



"Music is a moral law. It gives soul to the universe, wings to the mind, flight to the imagination and charm and gaiety to life and to everything." Plato

December 9, 2009

Dear Friends of SLOCO:

We're back - thanks to you. And we want to stay. Thank you for supporting the arts with your charitable contributions. Our world would be bereft without them. When Gilbert and Sullivan amazed their audiences in the 1870's with their tongue and cheek satires of the royal Navy, the English obsession with social status and even the Queen they became internationally famous. These light operas have been performed all over the world since then for over a hundred years. The Simsbury Light Opera Company has been continuously performing since 1946 all of these G&S light operas. Last year we performed Franz Lehar's Merry Widow. In 2010, our 65th year we are again expanding our repertoire with Die Fledermaus by Johann Strauss II.

We're proud with a long history in our community. We have a pedigree and we don't want our breed to die. But we need your help. We're all in economically difficult times. Please give to support the arts again in your community. We thank you and hope to see you at our show in the spring.

As Shakespeare said, " If music be the food of love, play on..." We will with your help.

Yours Truly,

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