MONDAY MUSICAL CLUB OF PORTLAND



Enriching Lives Through Music

Monday Musical Club of Portland 120 Years of Service and Inspiration

If you listen to Pink Martini, enjoy music at the Keller Auditorium, or ever took music lessons, you owe a debt of gratitude to a century-old group of music lovers who've nurtured the arts in the Portland area for the last 116 years.

--Ned Hayes, Artslandia Magazine 2020

The Monday Musical Club of Portland (MMC) was founded in 1904 and has supported music in our community for 120 years. Our members are men and women who love music. Some are professional musicians and educators; others take pleasure in listening to and supporting musical performances.

Our <u>Music Awards program</u> gives thousands of dollars each year to music students in our local area. Additionally, each year MMC contributes \$1000 each to the <u>Portland Youth Philharmonic</u>, the <u>Metropolitan Youth Symphony</u>, the <u>Community Music Center</u>, <u>Piano Santa</u>, the <u>Oregon Symphony</u>, and the <u>Portland Opera</u>.

Over the years, as the funding for music in schools has decreased, our mission has become even more vital. Funding to support live music performance and musical education has become more dependent on each of our individual contributions.

This is where we turn to you. Please join us in our mission.

First, we invite you to learn more about MMC: our history and our accomplishments. Check out our website at Monday Musical Club of Portland (pdxmmc.org).

Second, we invite you to join us in our cause. Become an MMC partner through your contributions in money and/or time. We are a 501(c)(3) non-profit; use our non-profit designation for your tax-deductible contribution. Join us in this truly worthy endeavor. By becoming a partner in The Monday Musical Club of Portland, you will help support and inspire our future performers and educators.

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