Oregon Coast Music Association

Newsletter - Fall 2024

Building Community Through Music



Many thanks to everyone for making the July Festival a success!

Performances and educational workshops were possible only through the outstanding support from members, donors, sponsors, granting entities, in-kind support and many volunteers.

Please join us as we continue our mission to build community through music. Your renewed support is vital in helping us plan for the 2025 season. We plan increased community engagement and added programing and partnerships with local musicians and community organizations.

Here is a summary of the support from members, businesses, grants, volunteers, and in-kind donations of services and products.

Grants from Judith Ann Mogan Foundation, the Oregon Community Foundation, and Umpqua Bank Charitable Foundation provided the opportunity to increase programing for workshops, and concerts at Southwestern Oregon Community College and elsewhere.

Business, Organizational and Individual Support

Gold Baton Sponsors: First Community Credit Union, The Mill Casino, and 7 Devil's Brewing Company.

Silver Baton Sponsors: Banner Bank, Friends of Shore Acres, ISSCO, Juul Insurance, Lab Band Program Associates, Nasburg Huggins Insurance, Oregon Coast Center for Sinus Wellness, Southern Coos Hospital & Health Center, the Jeffrey & Bradford McKeown Team at Morgan Stanley, Tower Motor Company, the Wonderful Company Foundation and West Coast Contractors.

Friends of the Festival Orchestra: Honda World, Oregon Pacific Bank, Pacific Properties, Russ Clark State Farm, Shoji Planning LLC and Walts Pourhouse

Festival Premier Sponsor: Audrey A. Albaugh

10 Businesses and individuals contributed as **Page Sponsors** of the program book.

45 host families served as **Home Stay Hosts**, providing bed and breakfast to Orchestra musicians.

Orchestra BBQ and Green Room support was provided by more than two dozen individuals and more than a dozen businesses. OCMA green room support is truly unique as we provide gourmet foods for *all* rehearsals and performances.

Community and Visiting Bands and Guest Artists Delight Audiences



Aaron Johnson Jazz with Wilbur Jensen





Swingin' in the Rain at the Hales Center

Empire Builders:
Oregon Army National Guard Band
at the Hales Center





Bahuru & Baduku Marimba Bands at Shore Acres Gardens

Three Outstanding Concerts by the Festival Orchestra



The Lark Ascending with Steven Moeckel, violin. Audience and Orchestra Honor Maestro James Paul



Pops Conductor
Adam Stern featured
Music by American
composers and soloist
Aaron Johnson





Guest Conductor Martin Majkut featured Dvořák's From the New World

Vocal and Cello Solo Performances at the Hales Center



Second Wind Senior Barbershop Quartet



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The Oregon Coast Music Association is a nonprofit corporation organized for the purpose of involving, enriching, and inspiring the community by providing quality classical music, and creative musical experiences.

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Membership Matters

Our Festival continues only with strong community support from members, businesses, grants, volunteers, and in-kind donations of services and products.

We thank the **Judith Ann Mogan Foundation** for their continued grant support for our programs in 2025.



Renewed support now helps assure funding for program planning and contracting.

Provide a gift membership for a friend to pay it forward. Support a musician.