

# ALMOST HOME


**Help us finish the campaign for a true music center in Camden!**

Concerts, music lessons, free parking in the middle of Camden, Maine? Does it sound too good to be true? Well, we are almost there and with your help we will finish the job.



**BAY  
CHAMBER**  
CONCERTS

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MUSIC  
SCHOOL



“I’m a longtime violin student at Bay Chamber Music School as well as emphatic supporter of the concert series. Bay Chamber has become my place of comfort to cultivate creativity and community.” *Music School Alum & Audience Member*

# An Historic Building with a New Mission

## **WHAT**

A New Home For Bay Chamber Concerts and Music School

## **WHERE**

Upper Mountain Street just past the Camden Library

## **WHEN**

Opening fall of 2024

## **THE BIXLER MUSIC CENTER**

- A fully accessible 7,769 square foot building
- A concert hall
- Beautiful teaching spaces and offices
- And parking!

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## Make an Investment in Your Community: Be Part of the Project!

Bay Chamber has raised \$7 Million toward an \$8 Million campaign goal. Funds are for building acquisition, expansion, renovation, operations, and program support.

**Help us raise the final \$1 Million.**

# With your support, we will...

Elevate music education with dynamic spaces for learning and collaboration.

Enrich the community with creative experiences through live music experiences in our new state-of-the-art concert hall.

Serve as a meeting place for community members, performers, students and teachers.

Beautify our wonderful town with improved outdoor spaces as well as those indoors.

## Join the effort today so we can recognize your generosity!

Donations of any size are gratefully accepted and no gift is too small. We want to honor as many community members as possible as part of this project. All gifts will be publicly acknowledged. There are also special naming opportunities, listed below. Make a cash gift or Make a pledge – we are currently accepting donations to be paid over a 4-year pledge period.

### NAMING OPPORTUNITIES

**\$25,000+** Your name on the donor wall

**\$20,000** Granite Accent Stone etched with name

**\$10,000** Named Trees as part of exterior landscaping

**\$5,000** Music School Benches with personal inscription

**\$2,500** Music School Studio Chairs with personal inscription

**\$2,500** Concert Hall Chairs with personal inscription

For larger gifts and opportunities to name studios and other spaces please be in touch with Josie Davis ([josie@baychamber.org](mailto:josie@baychamber.org)). Donors who make a contribution of any size will be listed in the project contributors listing and all will be invited to the opening celebration party in the summer of 2024.

## **HONORARY CAPITAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE**

Eleanor Poe Barlow, Honorary Chair | Former Board of Trustees Member

Pete Bixler | Former Board of Trustees Member

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Marilyn Rockefeller | Former Board of Overseers

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## **CAMPAIGN WORKING COMMITTEE**

Thomas Wolf, Chair | Co-Founder of Bay Chamber Concerts

Luther Black | Former Board of Trustees Member

Maureen Flanagan | Board of Trustees Member

Tandra Hammer | Board of Trustees Member

## **STAFF SUPPORT**

Monica Kelly | Executive Director

Manuel Bagorro | The Thomas Wolf Artistic Director Chair

Josie Davis | Advancement Officer & Violin Faculty

*To learn more about the campaign and how you can become involved contact Josie Davis at 207.236.2823 or [josie@baychamberconcerts.org](mailto:josie@baychamberconcerts.org).*



“ We can always expect exquisite musicianship of the highest order. Thank you for presenting such rich and dynamic cultural experiences in the Midcoast!”

*Audience Member*