

December 10, 2023

Dear Guest and Friend of Music,

The Coral Gables Music Club is celebrating its 84th year of supporting and promoting music education in Miami-Dade County. It is affiliated with the Florida Federation of Music Clubs and the National Federation and the Royal Poinciana District which sponsor a wide range of musical events and provide numerous awards for talented and deserving young persons.

As a non-profit organization, the Coral Gables Music Club welcomes all people interested in the arts and sponsors musicales featuring artists who perform to enlighten the audience and encourage interest in music as a cultural form. Often the artists offer lectures with the goal of educating and stimulating interest in creative music. The club also awards financial scholarships to young, talented students of music from elementary through high school age. Being selected for our scholarships increases the student's self-esteem and confidence and encourages them in the preparation for a career in music.

This year, our 17 young scholarship students will showcase their talent at the Coral Gables Congregational United Church of Christ on February 8. The Coral Gables Music Club also sponsors the Coral Gables Junior Music Club which brings together young people for regular group study of music, performance before others and for social enjoyment. The Junior Club also encourages service through music and broadens their understanding of State and National goals.

The Club organizes various fundraising events such as the Annual Holiday Luncheon in December and the Pre-Recital Party in February to raise funds for the scholarships. In addition, funds are raised by donations, bequests and legacies. On behalf of the Coral Gables Music Club, we thank you for considering this request to help us continue our work of bringing the joy of music to the south Florida community.

Sincerely,

Ann Rosalind Goodman, President

Margaret Seroppian, Past President, Treasurer * over 20 years Angelica Sganga, Artistic Director & former Scholarship Recipient

The Coral Gables Music Club is a 501c3 non-profit organization. A copy of our official registration number (CH5003) and financial information may be obtained from the division of consumer services by calling toll free (800-435-7352) within the State of Florida. Registration does not imply endorsement, approval or recommendation by the State.