Ray, Archie and Cilla Fisher
First American Tour as a Trio!
Advance tickets! Saturday, September 26, 8:30 pm

"Scotland's most celebrated singing family of folk," The Fisher Family, make their FSGW debut as a trio (they have performed for us over the years in various combinations, but NEVER before in this country as a trio!) at 8:30 pm, Saturday, September 26, 1992 tentatively at All Souls Episcopal Church at the Zoo. The opportunity to see Archie, Ray and Cilla together shouldn't be missed. Mail order tickets are now available for this very special event. Don't be left out.

Archie Fisher is one of Scotland's most inventive singers and instrumentalists. He is credited as one of the originators of the Celtic guitar style, based on unusual tunings, and is a songwriter of considerable impact. His compositions include The Final Trawl and Witch of the West-mer-lands, both of which have become modern standards.

Ray Fisher is one of the most passionate vocalists in the British folk scene, much like her greatest influence, Jeannie Roberson. In her early career, she performed with Archie as one of the top duos in the folk scene. Since then, she has performed at nearly every United Kingdom Festival and regularly visits the U.S., Europe and Canada to perform and teach. She prefers live recordings to studio sessions, so has fewer recordings than her siblings, but her early records are collectors' items.

Cilla Fisher, the youngest of the clan, (which includes several other sisters besides Cilla and Ray, but Archie is the only brother) has an incredibly pure voice of great power, as shown in ten records with her husband Artie Trezise and her more recent children's records with Gary Coupland.

Appearances by the entire Fisher Family are few and far between, and this, their first joint tour of the US and Canada, is a unique opportunity to hear this trio of fine performers.

Tickets are available by mail at $12. FSGW members (please list names of all members you are ordering tickets for) and $14. nonmembers, from FSGW Tickets, c/o J. Woods, 8401 Cedar St., Silver Spring, MD. 20910. Be sure to include a SELF ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE; make checks payable to FSGW. Orders received WITHOUT a SASE will be held at will-call at the door. Orders received after September 20th will also be held at the door. For questions about tickets, or more information about the Fishers, call Special Events Chair. Jennifer Woods at 301-587-7174.
**FSGW Sunday Night Dances**

At Glen Echo Park, 7:30-10:30 pm

The Sunday night dances at Glen Echo Park in the Spanish Ballroom are held in cooperation with the National Park Service. These weekly dances are aimed at intermediate to advanced dancers (i.e., little teaching, short walk-throughs, lots of music & dancing). Dances start & end promptly. Admission is $4.50 for FSGW, BFMS, MMFAC, ATDS, and CDSS members, NPS Golden Eagle Pass Holders and Senior Citizens; $6.50 for non-members.

Aug 2  Wild Asparagus is in town! A hot time is guaranteed with George Marshall calling & playing concertina, David Cantieni on winds, Ann Percival on guitar & piano, Sam Bartlett on banjo & guitar, & Susan Sternberg on fiddle.

Aug 9  Eric Hoffman, from Santa Barbara, CA, will call an evening of contras/squares to the eclectic music of The String Beings. The band plays wild dance tunes from New England and the South. The band includes Tom Troszak on guitar, Laurie Fisher on fiddle & piano, and Mark Mueller on fiddle.

Aug 16  Robbin Shaffer from Baltimore will call to the music of our own Sodabread. Sodabread consists of Dennis Botzer, fiddle & winds; Angela Botzer, fiddle; Marc Glickman, piano & guitar; and Ken Wright, tenor banjo.

Aug 23  We are proud to present Lou Shapiro, calling a mix of contras, squares, and some unusual items, to the music of Fiddlestyx. Fiddlestyx consists of Jon Simmons, fiddle; Sandy Mitchell, fiddle and guitar; and Jim Bienemann, bass. Lou was instrumental in starting dancing in the Washington area. Don't miss this night!!

Aug 30  Kate Charles from Baltimore will call an exciting evening of contras and squares to the music of the Blarney Stones. The Blarney Stones are Steve Hickman, fiddle; Dennis Botzer, piano & banjo; Ritchie Schuman, mandolin, banjo, & guitar; and John O'Laughlin, tin whistle & guitar.

Sep 6  This dance will be held at the Takoma Park Intermediate School. See next month's Newsletter for details.

**Note from the Chair:** Thanks to everyone who has welcomed me aboard and already been more than helpful as I get started (Especially Pat Isman, former Dance Chair). I've already heard ideas and suggestions from some of you - thanks! To the entire dance community - I urge you to get involved either by giving me suggestions of what you'd like to see happen, or (better yet) volunteering to help out! There are a variety of tasks large and small that can be delegated - let me know you're willing and able. If nothing else, keep coming to the dances and supporting live music!!

**Coming Soon--FSGW Picnic**

On Saturday, Sept. 12, FSGW will hold its annual picnic at the home of Andy & Sondra Wallace in Brandywine, MD (far southeastern Prince George's County). Needless to say, it is far removed from public transportation. In an attempt to make the picnic more accessible, we would like to hear from anyone who would like to attend but needs transportation and from those who could provide rides from DC, Montgomery County, Northern Virginia and the New Carrollton Metro Station. An effort will be made to match you up but we can't always promise door-to-door service. Please call the FSGW Hotline 703-281-2228 or picnic coordinator, Dolores Nichols 703-938-4564 evenings & weekends. Thanks for your help and cooperation!
Mick Moloney And Eugene O'Donnell
The FSGW begins its 1992-93 Program concert series with an Irish musical evening. Mick Moloney and Eugene O'Donnell will present a concert on guitar, mandolin, banjo and fiddle Fri. Sept. 11 at 8:30pm. The concert will be held at the All Souls Episcopal Church at the Zoo. FSGW members free Others $8 at door. Info: 703-281-2228.

This free concert series, held the second Friday of each month, is one benefit of a FSGW membership. Coming this fall: "An Old-Time Fiddlers Convention & Contest" is planned for Fri. Nov. 13. Fiddlers of all folk styles are invited to compete for up to $500 in prizes. To enter, call Program Chair Tom Hall at 301-587-4411.

FSGW Getaway Update!
Registrations are coming in nicely, but there is still room at the 28th Annual FSGW Getaway, October 9-12, 1992 at Camp Letts in Edgewater, MD.

This year's Getaway will feature several already confirmed special guests: Bob and Kay Zentz, Lorraine Lee Hammond and Bennett Hammond, David Jones and Louise Sherman, Dwayne and Sheila Thorpe, and John Roberts and Lisa Preston. Workshops, song sessions, dances, concerts, and the opportunity to meet & share music with the invited guests and fellow campers are on tap, along with meals prepared by Debby McClatchy's Trail's End Kitchens. All of this for reasonable rates! See the application form on page 11 for rates. Daytrippers can come out for the day, and (A NEW FEATURE this year) get both lunch and dinner with a fee, or pay a smaller amount and provide your own food. Weekend campers may pay in installments; see the application form for details. For information & details, call Getaway Chair Dennis Cook or Registrar Judy Cook at 301-776-4314. Look for the Getaway brochures at concerts and dances, or ask at any FSGW Event.

Types of FSGW Concerts - A Primer for Members
The various kinds of Folklore Society concerts are a possible source of confusion to some members and the general public. We have regular monthly programs -- the second Friday of each month Sept. to June (rarely in Oct. because of the Getaway) -- which are always regular "hall" concerts with sound systems, chairs, and a stage, and are FREE to members.

Special Events concerts fall into two types, hall concerts & house concerts (both at reduced admission to members). House Concerts are more informal and more interactive than hall concerts. The performance is in someone's living room (or deck in some cases) while the audience sits on chairs, stools, couches, cushions, camp chairs, and the floor. There is no sound system and no stage, and the performer is only a few feet away. There is more interplay between audience and performer, and frequently the audience will include other performers, and impromptu pairings do happen. At the break in a house concert, there are light refreshments (free), and a chance to talk to the performer "up close and personal." The only drawback to house concerts are that the seating is more varied (and limited) than in a hall, and the audience has to call to get directions to the house if they haven't been there before. These are but small diversions, though, for lovers of good music in small packages. House Concerts performers are usually not well known, but the Special Events Chair & Committee feel that they deserve a chance to be heard by FSGW members. Sally Rogers originally played for FSGW in a house concert, as did Gordon Bok and Utah Phillips.

Special Events Suggestions Asked
As her second term begins, Special Events Chair Jennifer Woods is asking for suggestions of performers, types of programs, or events that you would like to see FSGW present. Drop her a line at 8402 Cedar St., Silver Spring, MD 20910 or give her the information at a concert or event (not just at FSGW events). Please do so, though IN WRITING, so she can be sure to remember the suggestion.

She is also looking for folks to help out in running concerts, or other events. Types of help needed included: setting up either the sound system or chairs, selling performers' wares, or other simple set-up and clean-up activities. We are looking for new folks to help run the sound for concerts.
FSGW Board Meeting
Wednesday August, 5, 8pm.

The next meeting of the Board is Wed. Aug. 5 at the home of Lisa Null, member at large. For directions call Lisa at 202-546-0225. Any FSGW member may attend. If you have items for the Board to consider, call Pres. Dean Clamons, 703-631-9655 or Sec. Dottie Hurley, 301-871-7652.

Board Highlights
On June 3 the Board met at the Art Barn and on July 1 at the home of Jennifer Woods. Topics discussed and actions taken included:

- Lisa Null is writing a letter for the FSGW to ask Congress to authorize continuation of the American Folklife Center at the Library of Congress.
- In a joint venture with All Souls Church, our Sept. program featuring Eugene O'Donnell and Mick Moloney will be held at All Souls Episcopal Church by the Zoo for the first time.
- Our English Country Dances will be consolidated into one a week and held at a specific location to be announced.
- Rick Summerour will design signs for "records, tapes" and "membership forms" to be used at society events.
- We need to find new locations for our events, does anyone have suggestions? Please see a Board member.

Sacred Harp Singing
Sunday, August 23, 4pm
Please call Steven Sabol at 301-897-5274 for the location and any other details about this singing.

Storytellers' Meeting
Saturday, August 8, 7:30pm
Storytellers and listeners are invited to the home of Margery Maidman in Columbia on Sat. evening Aug. 8 at 7:30pm to swap stories & pot luck refreshments. Call 301-490-9567 for directions and rsvps.

Foggy Bottom International Folkdancers
The group meets every Thursday at St. Mary's Church, 730 23rd. St. NW (between G and H sts. one block from the Metro). Beg. class at 7:30pm. No experience/partner needed. Inter/adv class at 8:30pm. Mostly taped music. Occasional parties & workshops. Call Jamie for information at 202-547-6419.

Gospel Sing
Sunday, August 9, 4pm
The Aug. Gospel Sing will be at the home of Peggy and Hunter Jones in Potomac, Maryland. Call them at 301-762-6343 for directions. Singing will start around 4 pm, followed by a covered dish supper and then more singing. Everyone is welcome!
Upcoming Events Planned:

Sept. 11  Monthly Program Mick Moloney and Eugene O’Donnell, All Souls Episcopal Church, DC.
Sept. 12  Annual FSGW Picnic, at Sondra & Andy Wallace’s in Brandywine, MD.
Sept. 26  Ray, Cilia & Archie Fisher, see article on page 1 of this Newsletter for details.
Oct. 9–12  28th Annual FSGW Getaway, Camp Leffs. See article on page 3 for details.
Sat., Oct. 16/17  (Watch for definite date in Sept. Newsletter) Martyn Wyndham-Read, English and Australian folk songs; House concert at Ursy Potter and Carter Hearn’s in McLean, VA.
Oct. 27  Jez Lowe, English singer/songwriter, house concert in MD. (Location to be finalized.)
Nov. 6  He’s back! Singer, raconteur, great wit of the Midwest! Art Thieme! Hall Concert. Location TBA!
Mar. 26  Bermuda Quadrangle (David Jones, Jeff Warner, Jeff Davis and Jerry Epstein) songs of the sea, the Warner Collection, and more!

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We try to print all copy relevant to FSGW’s purpose and membership. (from the FSGW Bylaws: "The main purpose of the Society is to further the understanding, investigation, appreciation, and performance of the traditional folk music and folklore of the American people.").

In most instances, it is simply impossible to print copy in full. When space is tight, FSGW news receives top priority, followed by local non-FSGW news, followed by listings of out-of-town, non-FSGW events. In addition, we print a calendar each month unless it pushes the entire issue into a more expensive category for either postage or printing.

DEADLINE FOR September Newsletter:
Wednesday, August 12

All copy for the September issue of this Newsletter is due at the home of EDITOR Cecily Pilzer, NO LATER THAN 9 PM, Wed., August 12th.

• Please use standard (8 1/2 x 11") paper, so copy does not get lost.
• Computer readable submissions may be on 3 1/2" or 5 1/4" MS-DOS formatted diskettes, WordPerfect 5.1 format preferred
• Please include a phone number where you can be reached in case of questions about your text.
• It helps GREATLY if you send your copy in short article form.
• NO copy will be accepted over the telephone.

Questions/directions for hand-delivered copy, file format details, call 301-565-8818. Use of the Traditional Computer Bulletin Board for uploading articles strongly encouraged; call D. Nichols (Membership) at 703-938-4564 for details. Thanks!

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AROUND TOWN

Workshop at the House of Musical Traditions (HMT)
House of Musical Traditions presents a Contra Dance Fiddle Workshop with Andrea Hoag, Seattle's favorite fiddle teacher. Three Wednesdays starting Sept. 9th, 7:30, at HMT. Adv-beg/inter level. Fee $50 if pre-registered by Aug. 31st, $60 after. For more info call HMT 301-270-9090.

Cajun Dance Music
Saturday, August 1, 8:30pm
T'Galop (Kevin Bell accordion, Karen Collins fiddle and vocals, Fred Feinstein guitar and Ginny Snow bass) will play traditional Cajun dance music on Sat. Aug. 1 at Taliano's Restaurant, 7001 Carroll Ave. in Takoma Park, Md. 8:30-12:30pm., dance instruction with Coco Glass. Adm. $3.00. Info: 301-270-2586.

American Museum of African Art
Storytelling
Aug. 5 Peter Pipim tells Tales of Yoruba Gods and Heroes. 10:30am. Info: 202-357-4860.
Aug. 30 Lawanda Randall presents "Women of Accomplishment", 2:00pm., Info: 202-357-4860.

Story Swap
Tuesday, August 11, 7pm
Mostly Montgomery Storytellers meet to trade tales and tips at Borders Book Store for Kids in Rockville. Listeners welcome. For info, call Sue Jusino at 301-933-0851.

Alice McGill
Thursday, August 13, 10:30am
Alice McGill tells stories from Tanzania, Zaire, & Ghana as part of the "GO GLOBAL" program at the Cloisters Children's Museum 10440 Falls Rd. Brooklandville, Md. $4. Info: 410-823-2550.

Zydecco Dance Music
Little Red and the Renegades appearing at Foundry Mall 30th & Jefferson in Georgetown Sun. Aug. 2th 1:00pm.; Lubber Run Ampitheatre in Arlington, VA. Sat. Aug. 8; and at Last Chance 5888A Robert Oliver PL. Columbia, Md.

Capital Acoustics
Entries are still being accepted for Capital Acoustics III. New material, or material not previously released on CD is preferred. Send best copy possible to Capitol Acoustics Institute of Musical Traditions 7040 Carroll Ave. Takoma Park, Md. 20912.

Cornucopia in Concert
Aug. 21 Cascade Lake, Snydersburg Road, off Rt. 482 between Hampstead & Westminster. 7:00pm. Bring a picnic or purchase food from the snack bar.
Aug. 22 Columbia Town Center Lakefront Summer Concert Series. Columbia, Md. 8:00pm. For info: 301-637-7111.

Ironweed in Concert
Aug. 21 Ironweed will give a free concert at Mason District Park. 6621 Columbia Pike, Annandale, VA. 7:30pm Info: 703-941-1730
Aug. 29 Ironweed will appear at the Maryland Renaissance Festival.

Sunshine Skiffle Band Record Release
Sunday, August 23 at the Birchmere
The Sunshine Skiffle Band, our always popular closing attraction at the Washington Folk Festival at Glen Echo, will have a record release evening at the Birchmere on Sun. Aug. 23rd. to mark the appearance of their long awaited Flying Fish album (CD and cassette). 'BEAT IT, BLOW IT, STRUM IT, HUM IT'! For info: call 703-549-5919.

Archie Edwards Blues Performance
Sunday, August 23, 2:00pm

New St. George in Concert
Saturday, August 29, 9:00pm
New St. George will be featured at British Pub Night, Taliano's Restaurant & Bar, 7001 Carroll Ave. Takoma Park, Md. Adm. $4. Info: 301-270-5515.

Changes for Institute of Musical Traditions Concerts
Institute of Musical Traditions Monday Night Concert Series has moved to Saturday nights! Concerts will be held in the beautiful, spacious, well lit auditorium at Capitol College in Laurel, Md. Mark your calendars! The concerts will run approximately twice each month and will begin this season on September 19th.
**LOCAL CLUB VENUES**

**Music Americana Showcases at Suzanne's**
*Tuesday, August 4, 8:00pm*
Music Americana presents a monthly showcase of national & regional performers, hosted by Dick Cerri, at Suzanne's, 9116 Rothbury Dr. Gaithers., Md. Showcases are scheduled for the first Tues. of the month; adm. $5. Proceeds benefit the World Folk Music Association. Performance highlights (airing on Dick Cerri's Sun. night Musica American radio program, WLTT-FM 94.7). Aug. 4 at 8pm will feature Kindred Spirits, Doris Justis with Bob Ruggeri, Dennis Diamond & others TBA.

**Folk Music at the Bauhouse**
*Saturday, August 8, 8:30pm*
Sat. Aug. 8th. 8:30pm Susan Graham White will appear. Tony McGuffin is the producer & emcee for the concert in this series. For info: 410-659-5443 or 410-750-7524.

**Silver Spring Folk Showcase**
*Tuesday, August 11, 8pm*
Monthly showcase features well-known and up & coming folk performers in an attentive setting, hosted by Sligo Creek. This month featuring Delta Project, Peter Benson and Boby Mulderig. New Location: The Quarry House Tavern, Silver Spring, MD at the corner of Georgia Ave. & Bonifant St., in the basement of Chevy Chase FSB. Adm. $4. Info/bookings: 301-589-2265.

**Middleton Folkworks**
Middleton Folkworks is located in Middleton Tavern 2 Market Space, Annapolis, MD. The tavern is a smoke free venue with varying cover charges depending on concert.
- Aug. 12 Magpie will appear. 8:00pm.
- Aug. 26 The Funniest Songs We Know: round-robin featuring Sue Trainor, Eileen Joyner and Don Stallone. 8:00pm.

**Folk Alley**
*Saturday, August 22, 8:00pm*
Summer concerts at Folk Alley will be held outside, weather permitting; otherwise, concerts will be held in the church. Folk Alley is a monthly coffeehouse dedicated to providing a comfortable, smoke free venue where musicians local to the Mid-Atlantic area can perform. Appearing Sat. Aug. 22, 8:00pm will be Sanders, Kass, and White plus Magpie. Doris Justis hosts. The coffeehouse is located in Silver Spring Presbyterian Church, 580 University Blvd. Silver Spring, MD near the intersection of University & Piney Branch Rd. Adm. $8. Info: Call 202-686-9210.

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**Bad Habits**
*Monday, August 17, 8:30pm.*
Music Americana presents a Showcase at Bad Habits, 5444 Columbia Pike Arlington, VA. Adm. to Showcase $5; Aug. 17 will feature Steve Key, Diane Diachishin, Take Two & others.

**Folk Club Reston**
*Tuesdays at 7:30pm*

**E.C. Does It Cafe (formerly Baxter's)**
*Wednesday, August 19, 8:00pm*
Folk musicians, poets and storytellers from the Baltimore-Washington area convene monthly at the E. C. Does It Cafe 8089 Main St. Ellicott City, MD. to share songs and tales in a friendly supportive atmosphere. New performers & non-performers are welcome. Info: Sue Trainor 301-381-2460.

**Folks Alley**
*Saturday, August 22, 8:00pm*
Enjoy great food & music at Cover to Cover Bookstore Cafe Owen, Brown Village Ctr, Cradlerock Way, Columbia, MD. Fri. Aug. 14, 8:00pm when humorist/folksinger Sue Trainor takes the stage. There is no cover charge.

**Coffeehouse Good Counsel**
*Saturday, August 15, 8:30pm.*
LOCAL DANCES

Editorial Policy for Dance Events

* Because so many dancers seek dances with live music, all notices about dances should state whether the music is recorded or live. We do this as a service to our members. No dance copy will be used that does not state live or recorded music. N.B.: All copy must contain Area Codes in the Info Tel. #s!

ABBREVIATIONS USED IN THE LISTINGS:

BEG: Beginning
INT: Intermediate
N/E: No experience necessary
N/P: No partner necessary
TPIS: Takoma Park Intermediate School, 7611 Piney Branch Road, Takoma Park, MD

FRIDAY NIGHT DANCES

The Dance Committee and the National Park Service cosponsor square & contra dances every Friday night at the Spanish Ballroom at Glen Echo Park on MacArthur Blvd. Dances begin at 8:30pm and are $5 unless otherwise noted (*). Classes will begin on the first Friday of each month and run for four weeks. They start at 7:30 and are $12 for 4 lessons. Lessons do not admit participant to the dance free. Lesson info: August – Tuppence Blackwell, 703-379-2992. Info: DC Dance Hotline 301-270-1678.

Aug. 7 FIDDLESTYX; Sue Dupre
Aug. 14 OPEN BAND; TBA
Aug. 21 MARTINS FLIGHT; Ann Fallon
Aug. 28 SODABREAD; Bill Wellington

Polka Nights at the S&W
Friday August 14, 8:30pm.

Polka lovers of all nationalities will flock to hear & dance to live polka music once a month at the S&W Cafeteria 155 Hillwood Ave. Falls Church, VA (near Four Corners). The S&W Polka Band, with musicians from the Alte Kameraden, HOTs Ragtime and other area bands, will play polkas, waltzes, marches, gallops, schottisches, laendlers, Rhielanders, Obereks, mazurkas, kujawiaks, sousedskas, czardas and other traditional dances of Germany, Poland, Hungary, Lithuania and Czechoslovakia.

The music is great and there is a large dance floor. The S&W Cafeteria offers full meal and beverage service. Adm. $10 for listeners and dancers. Group or club discounts can be arranged. Call S&W 703-534-5450 or info.

Roof Top Dance
Saturday, August 8, 7:30pm.

An evening of general dancing and cool socializing high above the streets overlooking Georgetown. Old-fashioned friendly mixing will be encouraged throughout the evening. Dance instruction by Herb Fredricksen to greatly varied taped music from many times and places. Potluck food, BYOB. Beginners, singles and couples are welcome. $8 per person. Located at Observatory Property Management Building, 2300 Wisconsin Ave., NW. (At the corner of Hall St. and Wisconsin Ave. Entrance on Hall St., NW.) Upper Georgetown, Washington, D.C. Ample free parking across Wisconsin Ave. opposite Hall St. Info: Herb Fredricksen 301-840-2056.

Cajun Dance
Saturday, August 8, 8:00pm

Enjoy the New Orleans Sunday evening atmosphere of Tipitina's & come dance to traditional Cajun music with the Bruce Diagrepont Cajun Band in the Spanish Ballroom at Glen Echo Park, MacArthur Blvd. at Goldsboro Rd. Glen Echo, MD. Dance workshops taught by Mark Greenleaf. Beg. dance workshop features the Pony step, the waltz, and Cajun two-step, from 8-9pm. An intermediate dance workshop featuring advanced turns will be conducted during the break. Adm. $10 (includes dance workshops & dance). Info: 301-309-0895. Sponsored by Crawfish Productions in cooperation with the National Park Service.

Hungarian Folk Dance Workshop and Party
Saturday, August 8, 10am

The Tisza Ensemble is sponsoring a special workshop with noted Hungarian dancer, teacher and researcher, Zoltan Farkas ("Batyu") and his partner Ilkiko Toth ("Fecske"). Batyu and Fecske will teach dances from the Gymisi Csongo people of the eastern Carpathian mountains. Two workshops will be held on Sat. Aug. 8th from 10am to 12:30pm and from 2:00pm to 4:30pm, at the Lyon Village Community House 920 North Highland St. Arlington, Va. We strongly encourage you to attend both sessions, as these dances are exciting and challenging.

The evening dance party or tanchaz will also be held at Lyon Village Community House starting at 8:00pm. Dancers of all levels are welcome. No partners are necessary. Please bring food or beverage for the refreshment table. Open dancing to both recorded and live music. Adm. $6 per session or $15 for all three events. Info: 301-929-0120.

Allons-Y
Friday, August 21, 8:30pm
Cajun dance music and dance workshop from 7:30 to 8:30pm Cherry Hill Park Clubhouse 9800 Cherry Hill Rd. College Park, MD. N/E, N/P, Adm.$8 includes workshop. Children FREE. Directions: 301-937-7116. Other info: Michele Carsrud 301-937-2806 or Gene Montgomery 410-367-4434.

Big Band Dance
Saturday, August 22, 8pm
The Tom Cummings Orchestra, in cooperation with the National Park Service, will sponsor a swing dance Sat. Aug. 22, 8:00pm in the Spanish Ballroom at Glen Echo Park. The band will play the greatest music of the Swing Era from 9:00pm - midnight for the dancing and listening enjoyment of young & old alike. For those who have never mastered the art of swing dancing or those who would just like a refresher course, FREE swing and jitterbug lessons will be offered for one hour before the dance 8:00 - 9:00pm. Adm. $7. Info: 703-533-8864 or Glen Echo Park 301-492-6280.

Gay 90's Dinner and Dance Party
Sunday, August 23, 5-9pm
Enjoy turn of the century dances in the atmosphere of an old fashioned community pot-luck dinner. Host Herb Fredricksen will teach these period dances using recorded music from his personal collection. Dress in the style of an old time American picnic or in modern casual party style. Bring a hot or cold dish or dessert to share and beverages of your choice. Paper goods and utensils will be provided. $4 person. Info: Herb Fredricksen 301-840-2056.

Old Time Swingin' Ballroom Dance Party
Friday, August 28, 8:30pm
Enjoy the music of America's couple dance eras, Ragtime & Swingtime, as played by the HOTS Ragtime Orchestra. Dance Master Herb Fredricksen will teach classic swinging ballroom and Ragtime moves at the breaks. $10 per person. Singles/couples welcome. Dress code: Coat and tie for men; cocktail dresses for ladies. Soft drinks and snacks available. Old Town Hall, Fairfax, Va., corner of Main and University, Fairfax, Va. Info: 703-860-4142.

Ragtime Tea Dance and Workshop
Sunday, August 23, 1:30pm
An afternoon of familiar American music and dance. One hour dance workshop ($3) will be followed by 3-1/2 hours of ballroom dancing ($5) to the period music of the HOTS Ragtime Orchestra. ($8 for both.) Couples/singles welcome. Spanish Ballroom, Glen Echo Park, MacArthur Blvd. at Goldsboro Rd., Glen Echo, Md. Co-sponsored by Glen Echo Park Foundation & the National Park Service. Info: (703) 860-4142.

Clogging at the Mandarins
TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED
The Mandarins Restaurant closed suddenly on July 3rd, leaving the Clog Palace temporarily without a home. The restaurant is being renovated and will re-open under new management. For up-to-date information on a new location for the Clog Palace, please feel free to call Julie Mangin at 301-495-0082.

International Folk Dancing
Saturdays at 8:30pm.
Formerly Friday nights, the International Folk Dancing group has moved to a new home and new night. The new hall is air conditioned and has a wooden floor. Located in the Takoma-Langley Recreation Center 7315 New Hampshire Ave. Dancing to recorded music with occasional live music. Adm. $3.75. Info: Larry 301-565-0539/John 410-740-3498.
...AND BEYOND

Rocky Gap Festival
August 1 & 2, 1992
New St. George at Rocky Gap Festival with Mary Chapin Carpenter, Alison Krauss, Smith Sisters and many others. Rocky Gap State Park, Rocky Gap, Md. To order tickets, call 301-724-2511.

Wild Geese in Concert
Saturday, August 22, 7:30pm
Baltimore's favorite for traditional Irish music and song will appear Sat. Aug. 22 at 7:30pm. Wild Geese consists of Frank Clady flute and whistle, Bob Smith tenor banjo, mandolin, guitar vocals and Andy Thurston guitar, bouzouki, mandolin, B/C button accordion and bodran. Adm. $7. $6 for members of JPPM or SMTMD. $5 seniors and students under 18. Children under 12 free. Bring friends and have a picnic dinner at park prior to concert. Info: 410-586-3556 or 301-863-7006.

Ferguson Amphitheatre Concerts
Saturdays, August 1 & 22, 8:00pm
Ferguson Amphitheatre at Hard Bargain Farm, 2001 Bryan Pt. Rd. in Accokeek, MD. (app. 10mi. South of 495 off 210/Indian Head Hwy, follow signs toward Nat'l Colonial Farm) - Rain or Shine - refreshments available. Adm. $6 adults. Info: 301-203-0720 or (weekdays only) 301-292-5665.

Aug. 1 Grace Griffith and Zan McLeod with Rick Schmidt 8:00pm
Aug. 22 Bluegrass - artists TBA, 8:00pm

New St. George
Sunday, August 23, 7:30pm
New St. George featured at Three Bands for Three Bucks night at the 8 X 10, 10 East Cross St. Baltimore, MD. Adm. $3. NOTE: FREE ADMISSION WITH THIS LISTING IN FSGW NEWSLETTER! Info: 410-625-2000.

New Recording Outlet
Beacon Records has started a new label specializing in folk & acoustic music. They are interested in hearing from musicians looking for a record label (or seeking distribution for their previously released material). Interested musicians should submit demo tapes, promo kits, tour schedules and etc. to Tony Ritchie. All submissions should be sent to Beacon Records P.O. Box 3129 Peabody, MA 01961.

Bluemont Summer Concerts
Sundays 7:00pm

Aug. 9 Johnson Mountain Boys
Aug. 16 Bill Miller
Aug. 23 Brooks Tegler and Strings Attached
Aug. 30 Black Sheep

Frederick Country Dance
There will be no fourth Saturday August dance. The dances will resume again in September.

CLASSIFIEDS

POLICY for Classified Ads: ONLY FSGW Members may place ads. Lost & Found are FREE. Others: $8 FOR EACH 10 WORDS commercial/business, $4 FOR EACH 10 WORDS non-commercial & individuals, UP TO 50 WORDS, including tel. # with area code. Limit three ads per issue. Ads must be relevant to FSGWs stated purpose (see Editorial Policy elsewhere in issue). Deadline is the 12th of the month. Please include tel. # in case of questions. We provide advertisers with a targeted audience of people interested in all the various forms of folklore & folklife.

FLUTE (D), Casey Burns, blackwood, open hole, 3pc., $400. John 703-578-0937.

ACOUSTIC MUSIC - For all occasions (including weddings!). Solo to quartet, swing to country, background to dance. Call Ed Schaeffer 301-593-0526(H) 301-504-3162.

OASIS RECORDING - Introducing cassette/CD duplication (real time) with free pickup/delivery! Also: concert and studio recording - acoustic music specialists. 301-588-4133.

Note from the editor: Due to space constraints and lightness of activity, the Editor decided to not print the calendar for the month of August. Thanks to Ginny Klein who has helped me for each step towards printer deadline. If you do not find an event listed it is due to either lack of room or more to the point, lack of submission to Editor. Standing notices must be to the Editor by deadline to be included.
FSGW Getaway XXVIII  October 9-12, 1992 • Registration Form

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| Children 4 and younger: | free | free | free | free | |

**Current members of FSGW or current members of a club with a reciprocal agreement with FSGW.

The 2 Night Price includes Friday and Saturday nights lodging, Saturday breakfast, lunch, dinner and a midnight snack and Sunday breakfast, lunch and dinner. If you are unable to stay through Sunday dinner, please check this box [ ] so that we may avoid waste. The 3 Night price includes the above, plus Sunday night lodging, another midnight snack and Monday brunch.

Children 4 and younger must be accompanied by at least an equal number of adults who are responsible for their care and supervision throughout the event.

Please check appropriate response(s):

[ ] I can help on Friday (3-6 pm)
[ ] I can help on Monday (clean-up to 12 noon)
[ ] I am interested in the limited number of work scholarships available to those helping with Monday morning clean-up.

We're sorry, but we cannot give refunds for any cancellations received after Sunday, October 4. Refunds for cancellations received by 9 pm, October 4, 1992 will be mailed approximately two weeks after the Getaway. There is a $10.00 processing fee per person for all cancellations. Cancellations may be made by phone.

Please make checks payable to FSGW (No registration will be valid without deposit/payment) and mail with this form to:
FSGW Getaway c/o J. Cook • 16125 Malcolm Dr., Laurel, MD 20707

If you find you cannot come, Please cancel your reservation.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL THE FSGW HOTLINE AT 703-281-2228
APPLICATIONS RECEIVED AFTER SEPTEMBER 25, 1992 ARE SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY.
NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

The deadline for copy for the FSGW Newsletter is the 12th of every month for the following month (except for June/July which is a joint issue and has the May 12th deadline for the two months.). Send all copy to:
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7425 Buffalo Ave..
Takoma Park, MD 20912

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Is this a new membership [] Or a renewal? [] Or a rejoin? []
Is this a new address? [] Yes [] No
If more than one last name, please indicate preferred name for alphabetical listing.
NAME ________________________________
ADDRESS ________________________________
CITY ________________________________ Zip ________________________________
PHONE (home) ________________________________ (work) ________________________________
Are you willing to help the Society in some way?
What are your major interests (music, dance, crafts, etc.)?

I/We want to join. Enclosed is:

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Out-of-Town subscriptions: (See below) $12 []

* Family membership includes members of an immediate family (i.e. living together in one household) only.
** A portion of the contributing, sustaining, and life membership is tax deductible.

May we list your name, address, and phone number in the FSGW Membership Directory [] Yes [] NO
[] Yes, but not my [] telephone number or______________________________

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Please mail this form, with your check made out to FSGW to:
D. Nichols, Membership Chair, 307 Broadleaf Dr., N.E., Vienna, Virginia 22180

Any questions concerning membership, please call the FSGW Hotline at (703)281-2228.
Any membership changes (i.e. address, name, status, etc) should be sent to the Membership Chair at the above address.

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