NEWSLETTER

Next meeting: April 19, 2014

Website:

www.sandiegocountyrecordersociety.org

Hi, recorder players,

Workshops, workshops. Everywhere you look, there are workshops to attend. Two of the local workshops will be sponsored by the Early Music Society on June 14 at Cuyamaca College. I haven't received all the details of that, but we will keep you informed. Then we have our own annual SDCRS Workshop in October. I hope all of you have set aside the date of October 11 for that one. If you have not already done so, look up the biography of Judy Linsenberg (director of our SDCRS Workshop) at www.linsenberg.com.

We have not had much response to the offer of bass recorder lessons. If any of you would like to increase your range of recorder playing, we could have lessons on any other recorder instrument. Let me know, and we will try to arrange some time for those lessons. I have all the lesson materials, and we have volunteer teachers standing by, so it's up to you now.

Thought for the Month: A right note at the wrong time is a wrong note. The opposite, of course, is true.

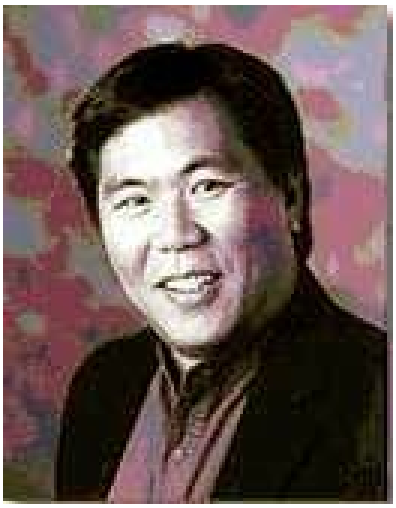
Hope to see all of you on April 19th at our regular SDCRS meeting.

Harvey Winokur, SDCRS President

APRIL GUEST CONDUCTOR

Fred Ubaldo, Jr. started playing the recorder in high school. He continued his studies and performed in early music ensembles while he also studied composition and jazz at San Diego State University. It was as a member of an open-minded and adventurous recorder quartet, however, that Fred began to apply his arranging techniques so that the group's repertoire could encompass a broader range of music than had been available to the recorder. He continues to arrange music for jazz big bands, pops orchestras and Latin music ensembles. But it is the combination of Fred's writing abilities and his understanding of the qualities of the recorder that makes him uniquely qualified to create arrangements that bring out the beauty of both the music and the instruments – and are fun to play, as well.

FRED UBALDO, JR.



If you've ever attended a SDCRS meeting where we played Fred's music, you already know you're in for a fun time! At the meeting we'll begin with "Bist du mei bir", from Bach's Anna Magdalena Notebook. But then, we'll move directly to the 20th century, with a look at "National Emblem", the most popular non-Sousa march ever written. We'll also play the Academy Award-winning theme to "Never on Sunday', the 50's classic "The Loco Motion", and Herb Alpert's hit from the 60's, "Spanish Flea". And guess what: We'll even pay a visit to "Margaritaville"! As always, Fred has made available all parts for the songs, which you can look at before the meeting AND add to your own library. Oh! And don't forget Fred's "surprise song", which we'll play at the very end of the meeting. Come and join us!

NOTES FROM THE NEWSLETTER EDITOR

SDCRS members are entitled to receive the SDCRS Newsletter either by E-mail or snail-mail, at extra cost. If you are an SDCRS member and have not already done so, please let the Newsletter Editor know by telephone (858-270-6953) or via E-mail at hughdwade@earthlink.net your current E-mail address and/or snail-mail address.

If any of you who receive this newsletter have any information that you believe would be of interest to the SDCRS or San Diego early music enthusiasts in general (such as music workshops, concerts, lectures, etc.), please send the information to the SDCRS Newsletter Editor at hughdwade@earthlink.net and it will be considered for inclusion in the SDCRS Newsletter.

SDCRS MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

Included in this newsletter is a 2013-14 SDCRS Membership Application Form. Current SDCRS memberships are valid from Sept. 2013 through June 2014. If you haven't already done so, please complete the application form with payment and return it to Harvey Winokur, SDCRS Treasurer, either by mail or in person. Don't miss this incredible $25 bargain: Nine regular monthly recorder ensemble sessions with an outstanding conductor, a discount on the SDCRS annual workshop, a monthly newsletter, and the company of good people.

SDEMS MONTHLY MUSIC MAKERS

The San Diego Early Music Society (SDEMS) meets at the La Jolla Public Library in La Jolla on the first Sunday of each month from 1:00 pm until 5:00 pm. All early instruments and players are welcome. Bring your instruments, music stand, and music you would like to share. The La Jolla Public Library is located at 7555 Draper Ave., La Jolla, CA. For more information, call Steve Hendricks at (619) 459-4522, or E-mail him at steve@thehendricks.net.

COURTLY NOYSE CONCERTS

The **Courtly Noyse** is a local consort of six instrumentalists/singers who perform Early Music for both public and private events. Additional information about Courtly Noyse consort activities can be found on the Courtly Noyse website http://www.courtlynoyse.com.

AMERICAN RECORDER SOCIETY (ARS) RESOURCES

SDCRS members are encouraged to visit the website of the American Recorder Society (ARS) for additional information about recorder organization activities such as other SDCRS Chapter events and nationwide recorder workshops. The ARS website is www.americanrecorder.org.

EXPAND YOUR MUSIC LIBRARY FREE!

A wealth of musical scores can be downloaded absolutely free for use by your ensemble. Check out the following URLs:

http://icking-music-archive.org
http://sca.uwaterloo.ca/Hendricks/
www.geocities.jp/loverecder
www.mutopiaproject.org/browse.html

RECORDER TEACHER DIRECTORY

Name	Phone	Level Taught	Area
Vanessa Evans	619-297-2095	Beginning to Intermediate	San Diego, North Park
Hugh Wade	858-270-6953	Beginning to Intermediate	San Diego, Clairemont
Harvey Winokur	619-334-1993	Beginning to Intermediate	East County
Janet Beazley	858-353-8668	All levels, ensemble coaching, Recorders, flutes, viola da gamba	

If you want to be listed in the recorder teacher directory, send your particulars to: SDCRS Newsletter Editor hughdwade@earthlink.net.

SDCRS MEETING CALENDAR 2014

April 19, 2014 Regular monthly meeting at Clairemont Lutheran Church, Fred Ubaldo, Jr., conductor
May 17, 2014 Regular monthly meeting at Clairemont Lutheran Church, Conductor TBA

SDCRS MEETING LOCATION

Clairemont Lutheran Church
4271 Clairemont Mesa Blvd.
San Diego, CA 92117

Regular meetings start with a warm-up session with David McNair from 1:00 to 1:50 pm. All players meet with our guest conductor from 2:00-4:30 pm. Bring your own music stand.

SDCRS CONTACTS

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SAN DIEGO COUNTY RECORDER SOCIETY
2013-2014 MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

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Recorders played:

_____Sopranino
_____Soprano
_____Alto
_____Tenor
_____Bass
_____Great Bass
_____Contra Bass

Please list any other early musical instruments you play:

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Please check by the appropriate category for your yearly dues:

_____ $25 regular adult membership
_____ $15 student membership
_____ $10 child membership (up to and including 8th grade)

If you do not wish to join the SDCRS this year, but wish to continue receiving the SDCRS newsletter, please check one of the categories below:

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_____$5 one year of SDCRS Newsletter via US Mail

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