Pentangle Welcomes New Board Members

We are delighted to welcome Miranda Holson, and Marne Perreault to the Pentangle Board of Trustees.

Miranda, a native Vermonter, returned to Woodstock after attending college at Western State Colorado University where she majored in Communications Arts with an emphasis in Film Studies. After college her travels took her to Bavaria, where she taught English, and worked on an organic farm, and then to Los Angeles, where she worked for a well-known investor/entrepreneur. She is now a real estate broker for Snyder Donegan and in her free time enjoys mountain biking, trail running and free style skiing. We are fortunate that she will continue as our Volunteer Coordinator while on the board. It is a critical role that ensures our events are well-staffed and run smoothly, such as the July 5th VSO concert, attended by 900 patrons!

Miranda has also attended, and helped execute our events such as Jay Nash and Contenders, and our <u>Music by the River</u> concert series.

Marne comes to the Pentangle board with years of professional experience in donor development and engagement, major gifts, marketing, event and volunteer management. She is currently the Assistant Director of Individual Giving at Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center and Geisal School of Medicine. Prior to her position at Dartmouth she worked in several high-level development positions at Harvard University, where she received prestigious awards for her work in donor development and gift planning.

Marne, too, has volunteered her time working at events such as the VSO and the Holiday House Tour. We welcome both new members and thank them for their service on the Board.

Pentangle's current officers are now, Chair, Joshua Pauley, Vice-Chair, Sarit Melmud, Treasurer, Susan Boston, and Secretary, Wendy Spector. I look forward to working together with the board to ensure that Pentangle remains a strong, vibrant member of the Upper Valley's vast arts community!

The weekend ahead is full of films, music and dance! <u>Music by The River, July 12, 5:30 pm</u>

We have been blessed with lovely weather for our <u>Music By the River</u> Series. We hope the trend continues for this week's concert featuring <u>The Green Mountain Playboys</u>. The Montpelier-based band play high energy Cajun music made for dancing. Based in the traditional Cajun style of southwest Louisiana, the Playboys feature twin fiddles, accordion, electric guitar, bass, and drums. They play two-steps, blues, and waltzes with a fresh, modern approach to time-tested songs of love, heartbreak, and intrigue. The band is a confluence of accomplished musicians whose single goal is to bring you hot dance music. They have shared a stage with Cajun greats such as Steve Riley, the Revelers, Dewey Balfa, Jesse Lege, Tracy Schwarz and many others. Music by the River concerts are free with donations gratefully accepted.

Moonlight Magic at the Kedron Valley Inn, July 14 at 8:00

Celebrate the 50th Anniversary of Apollo 11 Moon Landing, the approaching full moon and Pentangle Arts with a fun, evening that includes an outdoor screening of Moonstruck, starring Cher and Nicholas Cage. The ticket price includes popcorn, candy, and a special Moonlight Magic Cocktail. A huge shout out the folks at the <u>Kedron Valley Inn</u> for hosting this fun summer event. The evening begins at 8:00 pm and the screening starts at 8:30 pm. Tickets are \$20, \$25 day of (children are complimentary) and can be purchased <u>pentanglearts.org/event/moonlight-magic</u>. Proceeds benefit Pentangle Arts!

On the Big Stage:

On Saturday, July 13 at 1:00 pm our summer creative dance camp, directed by movement artist and educator Madeline Warriner, concludes with a performance in the Town Hall, featuring improvisation, hip hop, contemporary movement and jazz. The performance is free and open to the public.

The Vermont Suitcase Company (VSC)

Pentangle is one of the 12 venues across the state to host VSC's live and hysterical production of L'Odeur de Moliere | The Doctor And The Dowry, Sunday, July 21 at 4:00 pm.

Come for an hour of fun and frivolity at an affordable ticket price!

Tickets are \$8.00/ adults, \$7.00/ seniors, and \$5.00 /kids. Tickets can be purchased at the door or online at <u>pentanglearts.org/event/vermont-suitcase-company</u>.

<u>The Vermont Suitcase Company (VSC)</u> is comprised of Vermont raised professional actors who return in the summer to tour adapted funny and engaging productions for audiences of all ages. Their mission is to bring live, active theater to Vermont towns, and to bring community people together to laugh with them and with each other.

Says You! is coming to Woodstock

We still have tickets for the popular <u>Says You!</u> live show coming to our <u>Town Hall Theatre</u> on Saturday, July 27. This nationally acclaimed show airs weekly in the United States on public radio stations and is well-known by VPR listeners. Richard Sher created the show in 1996 with the guiding philosophy: "It's not important to KNOW the answers: it's important to LIKE the answers."

The performance begins at 7:30pm and includes two shows to air nationally on public radio. For those of you who would like to start the laughs rolling a little earlier, there is a special Q and A at 6:30 pm with the cast and crew. Tickets for pre-show are \$45 with limited seats right in front of cast, regular reserved seats are \$35.

On the Big Screen:

Late Night (R)

Legendary late-night talk show host's world is turned upside down when she hires her only female staff writer. Originally intended to smooth over diversity concerns, her decision has unexpectedly hilarious consequences as the two women separated by culture and generation are united by their love of a biting punchline. The film stars Emma Thompson and Mindy Kaling.

Friday, July 12 at 7:30 pm Saturday, July 13 at 7:30 pm Sunday, July 14 at 7:30 pm Monday, July 15 at 7:30 pm

Tickets: \$9 Adults | \$8 Kids & Seniors | \$7 Pentangle Members

Up next: Echo Canyon