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TCC Presents a Night of Folksongs

Taunton Civic Chorus presented a night of folksongs for its Spring concert on Sunday, May 7th.

Songs ranged from American to Celtic (both Scottish and Irish) and Israeli, songs that TCC President Barbara Quill described as "Not your mother's folk music."

Music Director Chris Hoskins described the concert as, "A celebration of rote folklore: a tale of old and new, spoken through song."

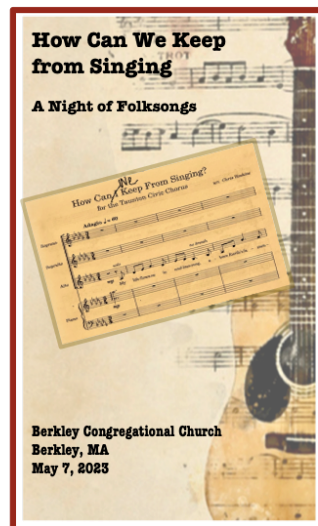


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The grants range from \$5,000 to \$75,000.

What Does Covid Relief Look Like?

This year the Massachusetts Cultural Council and the State Legislature has come to the rescue of the Commonwealth's cultural organizations and individuals.

A total of \$51 million in grant money is expected to be distributed to people impacted by the pandemic.

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At the Spring Concert, State Representative Carol Doherty (D-Taunton/Easton) presented TCC President Barbara Quill with a check for \$7,250. Doherty believes, "Music touches the community in joyful ways and has touched my heart. The award to the TCC by the Mass Cultural Council is well deserved. TCC is the oldest, most longstanding chorus in Taunton and will continue on for a long time to come."

In a news release from the Mass Cultural Council, State Representative Dylan Fernandes (D-Falmouth) pointed to saving arts and cultural organizations: "Art and culture are not a luxury, but a lifeline that connects and inspires individuals of all backgrounds and identities. In the wake of the COVID-19 pandemic, these grants will play a crucial role in both the economic recovery and the preservation of our talented culture and arts sector."



TCC's Scholarship Winner Performs

This year's scholarship winner, Bryn Bouvier of West Bridgewater, performed at the Spring Concert. On the flute, Bryn performed the French National Anthem, "La Marseillaise."

Bouvier graduates this June from West Bridgewater where she has been involved in the fine arts. Bryn believes joining band, drama and dance "have all impacted my life for the better," and shaped her life as well.

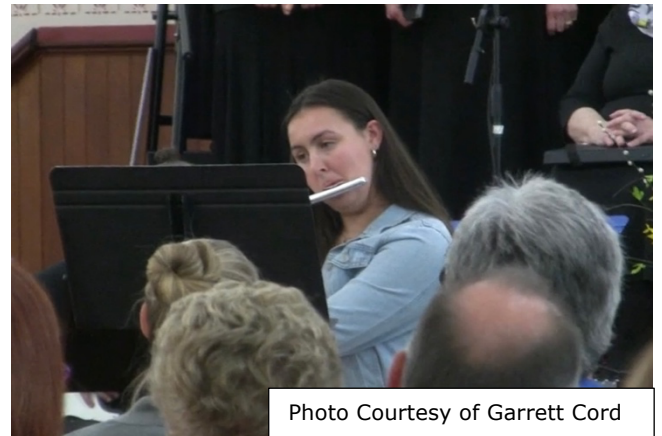


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In the Fall, Bryn will attend an Honors program at the University of Connecticut, majoring in Statistics.



Join the Taunton
Civic Chorus at
the Taunton River
Festival
Sunday, June 11th
11:00 to 4:00

A Fun Fundraiser at Araujos!



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