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The purpose of this organization, operating under the auspices of the Houston Symphony society, is to promote quality music education and enrichment programs for area students and to promote music appreciation in the Bay Area through an affiliation with the Houston Symphony and other resources.

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Dear Friends and Members of HSLBA,



I hope you are having a wonderful summer. My husband and I are off on a lengthy road trip to Montreal, Quebec City, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and other parts of Canada, to visit relatives and research the Acadian culture.

This past year was an exciting one for HSLBA as we accomplished more than ever. As our amazing outgoing President, Carole Murphy, wrote in the May Newsletter: "We, collectively, can be very proud of HSLBA and all that we stand for." We expect that this year, the Centennial year of the renowned Houston Symphony, will have even more accomplishments. The Education Program is expanding into some Friendswood ISD elementary schools as well as to the Boys and Girls Harbor School in LaPorte. The Home Tour (March 22 and 23, 2014) will be better than ever – all this with your help. And we expect to bring more music than ever to our community, with special events, such as Music at the Museum in October and an evening event early in 2014 with music by members of the Houston Symphony.

Let's all work together this year to share our love and enthusiasm for beautiful music!

See you in September, when we will have a list of the music programs for the year.

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WINE AND CHEESE MEMBERSHIP EVENT

The wine and cheese membership event will take place on Thursday, August 22 from 5:30—8:00 p.m. If anyone has names that they would like to submit as guests, they need to get the information to Pat Biddle by August 6. Current members that provide names will also receive an invitation. For more information, please contact Pat Biddle at 281-488-2346 or kron12@yahoo.com

Pat Biddle, VP Membership



Ride the Bus to the HSO Performance



Gold Classics Concert Series

- 1 Tchaikovsky's Piano Concerto - September 15, 2013
- 2 Mozart & Schumann - October 27, 2013
- 3 Tchaikovsky's Symphony No. 4 - November 24, 2013
- 4 Emanuel Ax Plays Bach - February 16, 2014
- 5 Tchaikovsky's Serenade for Strings - March 9, 2014
- 6 Tchaikovsky's Romeo & Juliet - April 13, 2014

Call Houston Symphony: 713-234-7575 to purchase your concert seats.

* Bus Ride cost is \$100 for the 6 concert season or \$20/concert providing space is available.

* Bus departs Bay Area Park & Ride at 1 PM; arrives for lunch or pre-concert lecture.

Please call Don Davis, 832-864-2776 for more information and make bus reservations.

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