

ANNOUNCING! An
***Exhilarating* SUMMER WORKSHOP**
At THE HYDE COLLECTION, Glens Falls, NY

A Weekend Workshop of
***ORIGINAL MUSIC* for RECORDER by**
American 20th Century Composers
inspired by the exhibit: *Andrew Wyeth: An American Legend*
Saturday & Sunday July 24th & 25th, 2010

The revival of the recorder coincides with the life span of Andrew Wyeth who lived and painted in Chadds Ford, PA and Maine.

American Composers such as Will Ayton, Andrew Charlton, David Goldstein, Pete Rose, Glen Shannon, Wayne Wold, and (local Glens Falls composer) Maurice Whitney (to name but a few) created a distinct American sound for recorder ensembles. Many were inspired by the history of America, its early hymn tunes, its jazz, its landscape. David Goldstein composed *Southwest of Baroque* for the 1976 bicentennial, and in 1996 published *The Thirteen Colonies* - a musical snapshot of, you guessed it!, each of the original colonies. Pete Rose gained inspiration while visiting a clock shop on the boardwalk at the Jersey shore. Wayne Wold incorporates the history and music of Maryland. Maurice Whitney was probably inspired by a visit to Lake George when he composed *Carnival Suite*. For Charlton and Shannon, the influence was jazz.

Saturday morning you begin by playing music; followed by lunch prepared by the museum caterers. Keeping with the theme, the meal will include lobster and potatoes from Maine and mushrooms from the Chadds Ford, PA area. Next will be a guided tour of the exhibit- *Andrew Wyeth: An American Legend*. Then back to exploring the music. Sunday will be a performance or "open rehearsal" of Saturday's music with the public invited.

Fee: for the workshop is \$130.00 (includes rehearsals, lunch, art tour)
To sign-up call 1-800-274-2443 or email at: courtlym@aol.com

Participants must be a strong intermediate level. Soprano, alto, tenor and bass will be needed. It is recommended that soprano players also play tenor. Those who usually play alto must also play tenor or bass.

Glens Falls is 40 minutes north of Albany, 20 minutes north of Saratoga Springs, 15 minutes south of Lake George and the beautiful Adirondack region. It can be reached by car, bus and train. There are numerous motels in the area.

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