



## Greenwood eNewsletter February 2010



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## New Greenwood Website!



After months of work and testing, Greenwood's brand new website is finally live! The new and far more user-friendly design sports all the information you could need about upcoming camp dates, reunions, and other events. It also has a dedicated support page

where you can read more about the ongoing Greenwood Forever campaign and make a secure donation online.

Beyond the outward look of the site, the new version offers a simple, clean design that makes it much easier for new information, photos, videos, etc. to be easily added throughout the year. In time, we hope to make Greenwood's web presence a true multimedia destination where visitors can truly experience the camp before ever setting foot in Cummington!

But we suspect that the primary attraction of the new site for the existing Greenwood community will be the fantastic slide show that takes up the bulk of the front page. The page cycles through dozens of dazzling photos of current

campers, counselors and faculty hard at work (and play.) So click on over to [GreenwoodMusicCamp.org](http://GreenwoodMusicCamp.org) and see if you're one of the new online faces of Greenwood!

## Greenwood Forever Bolstered By \$150K Challenge Grant!

It is with great excitement that we share with you the news of a \$150,000 challenge grant towards the Greenwood Forever campaign! The grant has been pledged anonymously to our new summer kitchen and eating porch and has only one condition: that it be counted as the "last dollars raised" in the building and ground portion of our campaign. As you know, our total building and grounds campaign goal is \$750,000. This grant, when added to our other funds raised (and eligible for building and grounds projects) of more than \$353,500 totals more than \$500,000 -- just \$250,000 short of our goal.



We are 2/3 of the way there! With your financial support, we can claim our granted funds, build Greenwood the new summer kitchen and eating porch (pictured here) it deserves, AND make the renovations and improvements to the main house necessary for it to continue to be a vibrant and integral home for the Greenwood community. Please donate now (no amount is too small!) by [clicking here!](#) And of course, thanks to everyone who has donated so generously to the camp we all love...

## Prizes & Accolades



Greenwooders raked in a number of big awards in recent months. The [Enso Quartet](#), which includes Greenwood alum Melissa Reardon (*pictured second from left*) on viola, was nominated for a Grammy Award for their recording with soprano Lucy Shelton (also a Greenwoder!) of the complete string quartets of Alberto Ginastera. The Grammy wound up going to the Emerson Quartet (name

recognition is everything, isn't it, Grammy voters?), but the Enso's athletic, driving feel for Ginastera's music has been garnering much critical acclaim. The Washington Post described "chords that came in rough packs and solid waves... [and] aching solos from violist Melissa Reardon." A video clip of the recording sessions for the CD set is [online here](#), along with many other clips of the Enso.

Meanwhile, recent junior camp counselor Sebastian Bäverstam, who is in his junior year at New England Conservatory, was named one of four winners of the prestigious [Concert Artists Guild International Competition](#). Sebastian, who made his debut at Carnegie Hall's Weill Recital Hall in 2002, will join a select group of young artists under CAG management.

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