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### **Coastal Concerts Volunteer Maestro Roman Pawlowski Honored**

On December 5, 2021 the Delaware County Symphony celebrated its 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Concert, “Through the Years”, at the Neumann University Meagher Theater in Aston, Pennsylvania. The landmark performance honored Maestro Roman Pawlowski, former Music Director of DCS and the featured host of the concert and of the day’s festivities. As the DCS music director for forty years, Roman is described on the DCS website as having “raised the musical horizons of both performers and audiences through his artistic leadership, innovative programming, and depth of musical understanding” while establishing a culture of outstanding musical experiences throughout the Delaware Valley region.

Maestro Pawlowski’s musical career was not devoted exclusively to the Delaware County Symphony. While musical director of DCS from 1969 to 2009, he performed the same role with the Newark Symphony Orchestra from 1983 to 2009, conducted the Immaculata Symphony from 1986 to 2007 and the Young People’s String Orchestra of Baltimore from 1994 to 2001.

Not satisfied totally with making music himself, Maestro Pawlowski extended his offerings to teaching young people how best to make music. In his role as educator, Professor Pawlowski has been on the faculty of Immaculata University, Rosemont College and Neumann University and held choral and orchestral conducting positions at the University of Pennsylvania and the Philadelphia Musical Academy. And, for 12 years he chaired the Music Department at the Haverford School in Pennsylvania.

Roman Pawlowski, residing these days in Milford, is a long-time volunteer for Coastal Concerts, formerly as a member of the board, and continuing as a premier member of its Programming Committee.

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