

# COLUMBIA RIVER CLARION

Columbia River Theatre Organ Society



## International Youth Silent Film Festival International Awards Night

June 4th, 2014 - 7:00 PM

Come see the top three winning films from the four international festivals sponsored by IYSFF...Pacific Northwest, Midwest, South Australia, and Kingston Australia...with the the international award for the top IYSFF film for 2014 selected by our celebrity jury during the event.

### Coming to the Elsinore Theatre

Now or Never (1921), Putting Pants on Phillip (1927), & That's My Wife (1929)

June 18 • 7:00 pm

In Now or Never, Harold Lloyd and his girl Mary have been apart. When they find themselves traveling on the same train, Mary must flee to avoid detection by her employers (also on the train), while Harold attempts to dodge the conductor because he has no ticket. Inspired confusion in a classic Lloyd comedy. In Putting Pants on Phillip, a young Scot named Phillip (Stan Laurel) arrives in America, his visit supervised by Uncle Ollie (Oliver Hardy). Phillip has a weakness for chasing women, and his refusal to trade his kilts for pants drives his uncle crazy. In That's My Wife, tensions between Oliver and Mrs. Hardy come to a boil when Stan persists as a permanent houseguest. 80 minutes.







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#### Monthly Board Meeting 4th Tuesday of the month

All members are encouraged to attend the monthly board meeting. It is held the 4th Tuesday of every month at Izzy's Restaurant located at the Gateway Shopping Center (1307 NE 102nd. Ave, Portland, OR). Meeting begins at 7 pm. No-host dinner at 6:30.

The Columbia River Theatre Organ Society is a non-profit, educational organization dedicated to the preservation of the theatre organ and its music.



### Minutes of the Board of Directors Meeting of the Columbia River Theatre Organ Society

Tuesday, April 22, 2014 7:00pm at Izzy's Gateway restaurant

Meeting called to order at 7PM by acting chairperson Stuart Hall.

Present were Stuart Hall, Robert Kingdom, Steve Jarvis, Jack Powers, Terry Robson, Lou Pfaff, Richard Lawson and Jonas Nordwall.

Jonas Nordwall acted as secretary in Mike Bryant's absence.

Approval of minutes from previous meeting was tabled until next meeting by board.

Lou Pfaff gave the treasurers report. 43 members have renewed memberships todate. Lou also has the new laptop. Discussion concerning accounting apps followed with the board authorizing up to \$300 to acquire "2000 Professional" program.

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

Discussion on the status of the Hollywood Theatre organ.

Rob Kingdom reported the replacement board had arrived. It will be installed and tested this week. The organ will be used the weekend of April 26 for the 75th anniversary showing of the "Wizard of Oz". Don Feely is the organist.

There was discussion about soliciting more tech oriented members to assist with the Hollywood project.

The organ will be used again this summer for the Youth Silent Film Festival.

Jack Powers gave his report on the silent movie series featuring Harold Lloyd films. He contacted Lloyd's granddaughter who oversees the Lloyd film distribution. Each feature film is available in DVD format for \$500 and the film shorts are \$125. Jack also presented Sunday afternoon dates for the Hollywood Theatre presentations.

Following lengthy discussion about a Fall Lloyd silent series, the following was decided:

Jonas will contact Suzann Lloyd to confirm her availability to be in Portland to provide additional support for the first film. He will also contact Chris Elliott to confirm his availability as guest organist for that event.

Rob will then follow up with arrangements with Cleveland High School for the initial presentation. The Hollywood is limited to 400 seats, and it is anticipated there will be about 600+ in attendance so Cleveland will be needed to accommodate the audience.

Everyone will have some part in promotional events. We are pursuing sponsorships for this event. We will need to establish a fee schedule for program ads.

As this is a co-sponsored event between the Oregon Chapter ATOS and CRTOS, the financial details between both organizations will be finalized at the next meeting.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

The organization needs to create more active venues.

Jonas is working with the Scottish Rite to secure an arrangement for the use of the organ in their auditorium at no charge in exchange for CRTOS providing basic maintenance. He is pursuing an open console during the summer as an initial event.

Terry is talking to the Plunketts about a summer party at their residence.

Jonas requested assistance for volunteer van drivers for the ATOS Summer Youth Adventure which is in Portland from August 3 to 8. Steve will include information in the next newsletter.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:57PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Jonas Nordwall,

Acting Secretary