

# President's Letter -- Welcome to our 44th Season!

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As President of the Prince George's Philharmonic, I invite you to join us for an exciting new season. Each of the 2009-2010 concerts promises to be an enjoyable surprise. We strive to bring you great music featuring the very best of guest artists.

Friends of the Philharmonic, thank you for a wonderful 43rd season. The 2008-2009 season concluded in May with an unprecedented collaboration between the Philharmonic and The Heritage Signature Chorale. As we approach a new season, we look to the past season with great joy and satisfaction, and expect you do as well. Oh, what a year!

We hope that you will plan to attend a concert this season. When you make your plans, make it a "Family Night at the Symphony." Bring your children, grandchildren, nieces and nephews. All of those 18 and under are admitted free of charge. Simply pick up a ticket for them at our "will call" table just before the concert. Ample free parking is available at all of our venues and our open seating policy allows you to sit wherever you like in the concert hall.

In conclusion, we would like to thank our subscribers, friends, and volunteers for their ongoing support. We would especially like to thank our "Volunteers of the Year" for 2009, Mr. and Mrs. James Bersbach. Jim and Sally have worked on behalf of the Philharmonic for more than 20 years and deserve our special recognition for giving so much of their time in helping us bring great music to our community.

I look forward to seeing you and your family during the upcoming exciting season. Join us, sit back, relax and enjoy the wonderful music!

Mary Ann White

*President*