



## **PRESIDENT'S LETTER**

Dear Guild Members,

This is my last official newsletter as President of the Odessa Symphony Guild. I have enjoyed serving the OSG and the MOSC on the Executive Committee for the past two years. Included in this newsletter please find the slate of new officers. We will have the official vote at the next and final meeting of the year. If you have not made both of your meetings this year, then you must attend. In addition, all incoming and outgoing officers must also be in attendance.

The final General Guild Meeting of this school year has been changed to Sunday, May 2, 2010. The meeting will be at the home of Jill Sparkman, 10 Santa Ana Ct. from 2 -4 p.m. This meeting will coincide with the Spring Membership Tea and Swim Party for the Belles and Beaux and prospective student and active members. If you did not send in your names for the formal invitation list, please invite and offer to pick up your friends who are prospective members and the belle or beaux. I would like for everyone to make a personal phone call and invite someone and bring them with you to the Tea and Swim Party. We are trying something new by combining these two efforts to see how it goes. Let's make this fun and successful!

All members need to go to our website at [odessasg.org](http://odessasg.org) to print out the membership form and flexpass form. Please have these filled out along with your check, cash or money order for next year's dues and tickets. This will help you and the new Board accomplish one task before things get too busy with end of school activities. Please take a few minutes before the tea to do this and bring it to the tea to save your precious time in the long run.

If you are interested in attending one of the upcoming concerts, please contact the MOSC office at 563-0921 for reservations. Be sure to mention that you are an Odessa Symphony Guild member with Flex-Pass privileges. You only have a few concerts or events left this season!! Thank you for supporting the Midland-Odessa Symphony and Choral through your membership in the Odessa Symphony Guild and active support.

Many thanks!

*Deanna Peden*  
*President OSG*



## **Important Dates**

**\*Membership Tea & Swim Party**  
**Sunday, May 2, 2010**  
**Home of Jill Sparkman**  
**10 Santa Ana Court**  
**2:00 pm**

**\*Patron Luncheon**  
**April 24, 2010**  
**11:30 at Dee's**

**\*TASO Conference**  
**April 22<sup>nd</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup>**  
**Wichita Falls**

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Concert Shifts and Workers

**4/24/10: West TX Winds Chamber Series @ the UTPB CEED Building**

**FORMAL Attire, 6:15-7:15 Usher Check in w/ Sheila Pippins**

**Emily Turner, Lauren Vieth, Chelcee Robinson, Shelby Schlueter, Hunter Hendrix, Patrick Pippins** If two of you can change to the Annual Meeting May 20 from 8:00-9:30 we need you to do so. Call me and let me know. Thanks, Deanna 550-5588 or 352-2508.

**5/1/10 Chorale Chamber CEED FORMAL Attire, 6:15-7:15 Usher**

**Check in w/ Lola McLain:** Tyler Thompson, Parker Martin, Nick Woolley, Zach Berryhill

**5/1/10: Chorale Chamber, CEED, FORMAL 7:30-9:00 pm**

**SERVERS Check in w/ Janet Smith:** Tyler Anderson, Ryan Berryhill, Austin Cochran, Delaine Peden

**5/8/10 CAF POPS 4 CASUAL, 1:00-2:30 Decorate**

**Check in w/ Janet Smith:** Erin Scharlach, Aryn Allbright, Haylee Calvert, Grace McDonald, Claire Osborn

**5/8/10 CAF POPS 4 CASUAL 5:30-7:30 Usher**

**Check in w/ Shelly Powell, Tickets Committee, Jill Miller:** Kyler Anderson, Ryan Berryhill, Austin Cochran, Emily Turner, Lauren Vieth, Kaitlyn Keeling, Kyler Chavez, Brance Armstrong

**May 20, 2010: Annual Meeting, CEED, FORMAL, 6:30-8:00p.m.**

**Host/Hostess Check in with Tracey Calvert or Lesli Coody:** Delaine Peden, Robin Breax, Carley Fowler, Amber Dugan

**May 20, 2010, Annual Meeting, CEED, FORMAL, 8:00-9:30 pm**

**Host/Hostess Check in with Tracey Calvert or Lesli Coody:** Caleb Vieth, Anthony Almanza

**STUDENTS: If you haven't completed two shifts as Freshman or three for Soph and Juniors then you need to call and sign up for the Annual Meeting May 20, 2010 for the shift from 8:00 to 9:30 pm.**

**By-Laws Committee News**

The By-Laws Committee amended the By-Laws which were approved at the last Guild meeting with the exception of Section IV Special Selection Committee. This amendment was tabled and will go back to committee for further clarification. Thank you to Deanna Peden and DeeAnna Arellano for their assistance on this committee as well as all the Guild members who provided valuable feedback.

Sincerely,  
D'Ann Hervada  
By-Laws Chair

**NYAC NEWS**

**Ann Volker has been nominated as Treasurer for NYAC. The Guild will vote on Ann's nomination at the Membership Tea.**

**Thank you,  
Carla Haston**

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Slate of Officers  
2010-2011

President	Rebekah Perry
Pres Elect	Dee Anna Arellano
VP Membership	Sherry Adams
VP Projects	Dee Anna Arellano
VP Tickets	Lola McLain
Recording Secretary	Janet Smith
Treasurer	Carolina Keith
Asst Treasurer	Tracy Robinson
Parliamentarian	Deanna Peden
Corr. Secretary	Shelly Powell
Arrangements	Sheila Pippen
Belle/Beaux	Amy Hendricks
By-Laws	Deanna Peden
Finance	Carolina Keith
Historian	Sally Osborn
Membership	Sherry Adams
NYAC	Carla Haston
Nominating	Debbie Fowler
Projects	Dee Anna Arellano
Tickets	Lola McLain
Yearbook	Julie Garrett
Patron Liaison	D'Ann Hervada
Communications	Carol Lucas

*The Odessa Symphony Guild  
Cordially invites you to our  
Annual  
Membership Tea & Swim Party*

*Sunday, May 2nd 2010  
2:00 in the afternoon  
10 Santa Ana Court  
Home of Jill Sparkman*

*If you or your child is interested in joining the  
Guild, please come and join us.*

*If you have any questions, please call  
Denise Minyard at 362-1099.*



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