

## Member Newsletter

*A newsletter for flute players, other music groups, & business members.*

*Your contributions to the newsletter are always welcome.*

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### President's Corner

JUSTIN CHALK—PRESIDENT

Greetings!

Like that line from that popular television series, winter is coming. I was just oiling the mechanism on my flute, and I thought that I would take a moment to remind everyone that with cooler weather coming, if your flute hasn't been serviced, or COA'd (clean, oil, adjust) recently the lower temperatures might affect the smoothness of your flute's action, and it might not perform as it should, especially when you might need it to with all the holiday concerts and performing opportunities coming. Two of our IEVFS business members, Flutacious! and ProFlutes, can help you maintain your c flutes, piccolos, altos, and basses, so please reach out if you have any flute needs. Also, with the holidays nearly here, our other fabulous business members offer a wide range of goods and services, and would be happy for your support in your gift-giving needs this season.

I am excited to announce that the Inland Empire Valley Flute Society is turning 20 years old! We would like to celebrate! Our meeting on 9 December, 2023, will be a party to commemorate the IEVFS and the season. We'll have a very short business meeting, then the party! Please join us!

We have a lot of ideas for ways to move the IEVFS forward, but we are always taking suggestions for events, so please speak up, we want to hear from you!

We have monthly meetings on the 4th Sunday of every month, unless otherwise rescheduled. Please check out our calendar for more information, and let us know if you are planning on attending a meeting, are thinking about it, or would like to bring a guest to attend a meeting with you, we'd love to have you!

### Our Mission

To inspire flutists of all ages and abilities, and to support each other in our endeavors to learn, improve our playing, and enjoy the flute.

### OUR DECEMBER MEETING

Nov/Dec meeting will be combined into one meeting on December 9, 2023 at 4:45 pm to celebrate our **20th anniversary**.

Please contact Events Coordinator Jackie Aronowitz at [Jackie\\_aronowitz@yahoo.com](mailto:Jackie_aronowitz@yahoo.com) if you are attending Live or on Zoom (the Zoom Link will be sent out the morning of the meeting). This event will be a **potluck**, so bring your favorite dish to share.

### IEVFS Calendar

**December 9, 2023 - 4:45 p.m.**

20th Anniversary Potluck Party

**January 28, 2024 - 4:45 p.m.**

Meeting with guest speaker from Desert Winds freedom band-Dean McDowell

**March 17, 2024 - 4:45 p.m.**

Meeting with guest speaker :

**Corey Bertrands**

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Don't Wait! Get added to our email list to stay informed of the latest upcoming events!

Editor's Corner

Hello Everyone! IEVFS would like to connect our local flute community together through the spirit of sharing information, teaching each other, and supporting each other in all things Flute.

We would like to encourage everyone to attend our monthly meetings, either live in Redlands CA or Virtually on Zoom. We will try to keep providing interesting topics, and of course, we have some business to handle and we want you all to be a part of that. *I look forward to seeing you all at our next meeting on Saturday December 9<sup>th</sup> at 4:45pm for our 20th anniversary*

Also, Silver Sounds Flute Ensemble will be having this Concert on December 16th, 2023. Please see flyer below for more information:

Silver Sounds Flute Ensemble

# Flute Ensemble Concert

SUNDAY DECEMBER 16, 2023  
2:00 PM

MISSION COMMONS RETIREMENT COMMUNITY  
10 TERRACINABLVD. REDLANDS CA

## Concert Corner

IEVFS Ensemble, Teacher, Business, and Individual Members can post upcoming performances in this column. If you have any events you want published, please email information to Newsletter Editor Rod Terrell at [Rodterrell555@gmail.com](mailto:Rodterrell555@gmail.com) with the subject line of: IEVFS Newsletter.



Upcoming Concerts:

**Silver Sounds Flute Ensemble Concert:**

Sunday December 16th, 2023 2:00 pm  
Mission Commons Retirement Community  
12 Terracina Blvd, Redlands CA

**Membership Recital– All welcome to perform**

February 25th 2:30 pm  
The Contemporary Club  
173 South Eureka St, Redlands, Ca  
If you would like to perform for the recital, please contact Jackie Aronowitz

## Instruments available For Sale from our Members:



Armstrong Student Piccolo model 307. ABS resin body, silver plated mechanism and head joint composite. \$350 Refurbished by Justin Chalk. Please contact Jackie Aronowitz at [Jackie\\_aronowitz@yahoo.com](mailto:Jackie_aronowitz@yahoo.com) to try it out.

If you would like to post an instrument you are selling, please send a description, photo, and contact information to Newsletter Editor Rod Terrell at [Rodterrell555@gmail.com](mailto:Rodterrell555@gmail.com)



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