

Pipes along the Rockies

Newsletter of the Rocky Mountain Chapter American Theatre Organ Society, Inc.

June, 2019

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Kevin, Kathy and Bill make music!

"KEVIN AND KWINNS"

Sunday, June 23rd 2 pm, Holiday Hills Ballroom



Yes, Kwinns! Bill and Kathy Kwinn will partner up with Kevin Utter in June for an outstanding afternoon of organ and piano music and Kathy and Bill's wonderful vocal solos. Kevin's sidekick Bingo will participate in a more silent yet supportive role. Kevin is the organist at Christ United Methodist Church in Ft. Collins and Bill is our chapter photographer.







Reverend Bob is Back!

Sunday, July 21st 2 pm, Holiday Hills Ballroom

Ordained Minister of Music Bob Flinn will be back at the console of the Holiday Hills George Wright digital theatre organ in July with his patented blend of Gospel music and Old Standards medleys listed on index cards. Bob is active in the Pueblo music scene and has a three-manual Conn theatre organ and grand piano in his apartment, and is House Organist at the Walsenburg Fox Theatre performing on the beautifully restored five-rank Wurlitzer organ/piano.



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Theatre Organ Event

Lakewood Cultural Center 470 S. Allison Parkway, Lakewood, CO Featuring Lakewood Cultural Center's Walt Strony Signature STR-4

4-Manual Theatre and Classical Digital Organ

The Silent Film

The Cat and the Canary

1927 horror classic!

Live Theatre Organ accompaniment by National Touring Artist

Chris Elliott

Sunday, October 27, 2019 – 2 pm



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"Paramount Day"

Sunday, Aug. 18th 2 pm, Paramount Theatre

Our "Free Day at the Paramount" for RMCATOS and ATOS members only is scheduled for Sunday, August 18th at 2:00 pm pending Paramount confirmation. Come and hear Wonderful Wurlitzer Music!

"Inspirations of Crawford and Wright"

Sunday, Sep. 15th 2 pm, Holiday Hills Ballroom

Bob Castle has been House Organist at the Denver Paramount Theatre for over 60 years and has spent his life making beautiful music on the 4/21 Wurlitzer Publix I, studying and recreating the arrangements of masters like Jesse Crawford and George Wright. Bob will use the considerable resources of the Holiday Hills George Wright GW4Q digital theatre organ to make the music of Crawford and Wright sing again.



"There May be Dancing!"

There <u>was</u> dancing in May! The Holiday Hills ball-room was filled with the pitter-patter of dancing feet and beautiful music provided by Bev Bucci, Randy Morris, Jim Calm and percussionist Lee Shaw.



"REQUEST RENDEZVOUS REDUX"



Organists DeLoy Goeglein, Randy Morris and Jim Calm were given a workout in April by the Holiday Hills audience who filled four baskets

with a variety of requests. Left-over requests will be carefully preserved in a hermetically-sealed swell chamber until next time!

"TRIBUTE TO OL' BLUE EYES!"

Organists DeLoy Goeglein and Jim Calm performed a program of all-Frank Sinatra music in March on the theatre organ, piano and vocals. There was a time for some Frank Sinatra trivia and history,



shared memories and even some "Name That Tune."

FROOG Longmont Adventure!

The FROOGies are at it again! Jud Murphy has invited us to return to his beautiful Longmont home on Saturday, August 10th and view his amazing collection of automated musical instruments and pipe organ. Jud will demonstrate the various instruments and invite organists in attendance to play the organ. We'll have a nice lunch, then head over to the Dougherty Museum on highway 287 south of Longmont. We visited here in 2015 and 2017 and enjoyed the vintage cars and the 1928 Style B Special Wurlitzer 2/4 theatre organ that came out of the Loveland Rialto theatre. Small theatre organs like this were the workhorses of the silent movie era and were found in many theatres. FROOG group members watch for an e-mail this week with details. Contact Jim Calm (303-989-3671) if you would like to join our group. Organ ownership not required!

New RMCATOS Vice President!

Randy Morris has joined the RMCATOS Board of Directors as our new Vice-President. He has performed in "Pipes and Stripes," numerous club socials and most recently as the featured organist for the June 13th Sacklunch Serenade concert in Colorado Springs. Randy is Music Director and Organist at Zion Lutheran Church in Brighton.



2019 RMCATOS Officers

President: Ryan Kroll (970) 679-0196

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Assistant Treasurer: Doris Beverly (303) 466-3330 Bill Kwinn, RMCATOS Chapter Photographer

Welcome New Members

Invite a friend or neighbor to ride along with you to our events. We need new members!

In Memoriam

Member Terri Traster recently passed away. Our sympathies to her family and friends.

Colorado Springs PPATOS Events

The 25thseason of Sacklunch Serenades has resumed at the City Auditorium, 221 E. Kiowa, Colorado Springs and will continue noon-1:00 every Thursday throughout the summer. Your favorite music and short silent films played on the Mighty Wurlitzer. \$5.00 lunch available.



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Chris Elliott, organist

AGO (American Guild of Organists) is having its 2019 Regional Convention in Denver. The Opening Convocation concert will be at Trinity Methodist on Sunday, July 7th at 8 pm. Free and open to the public.

