

## A Message from our President

Happy New Year!

We are off to a great start in 2018! Last October we reintroduced our Key Player Campaign. At that time, we had 36 keys available. Today, only 18 ivory keys remain. What an accomplishment in less than 3 months. Our goal is to have all of the keys inscribed by the last concert of this season. We have a special DPVA Key Player key for those who would like to contribute a smaller amount. The names of all contributors will be listed on our website at [www.dpva.org](http://www.dpva.org).

Thank you to all the volunteers

who spent many hours preparing students for the Fall Young People's concert, helping the teachers with *Q the Music* students and introducing second graders to Orchestra and You. If you are interested in becoming an education volunteer, please contact Marcia Wood, Education Coordinator, at [note2mwood@donet.com](mailto:note2mwood@donet.com).

We also have added a new calendar to our website. It lists all upcoming DPVA member events through the end of June, 2018. Our next event is an Appreciation Reception and Concert on Saturday, January 20th at the Schuster Center. This event is sponsored by the DPAA to honor the

DPVA and our support of the Dayton Philharmonic Orchestra and the Alliance. The reception starts at 7:00 pm. I look forward to seeing you there.

Remember to sign up again this year (January 1, 2018 through December 31, 2018) for the Good Neighbor Program at Dorothy Lane Market. The DPVA number is 493.

If you have any questions or concerns, please let me know at [carole.endres@wright.edu](mailto:carole.endres@wright.edu).

Thanks for all you do to keep the music alive!

Carole

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**and** *Support*

**DPVA**



## Key Players' Keys . . . Going . . . Going . . . We Want To Say It Soon!

We are down to only 18 ivory keys remaining in our Key Player campaign! Please help us finish filling the piano with your name or the name of your business. Too much to do on your own? Then band together with your family, your bookclub, bridge group, investment club or girls night out group, your co-workers, your moms group or any group to help us successfully close this campaign.

When you donate \$500 (or more) for an ivory key, we put your name or the name of your organization, business or group on our 58" tall keyboard.

The keyboard is on display at various locations in the Schuster Center or the Victoria Theater during all Dayton Performing Arts Alliance ballet, opera and orchestra performances.

Let's keep the music alive in Dayton! Your money directly supports the

Dayton Philharmonic Orchestra and four in-school education programs that the DPVA supports: *Q the Music*, Orchestra & You, SPARK and the Young People's Concert Previews. We award college scholarships, sponsor music competitions, and support the Youth Orchestra, Junior Strings and Junior Orchestra.

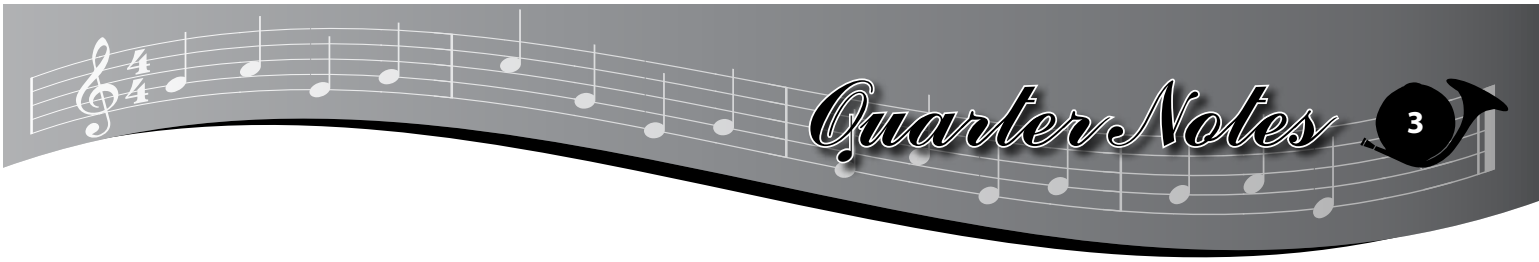
Check out <https://dpva.org/making-a-difference/> and <https://dpva.org/in-school-programs/> to see who we are and what we do to make a difference.

You can get more information or purchase a key by:

- Contacting Kathy Lindahl at 937-254-4180 or [wlindahl@sprintmail.com](mailto:wlindahl@sprintmail.com)
- Picking up a brochure at a DPAA event and mailing it in.
- Go to [dpva.org](http://dpva.org), wait for the Key Player Piano on the main page, then click the Purchase a Key tab and download the donate form. Follow directions and become a Key Player.

DPVA INVITES YOU TO BE A

*Key Player*



# Shop 'til you drop on and help the DPVA



Have you heard of Amazon Smile? It is a simple way for you to support your favorite charity, the DPVA of course, every time you shop on Amazon. Signing up is easy. Go to [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com) on your web browser on your computer or mobile device and select the Dayton Philhar-

monic Volunteer Association as your charity. When you shop, you use the same account on Amazon and AmazonSmile. Your shopping cart, Wish List, wedding or baby registry account settings are also the same. The AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the

purchase price from your eligible AmazonSmile purchases to the DPVA. From time to time, Amazon may offer special, limited time promotions that increase the donation amount on one or more products or services. You may visit AmazonSmile program details for complete information.

## *Good Neighbor Program at Dorothy Lane Market*

Did you know that by shopping at Dorothy Lane Market and enrolling in their Good Neighbor program you can earn money for the DPVA? Simply go to [www.dorothylane.com](http://www.dorothylane.com) and type good neighbor program into the search bar on the top right corner. Select #493 as your selected

charity and then follow the prompts to finish your enrollment. We will then receive a prorated portion of the \$40,000 that Dorothy Lane Market generously gives back to our community every year. While you can sign up at any time, you must remember to renew your

membership every January. DLM gave the DPVA \$357 in 2016. I see so many of you in DLM with loaded carts, so I know we can raise money with this generous DLM program. Please take just a quick moment and sign up today.

## The DPVA Scholarship Fund

The DPVA Scholarship Fund provides music education scholarships for young people throughout the Miami Valley. The DPVA is a tax-exempt entity under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

For further information regarding our scholarship programs, please visit our website at [dpva.org](http://dpva.org) and look under the Programs tab. To make a

donation you may fill out and mail the attached form to:

Dayton Philharmonic Volunteer Association, P.O. Box 525, Dayton, OH 45409-0525.

### 2018 DPVA Scholarship Donation

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount of Donation: \_\_\_\_\_

In Honor of: \_\_\_\_\_

In Memory of: \_\_\_\_\_

## DPVA Holiday Party Highlights

The Dayton Country Club was the host for the recent Holiday Party. Attendees were treated to a wonderful evening full of music, food and fellowship. The evening started with impromptu caroling around the piano with *Q the Music* kids using their vocal talents lead by J Stanton.

Everyone was further treated to a mini-concert by the fourth-year students of the Ruskin Elementary *Q the Music* program, the

Tchaikovsky Orchestra. Lead by conductor Ben Grabill, the talented young musicians performed beautifully.

Ending the evening were



the winner and two finalists of the David Pierson Young Musician's Concerto Competition. First place winner

Paul Rosenberger played one of the two planned piano pieces with passion! Mitchell Ballester, second place winner, performed Glier's Tarantella Opus 9 Number 2 and third place winner Cameron Slaton played the Second and Third Movements of the Marcello Oboe Concerto. It is always a pleasure to see the skill these talented young musicians possess and know that our efforts helped them achieve it.

## *Eat, Shop & Support DPVA Details*

We all love to eat, we all love to shop, so why not raise funds for the DPVA doing things we love to do?! It really is simple. Go to [dpva.org](http://dpva.org) and click on the Eat, Shop and Support DPVA banner on the main page scroll. Next print the attached form. Take the form with you to the restaurant or retailer on the assigned day and help us receive a portion of the proceeds.

Don't worry, if you forget to bring the form, there will be DPVA volunteers there to help you.

We made it easy, you make it fun and help us raise proceeds of 20% to 50% of your purchase back from participating vendors. Bring family, bring friends and of course come hungry on the 3rd Tuesday of every month. Our first event kicks off at



MOD Pizza, located at 5225 Cornerstone North Blvd. in Centerville. Come for

lunch from 11:00 to 2:00 or come for dinner from 5:00 to 8:00, just be sure to be there!