

President's Report December 18, 2016

It has been a successful concert season and there are a lot of Thank you's to be given! I really appreciate all that has been done by each member of the board. The reception at clover lane was a delight and I think that one of our biggest and most lively audiences really appreciated it. Every concert the promotion table was worked by John Folby, that was great! Thank you Doug for facilitating that. And finally Adam, without his writing, arranging and artistic abilities we would not have had such an incredible concert. I kept getting the feedback that our sound had much improved and that is very exciting.

First matter of old business that we need to discuss is Adam and Dan's contract renewals. Steve and I had a brief discussion of what we can offer as an increase and he was going to do some more research. I am sure his report will mention something as well.

The Farm Show went very successfully at the end of November. There were some minor glitches between people not showing up for their shifts and backing out last minute. But the members that were there, Kyle, Allan, Ted, Steve, James, Tom, Bob and myself made it happen and had a really good time. Ashley at center plate seemed very pleased with how everything went.

I was able to attend the open house for Jump Street last night. I met both Jeff and Melissa who are huge supporters of the chorus. They were excited to tell me about the new marquis at their new space, a great spot for us to advertise in the future with all the capitol workers walking on Third street.

I am looking forward to our retreat and really getting things in gear for the upcoming year.