

Dear PAAA Members and Friends,

# The Polish American Arts Association of Washington, DC

## General Membership Meeting

Please join us for an afternoon of poetry and music

Sunday, May 5, 2019

3:00 - 6:00 pm

Arts Club of Washington

[2017 I St NW Washington, DC 20006](#)

- PAAA Scholarship Awards for 2019
- **Premiere of a new art song *Szklana góra***
- Tribute to Stanisław Moniuszko on the 200th anniversary of his birth
- Reception



Polish poet Lidia Kosk, whose poem *Szklana góra* was set to music by American composer Sal Ferrantelli.

The poem was translated into twenty-one languages, with the English version done by the author's daughter Danuta Kosk-Kosicka, an award-winning poet and translator residing in the Baltimore area.

**Soprano Laura Kafka-Price, pianist Alvin Smithson, violinist Christopher Jasiewicz, actress Hanna Bondarewska of the Ambassador Theater, and poet/translator Danuta Kosk-Kosicka**

Following the business portion of the meeting and distribution of 2019 PAAA Scholarship Awards, an artistic program will include a premiere of a new composition *Szklana góra* (Glass Mountain), an art song by composer Sal Ferrantelli to the poetry of Lidia Kosk.

All members are urged to attend. Guests and families are welcome to attend and enjoy an afternoon filled with music, art and history and to learn about PAAA's goals and plans for future events promoting Polish culture.

**OPEN TO THE PUBLIC - INVITE YOUR FRIENDS**

Please confirm your attendance by email or phone:  
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**Parking:** Plenty of street parking (free on Sunday) or at the garage at the south-west corner of 21 St. and Pennsylvania Ave., NW. The Arts Club is within easy walking distance from the Farragut West and Foggy Bottom Metro stations