

NEWS RELEASE

Musicians From Around the Region Perform at Deck the Hall

The Sounds of Christmas Fill the Music Room

November 13, 2015 – Akron, Ohio – Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens presents its annual celebration of the winter holidays, **DECK THE HALL**, from 5-8pm on November 27-29, December 3-6, Dec. 10-23, 26-30, and January 2, 2016. *Home for the Holidays* evokes the warmth of the Seiberlings’ family Christmases throughout the Manor House. In the Music Room, choirs and musicians from throughout Northeast Ohio provide a musical backdrop as guests tour the historic Manor House, providing another dimension to the Deck the Hall tour. Stan Hywet is located at 714 North Portage Path, in Akron Ohio.

Musical groups range from soloists to church choirs to high school and college groups, adding significantly to the Deck the Hall experience. “We’re fortunate to have so many talented musicians who love to entertain guests as they tour the Manor House Music Room, considered one of the most beautiful rooms in the country,” notes Julie Frey, Director of Services/Curator. Participating musicians and dates of performance are:

November 27	Jane Delcamp, Pianist & Flautist	December 17	Western Reserve Academy String Ensemble
November 28	Women Sing (Medina)	December 18	dismantle.Repair (Brimfield)
November 29	Suite Elegance Entertainment	December 19	dismantle.Repair (Brimfield)
December 3	Firestone HS Madrigal Singers	December 20	Bryon Black & Friends
December 4	Carole Saire, Pianist (Brecksville)	December 21	Crooked River Chorale
December 5	The King’s Strings	December 22	Graham Hicks, Pianist
December 6	Robin Bennett & Jim Hannah	December 23	All Thumbs Bassoon Ensemble
December 10	Kent State University Chorale	December 26	Carla Davis & Friends
December 11	Kent State University Men’s Quartet	December 27	Caitlin Phillips, Pianist
December 12	722 Singers (Hudson)	December 28	Stan Hywet Aeolian Organ
December 13	Joyful Bronze Handbell Choir	December 29	Sperry Creek (Walton Hills)
December 14	Linda Conrad, Pianist	December 30	Linda Florjancic, Viola & Piano
December 15	Shani Diggs, Pianist (Uniontown)	January 2, 2016	Stan Hywet Aeolian Organ
December 16	Crooked River Chorale (Seville)		

TICKETS

Tickets to **DECK THE HALL** may be purchased in advance at www.stanhywet.org or 330-315-3287, or upon arrival. Tickets include a self-guided tour of the Manor House and grounds, including DAZZLE and Gingerbread Land. Ticket prices are \$18, adults; \$7, youth (ages 6-17) and college students with ID. Children 5 and under are free.

Deck the Hall is presented with support from Consolidated Solutions. Vintage toys are on loan from Susie’s Museum of Childhood in Bluebird Farm Park, part of the Carroll County Park District in Carrollton, Ohio. The life size horse replica is on loan from the Western Reserve Historical Society.

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