

News and information for December 2021

Edition 6

This is the Murray Symphony newsletter for month of Deember 2021. You can also find this on <u>murraysymphony.org</u> under the member portal

The password for the member tab is PlayMurray. This is where Board agendas and minutes, the current directory and any other information the group needs to know.

It has been too long. I'm sorry I have not created this edition in a month.

Our December concert was a smashing success. Jim Thompson says we played better than he's ever heard. Here is the link to our YouTube video.

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On February 19, 2022 we will perform in our Concerto Concert. We have 5 soloists from our group who will show everyone just how talented we are. Thanks to our wonderful judges who helped out with this.

Leon Francis – Oboe
First movement from Alessandro Marcello's oboe concerto in d minor (on the oboe, of course).
James Thompson – String Bass
First movement of Concerto in A Major for Contrabass Violin by Domenico Dragonetti.
Katie Damon - Harp
Third movement of *Concerto for Harp and Orchestra, Op. 74* by Reinhold Gliere
Chad Davis – Tuba
Frackenpohl Concertino for Bass Tuba and String Orchestra Movement 1 Moderato
Amanda Brown – Piano
Beethoven's Piano Concerto No. 5 mvt 2 Adagio un poco mosso.

## The Latest in our Search for a new director

We have four people who are interested in becoming our new Music Director. We have extended to them an invitation to an interview on January 8th or 15th After this interview we will give each of them a score to prepare and rehearse with us and conduct at an upcoming concert.

At the general meeting in May, everyone will have a chance to vote on the one they would like to direct us.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact us at <u>contact@murraysymphony.org</u>.

The board meets on the Third Wednesday of every month right after rehearsal. Our next meeting will be January 19 right after rehearsal. All are welcome to attend. Please let us know if you have an issue to discuss.