

## CONSTITUTION

1. The name of the Society is: **White Rock Concerts Society**.
2. The purposes of the Society are:
  - a) To provide, by advance subscription only, an annual series of classical music events for the Semiahmoo Peninsula, including White Rock, South Surrey and surrounding district; and
  - b) To encourage, stimulate and maintain an audience for classical music in these communities by presenting Canadian and other national performers of high musical calibre in concert or recital; and
  - c) To strive for the improvement of concert-presenting facilities and venues in the community; and
  - d) To undertake special musical events within the community that will benefit or enhance the purposes described above.
3. To fulfill these purposes, the Society adopts the following *Mission Statement*, which is hereby incorporated into the Constitution:

We believe that classical music is an essential element in the cultural life of the Semiahmoo Peninsula. *White Rock Concerts Society* is committed to changing lives through music's extraordinary power to communicate, inspire, uplift and entertain.

We celebrate artistic excellence in classical music through

  - live performance of the world's great masterpieces
  - promotion of Canadian artists
  - a series subscription model without individual ticket sales
4. The Society is a member-funded society. It is funded primarily by its members to carry on activities for the benefit of its members. On its liquidation or dissolution, the Society may distribute its money and other property to its members.