

The Vail School District

presents

The Vail Chorale

"Live for Singing ! - Sing for Life!"

Wednesday, April 18, 2012

7:30 pm – 8:30 pm

Fred Reinagel, Director

Melissa Hale, Assistant Director

Marilee Leishman, Accompanist

America, the Beautiful

Samuel Ward (1847-1903)

Alleluia

Andrea Gabrieli (c.1510-1586)

The Shower

Edward Elgar (1857-1934)

My Fair Lady (selections)

Frederick Loewe (1901-1988)

The Prophet Bird

Robert Schumann (1810-1856)

Marilee Leishman, Piano

Come Again, Sweet Love Doth Now Invite

John Dowland (1562-1626)

Scarborough Fair

Irish Traditional

Chorale - Cantata No. 140 "Wachet Auf"

Johann S. Bach (1685-1750)

Deep River

Traditional Spiritual

Melissa Hale, Assistant Director

How the West Was Fun

Medley of Cowboy Favorites

Text and Translation

The Shower

Henry Vaughan (1621-1695)

[Cloud] (Yet), if as thou dost melt, and with thy train
Of drops make soft the Earth, my eyes could weep
O'er my hard heart, that's bound up and asleep;
Perhaps at last, Some such showers past,
My God would give a sunshine after rain.

Chorale - Cantata No. 140 "Wachet Auf"

"Glory be to you" is sung with human and angelic tongues,
With harps and with cymbals.
The gates of Your heaven are twelve pearls;
We gather with the angels high around your throne.
No eye has ever seen, nor ear has ever heard such joy.
We are glad and sing "Ee-oo, ee-oo!" forever in sweet jubilation.

Fred Reinagel Since moving to Tucson in February 2007, Fred has sung with the *Arizona Repertory Singers, Musica Sonora, the Tucson Symphony Orchestra Chorus, and the U of A Collegium Musicum*. In his former life in Western New York, he sang in numerous choral groups, as well as directing several church choirs and the *Fort Erie Community Chorus*.

Melissa Hale was involved in music throughout her youth, starting with church choir at the age of 8 and piano lessons at 10. At University of Alabama in Huntsville and Birmingham Southern College, she studied voice performance, accompanied the *Women's Chorus*, and continued singing in the *College Choir, the Village Singers and Music Ambassadors* (a scholarship program). She has performed with choirs and ensembles in the U.S., Mexico, Guatemala and Europe.

Marilee Leishman studied piano pedagogy at Utah State University. She has taught piano lessons for 15 years and currently teaches in the Rita Ranch area. She is grateful for her husband and two small children who always support her.

Sopranos	Johanna Lockhart	Carole McLean	Bill Smith
Ava Andrews	Martie Maierhauser	Rachel Meeker	
Erika Brand	Barb Merow	Katherine Sylvan	Basses
Christina Conte		Jo Winslow	Dennis Anderson
Leslie Esselburn	Altos		Jim Gacey
Melissa Hale	Sara Contevida	Tenors	Tyler Grubb
Victoria Hyde	Edith Craig	Valerie Anderson	Rod Haferkamp
Vicki Kucera	Roxine Geerdes	Kathy Bayer	David Roark
Cynthia Larson	Mandy Jouppi	Zachary Henesy	Daniel Taylor
	Margy Lehr	Fred Reinagel	

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