, June 10* 3:00 PM	Showcase: Justin LaVoie, Canton, MI <i>Howard-Fenner Residence and WurliTzer Opus 501, Lebanon, PA</i>

* Indicates meetings NOT held on the usual second Monday of the month and/or at a different time or location

"SVTOS Plays at Masonic Village," Elizabethtown, PA

Hear these SVTOS Members play the 3-manual Allen digital theatre organ in the Masonic Village Health Center at 7:00 pm on the following Tuesdays in 2017:

October 10th	Ken Kline
December 12th	Annual Christmas Spectacular featuring any and all SVTOS Members!

"SVTOS Plays For The Movies"

Hear these SVTOS members play the WurliTzer 30 minutes before movies at the Capitol Theatre.

All Shows \$7.00 unless otherwise noted.

Friday Sept 1st @ 7:00 PM — "Cinderella" — Roy Wainwright (free)
 Saturday Sept 2nd @ 7:00 PM — "Tron" — Gary Coller
 Saturday Sept 9th @ 7:00 PM — "Space Balls" — Larry Fenner
 Saturday Sept 16th @ 7:00 PM — "Superman" — Larry Fenner
 Saturday Sept 23rd @ 7:00 PM — "Vertigo" — Gary Coller



Ken Kline sends a big THANK YOU to everyone who played for the movies this summer!!!!

COMING ATTRACTIONS

Saturday, Sept. 2 7:30 PM	Clark Wilson, Silent Movie Harold Lloyd in "Girl Shy" Gretna Music, Mt. Gretna, PA. Tickets \$5.00 each http://gretnamusic.org/event/girl-shy-with-clark-wilson
Sunday, Sept. 10 2:00 PM	Lew Williams, Colonial Theatre, Phoenixville, PA. Theatre Organ Society of the Delaware Valley
Sunday, Sept. 10 3:00 PM	CONNOR REAM , Rice Auditorium on the campus of Spring Grove Hospital Center, Catonsville, Maryland, Free State Theatre Organ Society
Saturday, Sept. 16 2:00 PM	DON KINNIER , Masonic Village, mini-concert and Silent Comedy Film, Monty Banks in "Chasing ChooChos."
Friday, Sept. 29 7:00 PM	Dave Wickerham, 4/23 Bob Balfour Memorial Wonder Morton Theatre Pipe Organ, Landmark Loew's Jersey Theatre, Journal Square, Jersey City, N.J. Garden State Theatre Organ Society
Friday, Sept. 29 7:30 PM	DON KINNIER , Allen Organ Company, music from the Great American Songbook plus a Silent comedy film
Saturday, Oct. 7 7:00 PM	Scott Foppiano, Dickinson Theatre Organ Society , Wilmington, DE
Sunday, Oct. 22 2:00 PM	GLENN HOUGH , Halloween Silent Movie, Colonial Theatre, Phoenixville, PA. Theatre Organ Society of the Delaware Valley
Sunday, Oct. 29 7:00 PM	DON KINNIER , Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, 31 South Duke Street, Lancaster, PA. Alfred Hitchcock's silent film "The Lodger"
Sunday, Nov. 5 3:00 PM	Wayne Zimmerman, Rice Auditorium on the campus of Spring Grove Hospital Center, Catonsville, Maryland, Free State Theatre Organ Society
Saturday, Nov. 11 7:00 PM	Brett Valliant, Dickinson Theatre Organ Society , Wilmington, DE
Sunday, Nov. 19 2:00 PM	Pierre Fracalanza, Colonial Theatre, Phoenixville, PA. Theatre Organ Society of the Delaware Valley

WKY Kilgen in the Oklahoma History Center, Oklahoma City, OK

Dusty Miller, SVTOS' past president and good friend, has been busy since he moved to Oklahoma. His pet project, the installation of a Kilgen theatre organ in the Oklahoma History Center, has been completed. The organ was recently featured on the cover of the August 2017 edition of "The Diapason," — the first time in the 108-year history of the publication that a theatre organ was featured on the cover! Click on the following link to read the article: <https://www.thediapason.com/content/cover-feature-52> **CONGRATULATIONS DUSTY!!**

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