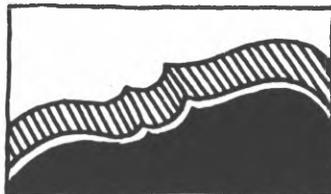


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# NEWSLETTER



## **Bermuda Quadrangle** **Friday, March 26      St. Columba's Church**

What do you get when you combine the formidable talents of **Jeff Warner, Jeff Davis, David Jones** and **Jerry Epstein**? You get *The Bermuda Quadrangle*, and FSGW gets them in a Special Event at 8:30 pm, Fri., Mar. 26, in the Great Hall at St. Columba's Church, 4201 Albemarle St. NW (near the Tenleytown Metro Station).

**Bermuda Quadrangle** is devoted to traditional songs and the traditional styles of singing. *Good old songs done the good old way!* is their motto. Accompanying themselves on guitar, banjo, concertina, fiddle, mandolin, piano, tin whistle, spoons and bones, this group of friends makes music of many kinds. Shanties and songs of the tall ships, British and American ballads, Gospel, Irish and American fiddle tunes, English Music Hall songs, and songs of the fields, mines, rivers and canals of America are the fare for this group.

**Jeff Davis** has been a full-time professional musician for over 15 years, has been on the staff of music camps and festivals, and has performed throughout the US and North America. **Jerry Epstein** has performed a wide variety of music, from classical and early music to folk and choral music. He has performed throughout North America and the British Isles, and is a scholar of folk music, whose publications include editing the *Frank and Anne Warner Collection* (Syracuse Univ., 1984). **David Jones** is one of the finest performers of English traditional songs, Music Hall songs, stories and recitations there is. He has been featured at countless concerts and festivals throughout the US, Canada and England. A seasoned performer, he has appeared in New York productions of Gilbert and Sullivan and *Of Thee I Sing*. **Jeff Warner** has been involved in traditional music since his birth, for his parents were the renowned folksong collectors Frank and Anne Warner. He has been a full-time performer for 15 years, and has been combining scholarly values with exciting and lively performing all that time.

Admission is \$8 (FSGW) & \$12 (non-members).

# FSGW SUNDAY NIGHT DANCES

## March 7th and 14th At Cherry Hill Park March 21st and 28th at Glen Echo 7:30 - 10:30 PM

The Sunday night dances will be held at Cherry Hill Park for the first two Sundays in March. After that, we will move back to our "summer" location at Glen Echo Park until the end of November. 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. Please note the PRICE CHANGE for the dances. Admission is \$6.00 for FSGW, BFMS, MMFAC, ATDS, and CDSS members, \$8.00 for non-members for the dances at Cherry Hill. When we return to Glen Echo, admission will be \$5.00 and \$7.00, respectively. NPS Golden Eagle Pass Holders and Senior Citizens will also be admitted for member prices. The Sunday night dances at Glen Echo Park in the Spanish Ballroom are held in cooperation with the National Park Service.

Directions to Cherry Hill Park:

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 BLOCK ANY TRAILER SPACE!!!

Mar 7 Local caller **Mark Elliott** will call an evening of squares and contras to the exciting music of the **Audio Snakes** from State College, PA. The Audio Snakes play music of the North and South and are Mike Rovine on fiddle, Pol Corts on mandolin and banjo, Celia Wyckoff on bass and Laura Lengick on piano. This is one hot band!!

Mar 14 You'll be "contra"ed out from the night before, so you'll definitely be ready for an evening of all squares to the highly energetic calling of **Dolores Heagy**, from Pittsburgh. Dolores hasn't been here for a couple of years, so we're definitely ready for her again! Dolores will be calling to the high-spirited music of the **Duke City String Band**, which consists of Bruce Molsky on fiddle and banjo, Dave Margolin on fiddle and banjo, John Schwab on guitar, and Kevin Enoch on bass.

Mar 21 **Back at Glen Echo!!** Celebrate St. Patrick's Day by returning to Glen Echo with the Celtic fiddling and piano playing by **Brendan Mulvihill** and **Donna Long**, with **Sue Dupre**, from Princeton, NJ, calling an evening of contras. We'll also be trying a few Irish Ceili dances! There will be a brief Ceili workshop at 7:00 (in the Bumper Car Pavilion if it's warm) and a step dance demonstration during the break with the Donegal Dancers. Come experience what's sure to be a fun evening! **Special Note:** This dance will be **FREE** to members of FSGW, for the purposes of nominations for board membership. Bring your membership card to this dance!!

Mar 28 On their spring tour away from colder climes, we are happy to welcome **Wild Asparagus**, with caller **George Marshall**. Wild Asparagus includes Susan Sternberg on fiddle, David Cantieni on winds, Ann Percival on guitar and keyboards, Sam Bartlett on a variety of fretted instruments and George Marshall on concertina and bohran.

Apr 4 **Tom Hinds** will call to the music of **The Pegheads**

**Note from the Dance Chair:** We have a lot going on this month, but I hope that you take advantage of all of it!! Don't forget the **Spring Cotillion** on Mar 13th with **Steve Zakon and Fresh Fish**. Dress up, be wild, have fun! All of the music and callers this month are top-notch, but I'd like to especially point out the Mar 14th dance with **Dolores Heagy**. The types of dances she does are done all too rarely in this area, partly because not that many callers have the kind of energy that Dolores does. Be there! Also, our first dance back at Glen Echo will be a chance for us to cross another cultural line and learn a little about Ceili dancing. My thanks to the **Washington Ceili Club** for their help in organizing this dance. I think we have a great spring shaping up! Keep those ideas coming my way! -- Nancy.

**Roger Bellow and the Drifting Troubadours  
Old-Time Country & Texas Swing  
Friday, March 12, 8:30pm.**



Roger Bellow's authentic old-time country and Western Swing sound is highly prized by fans who think "They sure don't make country music like they used to." Well, Roger Bellow & the Drifting Troubadours do, and this multi-instrumental performer will play for FSGW's Mar. 12th program at the Washington Ethical Society.

Bellow's latest Flying Fish recording, *On the Road to Prosperity*, covers the musical map with a retrospective repertoire ranging from Virginia's Carter Family to Bob Wills & the Texas Playboys. Bellow's fiddle, mandolin, banjo and guitar work is increasingly in demand both in performing and in the studio. A native of Chicago, Bellow lives in South Carolina and teaches swing guitar at the Augusta Heritage Center each summer in West Virginia. Bellow will be joined by Bob Sachs (mandolin), Moe Nelson (bass), and Al Osteen (banjo).

The Washington Ethical Society Auditorium is at 7750 16th St. N.W. at Kalmia, just two blocks from Colesville Rd. and the Maryland border. Program concerts, held the second Friday of each month, are FREE to FSGW members, including those who join at this concert. Others pay \$6 at the door. Info: FSGW Hotline 703-281-2228.

**Upcoming FSGW Programs:**

- Apr. 9 Irish Concert: Joanie Madden, Tom & Maureen Daugherty, with Zan McLeod, Capitol College, Beltsville, MD
- May 14 Double Concert: Tracy Schwarz & Ginny Hawker's classic country & gospel singing; The Renegades (James Leva, Carol Elizabeth Jones, Richie Stearns, Dave Grant) hard-driving oldtime band.

**Alistair Brown House Concert  
Friday, March 19 Chevy Chase, MD**

Scottish/Canadian singer Alistair Brown brings his bag of songs and his button accordion to an FSGW house concert at 8:30 pm, Fri., Mar. 19, at the House of Lars in Chevy Chase, MD. Alistair has been singing the old songs, and new songs written by people who like the old songs, for all his adult life. From his early days in the folk clubs of his native Scotland, to his current activity in Canada, he has been a performer, columnist, dance teacher, radio broadcaster, and folk dance camp director. He is a card-carrying member of the *Friends of Fiddlers' Green* and has appeared on records by Ian Robb, Grit Laskin and Margaret Christl.

Admission to the concert is \$5 (FSGW members) and \$8 (non-members). Call 301-208-7957 for directions to the house. Refreshments will be served.



## **Dwayne Thorpe House Concert Saturday, March 20 McLean, VA**

Blues, ballad and Gospel singer **Dwayne Thorpe**, a favorite at FSGW Getaways in the past, brings his soulful voice and marvelous storehouse of songs to a house concert at 8:30 pm, Sat., Mar. 20, at the home of Ursy Potter and Carter Hearn in nearby McLean, VA. Dwayne has one of the most distinctive voices in folk music, a growly baritone bordering on a bass, with unique overtones of smoothness that overcome the rough edges. There is no way to describe it once you've heard it. This marvelous voice and his blues-based guitar style are used to present some of the most interesting songs known anywhere. Each performance brings some new gems of song to light, but reminds us as well of the value of the old familiar ones. Chorus singing by the audience is expected at Dwayne's concerts. This coming together in song makes all, members of a very special congregation.

Admission is \$5 (FSGW) and \$8 (non-members). Refreshments will be served. Call 703- 821-1373 for directions to the Potter/Hearn house.

## **Silent Auction Donations Sought to Benefit the 17th Washington Folk Festival**

Would you like to help us keep the WFF a free festival? Use your skills and talents to make a contribution to the Silent Auction. We've already received offers of some wonderful items in response to our earlier notices, but we can still use many more in order to reach our goal of making this the best Auction yet.

We would particularly like to be able to offer more "things to do" for example, could you (or someone you know) give lessons in WordPerfect, Lotus, Windows or other popular computer programs? Or give a cooking lesson? Or give personalized instruction in the waltz, hambo, Texas Two-Step? Can you offer or suggest a brunch/lunch/dinner at your favorite restaurant? Call Sondra Wallace 301-888-9337 (eves & weekends) or Jennifer Woods 301-587-7174 (daily 10 am-10 pm) with offers, suggestions or questions.

In the May *Newsletter*, we will publish a catalogue of all auction items received by the *Newsletter* deadline. All items will remain available for bidding through the end of the Festival, Sunday, June 6.

## **Mini-Fest Thank You**

Thank you, thank you, thank you to all the folks who worked to make the Mini-Fest a great success. The most common complaint heard was "I can't make up my mind among all the things I'd like to do!" People came early, stayed late, and seemed to have a good time. All of this came about through the hard work of many volunteers whose contributions are appreciated. Thank you also to all the performers who gave generously of their time and talents.

## **LAST CHANCE FOR DANCE WEEKEND**

There may still be a few places available for single men at this year's Chesapeake Spring Dance Weekend. Remember this year's weekend will feature Tony Parkes calling New England contra and square dances to the music of the Rod Miller Band. Frank Hall will call southern square dances to the music of the Horseflies. Sandy Silva will teach clogging and body rhythms with music by Ruthie Dornfeld. Larry Weiner will teach Eastern European dances with music by Zlatne Uste, a 10-piece Balkan brass band from New York. Look for flyers at your local dance or call (202) 544-7512 or (301) 270-4483 for more information. Don't miss out.

# MORE FOLKLORE SOCIETY NEWS

## Board Meeting

**Wednesday, March 3, 8pm**

The Board's next meeting is Wed. Mar. 3 at the Art Barn in Rock Creek. Any FSGW member may attend. If you have items for the Board to consider, call Dottie Hurley 301-871-7652 or Dean Clamons 703-631-9655.

## Board Highlights

The Board met Wed. Feb. 3, in the office of Carl Mintz on Capitol Hill. Topics discussed and actions taken included:

- Dwain Winters reported on a recent fire at Glen Echo which damaged some of our equipment. (See article on p. 7)
- Carly Gewirz reported that the Minifest was very successful and thanked everyone involved, especially Dan Fox who managed the sound systems for the whole festival. Our special thanks to Carly, who chaired this event, for a job superbly done.
- We are looking for members to serve on the nominating committee and for nominees to run for offices on the new Board. Anyone interested please contact Dean Clamons, president or Dottie Hurley, secretary.

## Festival Graphic Design Competition

The WFF Coordinating Committee is soliciting designs for the 17th Annual WFF t-shirt and program book cover. A \$300 honorarium will be awarded for the chosen design. All design proposals should be received by March 15, 1993. Submissions should be sent to:

WFF Graphic Design  
% Gloria Johnson  
18435 Bishopstone Court  
Gaithersburg, MD. 20789.

For more information, call Gloria at 301-590-0479.

## Spring Sex Open Sing

**Friday, March 5, 8:30pm.**

Lisa Null has chosen "Seasonal Sex and Mayhem" for this month's open sing topic. Spring Sex (boing, boing, boing) is not a new subject though some memory refreshers may be needed among the regular participants. The open sing is in the Guild Room, Church of the Ascension Parish Hall, 630 Silver Spring Ave. (4 blocks off Georgia Ave.) in Silver Spring, MD.

## The President's Corner

Elsewhere in the Newsletter is a thank you note to all of the participants and volunteers for the Mini-Fest. I'd like to add a special thanks to Carly Gewirz who took on the job of chairing the Mini when it looked like no one else was going to do it. She and her committee put the Mini together in two months which included the Christmas holiday season. Carly and other past Mini chairs think that Mini planning should go on over at least a four month period.

Unfortunately, the Mini has a long history of being done at the last minute because no one stepped forward or agreed to be the chair. This is also true of the Getaway, some aspects of the Washington Folk Festival, and the Board of Directors. Although we can generally find people to do the work involved in organizing our events, it seems to be more and more difficult to find people to take on the responsibility of chairing our various committees. (This does not mean that all of you who have been working on committees can stop volunteering - we still need you!). We, the Board, need your help.

This brings me to my second, but related, topic. It is time to start thinking about the election of the next Board of Directors. If you are interested in running for office, please call your favorite board member.

## 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.

## Storytelling

**Saturday, March 20, 7:30pm**

Sat. Mar. 20 at 7:30pm, storytellers and listeners are invited to the home of Ralph & Margaret Chatham in Falls Church to share an evening of stories and pot luck refreshments. Call 703-698-5456 for dirs & rsvps.

## Gospel Sing

**Sunday, March 14**

The March Gospel Sing will be at the home of Peggy and Hunter Jones in Potomac, MD. Call them at 301-762-6343 for directions. Singing starts around 4:00 PM with a break for a covered dish supper and then more singing. Everyone is welcome!

**Sacred Harp Singing**  
**Sunday, March 28, 4pm.**

Our regular monthly singing will be at 4pm, preceded by a shape-note singing school at 3pm, on Mar. 28 at Ravensworth Baptist Church, 5100 Ravensworth Rd., Annandale, VA. Pot-luck dinner at 6pm. All are welcome; loaner Sacred Harp tunebooks will be available. Take Rte. 495 to Exit 5, Braddock Rd. Go east one block and turn left onto Ravensworth Rd. The church is directly on the left. For more info, call Marty Summerour at 703-354-6460 or Steven Sabol at 301-897-5274.

**4th Annual Potomac River Sacred Harp Convention**  
**April 2 - 4, 1993**

Mark your Calendars for the FSGW sponsored annual Sacred Harp singing convention meeting in Washington, D.C. in elegant halls adjacent to the Washington National Cathedral. Last year's convention was well attended and wonderful; this year's should be even stronger as interest in this music grows. Come to sing or just listen. FREE/donation.

**Fri., Apr. 2 7 to 9pm:** Shape-note singing school taught by the colorful Hugh McGraw of Georgia, head of the Sacred Harp Pub. Co., Guild Hall, St. Alban's Episcopal Church, 3001 Wisconsin Ave., N.W.

**Sat., Apr. 3 and Sun. Apr. 4, 10:30am to 4pm:** All day singings with dinner on the grounds. Hearst Hall, Natl. Cathedral School, Wisconsin Ave. & Woodley Rd., N.W. Also Sat. evening social in Bethesda.

Direct inquiries as follows: For info, flyers, and much desired offers of volunteer labor, call Steven Sabol at 301-897-5274 or Bob Hall and Ella Wilcox at 703-204-1532. For child care, call Ella Wilcox before March 28. For food coordination, call Karen Foley at 703-591-1774. For housing call Kacy Woodard at 703-709-0543.

**1993 FSGW Spring Contra Cotillion**  
**Saturday, March 13, 8pm**

Celebrate the arrival of Spring with an elegant evening of Contra & Couple Dances to the music of one of New England's hottest bands, FRESH FISH with calling by STEVE ZAKON.

The Dance this year is at the Leland Center in Bethesda. There may still be room. Festive attire is encouraged and refreshments will be served.

For more information call Tom Harris at 301-588-1388 or John Nolan at 301-270-2826.

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

The FSGW English country dance meets weekly on Wednesdays at 8pm at the Church of the Ascension, 633 Sligo Ave, Silver Spring, MD. Parking and entry are easier from Silver Spring Ave. Open to dancers of all experience levels. Members \$4, nonmembers \$5.

- Mar 3** David Macemon calling with music by Elke Baker and David Wiesler.
- Mar 10** Brad Saylor calls as Liz Donaldson and David Mann provide the music.
- Mar 17** Celebrate St. Patrick's day with *Irish Lamentation* and other dances played by Francine Krasowska and Howard Markham, as Diane Schmit calls English country dances that harken to an Hibernian heritage.
- Mar 24** Cynthia Stenger calls to music played by Malcolm Stephens and Allen Stairs.
- Mar 31** Rich Galloway calling with music by *Some Assembly Required*—Paul Miller, Mary Flora Corletta and Donna Boylan.

Directions: From the Beltway (I-495), go south on GA Ave. (Rt. 97) thru downtown Silver Spring. Just before the WGAY building, turn left at the firehouse onto Silver Spring Ave. Continue a few blocks until you see the church on the right, just across from East Silver Spring Elementary. From DC, north on GA Ave. and turn right on Silver Spring Ave., just past the WGAY building. Metro: Call in advance and we'll see that you get a lift! Info: Norm Bernhardt 301-320-2469 or Rich Galloway 301-589-0939.

**1993 FSGW MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY**

On March 1, the new 1993 edition of the FSGW Membership Directory will be available. It may only be purchased by members. The price is \$5 at concerts and other events and \$6 by mail. This is essentially the cost of printing and mailing. FSGW makes no profit on the directory. To order by mail, send your request and a check made out to FSGW to:

FSGW Membership  
 307 Broadleaf Drive, N.E.  
 Vienna, VA 22180

P.S. We would like to have directories available at dances as well as concerts however, we need someone willing to sell them. If you are interested, please call the Membership Chair, Dolores Nichols at (703)938-4564 evenings or weekends. Thanks!

**Weekend of Workshops & Dances  
with Richard Powers  
April 23 - 24, 1993**

Richard Powers' recent vintage dance research at Stanford University, CA has focused on reconstructions of sequenced tangos, waltzes, and saunters (fox-trots) that were done in England in the early part of the 20th century. He will be introducing some of them at an informal dance/workshop on Fri. evening and at a Sat. afternoon workshop. He assures us they are easy and fun! Sat. morning he will teach waltz and mazurka variations, including those that can be done by less experienced dancers. The weekend will also include a ball Sat. evening featuring both 19th and 20th century dances to music by Devil Among the Taylors. All events will take place at Sternberg Auditorium at Walter Reed Army Medical Center in D.C. If you received our red Inaugural Ball Flyer in December, you will receive a registration form with details on the Powers weekend this month. If you are not on our mailing list, send a postcard with your name and address to: Capital Vintage Dance Society, 403 G. St. N.E., Washington, D.C. 20002, and we'll mail you a registration form. Please do not phone us for a flyer. For more info. call Anita at 301-565-0104.

**FSGW Washington Spring Ball  
Saturday, April 10**

The FSGW English country dance Washington Spring Ball will take place on Sat. Apr. 10 at the Leland Community Recreation Center in Bethesda. Music will be provided by the Findhorn Trio (Marty Taylor, Liz Donaldson and Malcom Stephens). Dancers are expected to be familiar with the dances; dance masters will give brief reminders but will not prompt the dances. Admission is by prior reservation only. Space is limited. Flyers are available at local English country dances. For more info or to receive an application call 301-589-0939.



**Fire Strikes FSGW Festival Storage at Glen Echo**

On Jan. 31st, a fire broke out behind the storage and workshop area of Glen Echo Park used by Washington Folk Festival and the Washington Irish Festival. No one was injured. The damage was significant to both the building and to the festival equipment. The storage area, known to many as Sawdust Awareness, is used in the off-season to house much of the equipment, supplies and tools used by both festivals. The damage included about half of the staging and stage hardware, virtually all of the stage banners, our telephone system and most of the new tent sides.

On Mon., Feb. 1st, several members of the operations staff from both of FSGW and GWCC took the day off from their jobs to help in the salvage effort. The following weekend work began to stabilize and restore the building.

We hope to complete repairs to the building and get back to normal festival preparations by the end of March. Anyone interested in assisting with recovery from the fire or festival preparations should contact Ruth Jenkins, Volunteer Coordinator, 301-608-0433.

The Fire Marshall has ruled that the fire was an accident resulting from children playing with matches. Festival and FSGW officers are working with our insurance company to see if any of our losses are covered.

**FSGW Upcoming Events:**

Sat. Apr. 3 Jamie Watson, house concert, location TBA

Fri. Apr. 9 monthly program -- Irish Musicians

Fri. Apr. 23 Carla Sciaky, house concert, location TBA

Fri. Apr. 30 Bob Franke, Church of the Ascension, 633 Sligo Ave., Silver Spring, MD

**Coming in June:** Friday, June 25 -- **John McCutcheon** -- Co-sponsored with University of Maryland Summer Music Series

## A R O U N D T O W N

### Institute of Musical Traditions Concerts Series

#### Capitol College, Laurel, MD.

The Institute of Musical Traditions Winter Concert Series is being held at Capitol College Auditorium, 11301 Springfield Rd., Laurel, MD. Most concerts start at 8:30pm & light refreshments will be available courtesy of *Dessert First, Because Life is Uncertain*. Admission is \$12 unless otherwise specified. For advance ticket info, please call the House of Musical Traditions at 301-270-9090.

Sat. Mar. 6 Garnet Rogers

Sat. Mar. 13 Ceoltoiri and Connemara

Sat. Mar. 27 Fred Small

Special Sunday Evening Show: Mar. 21, 7pm: David Roth.

### House of Musical Traditions Workshops

**Sat. Mar 6**, 3-5yrs. 9:15am 6-8yrs 10:30am Childrens wksp: Stream Ohrstrom \$35. **Tues. Mar 23**, 7pm Inter/Adv Clawhammer banjo: Cathy Fink \$20 Enrollment: 15. **Mon. Mar 22**, 7pm Swing Rhythm Guitar #2: Marcy Marxer. \$20/ Enrollment: 15. **Sat. Mar 27**, 2:30pm Songwriting Wksp: Eric Butz. \$25. **Sats. Mar 27, Apr 3, 10**, 1pm Beginning Guitar Group Lessons \$37.50 Info: 301-270-9090.

Note: Preregistration & payment is required for all wksp. Payment may be made in person or through the mail by check (payable to HMT). Payment may be made by charge card for an additional \$1 fee. Space will only be held when payment is received. Participants should feel free to bring a small battery operated tape recorder and blank tape.

### Cajun Fiddle Workshop

#### Saturday, March 6, 2pm

Matt Haney is the fiddler/steel player with the Minneapolis Cajun band *The Bone Tones*. He also plays fiddle with the Annapolis based band *Dr. Bubba's Cajun Aces*. Workshop fee \$15. Location is Takoma Park, MD. For directions & more information call 301-270-2586.

### Ensemble Galilei

#### Saturday, March 6, 7:30pm Sunday, March 7, 7pm

#### Friday, March 12, 8pm

For the final concerts of the season, Ensemble Galilei will present Music of the British Isles with a few whimsical surprises from the north.. **Sat. Mar. 6** Trinity Cathedral, 314 North St. Easton, MD. \$10 general, \$7 students/seniors. Info call 410-822-1931. **Sun. Mar. 7** McDowell Hall, St. John's College, Annapolis, MD. \$10 general, \$7 students/seniors. Info call 410-263-2371 x239 **Fri. Mar. 12** Lyceum, Alexandria, VA \$10 general, \$7 students/seniors. For info call 410-268-3394.

### Folk Masters

#### Barns of Wolf Trap

Fridays and Saturdays March 5 to April 10 at 8pm. Discover the musical heritage of America through this concert and radio series at the Barns of Wolf Trap, 1635 Trap Rd. Vienna, VA. Tickets \$15 available through ProTix 703-218-6500 or selected Woodies stores or at the Barns 703-255-1851. Info call 703-938-2404.

Fri. Mar. 5 Masters of the Folk Guitar: Seamus Connolly with Ken Smith, Johnny Gimble

Sat. Mar. 6 Guitar Wizards: Pennington, Warner Williams and Bucky Pizzarelli

Fri. Mar. 12 The Blues: Pianomen, String Bands and the Texas Jump Sound; (Henry Townsend, Howard Armstrong and Nat Reese, T. D. Bell, Erbie Bowser and Mel Davis

Sat. Mar. 13 Bal De Maison: French American Music and Dance (General Admission Dance), Maine French fiddlers, Steve Riley and the Mamou Playboys

Fri. Mar. 19 Asian American Music from China, Laos, and VietNam, Zhentian Zhang, Nguyen Dinh Nghia and family

Sat. Mar.20 Banjo Breakdown: Carroll Best, Leroy Troy and Abner Jay, Mick Maloney and Seamus Egan with James Keane, Ralph Stanley and The Clinch Mountain Boys

Fri. Mar. 26 American Indian Music: Songs, drums and Fiddles, Young Nation Singers, Lee Cremo, Kingfisher Family

Sat. Mar. 27 Puncher, Paniolo and Vaquero: Cowboys songs and poetry from Texas, Hawaii and New Mexico Buck Ramsey, Haleamau Family, Johnny Whelan

### Billy B. The Natural Science Song and Dance Man

#### Saturday, March 6, 11am and 1pm

Sat. Mar. 6 at 11am and 1pm, Friends Community School will present Billy B. in two shows for families and children at the First United Methodist Church, 6201 Belcrest Rd. Hyattsville, MD (1 block south of East West Highway and Adelphi Rd.). \$4 advance, \$5 at the Door. Tickets may be purchased at House of Musical Traditions 301-270-9090, Leaps and Bounds Dance Studio 301-864-8595 or by mail order % K. Hennessey, 6904 Sycamore Ave. Takoma Park, MD 20912 or call 301-270-5399.

**Washington Storytellers Theatre****Saturday, March 6, 11am**

Storytelling concert for ages 5 - 105 with Ann E. Mesritz. Washington Ethical Society, 7750 16th St. N.W. (corner of Kalmia & 16th St.). Tickets \$5 ages 12 and up \$3.50 ages 11 and under. For info call 202-625-6496 or 703-549-6657.

**Saturday, March 13, 8pm**

Storytelling concert for adults with Donald Davis Washington Ethical Society, 7750 16th St. N.W. (corner of Kalmia & 16th Sts.). Tickets \$10 general \$7 students/seniors. Reserved seating and further info call 202-625-6496 or 703-549-6657.

**Saturday, March 27, 8pm**

Storytelling concert for adults with Laura Simms Washington Ethical Society, 7750 16th St. N.W. (corner of Kalmia & 16th Sts.). Tickets \$10 general \$7 students/seniors. For info 202-625-6496 or 703-549-6657.

**Sunday, March 28, 1pm**

Storytelling workshop with Laura Simms \$70. Location: TBA. Registration is limited. For further info call Ann Mesritz 703-549-6657.

**Poetry Reading with Traditional Irish Music****Sunday, March 7, 4pm**

The William Butler Yeats Society has a program of poetry reading and traditional Irish Music at the Irish Times Tavern Suite B, 14 F. St. N.W. D.C. Sun. Mar. 7, 4pm. Music by Rolling Scones with Matt Shortbridge, Tom Curtin, Jennifer & Josh Culley. \$5 donation. For info call Tim James 301-589-5614, or Robert Hickey 703-978-8265.

**Cape Breton Scottish Fiddle Workshop****Sunday, March 7, 2pm**

The Potomac Valley Scottish Fiddling Club invites all those interested to a workshop on the Cape Breton style of Scottish fiddle playing. The workshop will be given by Elke Baker and will be held from 2 to 5pm on Sun. Mar. 7 at the home of Alice Markham, 1665 Parkcrest Circle, Apt.200, Reston, VA. There will be a modest charge for the workshop. Space is limited, so call Alice at 703-709-9121 to make sure space is available and to get directions.

**Masters of the Steel String Guitar****Sunday, March 14, 3pm**

"Masters of the Steel String Guitar" presents six of the world's finest guitarists in concert on Sun. Mar. 14 at 3pm in Tawes Auditorium located on the University of Maryland campus. The program features rockabilly ace, Ray Flacke; dobro wizard, Jerry Douglas; jazz legend Cal Collins; Hawaiian slack-key master, Ledward Kaapana; Appalachian super picker, Wayne Henderson and D.C.'s own premier bluesman, John Cephas with Phil Wiggins. \$15 at Ticket Place (GWU), House of Musical Traditions (Takoma Park), Guitar Shop (Dupont Circle), Old Town Music (Alexandria), Olsen's Records (Bethesda & Dupont Circle) or by calling NCTA 301-565-0654 for Visa or MasterCard.

**Seamus Connolly and Zan McLeod****St. Patrick's Day Concert****Wednesday, March 17, 8pm**

Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with Seamus Connolly, master fiddler and Zan McLeod, guitar wizard at the beautiful Alden Theatre in McLean, VA. The Alden Theatre offers free parking and is conveniently located just off Rte. 123 near the Capitol Beltway and I-66. Seamus and Zan will celebrate St. Patrick's Day with traditional Irish instrumental and vocal music as well as stepdancing. Special guests include Grace Griffith and Jean Denney. Call 703-573-7328 for tickets and 301-652-3765 for information.

**Live .... from National Geographic**

The National Geographic Society's series of illustrated lectures, films, and live performances will present a number of musicians and storytellers during the month of March. All events take place at the Society's Gilbert H. Grosvenor Auditorium, 1600 M. St. N.W. at 8pm. Tickets may be purchased at the National Geographic Society Ticket Office, 1600 M. St. N.W. Mon-Fri 9am to 5pm. or by calling 202-857-7700.

Wed. Mar. 17 Altan: Music from Ireland. Tickets \$10, \$12, and \$15 Children 12 and under \$6 and \$7.50

Wed. Mar. 24 Tom Wisner: Songs and stories of the Chesapeake. Tickets \$8 and \$10 Children 12 and under \$5

Wed. Mar. 31 Bill Harley offers his unique & hilarious views on the American educational system, homework, & world geography. \$10 and \$12, Children 12 and under \$6.

**Carey Creed Album Release Concert****Saturday, March 20, 7:30pm**

Carey Creed will perform songs from her first album *Plum Branch* Sat. Mar. 20 at 7:30pm. Tom Prasada-Rao will open the show. All Soul's Episcopal Church, Connecticut and Cathedral Aves. N.W. Washington, D.C. \$5. For info call 703-549-7185.

**Fintan Vallely****Sunday, March 21, 3pm**

The Gaelic League of Washington and the Irish American Cultural Institute present Irish musician Fintan Vallely in a talk/performance entitled *When Irish Eyes are Scathing* on Sun. Mar. 21 at 3pm. at the School of International Studies Lounge at American University in Washington, D.C. Admission \$6. For info call 301-864-2385.

**Mill Run Dulcimer Band****Sunday, March 21, 1pm**

The Mill Run Dulcimer Band will perform a concert of old time sentimental music at Colvin Run Mill Park, on Rte 7. 1-4pm. For info call 703-759-2771.

**American Sampler Series****National Museum of American History****Friday, March 26, 12pm Saturday, March 27, 2pm**

American Sampler Series presents programs of cowboy songs & poetry of New Mexico on Fri. Mar. 26 at noon and Sat. Mar. 27 at 2pm in the Carmichael Auditorium. The programs will feature cowboy poet & singer Buck Ramsey & his band; Rex Reed; Johnny Whelan, his son Luther and daughter Andrea; & poet Virginia Bennett. FREE. Info 202-357-4182.

**Dunloggin Pipes and Drums****Saturday, March 27, 7:30pm**

The Dunloggin Pipes and Drums presents its 11th Annual Concert featuring Scottish and Irish entertainment at Hammond High School, Guilford Rd. (near intersection of Rte 32 and Broken Land Parkway), Columbia, MD. on Sat. Mar. 27 at 7:30pm. Featured performers will include Ceoltoiri, Catherine Fisher School of Highland Dancing and O'Neill-James School of Irish Dancing. Dunloggin Pipes and Drums will open and close the concert. Advance tickets before Mar. 20th are \$8. At the door tickets will be \$10. For info call Bob Mitchell at 410-381-4815.

**WETA FM 91 Celebrates the 20th Anniversary of TRADITIONS hosted by Mary Cliff****Sunday, March 28, 8pm**

Join the celebration with special guests the Rankin Family at the Birchmere, 3901 Mt. Vernon Ave., Alexandria, VA., Sun. Mar. 28 at 8pm. Tickets \$12 available at Ticketmaster 202-432-7328 and 1-800-551-7328. Limited seating. Call the Birchmere to confirm 703-549-5919.

**Women's History Month Celebration****Sunday, March 28, 2pm**

The Smithsonian Institution will be honoring Women's History Month with a musical celebration on Sun. Mar. 28 from 2 - 4pm. in the Carmichael Auditorium, National Museum of American History. Featured will be *Blues Works* with Judy Luis, Paul Watson and Mike Gorham and Tracy McDonnell and the *Estrogenics*. FREE.

**Capitol Area Bluegrass & Old-Time Music Assn. (CABOMA)**

Jams, learners' sessions, song swaps; 2nd & 4th Sunday of every month, 2-6pm, other activities as scheduled. CABOMA is a membership organization, but visitors are welcome to come and try us out. Beginners to advanced welcome. Lyon Park Community Center at N Fillmore St & Pershing Dr, Arlington, VA. For info call 703-549-2594

**Celtic Concert Series****Old Brogue, Great Falls, VA**

The Old Brogue Irish Pub of Great Falls, VA is presenting two Sunday evening concerts of traditional Celtic music in the Snuggery (dining room). Featuring prominent Celtic musicians from the local area, these concerts are performed by the fireside in a comfortable, SMOKE-FREE pub atmosphere and where audiences are requested to be quiet. The Concerts are Mar. 7 & Mar. 14 with two sittings each evening, the first from 5-6:30 P.M. and the second from 7-8:30 P.M. Adm \$6 is by ticket only. Reservations may be made in advance from the Old Brogue (703)-759-3309. Full dinner menu available. Space is limited advance booking is recommended.

Mar. 7 Ironweed.

Mar. 14 IONA.

Directions: 495 to exit 13 (Georgetown Pike, Rte 193), west 6 miles to the second light at Walker Road in Great Falls, VA. To get to the Old Brogue turn at the second entrance to the Village Centre just past the light. For info & tickets, call 703-759-3309.

**Indonesian Music****Gamelan Society of Washington, D.C.**

The Gamelan Society (GSW) invites you to learn to play music of the Javanese gamelan (classical xylophone and gong orchestra of Indonesia). Beginners are welcome. FREE. GSW practices weekly on a full set of genuine instruments under the instruction of a master musician from Java. GSW is a non-profit local community organization with a multicultural membership. Interested persons should contact GSW at 301-585-7601.



**Irish Festival moves to Wolf Trap**

The 17th annual Irish Folk Festival will be held on Sunday, May 30, 1993 at Wolf Trap Farm Park from 12 noon to 5pm. with the evening concert in the Filene Center, hosted by Fiona Ritchie, at 8pm.

The daytime program includes 6 performance stages, dance workshops, craft demonstrations and sales, with performances by The Sharon Shannon Band, Canada's Rankin Family Band, Cherish the Ladies, Celtic Thunder, Seamus Connolly, Scartaglen from Kansas, Robbie O'Connell, the Fiddle Puppets, John Whelan and the Kips Bay Ceili Band, Mick Moloney and Eugene O'Donnell, Seamus Egan and Eileen Ivers, Tom Doherty, Wild Geese, Billy McComiskey and Ellis Island, Tommy Sands, Chicago's John Williams and Martin Hayes, Brendan Mulvihill and Donna Long, Noel Rice and Baal Tinne, plus step dancers Donny Golden, Regan Wick, Kevin Broesler, Linnane Wick, Sheila Ryan, Eileen Golden and Dierdre Goulding.

The evening concert, emceed by Fiona Ritchie, host of Public Radio's *The Thistle and Shamrock*, and will feature Ireland's top two traditional bands, Altan and The Sharon Shannon Band, Canada's #1 Celtic/Folk band, The Rankin Family and the All-Star Irish-American ensemble, Green Fields of America with Mick Moloney, eight world-champion stepdances and special guests Robbie O'Connell and Tommy Sands.

The decision to relocate the Festival at Wolf Trap was based on the need to insure the future financial viability of the Festival by moving to a site that allowed an admission charge.

Although the Irish Festival is moving to Wolf Trap, the interdependent relationship of the Irish and Washington Folk Festivals, fostered over the past decade, will continue and FSGW members will be offered the same special advanced sale prices available to Ceili Club members.

	Member Price	Wolf Trap Price
Adult Day/Eve	\$12	not available
Adult Day	\$ 8	\$12
Adult Eve.Res.	\$ 8	\$14
Child (12 under)		
Day only	\$ 2	\$ 3
Child Combined		
Day/Eve	\$ 8	not available

Make checks payable to IRISH FESTIVAL COMMITTEE and mail to Irish Festival Tickets, % Neil Beskin, 5225 Pooks Hill Rd. #1827N, Bethesda, MD. 20814. For further info call 301-493-5857.

## LOCAL CLUB VENUES

### Music Americana Showcases at Suzanne's Tuesday, March 2, 8pm.

Music Americana presents a monthly showcase featuring Nancy Moran & Fett, Margie Rylett, Reuben Musgrave and the Doris Justis Trio. Hosted by Dick Cerri. Suzanne's 9116 Rothbury Dr. Gaithersburg, MD. Adm. \$5. For info: call 301-990-0995.

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

Open mike with a 3-song limit. \$1 cover. Member Showcase 1st Tuesday. Tommy Sands Mar 2. \$10/8 members. Located at Tortilla Factory, 648 Elden St. Herndon, VA. For info: 703-473-7766, 703-573-6855. Smoke-free venue.

### Second Annual Grand Opening Open Door Alexandria, VA First Saturdays of the Month

The Open Door is open again! The popular Alexandria coffeehouse will celebrate its Second Annual Grand Opening on Sat. Mar. 6 at 8pm. The Open Door is located in the social hall of Fairlington United Methodist Church, 3900 King St., Alexandria, VA. Tracy McDonnell & the Estrogenics and Terri Bocklund & Jeff Frawley will be the musical guests. Eileen Joyner and Terry Lewis will host.

### Folkal Point Thursdays at 8pm.

Located at Coho Grill, Hobbit's Glen Golf Club, 11130 Willow Bottom Dr., Columbia, MD. Doors open at 7:15pm. 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.

Mar 4 Doris Justis Trio  
Mar 11 Sue Trainor, Record Release Event  
Mar 18 Neal & Leandra and Michael Jerling  
Mar 25 Cross Country

### First Saturday Coffeehouse Saturday, March 6, 8pm

Sue Trainor, Ironweed and Doris Justis will perform at All Souls Episcopal Church, 2300 Cathedral Ave. N.W. (just east of Conn. Ave.). Adm. \$6. For info call 202-232-4244.

### Klezmer Club Holiday Inn Chevy Chase 1st and 3rd Sundays

Machaya Klezmer Band will offer a concert, dancing and a singalong on Sun. Mar 7 and Sun. Mar 21 from 7-9pm at the Holiday Inn Chevy Chase.

**Bagels and Ballads Coffeehouses**

**Wed. Mar. 10** Iona will perform at Fairfax Chesapeake Bakery, 9548D Main St. Fairfax, VA. 8pm Cover \$5.

**Wed. Mar. 17** Double Bill: Rob Guttenberg and Margie Rylatt will perform at Springfield Chesapeake Bakery, 8420 Old Keene Mill Rd. Springfield, VA. 7:30pm. Opening act Dierdre Murphy. Cover \$7.

**Kalorama Cafe****Monday Nights**

Kalorama Cafe, 2228 18th St. N.W. D.C. will present Georgian Nights Mar 1 through Mar 31. Georgian & Russian music with guitarist Temur Tsaguria from Tbilisi & Georgian food. \$4 for music. For info call 202-667-1022.

**Silver Spring Showcase****Tuesday, March 16, 8pm**

This monthly showcase, hosted by Sligo Creek and featuring local folk performers in an attentive setting, will be the 3rd Tuesday of each month in a great new location: Suzanne's American Kitchen in Gaithersburg, 9116 Rothbury Dr. in Goshen Plaza. Featuring in the new listening room in March: Tom Prasado-Rao, Folk in the Road (Jerry Bressee & Steve Iorio) and Roger Himler. \$4 cover. Suzanne's info 301-990-0995. Sligo Creek info/bookings 301-589-2265.

**Music Americana Showcases****Wednesday, March 17, 8pm**

Music Americana presents a monthly Showcase of national and regional folk music performers at Bad Habits, 5444 Columbia Pike, Arlington, VA. Adm. \$5 Info: 702-998-5808. Adm. \$5 Third Wed. of the month. Wed. Mar. 17, 8pm Connemara, Neal & Leandra, Rachel Polisher, Tom Vincent and Take Two. Dick Cerri is host and emcee. For info call 703-998-5808.

**Folk Alley****Saturday, March 20, 8pm**

Folk Alley is a coffeehouse located in the Silver Spring Presbyterian Church, 580 University Blvd, Silver Spring, MD. Sat. Mar 20 Cornucopia and Greg Latta will appear. Adm. \$8. Smoke free venue. Info: 202-686-9210.



## 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 Friday Night Dancers welcome you back to the Spanish Ballroom at Glen Echo Park on MacArthur Boulevard for the Spring 1993 season! Friday Night Dancers sponsor contra dances (and some square dances as well) every Friday night. The dance begins at 8:30. The admission price is \$5 unless otherwise noted. A four-week series of classes for beginning dancers starts on March 5 at 7:30 PM. The cost of the series is \$12 and does not include admission to the dances. Because these lessons are progressive, participants should plan to start the series only on the first Friday of the month, and to attend all four classes. For more info about the classes or dance, call Hotline at 301-270-1678.

If you are interested in volunteering to help with various necessary but fun tasks involved in producing the Friday Night dances, please call Betsy Platt at 202-547-6419.

Mar 5 Alexander's Reel-time Band with Dan O'Connell

Mar 12 Open Band / caller TBA

Mar 19 John O'Laughlin's Irish Band with Ted Crane

Mar 26 Wild Asparagus with George Marshall

**English Ritual Dance****1st & 3rd Wednesdays, March 3 & 17, 8-9:30pm**

The CDSS Northern Virginia Dance Group is sponsoring a workshop in English long sword, open to both men and women at any dance level. Attendance does not require commitment to a team! Taught by Barbara Harding; recorded music. \$3. N/P. Harding Hall, 730 Jackson, Herndon VA. 703-437-3615. We are looking for individuals qualified to teach Morris dance at Harding Hall. Interested? Call Howard or Pat 703-471-0629.

**Clogging at Bad Habits Grille****Thursday, March 4 & 25, 8:30-11:30pm**

Clogging in the Washington DC area has resumed in a new location! Come to the Clog Palace at the Bad Habits Grille, 5444 Columbia Pike, Arlington VA, where a LIVE band will play old-time music for free-style clogging. Usually every other Thursday night (but this month is an exception) from 8:30-11:30pm. Admission: \$4. Info: Bruce Molsky 703-276-9525 or Julie Mangin 301-495-0082.

Mar 4

Mark Campbell from Richmond VA

Mar 25

TBA



**WACZA Cajun and Zydeco Dances****1st and 3rd Fridays, March 5 & 19, 8:30-11:30pm**

New!!! Beginning this month, the Washington Area Cajun and Zydeco Association (WACZA) will sponsor dances every first and third Friday at Cherry Hill Park, 9800 Cherry Hill Road, College Park, MD. All dances will be preceded by a dance workshop at 7:30. N/E, N/P. Admission, including the workshop, will be \$8 unless otherwise specified. Info: 301-937-2806 or 703-931-5837.

Mar 5 Dr. Bubba and the Cajun Aces; Cajun dance workshop taught by Coco Glass.

Mar 19 Squeeze Bayou; Cajun dance wksp taught by Mike Hart

**Sunshine Skiffle Band****Saturday, March 6 & 20, 8:30pm**

At Jacque's Cafe, 4001 N. Fairfax Drive, Arlington VA, 703-528-8500. Classic skiffle music for your listening and dancing pleasure. The Skiffle Band has a CD named *Beat It, Blow It, Strum It, Hum It!* on the Flying Fish Label. Band info: 202-363-6325.

**Reston Contra Dance****Saturday, March 6, 8-11pm**

Michael Schectman will be the caller and June Apple will be the band for the Reston Contra Dance on Sat. Mar. 6 from 8-11pm. All levels welcome, no partner needed. \$4.50. Beginners' workshop by Dan Wilson, 7pm, \$1.50. Reston Community Center, 2210 Colts Neck Rd, Reston VA. Info: Alice Markham 703-709-9121.

**Special Traditional Cajun Dance Party****Saturday, March 6, 9pm-midnight**

Music for this special event will be provided by Ken Smith (fiddle), Paul Dagle (accordion), and Mark Lashele (guitar)--three of Louisiana's finest traditional Cajun musicians. The evening will begin at 8pm with an intermediate/advanced workshop. This unusual workshop will feature several local dance instructors, who will take turns showing you their fanciest moves. Location: Synergy Dance Center, 4321 Wisconsin Avenue. Please carry in dance shoes and change inside. Info: 301-937-2806 or 703-931-5837

**Washington Swing Dance Committee****Saturdays, March 6 & 13, 9pm-midnight**

The Washington Swing Dance Committee (WSDC) is going to get a jump on this mild weather and hope that Mother Nature cooperates when they return to Glen Echo for their *Saturday Nite Swing Dance Series* this month. Both events start with a beginning swing workshop at 8pm followed by dancing from 9pm-midnight. All events are still only \$7. Info: WSDC Hotline 301-340-9732

Mar 6 Tom Principato & his band

Mar 13 The Dukes of Destiny - *Philly R & B*

**Gammaldans****1st Saturday, March 6, 8-10:30pm**

Traditional Scandianvian couple turning dances, music by Peascods Gathering, at TPIS. N/E, N/P. \$4. Info: Carl Minkus 301-493-6281, Dick Atlee 703-522-2769, Faith Coddington 301-762-4541.

**DC Metro Nurse-Midwives****2nd Annual Fundraising Square Dance****Sunday, March 7, 2-5pm**

The DC Metro Nurse-Midwives 2nd Annual Fundraising Square Dance will take place at the Durant Community Center, 1605 Cameron Street, Alexandria VA, on Sun., Mar. 7, from 2-5pm. Music by Tanglefoot; calling by Karen Besser. Admission \$12.50 individual; \$25 family. Info: Janet Riordan 301-530-6887.

**English Country Dance****2nd & 4th Tuesdays, March 9 & 23, 7:45-10pm**

The CDSS Northern Virginia Dance Group is expanding to offer an English and Early American country dance workshop. Open to both beginning and experienced dancers, the workshop will give attention to dance phrasing and style; figures will be taught as needed. Music by Howard Markham and friends. Calling by Pat Ruggiero and Howard Markham, with occasional guests. N/P. \$3. Harding Hall, 730 Jackson, Herndon, VA. Musicians interested in playing or sitting in, contact Howard 703-883-5731 (w). Other questions, call Howard or Pat 703-471-0629 (h).

**Buffalo Nickel Band****Saturday, March 13 & 27, 8:30pm**

At Jacque's Cafe, 4001 N. Fairfax Drive, Arlington VA, 703-528-8500. Western Swing and '30s and '40's dance music in an authentic style, featuring Tom Mindte, Chance Shiver, Pete Hinz, and Marv & Kathy Reitz. Modestly-priced French and North African cuisine, extensive beer and wine list, dance floor, no cover or minimum. Band info: 301-869-7485.

**English Country Dance****2nd & 4th Saturdays, March 13 & 27, 8:15-10:45pm**

Music by Peascods Gathering, calling by Barbara Harding and Gwynne Griswold at Sligo Middle School, 1401 Dennis Avenue, 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.

**Hungarian Folk Dance Party****Saturday, March 13, 7:30-10:30pm**

The Tisza Ensemble will hold its monthly Tanchaz, or folk dance party, on Sat., Mar. 13, at Leaps & Bounds Dance Studio on 7215-B Baltimore Blvd, off Route 1, in College Park MD. Tanchaz starts promptly at 7:30 with a 45-minute basic-level teaching session. Request dancing to live and recorded music follows. The basic steps of most of the request dances will be taught by Tisza members in teaching circles during each dance. We encourage you to bring food or drink for the snack table (beer and wine are permitted). Please bring dance shoes or other comfortable footwear that will not scratch or mark the dance floor. Admission: \$4 (\$3 Tisza members). Info: 301-649-6431.

**Northern Virginia Ceili****Saturday, March 13, 8pm-midnight**

Irish Ceili (dance) with the Bogwonderers Ceili Band (Tabby Finch, Jessie Winch, Joe De Zam & Bill Whitman) at the John Wood Municipal Center, 3730 Old Lee Hwy, Fairfax VA. Route 495 to Route 50 West; 3 miles to Fairfax Circle, 1.5 miles South on Old Lee Highway to Wood Center (on right). Free dance instruction at 7:30pm by Maureen Donellan James TCRG; dance from 8pm-midnight. Adults \$7; children 6-16 \$3; under 6 FREE. Maximum family charge \$15. Free refreshments. Info: Bob Hickey 703-978-8265.

**Attention Callers & Dancers****Sunday, March 14, 5:30pm**

We need you to assist area callers practice calling, teaching, and trying out dances (contras and squares). Input from dancers and other callers is invaluable!! Volunteer musicians solicited; otherwise tapes will be used. Cherry Hill Conference Center, College Park MD. No admission charge. Donations will be solicited for musicians. Sun., Mar. 14, 5:30pm, prior to FSGW Sunday Night Dance. Info: Tupence Blackwell 703-379-2992 or Ann Fallon 410-268-0231.

**Cajun Jam and Dance Party****Sunday, March 14, 2-6pm**

If you've ever wanted to try your hand at Cajun music, here's your chance! Or if you just can't get enough Cajun dance, come ready to boogie. Beginner musicians and dancers welcome. At 101 N. Columbus St., Alexandria VA. \$5 admission will go towards purchasing a sound system for WACZA's Friday night Cajun/Zydeco dances. Info: 301-937-2806 or 703-931-5837.

**Greater Washington Ceili Dance****Sunday, March 14, 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 non-GWCC members; \$4 for members. Info: 202-547-2923.

**The New HOTS Ragtime Orchestra****Friday, March 19, 8-11:30pm**

The New HOTS Ragtime Orchestra continues its series of ballroom dances on Fri., Mar. 19, from 8-11:30pm at Fairfax City's Old Town Hall, corner of Main and University, Fairfax VA. Admission is \$10 per person. Partners are not required. Singles \$2 discount. Dress is semi-formal (coat and tie for men, cocktail dresses for ladies). Herb Fredricksen dance workshops between sets. Info: Jack Elder 703-264-9891.

**Zydeco Dance****John Delafosse and the Eunice Playboys****Saturday, March 20, 9pm-midnight**

Enjoy the rural Opelousas Saturday evening atmosphere of Slim's Y-Ki-Ki Club and come dance to traditional zydeco music with the unique modern sound of John Delafosse and the Eunice Playboys in the Spanish Ballroom at Glen Echo Park, MacArthur Blvd. at Goldsboro Road, Glen Echo MD. Beginner zydeco dance workshop taught by Michael Hart and Sharon Schiliro from 8-9pm. Dance: 9pm-midnight. Admission \$10 includes workshop and dance. Info: 301-309-0895. Sponsored by Crawfish Productions in cooperation with the National Park Service.

**Beaux Arts Costume Ball****Saturday, March 20, 8pm-midnight**

Ballroom dancing with the New HOTS Ragtime Orchestra from 8pm-midnight on Sat. Mar. 20, in the Forest Glen Ballroom, Walter Reed Annex, Linden Lane off Georgia Avenue, Silver Spring MD. Dress is costume--a la beaux arts, or formal--tuxedos, dark suits, ball gowns. Admission \$10 per person. Partners not required. Singles discount of \$2. Herb Fredericksen dance workshops between sets. Info: Jack Elder, 703-264-9891.

**Scandia DC****3rd Saturday, March 20, 7-10:15pm**

Scandinavian couple dancing the 3rd Saturday monthly at TPIS. Dancing 7-10:15pm; teaching 7:30-8:30pm (basics 7:10-7:30pm). A lively Swedish dance with a lift, Slängpolska från Torp, will be taught; N/P; some live and some recorded music. \$4. Teachers: Linda Brooks & Ross Schipper. Info: Linda 202-333-2826; Ross 301-721-9237.

**English Country Dance Workshop  
with George Fogg****Saturday, March 20, 8:15-10:45pm**

Music by Peascods Gathering, at Sligo Middle School, 1401 Dennis Avenue, Silver Spring MD. For experienced dancers. \$4. Info: Carl Minkus 301-493-6281, Dick Atlee 703-522-2769, Faith Coddington 301-762-4541.

**Cowboy Dance Party and Pot Luck Dinner****Sunday, March 21, 5-9pm**

Sligo-Dennis Community Center, Silver Spring, Md. Social dances of the American west, waltzes, schottisches, polkas, twosteps will be taught and led by Herb Fredricksen and members of the Western American Dance Company using taped music from Herb's private collection. Bring covered dish or dessert and refreshments to share. Dress western or casual. \$8 per person. Further info, detailed flier, dance related newsletter: Herb Fredricksen 301-840-2056.

**Folk, Ethnic and Period Social Dance Classes**

Montgomery County Recreation. N/P, N/E, \$45 per person for 4 weeks at 3 hours. Dates are starting date of series.

**European and American Period Ball Dances Mar 9, Tues.** Walter Johnson High School, Bethesda, Md. 7:15-10:15pm, Viennese Waltzes, Ragtime Twosteps and Civil War era Ball Dances,

**Dances of the American West Mar 10, Wed,** Brookhaven Elementary School, Rockville, Md. 7:00-10:00pm, Cowboy dances and regional favorites from the 1860's to the present.

**Thirties and Forties Social Dances Mar 11, Thurs.,** Walter Johnson High School, Bethesda, Md. 7:15-10:15pm, Swing and Sway to the Big Band Sounds of the dance generation.

Further info, detailed flier, dance related newsletter: Herb Fredricksen 301-840-2056.



**Swing Dance Classes**

w/Ken Haltenhoff &amp; Donna Barker

**Monday night swing/waltz/lindy classes**, Mar 8-29 Introductory Swing 7:10pm: Intermediate I Swing at 8:10pm; Showstoppers Swing (advanced lifts, drops, slides etc. for couples only) 9:10pm \$44 per person (\$4 discount 7-day advance registration); taped music. Couples and singles welcome.

**Friday night One-Step Master Class and Practice Dance** on Mar19: Intermediate One-Step (all-purpose slow dance) for couples or singles. (Master class 7:30-9pm, Practice dance with taped music, 9-10pm) \$15 for workshop & dance. No preregistration necessary.

**Friday Night Advanced Waltz Master Class & Practice Dance** on Mar 26: Intermediate & Advanced Viennese Waltz (Master class 7:30-9pm, Practice dance with taped music, 9-10pm.) \$15 per person, couples & singles welcome. No preregistration necessary.

All classes at Synergy Dance Center, 4321 Wisconsin Ave. NW (Tenleytown Metro). Info: 202-363-4664.

**Old Dominion Dancers**

Hemdon, VA

The Old Dominion Dancers perform English and Early American dances at historic sites, fund raisers, and other benefit activities, to live or recorded music. To schedule a performance, to join the group, or for further info, contact Barbara Harding 703-437-3615.

**Scottish Country Dancing**

Tuesdays, 8pm

St. Columba's Scottish Country Dance Group holds weekly classes for beginners & 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. Info, call Arlene McCormick 301-794-8042 or Chris Barnes at 202-686-7154.

**The Alpine Dancers**

The Alpine Dancers, a teaching and performing folkdance group, invite FSGW members and others interested in learning dances from Austria and Germany to join us. No experience/partner needed. We usually meet every second and fourth Sunday, 4-6pm, in the New Carrollton Municipal Center, 6016 Princess Garden Parkway (near Beltway exit 20A). Practices are free. Recorded music. Info, dates, & dirs: Herbert & Carol Traxler 301-557-3503.

**Italian Traditional Dancing**

Wednesdays, 7:15-10:15pm

Every Wednesday evening at Ellen Glasgow Intermediate School, Alexandria VA, 7:15-10:15pm. Traditional Italian dances from all parts of Italy--tarantelle, saltarelle, quadriglie, Danze Sarde--dances still done in the villages today. Recorded and live music. No partner necessary. All levels of dancing; beginners welcome. Call Celest DiPietropaolo or Marie DiCocco for details 703-750-1464.

**Scottish Country Dancing**

Wednesdays, 8pm

The N. Virginia Branch of the Royal Scottish Country Dance Society holds beginning and intermediate weekly classes at the Durant Center, 1605 Cameron Street, Alexandria VA. New beginners group began in January. Recorded and live music for classes, live music for special dance events. N/P, N/E. Low tuition or \$2 weekly fee. Spectators welcome at no charge. Info: Melissa Hamilton 703-239-0950 or Kerry St. Clair 703-549-6077.

**INTERNATIONAL FOLK DANCES**

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

- Mons.** Intl. Folk Dancing with the Diamonds, Leland Community Recreation Center, 4301 Willow Lane, Chevy Chase, MD. 8-10pm All levels 10 wks \$40.50, 7 wks \$30.75, 5 wks \$24.25. Diamonds 301-871-8788.
- Tues.:** Arlington Intl Folk Dance at Key Elem School, Key Blvd. (between Adams & Veitch, 3 blocks from Courthouse Metro), Arlington VA. 8-10pm. \$3. Stulbergs: 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, Beg-Int., N/E, N/P, Information: Ken or Pat 703-780-2393
- Thurs.:** Roland Forbes, Chevy Chase Ctr, Conn Ave & McKinley St NW DC. 7:30-9:30pm. FREE. For info: 301-572-4215 or 301-340-8723.
- Fri.:** 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 Ave. Teaching 8:30-9:30. Adm. \$3.75. For info: 301-565-0539, or 301-966-2470.



# ... AND BEYOND

## MARYLAND

### Annapolis Traditional Dance Society

**Fri., Mar. 5 8pm.** Contra Dance with Larry Edelman calling, music by Brendan Mulvihill & Donna Long. \$5. .

**Fri., Mar. 12, 8pm.** Waltz Night with Donna Barker and Ken Haltenhoff with music by High Road to Linton. (Intermediate to advanced workshop at beginning and end of evening).

**Fri., Mar. 26, 8pm.** Waltz Night. "Waltz swap" and review of all levels of waltzing with Ann Fallon and John Wells. Music by High Road to Linton.

St. Anne's Parish Hall. 199 Duke of Gloucester St., Annapolis, MD. Info: 410-268-0231.

### Crab Contras

#### 2nd & 4th Fridays, 8pm

**3/12:** Andy Kane calling with Barking Squirrels; **3/26:** Dick Bearman & Lisa Jo Frech calling to Andrea Hoag & Charlie Pilzer. Easton Middle School, Oxford Rd., Easton, MD. \$5 Info: 410-883-3140.

### Saturday Night Dances in Baltimore

#### Saturday, March 13, 8:30pm

The Baltimore Dance Council's monthly dance will be held on Sat., Mar. 13, at Lovely Lane Church, 2200 St. Paul Street, in Baltimore. Clogging workshop at 7pm. with Matt Bieneman. Contra and square dance follows at 8:30 pm. with calling by Matt Bieneman to old-time music by Bruce Molsky & friends. Admission is \$3.50 for the workshop, \$6.00 for the dance, or \$8.50 for both. Please call (410) 391-8418 or (410) 265-5386 for more information.

### Roots Cafe

#### 2nd & 4th Saturdays, 8pm

**3/13:** Features the Bobby Smith Band and Richard Taylor & the Ravers. **3/27:** Features Edge City with Billy Kemp. \$5/\$4. Sponsored by the Society for the Preservation of American Roots Music (SPARM). St. John's United Methodist Church, 27th & St. Paul Sts., Baltimore, MD. Info: 410-366-7733.

### CoffeeHouse Uptown

**Thurs., 3/4:** Monthly Open Stage! New Performers Welcome, \$3; **Fri., 3/5:** Gamet Rogers \$10; **Fri., 3/12:** Chris Smithers \$10; **Thurs., 3/19:** Double bill Connemara and Brendan Mulvihill & Donna Long. \$7. **Fri., 3/26:** Anne Louise White Record release party \$7. All shows 8 pm. Wilson Memorial United Methodist Church, 3509 N. Charles at University Parkway, Baltimore, MD 21218. Info: Douglas Fox, 410-235-4251.

### Open Stage

#### Tuesday, March 16, 8pm

New performers and non-performers welcome in this monthly meeting of folk musicians, poets, and storytellers. E.C. Does It Cafe (formerly Baxter's), 8089 Main St., Ellicott City, MD. Info: 410-381-2460 or 301-982-0686.

### Baltimore Folk Music Society News

**Hotline: 410-366-0808**

**Folk Festival Kick Off Concert, 8pm:** Tom Lewis and Cross Country, 8pm Bryn Mawr School. (just north of Northern Parkway and Charles St.). Info: Hotline

**Folk Festival, Sat, Mar. 27, 12-8:30pm.** At Bryn Mawr School 12 Concurrent concerts,dances and/or demonstrations occurring through the day/evening until 8:30pm when evening square dance starts. Individual \$6 member,\$9 non; children ages 4-12 \$3, Family package (2 adults, 2 children \$16 members \$22 non.) Tickets available at the door or from BFMS, % Greg Frock, 11316 Cherry Hill Rd. #303, Beltsville, MD. 20705 Please enclose SASE. Checks payable BFMS. Info: Hotline.

**Squares & Contras, Wednesdays, 8pm.** Live music. 3/3: Tuppence Blackwell/Beyond the Beltway; 3/10: Eric Hoffman/Maggie Brown's Favorites; 3/17: Robbin Schaffer/Triple Delight; 3/24: Bill Wellington/Devil Among the Taylors; 3/31 Larry Edelman/Open Band. \$6/\$4 mems & affiliates. FREE contra WORKSHOP 2nd & 4th Weds, 7:30pm. Lovely Lane Church, 2200 St. Paul St., Balt., MD. Info: 410-321-8419 or Hotline.

**English Country Dancing, Mondays, 8pm.** Live music. 3/1: Cathy Stephens/Devil Among the Taylors; 3/8: Cythnia Stegner/ Liz Donaldson, Linda Block & Elke Baker; 3/15: David Macemon/Carl Friedman, Donna Boylan & John Devine; 3/22 Rich Galloway/Dawn Culbertson others TBA; 3/29 Diane Schmidt/Findhorn Trio. \$6/\$4 members & affiliates. Lovely Lane Church, 2200 St. Paul St., Baltimore, MD. Info: 410-321-8419 or Hotline.

### Prospect Coffeehouse Concert

#### Friday, March 19, 8pm

Featuring Brooks William and Michael Jerling. Kepler Theater at Hagerstown Junior College, Hagerstown, MD. Info: 301-739-5265 (eve.)

### Frederick County Dances

#### Saturdays 8pm

**Mar 20:** Cajun Dance Sat. Mar. 20 to the music of Pair 'o Dice Playboys. FREE beginner's workshop at 7pm, dance from 8-11pm. No partner needed. \$7

**Mar 27:** George Marshall calling to the music of Wild Asparagus. FREE beginner's workshop at 7pm, dance at 8pm.\$5.50/\$4 MMFAC & affiliates. Frederick City Recreation Center (The Old Armory), 2nd & North Bentz St., Frederick. Info: 301-694-6794, 301-662-0750.

**Calling All Open Band Members:** The Frederick dance on Apr. 24 will be an open band, lead by Sandy Mitchell, with Bill Wellington calling. If you would like to play with the open band, please call Edith Goldman at 301-696-0025.

### Scottish Fiddling Competition

#### Southern Maryland Celtic Festival

#### Saturday, April 24, 10am

Scottish F.I.R.E. sanctioned fiddling competition will be held during the Southern Maryland Celtic Festival. Bonnie Rideout will be judging. For information call Cathy Palmer 410-626-8142.

**PENNSYLVANIA****American Banjo Fraternity's Spring Rally  
May 27-29, 1993**

The American Banjo Fraternity's Spring Rally is scheduled for May 27-29 in Gettysburg, PA. The ABF seeks to preserve the banjo's music and performing techniques that were popular during the period 1885-1915. ABF members play five-string banjos with bare fingers and use gut or nylon strings. If you would like more information about this event or the ABF, please contact Doug Kiessling 703-821-0509.

**WEST VIRGINIA****Shepherdstown Music and Dance Society Dance  
Saturday, March 6, 8pm**

Marlin Whittaker calls contras to Dr. Twamley's Audio Snakes (from Pittsburgh) with Laura Lengneck (fiddle), Mike Rovine (fiddle), Celia Wycoff (bass) and Paul Orts (piano). \$5/\$3.50 WMFS. Beginner workshop at 7:30pm. Dance 8pm. Shepherdstown Men's Club, corner of King & German Sts., Shepherdstown, WV. Info: 304-876-2762 or 304-263-2531.

**NEW JERSEY****Victoria's Revenge Dancefest  
Cape May, New Jersey  
May 7-8, 1993**

Don't delay - the 1993 Victoria's Revenge Dancefest flyers are now out. Get your flyers at the Washington Friday or Sunday night dances or by mail from Victoria's Revenge, % Pat Isman, 7211 Sipes Ln. Annandale, VA 22003. Early registration counts again this year. As in the past, the weekend includes a Friday night contra-dance, a full day of workshops on Saturday, a picnic lunch with live music, and the Victorian Ball on Saturday evening. Music this year will be provided by Uncle Gizmo, calling by David Kaynor, and the Capital Quicksteps Quadrille Orchestra, calling by Dan Pearl. For information call 703-658-0055.

**MASSACHUSETTS****New England Folk Festival  
April 23-25, 1993**

The New England Folk Festival will be held from Fri. Apr. 23 through Sun. Apr. 25 at the Natick High School in Natick, MA. For information write New England Folk Festival, 1950 Mass. Ave. Cambridge, MA 02140 or call 617-354-1340.

**NORTH CAROLINA****John C. Campbell Folk School  
Spring Dance Weekend  
March 26-28**

Spring Dance Weekend, Mar. 26-28 at the John C. Campbell Folk School celebrates the school's long association with CDSS and features CDSS National Director Brad Foster along with CDSS President Bob Dalsemer calling a delightful mix of contras, squares and English country dances to music by Darion Douglas, Tippy Kramer, John Devine and Sandy Mitchell.

The weekend begins with supper on Fri. Mar. 26 and ends mid-afternoon on Sun. Mar. 28. There will be time to enjoy the beauty of spring in the mountains including a historical walking tour around the school's 365 acre campus in the Blue Ridge Mountains of North Carolina. The school offers a wide choice of accommodations including tent camping, RV hookups, dorm rooms and double rooms with shared or private bathrooms. Prices vary according to the choice of accommodations. Limited scholarship assistance is available by application. For further information write John C. Campbell Folk School, Rte. 1, Box 14-A, Brasstown, NC 28902 or phone Hanne Nielsen or Bob Dalsemer at 1-800-365-5724 or 704-837-2775.

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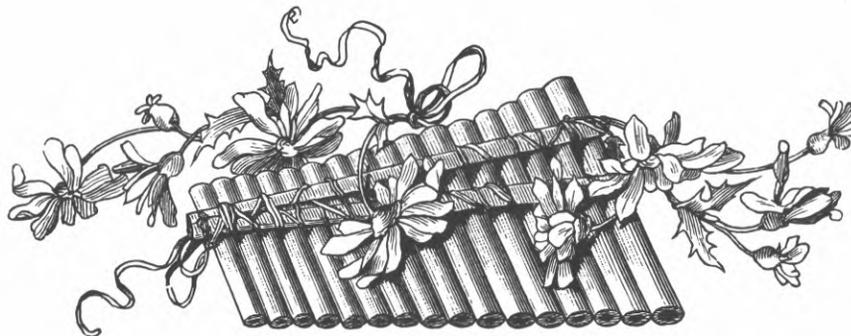
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## DEADLINE FOR April Newsletter.

Friday, March 12

All copy for the April issue of this *Newsletter* is due at the home of EDITOR Cecily Pilzer, NO LATER THAN 9 PM, Fri., Mar. 12th.

- Please use standard (8 ½ x 11") paper, so copy does not get lost.
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- Please include a phone number where you can be reached in case of questions about your text.
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