

The Gilbert and Sullivan Society of Austin

presents its

September Musicale Fun, Fantasy, and Fairies!

Sunday, September 14th, 2008

Part I - Selections from *Iolanthe* by Gilbert and Sullivan

- "Strephon's a member of Parliament" Sing-along
"When Britain really ruled the waves" David
"Oh, foolish fay" Lisa
"Love, unrequited" Art
"If you go in you're sure to win" Art, David, and Andy
"If we're weak enough to tarry" June and Jay
"My Lord, a suppliant at your feet" Patricia

Part II - Whimsical selections from various composers

- "Art Is Calling For Me" from *The Enchantress* by Victor Herbert..... Eva
"Zipperfly" by Marc Blitzstein Jay
"I Want Magic" from *A Streetcar named Desire* by André Previn June
"Nacht, Allerseelen, Zueignung" *Op. 10* by Richard Strauss..... Kathryn
"Giants in the Sky" from *Into the Woods* by Stephen Sondheim Andy
"La flûte de Pan" and "Le tombeau des Naiades"
from *Trois Chansons de Bilitis* by Claudes Debussy Patricia
"What Is This Feeling?" from *Wicked* by Stephen Schwartz June and Eva
"Happily Ever After"
from *Once Upon a Mattress* by Marshall Barer and Mary Rodgers Lisa

Singers: Lisa Alexander, Patricia Combs, Arthur DiBianca,
Andy Fleming, David Fontenot, June Julian, Eva Laskaris,
Kathryn Saar, Jay Young

Accompanist: Martha Dudgeon

Musicale Organizer: Eva Laskaris

Playbill Layout: Michael Borysow

Words to "Hail, Poetry!"

Pirate King

Although our dark career
Sometimes involves the crime of stealing,
We rather think that we're
Not altogether void of feeling.
Although we live by strife,
We're always sorry to begin it,
For what, we ask, is life
Without a touch of Poetry in it?

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Hail, Poetry, thou heav'n-born maid!
Thou gildest e'en the pirate's trade.
Hail, flowing fount of sentiment!
All hail, divine emollient!

Our deepest condolences go to the family of Frank Delvy, our beloved friend and long time G&S performer. Frank passed away on August 31st of this year. He will be greatly missed!

Notices:

Our annual meeting is scheduled for
Monday, January 12, at 7:30 PM 2009. Location TBA.

We hope you can make it to auditions for our 2009 show, *Iolanthe!*
Auditions will be held on Saturday, February 28, and Sunday, March 1 of 2009,
location TBA.

For updates, including unannounced audition locations, please check back at
www.gilbertsullivan.org as the date becomes closer!

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