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## Celestia Performing Arts Association

*Our Mission is to provide a high quality forum for the arts, supported by educational and practical experiences. We will also cultivate the arts and we invite the community to enjoy local presentations. We will ensure that the talent and support garnered from the community is returned in kind through our activities and performances.*

*Our Values are based upon Nurturing, Community, Professionalism, Education, Respect and Creativity.*

*Want to know how you can help Celestia reach its goals and full potential? There are many ways for you to help! Donations have been “Key” to our success, but you can help without an “out-of-pocket” expense! Apply today for escrip on line and designate Celestia as your recipient in the Community Cash Back Program. Our number is 152174404*

*Go to escrip today and sign-up for Celestia!!*

*Escrip members must renew their donation selection.*

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**Don't forget to set aside either Dec 9th or 10th for our Christmas Holiday Concert at Simmons Elementary School, Babylon Road in Horsham.**

**Tickets \$10**

**Call 215-957-5365**

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**Call 215-957-5365 for more information**

# Celestia

*Performing Arts Association, Inc.*



## Key - Notes

A Newsletter for the members and friends of Celestia Performing Arts Association

### Key Upcoming Events

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See our website for additional details  
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### Key Events

Another summer has come and gone, and here we are looking at the first glimpses of the holiday season. If you are like my family, you are getting a daily dose of holiday catalogues, requests for donations with an offer of “free” holiday cards, and offers for gift subscriptions from your favorite magazines! May we join in the throng and invite you to set aside some time for our Christmas concert, scheduled for the 9th and 10th of December at Simmons Elementary School.

### Key Executive Board Members

Earlier this year *Celestia* elected a new set of officers to the Board of Directors. They will be responsible for the management of the organization as well as formulat-

Meanwhile, we had a great summer season. We were privileged once again to be welcomed to the facilities of Ann's Choice for our summer rehearsals. We were able to use their new entertainment facility for our weekly sessions and we were able to offer our thanks to the residents through the presentation of two concerts in their new auditorium.

*Celestia* also provided entertainment at one of the many functions that are offered to the residents. Our relationship

with this marvelous facility and the people that reside there is very special and we are certainly thankful for the hospitality shown to us.

In addition to the shows at Ann's Choice, we performed at the Keystone Hospice in Wyndmoor, St. Lukes in Glenside and the Renaissance Faire at the Grange Fair in Wrightstown.



Bob Cahill; Treasurer, and Margie Himmler, Secretary. Join me in welcoming and supporting this team as they work to further the goals and aims of *Celestia*.



**Concert at Ann's Choice**

Rear: Rich Haddon, Ron Monkres, Scot Moschette, Jeannie Aquino  
 Row 4: Frank Hart, Roger Harris  
 Row 3: Margie Stinger, Jenn Hart, Sheri Glensky  
 Row 2: Bob Cahill, E.J. Lydon  
 Front Row: Chuck Fitzpatrick, Jill Reider

Senior Members of Celestia

Teresa Bria  
 Mitzi Plunkett



Donation Presentation

Jocelyn Aaron and Karen Fitzpatrick are pictured here at the Prudential Cares Breakfast.

Because of Jocelyn's volunteer time with Celestia we received a \$250 grant from Prudential. We all thank Jocelyn for her hard work.

If you would like to make a donation remember, Celestia is a nonprofit 501 (c) (3) organization. Your gifts are fully tax deductible as a charitable contribution.

**Key Players**

**Celestia** is fortunate to have many talented people in its midst. There are individuals with a wealth of experiences and vocations. Our leadership is made up among others, of our chairperson, Christine Antis; our President; Chuck Fitzpatrick and our Director: Karen Fitzpatrick. Each of these individuals brings a unique talent and perspective to the management and operations of the organization.

**Christine Antis:** Ms. Antis is a marketing research professional in the greater Philadelphia area and resides in Montgomery Township. Ms. Antis obtained significant non-profit experience during her 6-year tenure as the President of the University of Michigan Alumni Club of Greater Philadelphia where she continues to serve in the role of Vice President. Christine has the pleasure of being one of **Celestia's** principle accompanists and dabbles in multiple

backstage roles. Her musical experience includes contract pianist positions with St. Catherine of Siena in Horsham, St. Madeline Sophie and St. Francis of Assisi churches in Philadelphia as well as United Methodist Church of Haverstown. While living in New York City, Christine had the opportunity to study music performance at the Brooklyn Conservatory of Music.

**Chuck Fitzpatrick:** Chuck is a 20-year Horsham Township resident whose previous community involvement includes 12-years as a youth soccer coach, and two years on the Horsham Soccer Association Board of Directors. Chuck's professional career has been entirely in the computer sciences including stints as a technical analyst, developer, lecturer and manager. Chuck chairs the **Celestia** Grants Committee and is a member of the Management and Structure Committee as well as the Strategic

Planning Committee. In his remaining year on the **Celestia** Board, Chuck hopes to help establish governance processes that will ensure **Celestia's** continued success and managed growth.

**Karen Fitzpatrick:** Karen Ann is a long time resident of Horsham Township with her family. Karen Ann has been involved in community life in many ways over the last 20-years. She served as a member and co-chairperson of Horsham Township's Park and Recreation Board for 4-years, was president of Hatboro-Horsham School District's Educational Foundation for 2-years, was the Committee Chairperson and Director of Horsham Township's Concert for 6-years, and is currently a Horsham Day committee member. She was a Real Estate Consultant for 7-years and continues to be an active member of the Greater Horsham-Willow Grove Chamber of Commerce.

Currently, she is Community Resource Coordinator for Ann's Choice Retirement Community. Karen Ann also is a facilitator for dialogue among Ecumenical groups for the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. For 11-years, Karen was the Choral Director at Saint Catherine of Siena Parish in Horsham, the last 8-years she also served as Director of Music. Karen Ann now serves as director for **Celestia** Performing Arts. She enjoys bringing the arts alive. In Karen Ann's free time you can find her on stage in community theater. Her most recent performances include "Meet Me in Saint Louis" at Dutch Country Players and Music Director for the Hatboro-Horsham Summer Theater's presentation of "Jekyll and Hyde the Musical."

