THIS WEEK AT CAF!

SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST

- Registration & Recruitment!
- Spring Concert-Did You Know?
- Schedule
- Meet the Advisory Board

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

May 20
CAF Rehearsals

May 21
Seniors Sing!

May 27
CAF Rehearsals

May 28
Seniors Sing! End of Year Party & Re-

May 31
SPRING CONCERT!
St. John Lutheran
Rehearsals-TBD
Concert-7:30

June 3
- Children's Chorus Party
- New Member Auditions as Scheduled
- Harris/Minuetto Rehearsal

June 20
Stephanie Harris-Masters Recital
Twin Maples

THE CONTINUO ARTS FOUNDATION

MAY 19, 2014

REGISTRATION & RECRUITMENT!

- **Parents of the 2014-2015 Chanticleers, Singers & Continuos: If you were unable to attend the meeting last week please make sure you come in to register your singer this week. Packets will be on the table according to ensemble. Why is this important? We are already scheduling auditions for the upper groups and must have firm commitments to know how many open positions we have.**
- **Recruitment: Please up us by picking up and hanging recruitment posters. The posters are location specific according to towns: Summit, Westfield, Short Hills/Milburn and General for all other locations. There will also be recruitment postcards available.**

SPRING CONCERT-DID YOU KNOW?

The Spring Concert on Saturday, May 31st will be full of great music, movement and memories: Pick up posters & postcards to distribute and invite! As we celebrate and send-off our graduating seniors it is always a time to pause and reflect on the time and experiences shared together. While compiling pictures and making the senior video, what is striking is the major events, opportunities and collaborations they were able to experience over the years.
Suffice it to say, when this experience history crosses the College Admissions desk, the impact is impressive & profound! Congratulations!!!

2006– First Concert for students with Dr. Wicke in Carnegie Hall
2008-Continuo Inaugural Concert: Festival Pro Musica E Arte Sacre - Rome, Vatican City
2008-Documentary Filming: "Requiem for my Mother"
2009– Carnegie Hall: "Christmas Time in the City"
2010-Carnegie Hall: "Lee Kjelson Memorial Sounds of Music Concert"
2010-Boardwalk Hall: On Tour with Andre Rieu and the Straus Orchestra
2011– Inaugural Festival Per Giovani Musicisti-Rome, Vatican City, Assisi
2012– Festival Per Giovani Musicisti-Rome, Vatican City, Assisi, Prague
2012-Lincoln Center: Collaboration with the Turkish Government "Yunes Emre"
2012-Music Center at Strathmore: Collaboration with the Turkish Government "Yunes Emre"
2014-European Tour: Ireland & Italy
2014-Sistine Chapel: First historic concert by an US ensemble inside the Sistine Chapel

"Don't ever give up. Don't ever give in. Don't ever stop trying. Don't ever sell out. And if you find yourself succumbing to one of the above for a brief moment, pick yourself up, brush yourself off, whisper a prayer, and start where you left off. But never, ever, ever give up."

MEET THE ADVISORY BOARD!

Jean Marie Apruzzese serves as Partner and Chief Operating Officer of DRA Advisors LLC in NYC. Ms. Apruzzese has been with DRA 20 years where she started in the Portfolio Management Dept. and helped grow the organization from inception to date. DRA is currently an $11 billion Investment Advisory firm specializing in value-add real estate in the US with 80 associates. Ms. Apruzzese graduated from Manhattan College in 1989.
Ms. Apruzzese currently resides on the Advisory Board of Continuo Arts Foundation where her son Gerard has been performing for 4 years. Her primary focus is community outreach. She will also serve as the 2014/2015 President of SPARC (Summit Performing Arts Resource Committee). A Summit resident since 2002 has two children Jack (9) and Gerard (14) and her husband Daniel also serves on the Advisory Board. Hobbies include golf, spinning and tennis.

CONTINUO ARTS SPRING CONCERT! Come one, come all!

- To an evening of great music
- A celebration and send-off of our Seniors!
- Featuring all Continuo Arts Choral Ensembles
- The Continuo Arts Chamber Orchestra
- Solo's & Surprises Galore!

YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS IT!

OUR UPCOMING SCHEDULE

May 20

Rehearsals, Recital & Meeting: Twin Maples

4:30 - 5:30 Children's Chorus
5:30 - 7:30 Chanticleers
6:00 - 7:30 Singers & Continuos
7:45 - 9:00 Civic Chorale
9:00 - 9:30 Sonaré

May 21

Rehearsal: Summit Community Center

11:00 - 12:30 Seniors Sing!

SAVE THE DATES!

May 31st - Spring Concert
June 17th-Parent's Appreciation Party; sponsored by the Advisory Board!
June 20th– Stephanie Harris Recital
June 22-29th– The Minuetto Music Festival
July 7-26th– Summer Musical Theater Conservatory