



June 1st, 2015

Dear CCMTAC Members,

If you haven't registered yet for the MTAC State Convention there is still time to do it. It will be at the Fairmont Hotel in San Jose on July 3rd – 7th. If you still plan to attend, please go to mtac.org, under "events & information" to view the convention schedule and to register.

We would like to welcome Sharon Linton, recording secretary and Dwight Stone, co-chair of programs as new members on our board beginning August 1st. They are replacing Georgia Couch and Linda McManus. Many thanks for all that you have done the last two years to support our branch! I look forward to another two years serving on the board alongside the new and current members of the board who have decided to volunteer an additional two years.

I wish all of you a restful summer!

Best Regards,
Jeanette Dreifuerst, President

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT OUR PROGRAMS...

HONORING OUR HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS RECITAL

It was a pleasure to hear the many talented seniors this year at the Honor Our High School Seniors recital on May 17th. Many thanks to Ruth Ann Schwan for chairing this event and to everyone who served on the committee to make this a success.

SONATA CONTEST

Please view information about the 2015 Sonata Contest on our website, ccmtac.com, under "Branch Events". The new repertoire list is there as well. Thank you Kirsten West for all of the work you have done the last two years as chairperson!
Hyunji Park, Chair

MSSL

The Diablo Lodge in Danville will be rescheduled. There will also be a few programs in the summer so please look for more information on our website, <http://msslmusic.org>.
Jenny Wong, Chair

Now is the time to update your information on our website...

Please update your personal information on our website and the state website **as soon as possible** so that the information will be correct in our directory.

The new "Member Help" button on our website contains instructions for updating your contact information both on our branch website and on the state website. It is located in 3 places on our website: at the bottom of the Home page (in yellow), on the right side of the login page and as a separate selection under "Branch Info".

Upcoming Concert Information:

Lino Rivera- St. Paul's Concert Series (Walnut Creek): Friday, June 5 at 7 pm: Lino Rivera: Piano Solo

Gregory Taboloff- Lafayette Library, Saturday June 20 at 3 p.m. (Please see attached flyer for more information)

Gregory Taboloff is giving his first solo performance since his return from his Philippine concerts. Program includes works by Rameau, Haydn, Beethoven, Chopin, Debussy, Liszt, and Ginastera. This exciting concert includes a multimedia approach with Taboloff's hands projected on a 20 foot screen above the Steinway as he performs. Taboloff will be introducing each piece with brief backgrounds of the life and times of each composer with images projected on the big screen.

Recital starts at 3 PM. Wine Thieves of Lafayette will be pouring wines at intermission. Purchase your tickets in advance.



SATURDAY JUNE 20, 3 PM
GREGORY TABOLOFF
PERFORMS

Three Centuries
of Great Piano Masterworks

At the Lafayette Library Community Hall

3491 Mt. Diablo Blvd, Lafayette

For tickets, email annbking1@yahoo.com with name, address, phone number, number of tickets requested or call (925) 968-1704. Then send check to Gregory Taboloff, 919 Santa Cruz Dr, Pleasant Hill, CA 94523.

ADMISSION \$40 WINE AND CHEESE INCLUDED

RAMEAU

L'Egyptienne

HAYDN

"London" Sonata in Eb
Allegro

BEETHOVEN

"Verliebte" Sonata, Op. 7
Allegro molto e con brio

CHOPIN

Ballade No. 4, Opus 52

DEBUSSY

Valse Romantique &
La Puerta del Vino

LISZT

Funerailles

GINASTERA

Danzas Argentinas
I. Danza del Viejo boyero
II. Danza de la moza donosa
III. Danza del gaucho matrero

"Taboloff's playing is charged with fresh, bristling spirit... irrepressible energy...poetry, genuine introspection."
 --Tim Page, *New York Times*
 Carnegie Hall debut

"Taboloff plays with all the conviction of a great Russian pianist."
 --*Sovetskaya Muzyka*, Moscow