

The Windline

Susquehanna Valley Chapter - ATOS

www.svtos.org

February 2010

What great response to ALL DAY OPEN CONSOLES!!!

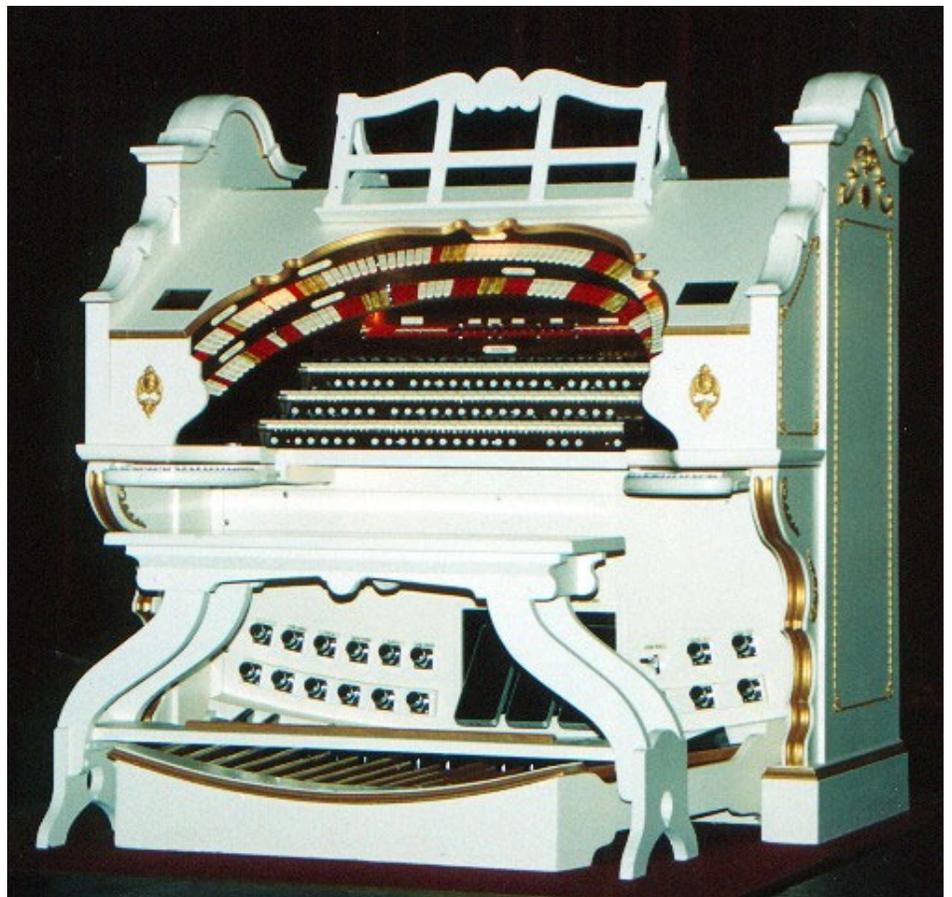
Don Schoeps reports we kept the organ "singing" from 9AM till 8PM on January 18. And we are currently "booked full" for the next one on February 15. If you have not already contacted Don Schoeps and are playing at the SOAP meeting March 8, call Don ***RIGHT NOW*** so he can get you on a waiting list and/or squeeze you in. The theatre is uncertain whether or not we can stay past 4PM, so get your name to Don.

All Day OPEN CONSOLE!
February 15, 2010

Contact Don Schoeps
717-254-6097 for a time slot.

Come and play:

- Prepare your March radio theme
- Explore the goodies Don Kinnier and Terry Nace have explained.
- Play for the fun of it.
- Record yourself on the Wurlitzer
- Come and listen to others play
- What else are you going to do on a bank holiday in February - play golf?



From a 'Dusty corner'

January, 2010

This is a quiet time for SVTOS. December is the busiest month at the theatre so we don't try to have a meeting. The weather is usually "iffy" in January—and sometimes even in February. But as soon as there is a hint of Spring, we'll be up and running again with four great programs planned for March through June.



In the meantime, if you are looking for recorded theatre organ music, here are a couple of new sources for you. Theatre organ music is now streamed to your computer 24/7 on ATOS Theatre Organ Radio. Go to ATOS.org and click on the ATOS Radio link along the left side of the page. And, talented young theatre organist Mark Herman has opened an on-line store featuring CDs from many of your favorite artists. Check it out at www.TheatreOrganCDs.com (web address are not case sensitive).

Speaking of talented young musicians, if you were at our November showcase, you may have noticed a young man and his father sitting off in a corner. The young man's name is Connor Ream. His dad is Mark. They were the guests of Don Kinnier. Don explained that Connor is an extraordinarily talented musician—particularly on piano—and he has become fascinated by the theatre organ. Connor came in to play for a while during our Open Console day last fall and I was flabbergasted!! I've asked him to play a little for us during our March meeting so you can hear him too. He has tremendous potential so we want to do our best to support his interest in the theatre organ.

One further note: I went by the theatre the other day to check the mail. We submitted our application for non-profit status last fall and we were hoping to receive our approval. Alas, it was not to be. As usual, the government wants something else—this time it's very specific language in our Articles of Incorporation. Larry Fenner has been our point person on this from the beginning. When I gave him the news, he sighed but agreed to follow through. Thanks so much, Larry.

Have a great day, everyone. And enjoy some theatre organ music!!

All the best ... Dusty

DISCOUNT ON CAPITOL MOVIES

You can attend the films for \$5. The normal fee is \$8 unless you have an annual membership (\$30). You only have to show your SVTOS membership badge.

York Parking Meters

Meters end the day at 6:30 PM, so you can park free along the street for our Capitol Events. Depending on what else is going on downtown, you may have to pay at the parking garage.

Upcoming events

Feb. 7, 2010 2:00PM	ARAM BASMADJIAN in Concert	Christ Church United Church of Christ 75 East Market Street, Bethlehem, PA 18018
February 15	All Daytime <u>OPEN CONSOLE</u> Call Don Schoeps 717-254-6097	Capitol Theatre, York

New Release:

Rich Lewis Showcase (11/9/09)



\$5.00 at meetings, \$8.00 by mail
RCWainwright, 2897 Olde Field Dr. York, PA 17408

Upcoming Programs:

Monday February 15

All Day Open Console

Monday March 8

S.O.A.P. radio show with SVTOS
organists providing radio themes
Capitol Theatre 7:00 to 9:00

(Staff and Volunteers of SCPAC will be
our guests)

Monday April 12

Silent Film with Don Kinnier
AGO students invited for open
console after film.
Capitol Theatre 7:00 to 9:00pm

ARAM BASMADJIAN
in Concert on
Lehigh Valley's largest pipe/digital organ
4 manual, 112 rank Möller/Allen

Sunday, February 7, 2010 at 2:00 PM
Christ Church United Church of Christ
75 East Market Street, Bethlehem, PA 18018
Presented by the Lehigh Valley Chapter American Guild of Organists



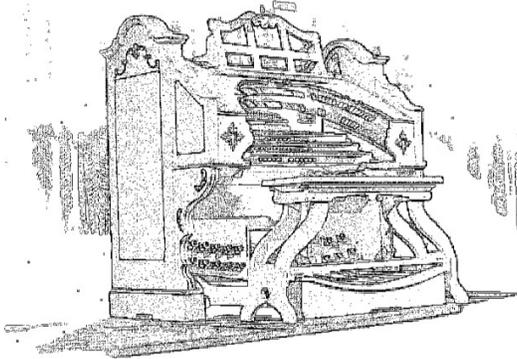
A free-will offering will be taken
A "Meet the Artist" Reception will follow the Concert

For more information please call Allen Organ at 610-966-2202



The Windline

Susquehanna Valley Theatre Organ Society
editor: Roy Wainwright
2897 Olde Field Dr. York, 17408
email: Newsletter@svtos.org



Important Upcoming Events

>Monday February 15, 2010
All Day Open Console

>Monday March 8, 2010
S.O.A.P. radio show with
SVTOS organists providing
radio themes
Capitol Theatre 7:00 to 9:00