Mu Phi Epsilon

INTERNATIONAL PROFESSIONAL MUSIC FRATERNITY

PALOS VERDES PENINSULA ALUMNI CHAPTER

JANUARY 2002



January brings new beginnings and also brings together all of our members in our major fund raiser:

MUSICAL MOSAIC

8:00 p.m., Friday, January 25, 2002

Rolling Hills United Methodist Church 26438 Crenshaw Blvd., Rolling Hills Estates

As we did last year, we are enclosing tickets to be sold for the Mosaic. Checks should be sent to Neeltje Gingerich, 19506 Beckworth, Torrance 90503. More tickets or flyers can be ordered from Mary Feyk, 310-833-2173.

We are asking each member to bring a plate of cookies or other finger-food for the reception following the concert.

I know that you understand how important it is to participate in this fund raiser. Last year we were able to contribute \$2500 in support of music in our schools. If everyone sells their tickets, we can fill Rolling Hills Methodist!

FROM OUR PRESIDENT

I can imagine that all of us have had many 'musical happenings' throughout the holidays. Hopefully you've had some rest time and 'joyous happenings' with family and friends.

I'd like to give a special thank you to our members whose students participated in the Young Performer's Showcase: Joann Harrison, Pat Maki, Gail Mellert, Virginia Mendenhall, Lenita McCallum, Frances Thiel, Darlene Vlasek, Dorothy Woodruff and Eunee Yee. Lenita's student, Donald Davis, was ill and was unable to perform. We hope we'll hear him sing next time. Once again Teddy Greenwald did a 'stellar' job of coordinating the event.

Grants from our Philanthropy Fund are being given to Anita Gendler, a Music Specialist from the Redondo Beach Unified School District, for teaching materials and instruments, and to Tamara Chadima for music materials for Point Vicente School in the Palos Verdes School District.

Our November Founder's Day Program featured compositions by four Mu Phi composers, performed by pianist Anita Chang. Pictured from left to right below are Grigore Nica, Anita Chang, Rodney Butler, and Marshall Biolosky. Compositions of our member, Leigh Kaplan were also performed. Leigh was not able to attend the program.

