



Percy Grainger America

7 Cromwell Place

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Join the **Hosting Committee** for this Spring's Concerts!

On Sunday, May 5, professor and pianist [Rick Masters](#) is presenting a concert. Rick visited 7 Cromwell Place many years ago and the then-archivist allowed him to play Percy's Steinway. He never forgot the experience and contacted us last year and asked if he could come and play some of Percy's concert gems in a public concert. Planning is underway, and Rick will play Percy's Steinway on Sunday, May 5 at 4 pm at 7 Cromwell Place. A reception will follow.

[Penelope Thwaites](#), concert pianist and editor of [The Percy Grainger Companion](#), will play and present an "Illuminated Talk" (a format that Grainger himself pioneered) about Percy Grainger and his mother, Rose. This Mother's Day event is planned for 4 pm on Sunday, May 12. Again, a reception will follow. As part of our Grainger House restoration, we are planning to be well along with our plan to have Percy's and Rose's rooms restored to their 1920's setting.

Each of these events will have a \$20 attendance fee. We are exploring adding sponsorships (something we are new at!) to help us with the house restoration costs. We would love your help to make these events a success. If you would like to be a part of this event, as well as future events, we would be most grateful if you would accept this invitation to be part of our **host committee**, and

1. Join us for the event, as a member of the committee, you can bring a friend for free.
2. Share (and let us) your name as member of our host committee and help promote the events.
3. Invite your colleagues, friends, and neighbors to attend.
4. Become an event insider by taking part in an organizational conference call or two with the entire committee prior to the events.
5. Meet the presenting artist after their concert.

Your involvement will help us spread the word and really make an impact.

Give us a call at 914-281-1610 or email susan@percylgraingeramerica.org if you would like to join to discuss how you could help. We look forward to working with you to make these concerts and future events a success!