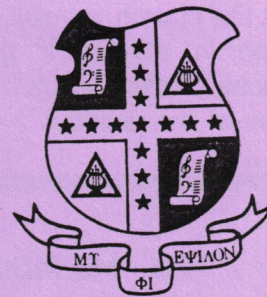


# Mu Phi Epsilon

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**PALOS VERDES PENINSULA ALUMNI CHAPTER  
JANUARY 2005**

## FROM THE PRESIDENTS

Dear Friends,  
Happy New Year! We had a memorable Founder's Day celebration on November 13. David Champion initiated four new Gamma Sigma Chapter members and Debra Aitken led us on a musical journey half way around the world with piano music by Italian, Spanish and Brazilian composers. Paul Smith was named our newest Sterling Patron for his distinctive achievements and contributions to the music industry.



The Young Performers' Showcase took place on December 4. It was a joy to see and hear these young promising musicians perform. Thank you teachers and students for starting the Holiday Season on a cheerful note!

Our next program is the Musical Mosaic, which is our major fund-raising event to support school music. Flyers and tickets are enclosed with this newsletter and we hope that you will make a special effort to join us on February 4, and bring your friends!

In Friendship,  
Bee-De Lim and Eunee Yee, Co-Presidents



## MUSICAL MOSAIC

Friday, February 4  
8:00 pm

Rolling Hills United Methodist Church  
Crenshaw Blvd. at P.V. Dr. North

Tickets \$20, students \$10

Tickets and flyers for Musical Mosaic are included with this newsletter. Musical Mosaic is a popular concert in our community. Please post flyers, sell tickets and bring cookies. It is vital that we get the word out to the community, so take flyers with you wherever you go - stores, beauty shops, churches, schools, etc. - and leave flyers, half (or quarter size) for handouts, full page for windows, and bulletin boards. We want to fill Rolling Hills Methodist Church! The enclosed flyers will tell you about the fine performers we will be hearing.

Please send checks for tickets to Treasurer Lenita McCallum. 933 Via Rincon. PVE 90274. More tickets

and flyers are available from Mary Feyk (833-2173) or Lenée Bilski (377-2645). Tickets will be available at the church as well, but seating is limited so purchase in advance if possible. As you sell tickets, please circle "Adult" or "Student" on the lower portion of the ticket.

**IN MEMORIAM**  
*Robert Haag, 1931 to 2005*

Our much loved and respected Sterling Patron, Bob Haag, passed away on January 4. His memorial service will be held on Saturday, January 22, at 10:30 a.m., at Calvary Presbyterian Church, 13560 S. Hawthorne Blvd., on the North East corner of 136th and Hawthorne. He was pastor and organist at that church.

Bob taught music at El Camino College for 40 years. He will be remembered for organizing and heading up the ECC Community Arts series, which is still presenting outstanding performers and cultural events. He also regularly performed at ECC recitals, once playing all of the Beethoven sonatas in a 10 hour marathon. He was an unfailing supporter of PVP Alumni Chapter events and some of us saw him last at a dinner for our National Officers during the summer.

### FEBRUARY MEETING

Carol Clever will present a program on "The Ear and Hearing" at the home of Ramona Gifford, 28711 Blythewood Dr., RPV, on Monday, February 28 at 7:30 p.m. Carol presented this talk at the AGO National Convention during the summer, and it was very well received.

### YOUNG PERFORMERS' SHOWCASE

Thank you to our teachers Verna Balch, Beth Howell, Virginia Ludwick, Lenita McCallum, Gail Mellert, Anli Tong, Darlene Vlasek and Eunee Yee, who presented students at the Young Performers' Showcase on December 4. Performers at that event were:

Seungyun Park, piano  
Joseph Lee, violin  
Alex Nguyen, piano  
Elizabeth Kerstein, soprano  
Min Jung Song, piano

David Kamm, piano  
Kristin Braun, violin  
Eric Chang, piano  
Ralph Alberstrom, accompanist

### NEWS FROM OUR MEMBERS

**Patrons Annette and Paul Smith**, along with Lynne Gassel, Tracy Lorin, Jaime Elizabeth and Tom Shell will present *An Evening of Cabaret* on Friday, January 28 and Saturday, January 29 at 7:30 p.m. Call Lynne Gassel for tickets and directions to the Smith's home.

**Patricia Maddaford** was chosen as Secondary School Educator of the Year for the Palos Verdes Unified School District. She was presented with the award by Rotary and the Chamber of Commerce at a banquet at the Palos Verdes Country Club. Congratulations to Pat!

**Emily Lacina** was honored recently at a *Emily Lacina Day*, as she retired from her organist position at Riviera Methodist Church.

### HERE'S THAT GREAT APPLE CRISP RECIPE

Sue Breiholz brought this to the November meeting at The Smith's home. Thanks, Sue.

Place 1 can Comstock sliced apples (not pie filling) or 6-7 green apples in 8x8 pyrex. Add 3/4 cup packed brown sugar, sprinkles of cinnamon and dots of butter.

Topping: 3/4 C flour  
3/4 C granulated sugar  
1/4 C butter  
1/2 tsp salt  
1 tsp baking powder  
1 egg

Blend dry ingredients and butter and add 1 beaten egg. Blend well and drop in "blobs" over apples. Sprinkle with granulated sugar and cinnamon and bake at 350° for 1 hour. Serve warm with yogurt, ice cream or whipped cream.

### BOARD MEETING

The next Board meeting will be on January 25, 10:30 a.m., at the home of Eunee Yee.

### EMAIL NEWSLETTER

We often send the newsletter or other information by email to members whose email address we have. If you can receive emails please send your address to Newsletter Editor Mary Feyk (maryff@cox.net). The newsletter is sent via Adobe Acrobat which can be downloaded free of charge ([www.adobe.com/acrobat](http://www.adobe.com/acrobat)).