

# Old Dominion

## Notes

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### Events

**August 1, 2015**

**ODTOS Open Console  
Carpenter Theatre**  
By Invitation

Thank You [CenterStage](#) and  
SMG - Register by July 24

**September 26, 2015**  
7:00 PM

**Nathan Avakian**  
John Dickinson  
High School  
1801 Milltown Road  
Wilmington, DE 19808

[Click here](#) for information.

**October 11, 2015**  
3:00 PM

**Member Meeting**  
Home of  
Fairfax Member

Artist to be announced  
Open Console

**October 23, 2015**  
7:30 PM

**Michael Britt**  
"Phantom of the Opera"  
Byrd Theatre

**Saturdays**

**Bob Gullede**  
Byrd Theatre

Concert before the evening  
movies

Visit the [Byrd web site](#)

**July 2016**

**ATOS Convention**  
Cleveland, OH

Visit the  
[ATOS Convention](#)  
web site for information

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### Carpenter Theatre Event - August 1

Through the courtesy of Richmond CenterStage and their facilities management company, SMG, a Carpenter Theatre open console will be held on Saturday, August 1, from 2:00 – 6:00 PM. The Carpenter Theatre, formerly Loew's, instrument is a 3/13 Wurlitzer Theatre Organ. Attendees will have an opportunity to hear some of Virginia's finest theatre organists as well as perform. The event will not be live streamed but it will be recorded and posted on our web site.



### Eddie Weaver at the Carpenter Theatre Console - 1992

*Photo Courtesy of Design Recording*

As of today, there are four scheduled performers plus a surprise guest artist. The schedule for the afternoon is:

- 2:00 - 3:00 Performers practice
- 3:00 - 3:45 First three performances
- 3:45 - 4:00 Intermission
- 4:00 - 4:45 Remaining performances
- 4:45 - 6:00 Open console

The theatre will be closed to the public. For security purposes, all attendees must be registered.

Don't miss this very special event! We look forward to seeing you on August 1!



**Ken Double Visits the Carpenter Theatre - October 2014**  
*Photo Courtesy of Charles Hague*

### Welcome New Members

John Stenstrom

### May 17 Meeting Home of John DeMajo

A Chapter meeting, attended by 16 members and four visitors, was held at the home of John and Mary DeMajo on May 17. [Click here](#) to see a short video of meeting excerpts.

Thanks to the many talented members who entertained us on John's 2/7 Wurlitzer during our open console.



**John DeMajo Entertains**  
*Photo Courtesy of Charles Hague*

### Byrd Theatre Receives ATOS Grant

The Byrd Theatre has been awarded a \$5,000 ATOS grant to be used to repair the solo xylophone located in the upper left alcove of the theatre.

ODTOS Treasurer Wendy Wurlitzer, who is also a member of the Byrd organ restoration committee, and Vice-President Bob Gullede authored and submitted the grant request. See Wendy's [ATOS Facebook](#) post for more information.

### 2015 ATOS Convention

Nine ODTOS members attended the 2015 ATOS convention held in Philadelphia July 3-6. From all accounts, it truly was something big!

Please send us convention pictures and stories for publication in the next issue of our newsletter.

### Treasurer's Report

Treasurer Wendy Wurlitzer reports our cash balance on hand as of July 18 is **\$1,304.**

### David Barnett Elected to ATOS Board of Directors



Congratulations to ODTOS member **David Barnett** who was recently elected to a three year term on the ATOS Board of Directors.

David has been a member of ATOS for over 45 years and served as the treasurer and controller for the Organ Historical Society for 29 years.

David encourages ATOS members to contact him with their views and concerns at:

[David.Barnett9@odtos.org](mailto:David.Barnett9@odtos.org)

### Carpenter Theatre Video

Visit the ODTOS [Carpenter Theatre](#) web page to watch a great performance by Eddie Weaver from April 5, 1992.

### ODTOS Board Meeting Minutes

Your Board of Directors meets monthly. Visit the ODTOS [Members' Library](#) web page to read Board meeting minutes.