# Mu Phí Epsilon

INTERNATIONAL PROFESSIONAL MUSIC FRATERNITY

# PALOS VERDES PENINSULA ALUMNI CHAPTER MAY 25, 2005

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# PRESIDENTS' LETTER

Dear Friends of Mu Phi Epsilon:

This is our last letter as Co-Presidents of the Alumni Chapter and the new officers will be installed at our annual Patron/Scholarship Dinner on June 4, 2005 at Anli Tong's home. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all members of Mu Phi Epsilon, the Patrons, the Board and all the Committee members for their contributions to our chapter. I am immensely impressed and amazed by how our volunteers juggle their time and pack so many commitments in their schedules, in addition to family responsibilities, career demands and other volunteer work. I truly admire their energy and enthusiasm.

The wine tasting party hosted by Lenita McCallum on May 14 was a barrel of fun! We sampled different kinds of fine wine from around the world, accompanied by good food, delightful music and great company. Ann Grennan, Jean Strickland, Tamara Chadima, Joanne Evans, Eunee Yee, Lenita McCallum and her fiancé David Witherspoon provided the music, which included a "Serenade for Flute and Piano" by Mu Phi composer, Grigore Nica. Thank you, Lenita and David, for a brilliant fund-raising idea and thanks to our host and hostesses, Ramona, Jean and Svein.

We had a good turnout for our initiation of new special election members held on May 22 at Pearl Kim's home. David Champion presided over the initiation. The new special election members are: Mark Fitchett, Jean Gothold, Mary Herzbrun, Sara Lee and Carol Levin. Three new members for Gamma Sigma Chapter at Cal State Dominguez Hills were also being initiated. "Welcome to the Mu Phi family", Aaron, Brandy and Denise!

Good-bye for now and have a cool and easy summer. Wherever you are and whatever you do, please remember

to keep a smile on your face and a positive attitude in your mind.

Loyally, Bee-De Lim, Eunee Yee Co-Presidents

## THANKS FROM THE EDITOR

As Bee-De Lim retires as Co-President, I would like to thank her for her quiet (and smiling) work during the year, and especially for her lovely Presidents' Letters.

Mary Feyk

PATRONS NIGHT DINNER

Saturday, June 4, 6:00 p.m.
Home of Anli Tong
11 Sailview Ave., RPV
541-5607

Program by this year's
Patron Scholarship Winners

Dinner catered by Misto Caffe
\$20

Going South on Hawthorne Blvd., turn left on Crest
Rd., then right on Sea Terrace, left on Sea
Breeze, Right on Sea Terrace again, left on Sailview. Number 11 is the 5th house on the left.

# PATRON'S DINNER

Our Patron's Scholarship Dinner has always been a wonderful culmination of our year and this year's dinner is no

exception. We will be hosted for the first time at Anli Tong's home. You will notice that instead of the usual Sunday evening, we are meeting on Saturday evening, June 4. We will hear our scholarship winners from El Camino and Harbor College and we know that you will be pleased with their performances. Three new patrons will be installed: Lynne Gasell, Hoyt Johnstone and David Witherspoon, and old and new friends will have time to catch up on the year's activities.

Another important part of the evening is our catered dinner. This year's dinner will be catered by Misto Caffe. The menu is: Breast of Chicken Toscana, Caesar Salad, Saffron Rice, Seasoned Vegetables, bread and dessert. This all for \$20!!!

In order to have the fixed price we will need to guarantee fifty persons. We have always had this number, but you are encouraged to attend. This occasion is open to all patrons, members and families. RSVP to Bee-De (375-4610) or Janette Moote (375-2429).



Dinner and Menu

# WINE TASTING

On Saturday, May 14, 45 people gathered at the home of Lenita McCallum to sample eight different wines that were selected by Jean Baptiste Dhaluin. We heard music from the countries represented by the wines and enjoyed delicious food prepared by our members. Tamara Chadima, Ann Grennan, Jean Strickland, new patron David Witherspoon and Lenita McCallum performed with accompaniments by Eunee Yee and Joanne Evans, one of our guests. Svein Fougner cooked up a delicious Thaikovsky Beef. We sampled Baguette Nilsson with Salmon and Delilah, as well

as Chocolate Moussorgsky. Several people who were unable to come made donations. For the nondrinkers there were nonalcoholic beverages of an equal variety. A wonderful time was had by all with calls for a repeat next year.

The final count isn't in yet, but it looks like we cleared over \$1000.



Lenita and David



Welcome to our new members

# **SERV REMINDER**

Remember to bring a note listing your SERV points to the Patron's Dinner to give to Barbara Hammer. You can call her at 372-9575 for information.

See you at the dinner.

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