



Martyn Wyndham Read House Concert

Fri., Oct. 16

McLean, VA

Friday, October 16 is the date for the welcome return of English singer Martyn Wyndham Read to FSGW, for a house concert at the McLean, VA home of Ursy Potter and Carter Hearn. Wyndham-Read is known for his clear, strong voice, his effective guitar accompaniments, and his wealth of Australian songs. With 10 albums to his credit, Martyn is an acknowledged authority on Australian folk music, and his love for the songs led him to actively seek out and learn the songs of the cattle drovers, shearers, cane cutters and bushmen of Australia. His presentations of the works of bush poets Henry Lawson and Shaw Nielson, for example, have helped keep those mens' work alive. Wyndham-Read has done FSGW concerts in the past and always has a few prizes and surprises in his repertoire, ready for the eager listener to capture.

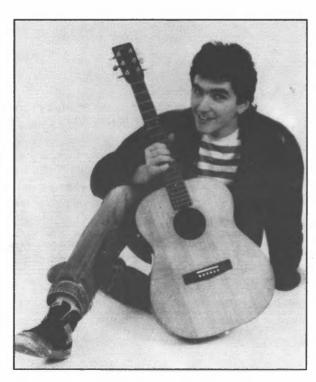
The 8:30 pm concert costs \$5 (FSGW members) and \$7 (non-members), and light refreshments will be available. Call 703-821-1373 for details and directions.

Jez Lowe House Concert Tuesday, October 27 Silver Spring, MD

English songster and multi-instrumentalist Jez Lowe makes an all-too-rare Washington, DC appearance in an FSGW House Concert Tuesday, October 27, at the Silver Spring, MD, home of Bob Clayton and Jennifer Woods. Jez Lowe is one of the true gems of the English folksong revival. A fine singer of traditional songs, Jez is also a songwriter of genuine strength, wit and polish, with songs like "Durham Jail," "The Bergen," and "Father Mallory's Dance" which are beautifully self-contained and complete in themselves. His dexterous and inventive original accompaniments, on cittern, guitar, and harmonica, set off the jewels of songs he presents without distracting from or competing with them.

Jez has worked with other fine performers, including Jake Walton, but this trip he's performing solo. His many albums reflect to his credit, as well as his reputation on the folk circuit. FSGW audiences will not be disappointed.

The concert starts at 8:30 pm, and admission is \$5 (FSGW) and \$7 (non-members). Light refreshments will be served. Call 301-587-7174 for details and directions to the Clayton/Woods house.



FSGW SUNDAY NIGHT DANCES

October 4, 11 and 25 at Glen Echo Park October 18 at Cherry Hill 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. The ballroom is located at 7300 MacArthur Blvd, Glen Echo, MD.

Cherry Hill Park Clubhouse is at 9800 Cherry Hill Road, College Park, MD. Directions: From Beltway 495, take exit 25B for Route 1 South toward College Park. At the second light (@ 1/10 mile), turn right onto Cherry Hill Road. Entrance is one mile on the left. From Interstate 95, take exit 29B (MD Rt. 212, Powder Mill Road). Follow Rt. 212 one mile, turn left on Cherry Hill Road and go one mile. Entrance is on the right. Follow the main road one block past the stop sign. Go right and parking is straight ahead past the clubhouse building. DRIVE S L O W L Y THROUGH THE PARK! DO NOT PARK SO THAT YOU BLOCK ANY TRAILER SPACE!!!

These weekly dances are aimed at intermediate to advanced dancers (i.e. little teaching, short walk-throughs, lots of music and dancing). Dances start & end promptly. Admission at Glen Echo is \$4.50 for FSGW, BFMS, MMFAC, ATDS, and CDSS members, NPS Golden Eagle Pass Holders and Senior Citizens; \$6.50 for non-members; admission at Cherry Hill Park is \$5.50 and \$7.50 respectively.

October 4

Local caller Tom Hinds will call an evening of contras and squares to the outstanding music of Uncle Gizmo. This band features Amy Richardson on fiddle, Larry Unger on guitar and Ginny Snowe on bass. A look at Ginny's bass is worth the price of admission alone, but the music and calling is also something you don't want to miss!!

October 11

Ann Fallon, from Annapolis, will call an evening of New England style contras and squares to the delightful tunes of Sandy Mitchell on fiddle, Liz Donaldson on piano, and Marty Taylor on flute and concertina. This combination is on an East Coast tour and we're glad to be one of their stops! an

October 18

At Cherry Hill Park: Tuppence Blackwell teams up with a band from upstate New York: The Accidentals. Tuppence will call an evening of dances to the music of Laurie Hart on the fiddle and Bob Berch on the piano.

October 25

Back at Glen Echo: From Pittsburgh, Ron Buchanan will be calling an evening of dances to the music of a new local southern band, The Pegheads. Ron is a masterful and prolific creator of dances which are sure to delight and amaze any dancer. The Pegheads consist of Mike Ballo on fiddle, Adam Yarme on banjo, Kevin Enoch on guitar and a mystery bass player.

November 1

Bill Trautman will be calling to a band not yet firmed up at press time. See next month's newsletter or call the dance chair for details.

Note from the chair: Over Labor Day weekend, I had the opportunity to attend a gathering of musicians and dancers in Swannanoa, NC, called "Dance Band in the USA". It was a very free-flowing weekend with lots of good food, good music, and good dancing. Part of the focus of the weekend was to get us thinking about music and dance communities, how they have evolved over the years to their current state, and what we might be able to do individually to increase everyone's enjoyment and sense of belonging. A sentence or two can't do this topic justice, so if you'd like to get together and talk with me about these issues, give me a call. If there's enough interest, I may set up an informal meeting in the near future. What do you think, dancers? musicians? callers?

Note from the Newsletter editor: Due to lack of time and space, the editor did not print the calendar. Thanks to Ginny Klein for editing the September Newsletter while the editor was in England. Full written copy would be appreciated as it is extremely time consuming to create articles from flyers.

MUSIC OF THE CIVIL WAR AND BEYOND Saturday October 3 8pm

Come attend a two-part concert featuring the popular songs and melodies that were heard in the parlors and on the front lines of the Civil War, as well as music from more recent branches of these same traditional roots. Hear the powerful music performed by Jay Ungar and Molly Mason for the soundtrack of the award-winning PBS series, THE CIVIL WAR. Jay is the composer of Ashokan Farewell the haunting theme of the Civil War series. Their concert will start with 19th century American fiddle tunes, dance melodies, sentimental ballads and rousing patriotic songs ending up in the 20th century with country swing classics and contemporary compositions.

Jay and Molly will be at Glen Echo Park in the Spanish Ballroom, Sat. Oct. 3rd at 8:00pm. Tickets are \$15 at the door. This concert is cosponsored by the Glen Echo Park Foundation and FSGW. A major protion of the ticket price is tax deductible and proceeds will go to the Foundation and its fund for the restoration of the Spanish Ballroom. For more information call the Foundation at 301-320-2330.





QUINCENTENNARY COMMEMORATION BRINGS MUSIC OF TWO WORLDS TO THE CONCERT SOCIETY OF MARYLAND

Saturday October 3, 8:00pm Two musical worlds brought together by Columbus's voyage are recreated when the music of Renaissance Spain and the sounds of the Inca Empire open the 1992-93 season for the Concert Society of Maryland.

In commemoration of the Columbus Quincentennary, the Concert Scoiety begins the new season with Bolivia's premier folk ensemble, GRUPO AYMARA. Noted for its inspiring interpretations of Pre-Hispanic and contemporary music of the Andes, Grupo Aymara has been a leading force in the revival and propagation of traditional Andean music in particular that of the Aymara and Quechua speaking people of Bolivia.

A sell-out for their last appearance in the Washington area, 1989, Grupo Aymara will perform both indigenous Andean music for flutes, panpipes and drums, as well as traditional *mestizo* music blending European and Andean instruments and styles.

The concert will be held at University of Maryland's Conference Center University Boulevard & Adelphi Rd, College Park, MD on Sat. Oct. 3rd. The concert is cosponsored by The Concert Society of

Maryland and FSGW. Tickets \$15 (\$12.50 seniors and FSGW members. Tickets available at House of Musical Traditions, TICKETplace, Dale Music and U. of MD. Conference Center.

UPCOMING FSGW EVENTS

- Nov. 6 He's back! Singer, raconteur, great wit of the Mide-west! Art Thieme! WES.
 Nov. 14 Joan Sprung house concert at Ursy Potter & Carter Hearn's, McLean, VA.
 Nov. 28 Robin & LInda Williams, cosponsored by IMT, Capitol College, Beltsville, MD.
- Dec. 5 Tom Paley house concert location TBA.
- Mar. 26 Bermuda Quadrangle Songs of the sea, the Warner collection & more!
- Apr. 16 -18 Chesapeake Dance Weekend

FSGW Getaway Update

The Getaway program is miraculously forming out of the void with a little help from a host of good people. Getaway workshops are most often song swaps with lots of chances to sing and sing along, but there will be instrumental jams, crafts, story telling, and kids activities as well.

Get Ready! Here's what we have put together so far, though these might not be the actual titles:

Is Overdone Rare? - Carly Gewirz. There are some wonderful songs that we stopped singing because many years ago they were sung too much. Maybe it's time to bring some of them back. Look back at your collection of really good old chestnuts and bring some with you. Slow Jam - Bob Frost. Bring your instruments. This is your chance to jam on some of those great jigs, reels, and other tunes but not so fast. Song Writing - Bob Zentz & Bennett Hammond. We've got a wealth of song writers to help you hone your own skills. Bob and Bennett in one session and Trooper in another. Singing for the Confidence Impaired - Lorraine Lee. Judging from the number of people who have said, "I love singing but I really don't sing very well" as they register for the Getaway, this workshop should be very well attended. Chorus Songs - Tom McHenry. Bring your favorites or just come to join in. Parodies - Joe Hickerson. Everyone knows a few. Story Song Writing - Trooper. The Arizona Commission on the Arts and the National Endowment for the Arts are helping Trooper to come and share his skills and enthusiasm for researching great stories and turning them into songs. English Music Hall - John Roberts & David Jones. Country/Western Jam - Nan Goland. Exploring Traditions - Jonathan Eberhart & Andy Wallace. Those of you who are so inclined (and you know who you are) are encouraged to remember those neat old songs where the story of your finding it is as wonderful as the song itself or maybe even to find some more and bring 'em along. Calypso - Dave Bosserman. A chance to sing and play along. If you have rhythm instruments, bring them along as well. Folk Toys - Horacio Qintanilla. This will start out as an informal hour after lunch in the picnic bench area but may well go on much longer. Gospel - Dwayne Thorpe. An annual favorite for Sunday morning. Turning Stories into Songs - Kay Zentz. A song writing and singing workshop for children. This workshop will take native American stories or traditional folk stories and put them into songs. Short Stories & Poetry - Louise Sherman. Bring your favorite recitation to share. Or just come and listen. Concertina - Jerry Epstein & Bob Zentz. Bring your squeezebox and pick up some good pointers. Jerry plays English Concertina, Bob plays Anglo. Children's Dramatic Production - Sheila Thorpe. Sheila will rehearse the kids in a play or musical on Saturday afternoon for a production for all of us right after lunch on Sunday. Rounds - Alan Rein. Ballads - Kathy Westra. A longer session this time. Natural Wonders - Kay Zentz. Crafts for kids; finding leaves and other natural objects to make door decorations. Active Adventures - George Rathbone. Wonderful, mystical stories that the children can participate in...not just listen. Average Workshops; Mean, Median, & Mode - This is our attempt at being clever. Lisa Null and Pete Kraemer will lead a workshop of Modal Songs. We are hoping to pull together the "Mean" (Songs of Meanness and Nastiness) and the "Median" (Road Songs) as well. Saturday Night Concert - Just 12 slots this year to make room for the dance so we are asking those who wish to perform to appear only once and to make your "set" just one song. Saturday Night Dance - Roustabout will provide the music with Nancy Mamlin doing the calling for two hours of Contras and Squares after Saturday's Concert. Bring your dancing shoes. Sunday Night Concert - A little more time but we are still going for one appearance per person to give more folks a chance to perform. Great Food - Debbie McClatchy. The folk caterer extraordinaire, will again trek down from Pennsylvania to prepare the meals with a little (1 hour/adult) help from us all. Bring a favorite vegetable chopping shanty and an appetite for fabulous food. We hope we can get her out of the kitchen long enough to give us a little music as well!

We are also working on workshops of Topical Songs, Sacred Harp (bring your books!), Songs of Discovery (the title is because, after all, it is Columbus Day and the 500th anniversary; but the topic is wide open...), Blues & Jazz Jam, Skiffle Band Jam, and Juggling (beginning and advanced).

The Getaway is October 9 thru 12 (Columbus Day Weekend), at YMCA Camp Letts less than an hour east of Washington. See the application form on page 15. Call Getaway Chair Dennis Cook at 301-776-4314 if you have questions. Finally, a reminder to those who registered with partial payment. Your balance is due no later than October 4 to hold your place. See You There!

CALLING ALL FIDDLERS

An "Old Time Fiddlers' Convention and Contest," complete with prize money & judges. Friday, Nov. 13. Fiddlers of all folk styles are invited to compete for up to \$500 in prizes. Please encourage your favorite fiddlers to participate. Rules: Each fiddler plays two tunes, one of which is a waltz, in the first round, with guitar/bass accompaniment provided. To enter, write: Fiddle Contest, 2117 Ellis St., Silver Spring, MD, 20910, or call FSGW Program Chair Tom Hall at 301-587-4411 (H) or 703-816-0327 (W). Final deadline: October 15.

MORE FOLKLORE SOCIETY NEWS

FSGW Board Meeting Wednesday, October 14, 8pm

The Board's next meeting is Wed. Oct. 14 at the Art Barn in Rock Creek Park (at Tilden Ave. and Beach Dr.) Any FSGW member may attend. If you have items for the Board to consider, call Dottie 301-871-7652 or Pres. Dean Clamons 703-631-9655.

Board Highlights

The Board met Sept. 2 in the home of Dottie Hurley in Aspen Hill, MD. Topics discussed and actions taken included:

- Tom Hall, program chair, is excited about our first concert at All Souls Episcopal Church Sept. 11. He is seeking fiddlers for a Nov. 13 Fiddle Contest.
- The new budget was passed by the Board. The Board decided to change our fiscal year from one beginning July 1 to Oct. 1.
- We already have 102 registrants for the Getaway which is filling up fast.
- We are making donations to the Lee Michael Dempsey LMD campaign and to WETA specifically for "Traditions".

Two Great Ski-Dance Weekends Planned

An American Ski-Dance Weekend with David Kaynor, Peter Fricke, Charlie Pilzer, Andrea Hoag and friends, Jan 15-18; and the ever popular Washington's Ski-Dance Weekend, Feb. 12-15 with Jacqueline Schwab, Scott Higgs, Liz Donaldson, Steve Hickman and friends. Each weekend includes three nights accommodation, cross-country ski-instruction, eight meals and fabulous company and dancing for \$125 per adult member of FSGW, CDSS, PATC or Sierra Club Outings Section, or \$135 non-members (\$85 per child under 13 years). For information and booking forms, send a stamped self-addressed business-size envelope to Ski-Dance Weekends, P.O. Box 2011, Shepherdstown, WV 25443-2011.

DON'T WAIT - DON'T HESITATE OPERATORS ARE STANDING BY

WE NEED YOU AND YOU AND YOU! The Washington Folk Festival needs you to join in the fun of planning the 1993 Festival. STAFF positions are open and can only be filled by you (and you and you) - so what are you waiting for? Give us a call and tell us what you'd like to do. NO matter what your interest is - the WFF has a place for you. The Festival is staffed entirely by volunteers and without you (and you and you) it cannot survive. So, if you have enjoyed the Festival in the past, work in a Staff position this year and make the 1993 WFF the best Festival ever! Operators are standing by at the coordinators' phones. Call Dwain Winters at 301-657-2789 or Gloria Johnson at 301-590-0479 or Kathy Smith at 301-585-4489. Remember, YOU ARE THE FESTIVAL!

Georgian Dance Workshop Thursday, October 8, 7:30pm

Zoura Kobakhibze, a member of the Georgian State Dance Ensemble, will present dances from Georgia (Tblisi, not Atlanta). Recorded music. Sponsored by the Foggy Bottom Folkdancers. Location see Foggy Bottom International Folkdancers article below. For info: 202-547-6419.

SACRED HARP SINGING

Sunday October 25, Singing School 3pm, Singing 4pm. We return to the lovely parish hall of St. Andrews Episcopal Church, 4512 College Avenue, in College Park, MD. (Go south on Rt. 1 from the Beltway toward U. of MD and turn left onto College Ave. at the Maryland Book Exchange). Those who attended the January singing here will remember how good it sounded in this singing - friendly hall, and how late we all stayed because of that. Please bring a dish to share for the potluck at 6pm and plan to stay for lots more great singing after supper. (Bring your P. J's) If possible, please bring along a non-perishable food item for donation to St. Andrew's effor to feed the needy. All are welcome, no previous musical experience necessary. Loaner songbooks available. For info, call Billie, 301-434-4877.

Storytellers' Meeting Saturday, October 24, 7:30pm

An informal evening of story swapping and potluck refreshments will be held on Sat. Oct. 24 at 7:30 pm in the home of Sue Jusino in Wheaton. Listeners, beginning and experienced storytellers are all welcome. Call 301-933-0851 for directions and RSVPs.

Wraiths of Hallowe'ens Past Friday, October 30, 8pm

A storytelling house concert featuring dark & grisly stories and comforting cider & cookies for adults and children who listen like adults at 8pm Fri. Oct. 30 in the Chatham's home in Falls Church. Tales told by Anne Sheldon, Bill Mayhew, Margaret Chatham & Ralph Chatham. \$5, space limited, reservations required. Call 703-698-5456.

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 info at 202-547-6419.

NO GOSPEL SING Sunday, October 11

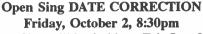
The October Gospel Sing will be preempted by the FSGW Getaway. There is sure to be lots of good gospel singing at Camp Letts. Regular scheduling resumes in November.

FSGW English Country Dance Every Wednesday, 8:00-10:30pm

The weekly FSGW English country dance moves to its new indoor location at Church of the Ascension, 633 Sligo Ave, Silver Spring, MD. (Parking and access may be easier from Silver Spring Ave.) Dances are open to dancers of all experience levels. Members \$4, nonmembers \$5. Info: Norm Bernhardt 301-320-2469 or Rich Galloway, 301-589-0939.

- Oct 7 Celebrate our new location to the music of Howard Markham and David Mann, with calling by Rich Galloway.
- Oct 14 Diane Schmit teaches dances of the Baltimore Ball.

 Music by Liz Donaldson and Bruce Edwards.
- Oct 21 Christopher Field calls with music by Liz Donaldson and Malcolm Stephens.
- Oct 28 Cynthia Stenger leads our Halloween dance with music by Some Assembly Required. No costume required, but why not come dressed as your favorite English country dance?



The Oct. Open Sing will be held on Fri, Oct. 2 at Takoma Traders in Takoma Park, MD. The date was erroneously listed in the last *Newsletter* as Sun, Oct. 4. Pete Kraemer is the October leader, with the promising topic of "I Remember". Takoma Traders is at 7071 Carroll Ave. near House of Musical Traditions. There is parking on both sides of building and in back.

The Open Sing needs a new coordinator starting in November. Several people may be able to share the job, in order to keep this fine, warm tradition from dying out. We need someone to:

- Coordinate with Takoma Traders or other sites for time, place and payment for each sing
- Find leaders and topics
- Write and deliver Newsletter articles
- Collect admission money
- Coordinate as necessary with FSGW Board

If your would like to participate in any of the above ways, or have questions about the Open Sing, call Bill Day or Rita Ferrara at 301-946-2161.







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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,

AROUND TOWN

Institue of Musical Traditions Concert Series Listings for October

Celebrate the first ten years of Institute of Musical Traditions concert series in a beautiful new hall!! Now on Saturday nights, the concerts will take place about twice a month, at the Capitol College auditorium in Laurel, MD. (11301 Springfield Rd.)

Oct. 10 *8:30pm* \$12 in advance/\$15 at door The IMT and the Lee Michael Dempsey radio campaign present HAZEL DICKENS AND DUDLEY CONNELL accompanied by Barry Mitterhoff, Tom Adams and Earl Yeager, with special guests SUNSHINE SKIFFLE BAND. See later article in this column.

Oct. 24 *8:30pm* \$12

Celebrate the Celtic holiday of Samhain with the award winning, favorite local group CELTIC THUNDER, who share the billing this evening with CONOR MALONE and the trio of MIKE CASEY, DAVID DIGUISEPPE and JOSEPH SOBOL.

House of Musical Traditions Workshops

How to jam the BLUES guitar with Eric Butz Sat. Oct. 17. Beginners from 1-2:30pm Intermediates from 3-4:30pm. \$20. Minimum enrollment: 2 maximum: 6. Registration deadline Fri. Oct. 16.

Bodhran (Irish Drum) for beginner & novice workshop with Jesse Winch. Series of 5 starting Oct. 26 at 7:30pm. \$50. Minimum enrollment: 3 maximum: 10. Registration deadline Mon. Oct. 26.

For info about either workshop call 301-270-9090.

PHEROMONES PRESENT Musical Variety Show Friday, October 2, 8:30pm

The Pheromones open their 1992 season with their best show ever - in a new location! Join them at the Rockville Civic Center F. Scott Fitzgerald Theater 603 Edmonston Dr., as they present the inimitable humor and song of Peter & Lou Berryman, music by Al Petteway, Susan Graham White, and original Byrd's member Gene Parsons with Meridian Green plus comedy by Sally Marburg. Tickets \$12.50 in advance/\$15 at the door. To order tickets in advance or for more info call 1-800-448-4686. Don't be left out - order today.

Old Town Takoma Park Street Festival Sunday, October 4 10am - 6pm

Sun. Oct. 4 (rain/shine) marks the 12th annual Street Festival in historic Takoma Park. Carroll Ave. will be closed 10am - 6pm while over 15, 000 festival goers will dance to approx. 20 name bands, shop among 130 craft booths and select foods from all over the world. Special features include juggling lessons, clowns, dunking machine, carnival games and a beer garden. The environmental are encourages participation in the Save the Seas nural and in painting your own shopping bag.

The weekly Farmers Market will offer fresh organic produce from !0am - 2pm. The festival is sponsored by the Takoma Old Town Business Association. Two block walk from Takoma Metro Sta. on the Red Line. FREE ADMISSON. For more info call 301-270-0532.

Peter and Lou Berryman House Concert Saturday, October 3, 8:30pm

The concert will be held in a private home on the west side of Columbia. Seating is limited; please call 410-997-1599 for reservations and directions. Adm. \$7. Please bring a beverage of snack to share.

Ironweed in Concert

Look for Ironweed at the Maryland Renaissance Festival in Crownsville, Maryland on Oct. 3, 10, 17, and 18. Ironweed performs a highly entertaining blend of Celtic tunes which include delicate instrumentals, rousing chanteys, poignant ballads, and hilarious ditties.

Night in Transylvania Saturday, October 3, 6:30pm

A Hungarian dinner will be served with music & dancing by Tisza Ensemble at the River Road Unitarian Church 6301 River Rd. Bethesda, MD. on Sat. Oct. 3. Tickets \$25 per person. For info call 301-229-0400.

Callers Collective Sunday, October 4, 5:30pm

Oct. 4 dancers are needed to assist area cllers practice calling, teaching, and trying out dances. The theme for this event is Square Dances. Bumper Car Pavilion Glen Echo Park 5:30pm. Volunteer musicians are encouraged and welcomed. Free. For info call Tuppence Blackwell 703-379-2992. Sponsored by the Callers Collective.

Colvin Run Mill Autumn Traditons Sunday, October 4 12pm - 5pm

Celebrate old-fashioned fall community activities at Colvin Run Mill Sun. Oct. 4 from noon to 5pm. Five hours of music and activities. Admission is \$4 adult and \$2 child. For more info call 703-759-2771.

Oxon Hill Farm Park Fall Festival Saturday, October 10 10am - 4pm

18th Annual Fall Festival at Oxon Hill Farm Park will celebrate America's family farm heritage with more than 25 craft displays & demonstrations and traditional 19th century music, clogging & dancing. In event of inclement weather this program will be held Sun. Oct. 22. For info call 301-839-1177.

Hazel Dickens and Dudley Connell Concert Saturday, October 10, 8:30pm

Hazel Dickens and Dudley Connell will appear together in concert on Sat. Oct. 10 at 8:30pm at Capitol College. The concert is a fundraiser for the Lee Dempsey Radio Campaign which continues to work to bring back acoustic and bluegrass music to WAMU Radio. Lee's show was cancelled last January and his fans have planned a fabulous concert as an antidote to WAMU's fall fundraiser. Capitol College 11301 Springfield Rd. Beltsville, MD. Cosponsored with IMT. Tickets \$12 in adv./\$15 at door. Advance tickets available at House of Musical Traditions 7040 Carroll Ave. Takoma Park, MD. Make checks payable to IMT. For info and credit card orders call 301-270-9090. Special "sponsor" tickets available for \$50 or more (front row seats and an autographed recording).

Irish Poetry, Prose and Traditional Music Sunday, October 11, 4pm

William Butler Yeats Society of Catholic University and Irish Times will present an afternoon of poetry, prose and music Sun. Oct. 22 at 4pm. at Irish Times Tavern (Suite B) 14 F ST. NW Washington, DC. Music will be provided by Zan McLeod and friends. Adm. \$5. For info call Tim James 301-589-5614.

Songs of the Spirit Sunday, October 11, 7pm

An evening seminar on songs of different spiritual traditions will be offered on Sun. Oct. 11 7 - 9:30pm at Temple Emanuel in Kensington, MD. Songs will be sung and taught to participants, with the accompaniment of flute and harp. A "learning cassette" and songsheets will be given to participants as part of the seminar.

A similar seminar will be offered at Sandy Springs Friends Meetinghouse Sun. Oct. 18 1 - 4pm. For info call Hannah Schoenbach 301-681-4513 or David Scheim 301-585-4777.

Chesapeake Bagel Bakery Concert Series Wednesdays Oct. 14 & 21, 8pm

The Chesapeake Bagel Bakery concert series continues with a Blues evening in Fairfax and a special solo performance in Springfield.

Rick Franklin and Sara Landymore will join host Eileen Joyner at the Fairfax location 9548-D Main St. (intersection of Pickett & Rte. 236) Wed. Oct. 14. Rachel Bissex will appear at the Springfield location 8420 Old Keene Mill Rd. (corner of RollingRd.) Wed. Oct. 21. Terry Bocklund will be host. Both concerts begin at 8pm and will have a \$5 cover charge.

Latin-American Folk Concert Friday, October 16, 7:30pm

Aurora Alcala will be presenting her third Latin-American folk concert at the Terrace Theater of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Peforming Arts on Fri. Oct. 16 at 7:30pm. Ticket info can be obtained from the KC at 202-467-4600. For groups of over 20 people we can arrange for discounts by calling 703-476-0716.

Magpie Family Concert Saturday, October 17, 11am

Start the Fall Season off with another fun-filled family concert presented by the Institute of Musical Traditons! Magpie, the much loved duo of Terry Leonino and Greg Artzner, will celebrate the release of their first children's recording, Circle of Life, with a family concert Sat. Oct. 17, 11am at the Takoma Park Intermediate School, 7611 Piney Branch Rd., Takoma Park, MD. Tickets are \$6 and may be purchased in adv. from House of Musical Traditions. For info 301-270-9090.

Mostly Montgomery Storytellers Storyswap Tuesday, October 13 7pm

Mostly Montgomery Storytellers meet to trade tales and tip at Borders Book Store for Kids in Rockville. No residency requirement, listeners welcome. For info call Sue Jusino 301-933-0851.

Word of Mouth Storytelling Symposium October 23 & 24

On Oct. 23 -24 the third annual Word of Mouth Storytelling symposium for Educators will take place at the Smithsonian Institution. Storytellers, educators, and SI staff will present performances and workshops for the DC area teachers. For info call 202-357-2425.

American Sampler Series Sunday, October 25, 12pm - 5pm

On Sun. Oct. 25, the American Sampler series will present and afternoon of storytelling and performances by Enrique (Quique) Aviles, Gay Ducey, Syd Lieberman, Jeff Warner and Dylan Pritchett. Carmichael Auditorium National Museum of American History. FREE. For more info call 202-357-4182.

Afternoon of Slavic Music Sunday, October 25, 3pm

The Slavic Society of Washington will present an afternoon concert with the Balalaika Society of Washington Orchestra & the Slavic Male Chorus of Washington and Dance Ensemble at Langley High School Auditorium, McLean, VA. Adm. \$10 Children under 12 \$5. For info call Val Fetisoff 703-978-7363.

Dupont Music Circle Wednesday Nights

The Dupont Music Circle is an informal gathering for singing and playing traditional music from the British Isles. All singers and instrumentalists at all levels of ability are welcome. Meets every Wed. night. For more info, call Liz or Gary at 703-658-0957.

MAC-TALLA (Echo) Scots Gaelic Folk Group

MAC-TALLA is seeking new members this fall. They meet 2 or 3 times a month on Mondays and Thursdays in Chevy Chase, MD. Interested singers and instrumentalists contact Joan McWilliams Weiss, director/arranger, at 301-656-3454.

National Folk Archive Volunteers Needed!

Once again, the Archive of Folk Culture at the Library of Congress American Folklife Center is accepting volunteers. If you can spend a day (or a few hours) a week and want to help out at the hub of federal folk activity, call Joe Hickerson (the Archive's Head), Mon-Fri. 8:30am- 5pm at 202-707-1725 to arrange a starting time. If you have more time available, inquire about the Archive's Intern Program. You too can join the ranks of over 250 past interns and bold voulnteers, going all the way back to Pete Seeger in 1938!

If your schedule does not permit vounteering or interning at the Folk Archive, but you would still like to help out, please consider making a donation to the Friends of the Folk Archive Fund. Donations are tax deductible, and can be made payable to the Archive of Folk Culture, Library of Congress (Washington, DC 20540).

Northern Virginia Folk Festival

To put on your calendar: Northern Virginia Folk Festival, May 1 and 2, 1993 at Thomas Jefferson Community Center, Arlington. For information and application packets for performers, food vendors, or craftspersons, call Maggie Gaffen at 703-358-6965.

Grass Roots International Folk Resources Directory

Heather Wood is co-editing the Third Edition of the Grass Roots International Folk Resources Directory. Send information on organizations, venues, agents, arts agencies, publications, radio, record companies, support services, etc. to Grass Roots c/o 444 West 54th Street. 2RW, New York, NY 10019. And look for the book in early 1993.

LOCAL CLUB VENUES

First Saturday Coffeehouse Saturday, October 3, 7:30pm

Debbie Smith & Al Petteway, Dori Justis Trio, Nancy Moran & Fett and JoAnn & Monte. Smoke free venue. All Souls Episopal Church 2300 Cathedral Ave. (east of Connecticut Ave.). Adm. \$6. For info call 202-232-4244.

Music Americana Showcases for the World of Folk Music Association

Tuesday, Oct. 6, 8pm hosted by Dick Cerri, featuring Tom & Chris Kastle, Clishmaclaver, Vicky Pratt Keating and Doris Justis. Located at Suzanne's American Kitchen, 9116 Rothbury Dr., Gaithersburg, MD. Adm. \$5 Directions/info call 301-990-0995.

Wednesday, Oct. 21, 8pm Hosted by Dick Cerri, featuring Joanne & Monte, Ben Mason, Take Two and others TBA. Located at Bad Habits, 5444 Columbia Pike, Arlington, VA. Adm. \$5 Info: 702-998-5808.

Delray Coffeehouse Saturday, October 10, 7:30pm

This month features the music of Carey Creed, Donal Leace, and New Mode Grass. Baked goods and hot drinks served. Suggested donation of \$5. For info call 301-683-2477 or 301-683-3360.

Open Mike Sunday nights 9pm

Maggie's Pizzeria 4327 Wisconsin Ave. N.W. Live blues, folk & bluegrass music. Hosted by Pat Hackney. For info call 202-966-3297.

Cafe Florian Coffeehouse Saturday, October 10, 7:30pm

Open mike hosted by Grace Griffith. Located at Davies Memorial Unitarian Church, 7400 Temple Hill Rd. Camp Springs, MD. Info:301-203-0720.

Folk Club of Reston-Herndon Tuesdays at 7:30pm

Open mike with a 3-song limit. \$1 cover. Member Showcase 1st Tuesday. Special guest Steve Gillette and Cindy Mangsen Oct. 27 (\$8/\$7 members). Located at Tortilla Factory, 648 Elden St. Herndon, VA. Info: 703-473-7766, 703-573-6855. Smoke-free venue.

Silver Spring Showcase Tuesday, October 13, 8pm

Hosted by Sligo Creek featuring in Oct.: Eileen Joyner, Irish Hirsch and Conor Malone. Located at the Quarry House Tavern, 8401 Georgia Ave. (inside the Beltway at the corner of Bonifant St. in the basement of the Chevy Chase Bank). \$4 cover. Info/bookings: 301-589-2265.

Folkal Point Thursdays at 8pm.

Located at Coho Grill, Hobbit's Glen Golf Club, 11130 Willow Bottom Dr., Columbia, MD. Doors open at 7:30pm. Food and beverages may be purchased from the restaurant during the performances. Young people welcomed (as long as listening atmosphere is maintained). Smoke free venue. For info call 410-381-2460

- Oct 8 Grand openning with Grace Griffith, Doris Justis, Dodie MacMIllan, Andrew Lawrence. \$7 cover
- Oct 15 Cathy Fink & Marcy Marxer. \$8 cover
- Oct 22 Ironweed. \$6 cover
- Oct 29 Steve Key \$6 cover

St. John's Coffeehouse Saturday, October 17, 8pm

Hosted by Sue Trainor, featuring Joanne and Monte. Located at St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, 6004 Waterloo Rd. (Rt. 108), Columbia, MD. Adm. \$6. Smoke free venue. Info: 410-381-2460.

Folk Alley Saturday, October 24, 8pm

Featuring Grace Griffith, Lisa Moscatiello, Cary Creed and Doris Justis. Located in Silver Spring Presbyterian Church, 580 University Blvd (near intersection of University and Piney Branch Rd.). Silver Spring, MD. Adm. \$8. Smoke free venue. Info: 202-686-9210.

Coffeehouse Hope Friday, October 16, 8:30pm

Hosted by Doris Justis, featuring Tom & Chris Kastle and Debi Smith & Al Petteway. Located in Hope Lutheran Church and Student Center, 4201 Guilford Dr., College Park, MD. Adm. \$6

Open Stage Tuesday, October 20, 8pm

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 and non-performers are welcome. For info call Sue Trainor 301-381-2460.

Coffee House at Good Counsel Saturday, October 24, 8:30pm

OPEN STAGE: Acoustic musicians, songwriters, storytellers and poets invited to participate. Sheepshead Bay opens. Adm. \$4. Complimentary refreshments. Located at Good Counsel High School Library, 11601 Georgia Ave. Wheaton, MD. Info: 301-680-8669 (eves.)

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: BeginningINT: 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: Tuppence Blackwell, 703-379-2992. Info: DC Dance Hotline 301-270-1678.

Oct 2 Jay & Molly Ungar; Larry Edelman

Oct 9 Open Band; TBA

Oct 16 Capital Quicksteps; Bob Dalsemer

Oct 23 Velcro Monkeys; Lausanne Allen

Oct 30 [The Amazing] Polka Pants; Dave Kaynor

Polka Night at the S&W Friday, October 2, 8pm-midnight

Another night of live polka music is scheduled for Friday, Oct. 2nd, 8pm-midnight at the S&W Ballroom, 155 Hillwood Avenue, Falls Church VA (near 7 Corners). The S&W Polka Band will play polkas, waltzes, schottishes, and other traditional dances of Germany & Eastern Europe. Demonstration/audience participation by the costumed Hungarian folk dance group Tisza Ensemble. Admission \$8; \$2 discount for single dancers. Group or club discounts can be arranged. Info: S&W 703-534-5450 or Jack Elder 703-264-9891.

Annapolis Contra Dance Saturday, October 3, 8pm

The Annapolis Traditional Dance Society will hold a contra dance on Saturday, Oct. 3, at the West Annapolis Elementary School, Melvin Avenue & Annapolis Street, Annapolis MD. Caruthers' Others music with Nancy Mamlin calling. A clogging workshop for all levels of dancers at 7 pm. Adm. \$5 for dance; \$2 for workshop. Info: 410-268-0231. Special note: There will be NO dance on October 17.

Gamaldans

1st Saturday, October 3, 8-10:30pm

Traditional Scandinavian couple turning dances, music by Peascods Gathering, at TPIS. Teaching by Fred Aalto 1st hour (this month: Swedish folk dances). N/E, N/P. \$4. Info: Carl Minkus 301-493-6281, Dick Atlee 703-522-2769, Faith Coddington 301-762-4541.

Reston Contra Dance Saturday, October 3, 8-11pm

The Reston Contra Dance on Saturday, Oct. 3, 8-11pm, will be called by Ann Fallon to the live(ly) music of June Apple. N/P, Wilson. Info: Alice Markham 703-709-9121.

Uptown Rhythm Kings Friday, October 9, 7:30pm

Jitterbug to the blues & old-time rock 'n' roll of this popular 9-piece band. Beg. workshop 7:30pm with Ken Haltenhoff and Donna Barker. Dance 8:30-11:30pm. All Souls Episcopal Church, 2300 Cathedral Avenue NW (just east of Conn. Ave.). Admission \$8. Info: 202-232-4244 or 202-363-8707.

English Country Dance

2nd & 4th Saturdays, October 10 & 24, 8:15-10:45pm

Music by Peascods Gathering, calling by Barbara Harding & guests, at Sligo Middle School, 1401 Dennis Ave., Silver Spring, MD. Personal instruction for beginners, 8-8:15pm. N/E, N/P. \$3.50. Info: Carl Minkus 301-493-6281, Dick Atlee 703-522-2769, Faith Coddington 301-762-4541.

Tribute to Glenn Miller Saturday, October 10, 9pm-midnight

In co-operation with the National Park Service, The Tom Cunningham Orchestra is pleased to announce a Tribute to Glenn Miller, at Glen Echo's historic Spanish Ballroom on Saturday, Oct. 10, 9pm-midnight. Dance instructor Fred James will be teaching the steps of the '40's from 8-9pm. Glen Echo is located at 7300 Mac Arthur Blvd, inside the Beltway. \$7 adm. includes lesson. Info: Tom Cunningham Orchestra 703-533-8864.

Sadie Hawkins Day Costume Dance Saturday, October 10, 8pm-midnight

Ballroom dancing with the New HOTS Ragtime Orchestra from 8pm-midnight on Sat., Oct. 10, at the Forest Glen Ballroom, Walter Reed Annex, Linden Lane off Georgia Ave., Silver Spring, MD. (From the Beltway, take Georgia Ave. South; at 2nd traffic light turn right onto Seminary Rd. At the Y, go straight onto Linden Lane, and follow the signs to free parking & the Forest Glen Ballroom.) Dance will feature lots of mixers & ladies' choice dances. Costumes (Lil Abner & Daisy May theme) encouraged but not required. Adm. \$8 per person; Singles discount \$2. N/P. Dance workshop by Herb Fredericksen at 8pm & between sets. Info: 703-264-9891.

Northern Virgina Ceili Saturday, October 10, 7:30pm

Irish Ceili (dance) with the Bogwanderers Ceili Band (Tabby Finch, Jessie Winch, Joe De Zarn and Bill Whitman) at the John Wood Municipal Center, 3730 Old Lee Hwy, Fairfax City, VA. (3 miles from Nutley St. Exit (Rt. 243) off Rt. 66). Dance 8pm - midnight. Adults \$7 children 6 - 16 \$3 under 6 FREE. Maximum family charge \$15. Free lessons 7:30pm Free refreshments. Info: Bob Hickey 703-978-8265.

Scandia DC 3rd Saturday, October 17, 7pm

Scandinavian couple dancing 3rd Sat monthly at TPIS. Dancing 7-10:15pm; teaching 7:30-8:30 (basics 7:10-7:30). N/P. \$4. Some live, some recorded music. Teachers: Linda Brooks & Ross Schipper. \$3. Info: Linda 202-333-2826, Ross 301-721-9237.

Boogie in the Ballroom Saturday, October 17, 9pm

Fourth annual ballroom fundraiser will be "Ballroom Boogie 'n' Bop" with a 50's theme. Music by the Sevilles and DC's own Go Cat Go. Special benefit adm. \$12. Beg. workshop 8pm.

Greater Washington Ceili Dance Sunday, October 18, 5-9pm

The Greater Washington Ceili Club will be holding its monthly Ceili dances at Ireland's Four Provinces, 3412 Connecticut Avenue NW from 5-9pm. Admission is \$5 for non-GWCC members; \$4 for members. Brendan Mulvihill and Zan McLeod will be providing the music. Info: 301-652-3765.

Cajun Dance Sunday, October 18, 8-11pm

Enjoy old-time traditional Cajun music, come dance to pure acoustic music with McCauley Reed Vidrine in the Spanish Ballroom at Glen Echo Park, MacArthur Blvd. at Goldsboro Road, Glen Echo MD. Beg. dance workshop taught by Mark Greenleaf and Tracy Bone features the waltz and Cajun two-step, from 7:15-8pm. Dance 8-11pm. Admission \$10 including dance and workshop. Info: 301-308-0895. Sponsored by Crawfish Productions in cooperation with the National Park Service.

Allons-Y! Friday, October 30, 8:30pm

Come celebrate Halloween with a rolicking evening of Cajun dance tunes. Dance workshop from 7:30-8:30pm. Cherry Hill Park Clubhouse, 9800 Cherry Hill Road, College Park, MD. N/E, N/P. \$8 adm. includes workshop; children FREE. Halloween costumes encouraged. Directions to dance: 301-937-7116. Other info: Michele Carsrud 301-937-2806.

Halloween Dance in Fairfax Friday, October 30, 8pm-midnight

The New HOTS Ragtime Orchestra continues its monthly series of old-fashioned ballroom dances in the historic Fairfax City Old Town Hall with a traditional Halloween Costume Ball Fri. Oct. 30. Adm. \$8 per person \$2 discount to singles and anyone wearing a HOTS tee shirt. Dance workshop by Herb Fredericksen. No smoking or alcoholic beverages allowed in ballroom. Soft drinks & snacks will be for sale. Info: 703-264-9891.

All Hallow's Eve Ball Saturday, October 31, 9pm

A spellbinding night awaits you at the Capital Vintage Dance Society's All Hallow's Eve Ball on Saturday, Oct. 31 (Halloween) at 9pm at Sternberg Auditorium (Building #40-Vedder, Walter Reed Army Medical Center, Washington DC. Enter Elder Street from Georgia Avenue). Music by Devil Among the Taylors. Dance workshop 8pm. Costumes encouraged; jack-o'-lantern contest. Adm. \$12 FSGW or BFMS; \$15 non-members. Info: 301-565-0104.

Halloween Swing Dance Saturday, October 31, 9pm

A special joint Glen Echo Park Foundation-WSDC Halloween dance with some special surprises. Wear a costume to be eligible for special prizes. Music by Deanna Bogart (The Boogie Woman). Proceeds benefit the Foundation. Beg. swing workshop at 8pm. Spanish Ballroom Glen Echo, MD. Adm. \$7 Info: WSDC Hotline: 301-340-9732.

Scottish Country Dance Society of Washington Mondays, 8:15pm

The classes provide instruction for beginning and experienced Scottish Country Dancers. NIH Fitness Center, Bldg T-39, Bethesda, MD. For directions and info call Joan MacLeod at 301-593-3592 or Betty Lee Barnes 202-966-3595.

Scottish Country Dancing Wednesdays, 8pm

Scottish Country Dance classes every Wed. night at 8pm ath the Durant Center, 1605 Cameron Streetm Alexandria, VA. Provided by Northern Va. Branch of RSCDS. N/P, live and recorded music. Beginners welcome. For info call 703-549-7299 or 703-239-0950.

Scottish Country Dancing Tuesdays, 8pm

St. Columba's Scottish Country Dance Group holds weekly classes for beginners and experienced dancers at Washington Episcopal School, 5161 River Rd, Bethesda, MD. Recorded music for classes, live music for special events. N/P, N/E. \$2. For info, call Arlene McCormick 301-794-8042 or Chris Barnes at 202-686-7154.

Snurrdansarna Tuesdays, 7:30-10:30pm

Snurrdansarna meets on Tuesday evenings at TPIS for traditional Scandanavian couple-turning dances. Selected basics and turning techniques taught and request dancing. N/P, N/E, recorded music, \$3. Info: Bill Warren 301-585-7916.

Dance Classes

Tuesdays, starting Sept. 15, Walter Johnson High School-7:15-8:45pm, Cowboy Dancing from the 1860's to the Present, Basic/Beginning; 8:45-10:15pm, Cowboy Dancing from the 1860's to the Present, Continuing/Experienced.

Wednesdays, starting Sept. 16, Brookhaven Elementary School--7:00-8:30pm, Swing and Sway to the Big Band Sounds of Yesterday; 8:30-10:00pm, Passionate Tangos of Old Argentina.

Thursdays, starting Sept. 17, Walter Johnson High School-7:15-8:45pm, Bavarian and Austrian Folk Dances; 8:45-10:15pm, Viennese Waltzes, Ragtime Twosteps and Civil War Dances.

Fridays, starting Sept. 18, Spencerville Community Center-7:00-8:30pm, Getting started in the basics of today's social dances; 8:30-10:00pm, Cowboy Dancing from the 1860's to the Present, Basic/Beginning.

Mondays, starting Sept. 21, Longwood Community Center-7:00-8:30pm, Getting started in the basics of today's social dances; 8:30-10:00pm, Swing and Sway to the Big Band Sounds of Yesterday.

INTERNATIONAL FOLK DANCES

A wide variety of dances to choose from! All have taped music. N/P, N/E.

<u>Tues.</u>: Arlington Intl Folk Dance at Key Elem School, Key Blvd. (between Adams & Veitch, 3 blocks from Courthouse Metro), Arlington VA. 8-10pm. \$3. Sam & Sarah Stulberg: 703-527-8998.

Wed.: Intl Folk & Contras at Guy Mason Rec Ctr, Calvert St & Wisconsin Ave NW DC. 8:15-10pm. FREE. Charles/Ruth Toxey 301-229-0455.

Wed.: Anna Pappas at River Rd Unitarian Church, Bethesda, MD. 7-8pm. 10 wks/\$35. 301-340-8723.

Wed.: Mt. Vernon Intl Folk Dancers with Elaine Moczygemba at Mt. Vernon Unitarian Meeting Hall, 1909 Windmill Ln. Alex, Va. 8-10pm, \$2, recorded music Beg-Int., N/E, N/P, Info: Ken or Pat 703-780-2393

Thurs.: Roland Forbes, Chevy Chase Ctr, Conn Ave & McKinley St NW DC: 7:30-9:30pm. FREE. 301-572-4215 or 301-340-8723.

<u>Fri.</u>: Greek, Israeli, Cold Spring Elem School, 9101 Falls Chapel Way, Potomac MD. 8-9;30pm. 10 wks/\$30. 301-340-8723.

Sat.: Intl Folk Dance, 8:30-11pm, Takoma-Langley Recreation Center, 7315 New Hampshire Avenue. Teaching 8:30-9:30. Adm. \$3.75. Info: 301-565-0539, 410-740-3498, or 301-966-2470.

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 <u>must</u> be relevant to FSGW's 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.

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Coffee House Uptown Fridays, 8pm

10/4 Iain Mackintosh \$7. 10/9 James Keelaghan Trio Tickets \$10. 10/16 Marley's Ghost \$7. 10/23 Steve Gillette & Cindy Mangsen \$7. 10/30 Hard Travelers Tickets \$10. Wilson Memorial United Methodist Church N. Charles & University St.s, Baltimore, MD. Info: 410-235-4251.

Baltimore Folk Music Society News Hotline: 410-366-0808

Squares & Contras, Wednesdays, 8pm. 10/7 Larry Edelman with Open Band; 10/14 Bob Dalsemer with Blarney Stones; 10/21 Lausanne Allen with Uncle Gizmo; 10/28 Ted Crane with Maggie Brown's Favorite (Halloween costume night). Info: Hotline.

English Country Dancing, Mondays, 8pm. 10/5 Cynthia Stenger with Jacqueline Schwab; 10/12 Diane Schmit with Picking Up Sticks; 10/19 Rich Galloway with Carl Friedman, Mark Vidor and Dawn Culbertson; 10/26 Diane Schmit/Cynthia Stenger with Devil Among the Taylors (Dress up in your favorite Eng. Ctry. Dance). Info: Hotline.

Si Kahn in Concert Saturday Oct. 3, 8pm at the Walters Gallery, 600 N. Charles St., Baltimore, MD. Tickets \$8 for BFMS &FSGW & Walter Gallery members \$10 non-members \$5 for children. Info: 410-366-1959.

Buffalo Rodeo II Oct. 2-4

A Country Western/Cajun Dance Weekend at Buffalo Gap Camp for the Cultural Arts, Capon Bridge, WV will feature the influence of southwest Louisiana on country and western swing dance and music. Music provided by Steve Riley and the Mamou Playboys, Lafayette, LA; The Heavy Country Band, Northern Virginia and making their debut performance at the weekend: Once Around the Floor, Washington, DC - Western

Swing with a Zydeco Beat (featuring Brian Langlinais, formerly of the Cajun band, Filé). Dances to be taught include: Cajun 2-step, Cajun waltz, Cajun shuffle, 2-step, Waltz, St. Louis Shag, West Coast Swing, East Coast Swing, Pony Swing, Cha Cha, Polka & Line dances. All Levels. Info: Jean Bollinger or Mitchell Reeves, 301-495-1093.

Sligo Creek Saturday, October 3

Sligo Creek will appear at the Subterranean Blues Tavern at the Occoquan Inn, Occoquan, VA. on Sat. Oct. 3. For details call 703-818-1665.

Jacqueline Schwab in Concert Wednesday, October 7, Noon

Solo piano concert of traditional and popular vintage American music from the Civil War through 1940's. Including music from the award winning PBS series Civil War. Garrett Room, Milton S. Eisenhauer Library, Johns Hopkins University, 3400 N. Charles St. Baltimore, MD. FREE. Info: 410-516-7157.

Crab Contras 2nd & 4th Thursdays, 8pm

10/8 Andy Kane with TBA; 10/22 Robbin Schaffer with TBA. STs. Peter & Paul Catholic Church, Aurora St, Easton, MD. Info: Dick Bearman 410-883-3140.

Southern Maryland Traditional Music and Dance Saturday, October 17, 7:30pm

Annapolis caller, Ann Fallon, calls squares and contras. Music provided by June Apple String Band. For further info call Hanna 410-586-3556 or Elgin 410-535-2949.

Contra D'Amour Late Nite B & B October 10 - 11

Late nite contra dance benefit with bed and breakfast. Claymont Court, Charles Town, WV. Adm. \$10 in advance. \$12 at the door. Info: 304-725-0266.

Dance at the Roots Cafe Saturdays, October 10 & 24, 8pm

The Roots Cafe is sponsored by the Society for the Preservation of American Roots Music (SPARM) and the St. John's United Methodist Church, 27th and St. Paul Streets, Baltimore MD. Regularly scheduled shows take place on the 2nd & 4th Saturdays each month. Memberships in SPARM are available for \$10 per year. Admission to the Roots Cafe is \$5 for non-members, \$4 for members. The room is smoke-free. Refreshments are available for purchase. Info: 410-366-7733. October 10: The Polkats; Mark Brine opening October 24: Big Jesse Yawn and the Rick Serfas Band

1992 John C. Campbell Folk School Schedule Brasstown, NC

Shape Note Singing School (Oct. 16-18). Taught by Hugh McGraw. Info:1-800-562-2440.

Charlottesville's 16th Annual Fall Dance Festival Oct. 16-18

Full weekend of dancing featuring FootLoose, called by Kathy Anderson. \$30. Info: Elizabeth Margutti 804-977-4582.

Prospect Coffeehouse Friday, October 16, 8pm

Bill Danoff and the Mighty Possums. Kepler Theatre, Hagerstown Junior College. Further info 301-739-5265.

Cornucopia in Concert October

10/18 Look for Cornucopia at the Maryland Renaisance Festival in Crownsville, MD.: 10/25 Quiet Waters Park, Annapolis, Md. Tickets \$10 in advance and \$12..50 at the door. Info: 410-222-1796.

Frederick Country Dance Saturday, October 31, 8pm

Contra dance to the music of Sandy Michell and Martin's Flight with Tom Hinds calling. \$6. Free Beg. workshop at 7pm. Frederick Adult Recreation Center (the Old Armory), corner of Second & Bentz Sts., Frederick. MD. Info: 301-694-6794 or 301-662-0750.

Devilish Country Dance Party Saturday, October 31 8pm

English and contra dances appropriate to Halloween called by Peter Fricke to the music of Larry & Susan Brandt. Shepherdstown Men's Club, German & King Sts., Shepherdstown, WV. Adm.\$3..50 WMFS members \$5 nonmembers.

Jennifer Bellamy Benefit Fund

Since folksinger Peter Bellamy took his own life last year, his widow Jennifer has found herself in increasingly desperate financial straits. Myron Bretholz is therefore organizing a fund to benefit Jennifer until she can regain her financial footing. Contributions in any amount are welcome. Please make checks or money orders payable to the order of "JENNIFER BELLAMY" and send any contributions, inquiries or suggestions c/o Myron Bretholz, P.O. Box 8605, Silver Spring, MD 20907-8605. Thanks for your help.

DEADLINE FOR October Newsletter:

Monday, October 12

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

• Please use standard (8 ½ x 11") paper, so copy does not get lost.

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