### **Pentangle Gives Thanks**

We are in the season of giving and giving thanks. I personally want to thank our donors, business sponsors, and town voters who make it possible for us to continue to enhance our area's cultural and economic vitality through the presentation of affordable and accessible arts programming for all to enjoy. Community support is also critical to the less visible but critical work we do to maintain and improve the theatre and all the technical equipment that enhance the patron experience whether it be for a movie or a live theatrical or musical production.

While we are a small non-profit organization, we aim to do big things. For example, by the end of 2019 we will have screened 52 feature films attended by nearly 10,000 patrons, and will have presented 25 live performances including live musical theatre for area youth that taken together will be attended by over 8,000 people. And that does not even include fundraisers for area non-profits, community productions, after school and summer dance and performance camps, and in-school residencies.

Again, none of this would be possible without community support for which we are immensely grateful.

I would also like to thank our volunteer Board of Trustees, our staff and the many volunteers who work to make our operation run smoothly!

Speaking of volunteers, we still need docents for the upcoming Holiday House Tour. If you are interested, please contact me at <a href="mailto:director@pentanglearts.org">director@pentanglearts.org</a>.

### **Wassail Weekend:**

Tickets are selling fast for Yale University's acclaimed a cappella group, <u>The Whiffenpoofs</u>, at 7:30 pm on December 13, and the fiery Celtic group <u>Coig</u>, on December 14, at 8:00 pm. Both concerts are reserved seating! For more information and to purchase tickets please go to <u>pentanglearts.org/wassail-weekend</u>.

A friendly reminder that we have capped the number of tickets sold for the **18**<sup>th</sup> **Annual Holiday House Tour**. So, don't delay get your tickets today!

A heartfelt thank you to the homeowners for opening their doors, The Prince and Pauper Restaurant for hosting a reception for tour participants, and the nearly 100 volunteers who make the event possible. For tickets and more information please go to pentanglearts.org/event/holiday-house-tour-2019

# On the Big Screen:

# Harriet (PG-13)

Harriet, directed by Kasi Lemmons, is a biographical film about slave-turned-abolitionist Harriet Tubman. The story follows her escape from slavery through the dangerous missions she led to liberate hundreds of slaves through the Underground Railroad. It stars Cynthia Erivo as Tubman, with Leslie Odom Jr., Joe Alwyn, and Janelle Monáe in supporting roles.

### Showtimes:

Friday, November 22, 2019 at 7:30 pm

Saturday, November 23, 2019 at 7:30 pm

Sunday, November 24, 2019 at 3:00 pm

Monday, November 25, 2019 at 7:30 pm

Up next: <u>Last Christmas</u>