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NEWSLETTER

19TH ANNUAL WASHINGTON FOLK FESTIVAL

Come experience something old timey, something jazzy, something new, something blues at the **19th Annual Washington Folk Festival**, June 3-4 (Saturday and Sunday) at Glen Echo Park on MacArthur Blvd in Maryland! This year's program features many local favorites including: *The New St. George*, *Doris Justis*, *Hazel Dickens*, *Warner Williams*, *Ed Trickett*, *Flory Jagoda*, *Ganga*, and the *Spanish Dance Society*. *Laura Lengnick* is leading an open band for the contradance Saturday night in the Spanish Ballroom--so musicians, bring your instruments and join in, and beginner dancers are welcome! At dusk on Sunday, June 4, the festival will close with the raucous kazoos, jugs, and tub thumping rhythms of the *Sunshine Skiffle Band's* early jazz music.

The Washington Folk Festival features the best of the Washington area's thriving and diverse community of traditional artists, presenting folk music, dance, story-telling, and crafts from some 30 countries on 7 stages. This two-day celebration--from noon to 11:30 pm on Saturday, June 3 and noon to 6 pm on Sunday, June 4--is FREE to the public (donations encouraged). The Festival is sponsored by the Folklore Society of Greater Washington (FSGW), with the cooperation of the National Park Service, the Montgomery County Commission on the Humanities, and WAMU 88.5-FM radio.

The Festival is truly a community affair. All the performers and staff donate their time and talents, in one of the largest all-volunteer community festivals in the nation. Because this is an all-volunteer event, the Festival needs your donations of time and money. For a tax deductible donation of \$25.00 you can become a "Friend of the Washington Folk Festival." (See the article appearing later in this newsletter for details.) You can support this event by bidding on some of the 45+ items in our silent auction and by buying tickets for the folklore quilt we are raffling at the Festival. We also need people to physically help make the Festival happen--set up tents and stages before the Festival; food preparation, t-shirt sales, distribute programs, check-in performers and volunteers, etc. during the Festival; and tear-down after the Festival. To volunteer, please call Arzi McKeown at 301-421-1511.

Parking in Glen Echo Park is limited, but free shuttle buses will run to and from a satellite lot at Defense Mapping Agency on Sangamore Rd, across from Little Falls Mall--or take the N-8 Metrobus from Friendship Heights. Bring your family and friends, and explore our folk roots! For more information, please call the FSGW hotline at 202-546-2228.

FSGW SUNDAY NIGHT DANCES

Glen Echo Park, Spanish Ballroom

7:30 pm - 10:30 pm

From March through November the FSGW sponsors contra dances (with the occasional square) in the historic Spanish Ballroom at Glen Echo Park, off MacArthur Boulevard in Glen Echo, Maryland. We welcome both experienced and new dancers and you don't need to bring a partner. New dancers should come early, since dances become more challenging later in the evening, and may include medleys or omit walk throughs. Admission is \$6.00 for FSGW members and affiliated groups (BFMS, CDSS ATDS), \$8.00 for all others.

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| <p>Jun 4 Whenever Brendan Mulvihill and Donna Long play for a dance it's tempting to keep looking to see how many musicians are on the stage, since Brendan's fiddle and Donna's piano produce enough sound to be mistaken for a Celtic orchestra. Cindy Workman leaves the dance floor for an evening to call a subtle selection of contras.</p> <p>Jun 11 Scrod Pudding - not just for breakfast anymore. This fine New England band ventures south from the infamous Bowdoinham, Maine dance to provide "Food for Your Feet". The recipe includes Bill Olson calling and playing bass with Greg Anderson on hammered dulcimer, Pam Weeks playing fiddle and Appalachian dulcimer, Eric Johnson's guitar and Jim Joseph providing banjo, mandolin, button accordion and percussion.</p> <p>Jun 18 David Kirchner's dance philosophy always makes for an enjoyable and educational evening of contras, while Elke Baker's fiddle skills have made her a local treasure whose talents are appreciated at dances and concerts as far away as Japan. Elke's frequent musical companion Dave Wiesler adds his inventive and entertaining piano to complete the musical mixture.</p> <p>Jun 25 Atlanta's Cis Hinkle will be leading a dance tour to England later this summer, but first she'll bring some Olympic energy to Glen Echo. Musical motivation will be added by Jumpfingers: Larry Edelman on mandolin, Bill Schmidt's fiddle and Joe Bakouski playing the piano.</p> | <p>Jul 2 Welcome Denise Lair back (for the weekend) as she calls contras with Moose Chowder, a New England band from the somewhat deeper South, containing all the major musical food groups. Migrating our way from North Carolina, Buz Lloyd & Rex McGee share fiddle responsibility, with Rex adding banjo and Pete Campbell rounding out the rollicking sound with piano and accordion.</p> <p>Jul 9 Mary Virginia Brooks' playful approach to dancing always shows up in her selection of dances and her energetic calling, an ideal match for tonight's music. Dave Kaynor is a well known stalwart of the contra revival in New England, as a caller, musician and composer of dances. Tonight he brings his fiddle to Glen Echo to join Bob Pasquerello, known for his wonderful waltzes and virtuoso piano playing. The combination is guaranteed to keep you on your feet.</p> <p>Jul 16 Ann Fallon's smooth style on the dance floor carries over to her calling for an evening of flowing contras to the music of Microchasm. Soon to be a featured question in a famous crossword puzzle, this band includes the flying fiddles of Laura Lengnick and Steve Hickman, John Devine's guitar and the piano playing of Dave Wiesler.</p> <p>Jul 23 After a restful week at Buffalo Gap, Ron Buchanan joins A Band Named Bob for an evening of spirited contras. The Bobs (no, not those Bobs) feature the cheerful New England and Quebecois fiddling of Barb Greenberg, Bob Stein's wonderful accordion (and less wonderful jokes), and the piano talent of Bob Pasquerello.</p> |
| <p>Jul 30 Michael Schechtman rests his feet tonight to call thoughtfully selected contras with Beyond The Beltway. Marty Taylor on flute and concertina, the fiddle of Al Taylor, Larry Brandt playing Things With Frets (banjo, mandolin & guitar) and Liz Donaldson's piano bring us tunes from the reel world.</p> <p>Aug 6 Robbin Shaffer with To Be Determined</p> | |

Washington Folk Festival – Saturday, June 3, 1995

Washington Folklife Festival - Saturday, June 9, 1990								
	STORYTELLING AREA	ADVENTURE THEATER	CUDDLE-UP STAGE	POTOMAC PALISADES STAGE	FAMILY AREA	SPANISH BALLROOM	CRYSTAL POOL STAGE	
12:00	Tall Tales	Sacred Harp	Franklin, Harpe and Usilton	Big Blow and the Bushwackers	Appalachian Clogging	Free Waltzing	Bagpipe Workshop	12:00
	Fish Tales	Barnes and Hampton	Celebrating Women		American Indian Tribute			
1:00	Trickster Tales	Slaveya		Judy Luis Watson and Paul Watson	Australian Workshop	African Dance Workshop	Ironweed	1:00
	Glad Magic	Shahriar Saleh	Randy Barrett Trio	Danza del Rio				
2:00	New Tellers	Ganga	Reed Martin	All in the Family	Percussion	Scottish Dance Workshop	Hazel Dickens	2:00
3:00	Stories Less Traveled	Temur Tsaguriya	If It Moves, Sing It!	The New St. George	Namu Lwanga	Flamenco Dance Workshop	Blues Jam	3:00
	Arno the Far-Sighted	Ballad Workshop	Ed Trickett		Silly Song Writing			
4:00	Fowl Play						Sue Ribaud	Community Dance
	Star Lore	Sidekicks	Namu Lwanga	Skellig	Bagpipes		Bill Mayhew	
5:00	Story Songs	Flory Jagoda: Ladino Songs and Music	The Joys of Silly		Izafco	Mark Jaster	Israeli Dance	Paramount Jazz Band
	Scary Stories for Kids		Old-Time String Band	Harmonica Workshop				
6:00		Sue Trainor and Sue Ribaud	Reuben Musgrave		Washington Balalaika Society		Swing Dance	Federal Focus Band
		Walt Michael and Company						
7:00		Steve Key	New Alborada	Grace Griffith and Zan McLeod			Slim Jims	7:00
		Parodies Workshop	Donal Leace					
8:00	Ghost Tales			Lunar Tunes	Freida Enoch and the Capital Klezmers			Rusty Mason Quartet
		Doris Justis						
9:00			Warner Williams	Bawdy Balladeers		Saturday Night Dance	DC's Finest	9:00
10:00								
11:00								11:00

Washington Folk Festival – Sunday, June 4, 1995

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	STORYTELLING AREA	ADVENTURE THEATER	CUDDLE-UP STAGE	POTOMAC PALISADES STAGE	FAMILY AREA	SPANISH BALLROOM	CRYSTAL POOL STAGE	
12:00	Russian Tales	Folk Instruments of Vietnam	Nedd Ludd, John Henry and Me	Lox and Vodka	Irish Breakfast Band	Bulgarian Dance	Pot. Val. Scottish Fiddle Club	12:00
	Possums and Frogs							
1:00	Jack and the Griffin	Washington Toho Koto Society	Iona	Grupo Alborada	Kids on the Block	Serbian/Macedonian Dance	Spanish Dance Society	1:00
	Irish Tales							
2:00	Cyru Am Byth	Maggie Sansone and Bonnie Rideout	Singer/Songwriter Workshop	Founders' Keepers	Irish Stepdancing	Klezmer Dance	Buffalo Nickel Band	2:00
	Medieval and Renaissance Tales	Mary Fitzgerald	Susan Gordon		Jug Band			
3:00	Latin American Stories	King David's Harp	Terpsichore	DC Blues Society Band	Diane Temple	Irish Dance	Take a Bow, Fiddlers	3:00
	Americana	Lisa Null and Pete Kraemer	Joe Hickerson		Klezmer Katz			
4:00	Tale of the Snotty Goat	Hammer Dulcimer Workshop	Bonnie Rideout	Swedish and Norwegian Music	Alice McGill	Barn Dance	Taste This Song	4:00
	Raven Stories			Mike Stein				
5:00	Ann and the Green Knight	Women of Ill Repute	Connemara	No Name Bluegrass Band		Scandinavian Dance	Harulsoni	5:00
				Sunshine Skiffle Band				
6:00								6:00

It's Here and We Still Need YOU!!

By the time you read this the 19th Annual Washington Folk Festival will be only a few days away. If you have been putting off volunteering to help out, it's not too late! This year, as every year, we need volunteers for duties ranging from performer escorts to trash pick-up, from equipment setup to staffing the information booth. A couple hours of your time will help us out tremendously. To be part of the action, please call Arzi at 301-421-1511.

Become A Friend Of The Washington Folk Festival!

Performers, artists and staff volunteer their time and talent at the Washington Folk Festival. Despite the generosity of everyone involved, the Festival still has significant expenses, including: rental of sound systems and pianos; feeding performers and staff; printing programs and publicity; maintaining tents, stages, and equipment; buying postage and office supplies; and paying for shuttle buses.

To offset some of the Festival's expenses, three years ago we created the "Friends of the Washington Folk Festival" (FOWFF). FOWFF provides an easy way for those who enjoy the Festival to share in its financial support and, at the same time, get recognition for their contribution. To become a Friend of the Festival requires only a \$25.00 tax-deductible donation. For a donation of \$50.00 or more you become a "Super Friend." Most important, as a FOWFF, you have the satisfaction of knowing that you are helping introduce thousands of people the richness of our collective traditional culture. To become a FOWFF, make your check payable to the Folklore Society of Greater Washington (FSGW) and send to: **Friends of the Washington Folk Festival, c/o D. Clamons, PO Box 217, Clifton, VA 22024.**

Festival All Hands Meeting

The last general Festival staff meeting is on Tuesday, May 30, at 8:00 pm in Glen Echo Park (in the picnic area or under one of the tents). All Committee Chairs, stage managers, presenters, etc. and any other interested folks should attend. We will be going over important Festival logistics.

Quilt Raffle

Once again this year, FSGW is pleased to have quilt, made by Margreta Silverstone, to raffle off. Tickets are only \$2 per ticket or 3 for \$5. This is your opportunity to get a truly unique item and to help support the festival. At the same time you might check out the many other wonderful items at the silent auction.

FSGW Election Results

Jamie Platt -- President
Dave Eisner -- Vice President
David Boynton -- Treasurer
Phil Hayden -- Secretary
Paul Levitt -- Dance
Tony Ziselberger -- Program

Marty Summerour -- Special Events
Alex Hershaft -- Membership
Charlie Pilzer -- Publications
Norman Bernhardt -- Publicity
Stephanie Smith -- Member-at-large
Lorraine Van Buren -- Member-at-large

**Your FREE Monthly Concert
Music and Dance of Scotland
with Ed Pearlman, Laura Scott & Tony Cuffe
Friday, June 9, 8:30pm**

The music of Scotland will bring the FSGW 1994-95 membership program season to a rollicking close. Fiddler Ed Pearlman, singer/guitarist Tony Cuffe and dancer Laura Scott will lead us through the music and dance of Scotland and of Cape Breton Island, home to Scottish settlers in the New World. The concert will be held at 8:30pm on Fri. Jun 9th at WES Auditorium, 7750 16th St. NW, Washington, DC.

Ed Pearlman has performed Scottish and Cape Breton fiddle music for the past 15 years, bringing his music to audiences all over the US, in Nova Scotia and in Scotland. He lists as his influences master fiddlers Aly Bain and Alisdair Fraser. Ed is the founder and director of the Boston Scottish Fiddle Club and is also the director of the annual Boston Celtic Festival. He has released one solo album and appeared on several of the Boston Scottish Fiddle Club's albums.

Dancer Laura Scott has been a Scottish Highland dancer since she was a young child. A student of both Scottish and Cape Breton style dancing, she brings outside influences to her choreography and dancing, working to push the limits of the styles. She has performed with Ed Pearlman and Joe Cormier, among others and is widely sought for workshops and performances in the Northeast.

Tony Cuffe is one of Scotland's most innovative guitarists and a fine singer with a strong repertoire of rare and ancient ballads. He was for ten years a member of the great Scottish band *Ossian* and since their demise has performed with artists such as Johnny Cunningham, Billy Jackson and Seamus Connolly. He has one solo album to his credit as well as several with *Ossian*.

Admission to the concert is FREE to FSGW members and \$9 to non-members who may join the society at the door. Ed and Tony will be leading workshops in Scottish fiddle and guitar on the day following the concert. These are being organized by the Potomac Scottish Fiddle Society. For more info call the FSGW Hotline 202-546-2228.

**Jay Ungar and Molly Mason
Saturday, July 8, 8:15pm**

The Rossborough Festival at the University of Maryland and FSGW will co-sponsor a concert by Jay Ungar and Molly Mason on Sat. Jul 8 at 8:15pm in Tawes Theatre, University of Maryland College Park, MD. Jay Ungar is the composer of *Ashokan Farewell*, the haunting theme song from the Civil War series. Their concert will feature music from the 19th century to the 20th century sure to make your feet dance. General admission \$17.50, **FSGW members can get \$12 tickets ONLY IN ADVANCE**. Please send your ticket request and a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Carl Mintz, 704 East Capitol St., Washington, DC 20003. For more info 202-543-4999.



**Ed Miller House Concert
Tuesday, June 20, 8:30pm**



Reserve Tuesday evening, June 20, for a special concert, the Scots-American music of Ed Miller, a transplanted Edinburgh native who has lived in Austin, Texas, since 1968. An FSGW favorite, Ed is a superb and well-respected singer. His voice and style have that unique ability to turn on the uninitiated and open the door for them to Scottish traditional singing. (Ken Campbell, *The Broadsheet*.) Ed's repertoire represents the breadth of the Scottish folk revival, including ageless ballads, the songs of Robert Burns, children's street songs, and the pick of the new-made songs by the best of today's writers.

Accompanying himself in fine style on the guitar, Ed imparts to his audience his love of the song. In addition he recounts fascinating stories concerning the people from whom he's learned the songs. Ed's voice is warm and rich, smooth without being honeyed, and strong without being blaring.

Enjoy the music of Ed Miller at the close-in Silver Spring home of Bob Clayton and Jennifer Woods, starting at 8:30 p.m.. Admission is \$6 (FSGW) and \$9 (nonmembers). Refreshments will be served. Call 301-587-7174 for directions and further details.

Tom Paley House Concert Friday, June 23, 8:30pm

Tom Paley, old-timey songster, guitar wizard, banjo picker extraordinaire, and award-winning Swedish-style fiddler, returns to the DC area for a special house concert on Friday, June 23, in Silver Spring, MD. A founding member of the New Lost City Ramblers, Tom takes his trove of hillbilly tunes, traditional ballads, ragtime instrumentals and blues from the recordings of the 1920s and 30s. This body of music -- the core of what was to become Country Music -- came straight from the rural white and black America to the 78-rpm recordings of Columbia, Okeh, Bluebird, and a host of other companies large and small. In the 1950s, these recordings began to be discovered and the music on them recreated by urban enthusiasts. Tom Paley, Mike Seeger and John Cohen, three such enthusiasts, formed the New Lost City Ramblers in the mid-50s, and they in turn sparked their own emulators whose work formed the underlying structure of the Urban Folk Revival. In addition, their interest helped turn the attention of academic folklorists to hillbilly music as a true repository of American tradition.

Tom Paley is both a scholar and an entertainer, an innovator and a continuer of tradition, a source and a receiver of tradition. Enjoy the music of this multi-talented performer at the close-in Silver Spring home of Bob Clayton and Jennifer Woods, starting at 8:30 pm. Admission is \$6 (FSGW) and \$9 (non-members). Refreshments will be served. Call 301-587-7174 for directions and further details.



APRIL-95 DIGITAL TRADITION

The April-95 edition of the digital tradition is available free. It requires a PC with at least 10-MB of free space and now has over 5000 songs, 2700 of which have tunes. Send three 1.44-MB disks with a stamped return mailer or arrange for a disk swap at FSGW events. Call Dennis Cook at 301-776-4314 for more info.

?????? SEEKING A FSGW ADMINISTRATOR ????????

Our folklore society has reached such a size and complexity that providing quality service to the membership with purely volunteer labor is no longer feasible. The FSGW board is considering contracting for full-time administrative support. We want your comments and suggestions to help the board choose the best course of action for the society, and to locate a good administrator.

Although volunteers still run the society, we already must contract for some technical and administrative help to meet quality expectations and deadlines. We need more help, and consolidation of tasks would be more cost-effective and efficient. A full-time administrator would support the treasurer, membership chair, program chair, dance chair, special event chair, publicity chair, and all annual event chairs by performing a variety of financial, contractual, and clerical tasks.

As currently envisioned, the administrator would provide: Check-writing and accounting functions for the treasurer; Database and mailing functions for the membership chair; Hot-line telephone messages for the event chairs; Schedule coordination for the secretary; Contract preparation and verification for the treasurer, dance, special events, program, and annual event chairs; Registration for annual events; and Coordination of all paid publicity for the society. These tasks, now done separately, take more than 40 hours per week of volunteer labor to perform, and involve significant coordination and unnecessary duplication of effort. A single, good, administrator should be able to achieve a significant improvement in both the quality and efficiency of these services. The FSGW board, freed from much of the administrative burden, would be able to concentrate on long-range planning and policy. Event chairs, similarly freed, would be able to concentrate on program content rather than mechanics.

Although we expect that increases in membership and event attendance will soon offset costs, there will be some additional cost for the first year. To pay for the administrator during the first year, membership and all event costs may have to be raised by \$1-2 each. Some compensation for those less able to pay will probably be instituted.

We solicit your comments, suggestions and nominations. Please write to Dennis Cook at 16125 Malcolm Drive, Laurel, MD 20707 or call him at 301-776-4314 to discuss your ideas and concerns or to recommend a good administrator.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON COMMUNITY DANCE SERIES

The community dance series will continue throughout the summer and fall. So far, the dances have been quite good. The calling has been excellent, as has the music. We expect this trend to continue. There are some special treats coming up that you should put on your calendar. All the dances are held at the Spanish Ballroom at Glen Echo Park Sundays from 3-5:30 PM. All those attending are invited to picnic at the park after the dance (weather permitting).

As contra dancing in the Washington area has become more rigorous, more dancers and non-dancers have expressed an interest in a dance that is more low key and inviting for families. This type of dancing is the norm in small towns where people of all ages dance together. The dancing is diverse: contras, squares, circles, mixers, and a variety of other dances. The continuation of traditional American dancing has always depended on introducing new people to the dance. For families, there is no better way of introducing their children than the community dances, where they get to dance with their parents and neighbors. Community dancing is not limited to families with children; dancers of all ages and skills are essential for the community dance to be successful. Advanced dancers can receive a lot of satisfaction from passing their skills and their love of dance on to a new generation. The cost is \$4 for adults, \$3 for children over 4, and a family maximum of \$12. No child care is being provided, but parents are welcome to make their own arrangements. For more information about the dance, or if you would like to volunteer, call Jamie and Betsy Platt (301)320-7099.

There is no dance scheduled in June, but the July schedule is as follow:

July 2: **Denise Lair** calling to the music of **Laura Lengnick** and **John Devine**.

July 30: **Ann Fallon** calling to the music of *Roustabout*.

Future dates for the community dance include September 17, October 8, and October 29.



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FSGW Editorial Policy

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

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

MORE FOLKLORE SOCIETY NEWS

Board Meeting

Tuesday, June 6, 7:30pm

The next board meeting will be Jun 6 at the home of Alex Hershaft, the membership chair. Any FSGW member may attend. If you have items for the board to consider, please call Marty Summerour at 703-354-6460 or Carl Mintz 202-543-4999.

Board Highlights

The Board met on May 2. Topics discussed and actions taken include:

- Steve Sabol and Bob Hall from the Sacred Harp singers gave a report on the April Sacred Harp Convention. The event did well this year, both in attendance and in finances.
- We had a long discussion about whether FSGW should hire a paid administrator.
- Membership chair, Alex Hershaft wants all the door keepers at concerts and dances to encourage people to join FSGW. He is hoping to have committee of helpers at WFF to help with membership recruiting. Also, please note that your newsletter mailing label now has your membership expiration date.

Open Sing

JULY 7, - Laurel, MD

There will be no Open Sing in June, owing to the Washington Folk Festival at Glen Echo Park. The July Open Sing will be held at 8:30 pm on Friday, July 7, 1995 at the home of Judy & Dennis Cook. Judy Cook will lead the sing and provide refreshments. The topic is open, and you are encouraged to come prepared to sing a song (or three or four) and to say why you chose them. You might decide on a topic you wish had been chosen for an open sing and base your song choice on that. Listeners are welcome too. Call Judy or Dennis for directions at 301-776-4314.

Sacred Harp Singing

Sunday, June 25, 4 pm & Sunday, July 23, 4 pm

Shape-note singing enthusiasts meet every fourth Sunday for fellowship, food, and singing of traditional shape-note folk hymns, anthems, and fusing tunes from *The Sacred Harp* and other early American tunebooks. All are welcome; loaner tunebooks are available. Singing is from 4-6 pm, followed by a potluck supper and more singing after supper. In some months, there is a short singing school for beginners at 3 pm.

Jun 25: No preliminary singing school this month. The location is Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 2589 Chain Bridge Rd., Vienna, VA. Bring non-perishable food or a contribution for the needy. Take I-66 west from I-495 to the Nutley St. exit. Go north on Nutley, then left onto Maple Ave., which becomes Chain Bridge Rd. For more info, call 703-938-3089.

Jul 23. Call FSGW Information Hotline at 202-546-2228, extension 42 to find out the location.

Gospel Sing

Sunday, June 11, 4:00 PM

Sunday, July 9, 4:00 PM

The **June Gospel Sing** will be at the home of Kathie Mack in Takoma Park, MD. Call her at 301 270-5307 for directions. She is just two blocks from the Takoma Metro station.

The **July Gospel sing** will be hosted by Tony Frato at his home in Alexandria, VA. He will provide directions if you call 703 751-3840.

In both cases, singing starts around 4:00 PM with a break at six for a covered dish supper and then more singing. Everyone is welcome!

Storytelling

Saturdays June 10, July 15, 7:30pm

Storytellers and listeners are invited to the home of Bill & Maren Mayhew in Beltsville on **Sat. Jun 10** at 7:30pm for an evening of shared stories and pot luck refreshments. Call 301-595-7920 for dirs. and RSVPs.

Storytellers and listeners will gather in the home of Barbara Effron in Annandale at 7:30pm on **Sat. Jul 15** for an evening of storytelling and pot luck refreshments. Call 703-323-1783 for dirs. and RSVPs.

Colin Hume English Country Dance

Friday, June 30, 1995

Colin Hume, renowned British caller and choreographer, will call a special English Country dance for FSGW on Friday, June 30. Music will be provided by Liz Donaldson (piano and accordion) and Elke Baker (fiddle). The dance will be held at East Silver Spring Elementary School, 631 Silver Spring Ave., Silver Spring, MD (across the street from the Church of the Ascension, where the regular, weekly Wednesday night dance is held). Admission is \$6 for members, \$8 for non-members. For additional information, call (202) 543-0355 or the FSGW Hotline.

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 \$5, nonmembers \$6.

- Jun 7** Brad Sayler calls to the music of Liz Donaldson and guests.
- Jun 14** Stephanie Smith calls as Elke Baker and Dave Wiesler provide the music.
- Jun 21** Diane Schmit calls to the music of Liz Donaldson and Bruce Edwards.
- Jun 28** Christopher Field calls to the music of Liz Donaldson and Andrea Hoag.
- Jul 5** Declare independence from the summer blahs with the calling of Diane Schmit and the music of Liz Donaldson and Howard Markham.
- Jul 12** Christopher Field calls with music by Susan Brandt and Dave Wiesler.
- Jul 19** Rich Galloway and Stephanie Smith share the calling as Donna Boyland, Paul Miller and Malcolm Stephens provide the music.
- Jul 26** Brad Sayler calls dances to the music of Liz Donaldson and Elke Baker.

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.

Foggy Bottom International Folkdancers

The group meets every Thursday at St. Mary's Church on 23rd St., NW between G & H Sts.- one block from Foggy Bottom Metro. Beginner/ Intermediate classes from 7:30 - 9:00 PM. No experience or partner needed. Request dancing from 9:00 - 10:45 PM. Mostly taped music. Occasional parties and workshops. Still only \$3 for the entire evening. Call Jamie info: (301) 320-7099.

Tango Trade

Sunday, June 25, 4pm

Argentine Tango practice and informal swapping of steps and tips on technique, Sun Jun 25, 4pm at Academy of the Maryland Youth Ballet, 7702 Woodmont Ave., Suite 203, Woodmont Corner, Bethesda, MD. \$5. Recorded music. Beginners welcome. Sponsored by Capital Tangueros. 703-267-1430.

Smithsonian Folk Festival

June 23- 27 & June 30 - July 4

The 1995 Smithsonian Festival of American Folklife is set for Jun 23 - 27 and Jun 30 - Jul 4 on the National Mall. FSGW will staff the evening hospitality suite for the participants back at the hotel. We'll be "on duty" from about 8pm until midnight or later to provide a place where performers, festival staff, cooks, craft persons and other keepers of the cultures represented this year can relax after their hot days in public. We'll need 6 to 8 persons each evening to keep the snack table filled, the drinks on ice, the coffee perking and to make these talented folks welcome in this Washington area. Some of us schedule our vacations around these evenings; some work one night -- some many; some work the early 'shift' to help setup -- some stay late, including cleanup. Whatever your available time, our experience is that you'll enjoy it and feel very much appreciated. To volunteer for evenings between Thursday, June 22 through Wednesday July 5, call Mary Cliff's office machine at 703-998-2795. She'll get back to you as she fills in the schedule. Mary is also looking for donations and discounts on snack items -- drinks, breads, etc. (And to volunteer for the Festival itself see the story on p.12)



AROUND TOWN

Comhaltas Ceoltoiri Eireann Literary Society

Sunday, June 4, 3pm

Comhaltas Ceoltoiri Eireann Literary Society meets at Suite B, Irish Times Tavern, 14 F St. NW, Washington, DC at 3pm. This month's discussion "William Trevor's Collected Stories" (Ballroom of Romance, Beyond the Pale and The Day We Got Drunk on Cake). Please read before the meeting. For more info call 202-396-2916.

Cheryl Wheeler Headlines *River Roll On!* Benefit**Monday, June 5, 8pm**

A benefit concert for Pine Cabin Run Ecological Laboratory will be held Mon. June 5 at 8pm at the Birchmere in Alexandria, VA. Tickets will be \$20 and may be ordered from *River Roll On!* % Ron Knipling, 5059 N. 36th St. Arlington, VA. 22207. For more info call 703-533-2895.

Sunset Serenade Concerts**Wednesday, June 7, 7pm**

This outdoor concert will take place at Centennial Park South in Columbia, MD. from 7 - 8:30pm. If weather is questionable, call 410-313-4451 for recorded announcement. Admission is FREE. Cajun food will be served from 6 - 8pm. Charge for parking is \$2.

House of Musical Traditions Workshops

Ken Perlman, internationally-known instrumentalist, presents two workshops while he's in town for the Oatlands Celtic Festival.

Clawhammer Banjo, Mon. Jun 19, 7 - 8:30pm, will be a survey of clawhammer banjo techniques, covering both basic skills such as brush-thumbings and backup playing and Ken's special area of expertise, Celtic tunes on clawhammer banjo. Depending on the skill level of the group, more advanced topics may include arpeggios, rolls, syncopation and ragtime.

Fingerstyle guitar, Mon, Jun 19, 8:30 - 9:50pm, will take its cue from the group's experience level. Likely topics are: a few specialized blues and ragtime techniques with harmonic applications, a little chord and modal theory and perhaps a bit on Scottish and Cape Breton fiddle tunes on guitar.

Both workshops will be held at House of Musical Traditions in Takoma Park, MD. Fee is \$20 each or \$35 for both. Pre-register by calling 301-270-9090.

Concert in the Woods**Saturday, June 10, 8pm**

Concert in the Woods with **Al Petteway** and **Grace Griffith**, Sat., Jun 10 at 8pm. Ferguson Amphitheatre, 2001 Bryan Point Rd., Accokeek, MD. (10 mi. outside Beltway, P.G. Co.) Rain or shine. For more info call 301-203-0720.

**Slavic Male Chorus****Sunday, June 18, 3pm**

The **Slavic Male Chorus** of Washington will headline the Father's Day concert on Sun. Jun 18 at St. Andrew's Ukrainian Orthodox Cathedral, 15100 New Hampshire Ave., Silver Spring, MD. The chorus will be joined by the *Slavic Society Choir* and the *Lyman Ukrainian Dancers*. Doors open at 3pm with concert performances scheduled until closing time of 6pm. Tickets can be purchased at the door for \$7, children under 12 FREE. For advance tickets/info call 703-978-7363

Laurie Lewis & the Grand Street Band**Thursday, June 15, 12pm**

The American Folklife Center at the Library of Congress presents **Laurie Lewis & the Grant Street Band** playing Bluegrass. Lewis and band have enriched their unmistakably traditional bluegrass foundation by a blend of new sounds and have stretched in some new direction. **Laurie Lewis** will be playing with **Tom Rozum**, **Peter McLaughlin** and **Jerry Logan**. Location for concert is across from the US Capitol, one block N of Capitol South Metro on the Orange or Blue Line. FREE. For more info call 202-707-9189

Columbia Festival of the Arts**June 16 - 18, 1995**

Three days of FREE performances, crafts show and great food at the Lakefront Birthday Celebration in Columbia, MD. For tickets to other events and more info call 410-715-3055.

Fri. June 16	Cathy Fink & Marcy Marxer, 7 - 8pm
Sat. June 17	Footworks, Lakeside Stage, 1:30pm
Sat. June 17	Dance workshop on Vaudeville Stage, 3pm
Sat. June 17	Al Petteway, 5 - 6pm
Sat. June 17	Celtic Thunder, 6:30 - 7:30pm
Sun. June 18	Mystic Wonders, 1:30 - 2:30pm
Sun. June 18	Trinidad & Tobago Steel Band, 6 - 7pm

**Benefit Concert for the
Mary Helen Mautner Project
for Lesbians with Cancer.**

Harmony Bones featuring Washington Area musicians **Jeanne Mackey**, **Rosi Gowdey**, **Kris Koth**, **Barbara Lewis** and **Julie Parsons** will present an evening of heartening music infused with a sense of humor and celebration. Sat, June 17 at Unitarian Universalist Church of Silver Spring. Tickets \$12 (advance) \$15 (at door). Tickets available from The Mautner Project at 202-332-5536.

Joe Hickerson**32th Anniversary House Concert****Saturday, June 17, 8:30pm**

Come help celebrate Joe's 32 years in Washington, DC and at the Library of Congress Archive of Folk Culture. The concert will be at the home of Ursy Potter and Carter Hearn, 958 Saigon Rd., McLean, VA. Call 703-821-1373 for dirs. All other info call 301-270-1107.

Buffalo Nickel Band**Saturday, June 10 & 17, 8pm**

The **Buffalo Nickel Band** will play from 8 - 12pm at the Calvert House Inn, 6211 Baltimore Ave. (Rte. 1), Riverdale, MD. Featuring swing dance music, generous dance floor, fine food and drink. For band info call Kathy 301-869-7485.

Northern Lights**Saturday, June 24, 8pm**

The **Northern Lights** quintet sheds new light on Bluegrass. They take traditional bluegrass and mix it with other genres to patent their own energetic "newgrass" sound. This concert will be held at the Gaithersburg City Hall Park on Sat. Jun 24 at 8pm. Admission is \$2 adults, \$1 children 12 and under. The concert is sponsored by the Gaithersburg Council for the Arts. For more info call 301-258-6425.

Smithsonian 1995 Festival of American Folklife**June 23 - June 27, June 30 - July 4**

The Smithsonian Institution's 29th annual Festival of American Folklife will be held on the National Mall in Washington, DC Fri Jun 23 to Tues Jun 27, Fri Jun 30 to Tues Jul 4. Festival hours are 11 - 5:30pm with a dance party from 5:30 - 7pm and a concert from 7 - 9pm every night except July 4. All events are FREE. For more info 202-357-2700. To volunteer call Leslie Hausman 202-287-3445. Themes for the festival are "Heartbeat: The Voices of First Nations Women", "The Czech Republic: Tradition and Transformation", "The Cape Verdean Connection" and "Russian Roots, American Branches: Music in Two Worlds".

An American in Alexandria**Friday, July 7, 8pm**

A concert featuring tenor **Michael Blaney**, soprano **Diane Abel**, soprano **Detra Battle**, baritone **Casper Vecchione**, bass **Michael Consoli** and bass **Joseph Eubanks**, accompanied by **Dick Smith** will perform on Fri. Jul 7 at 8pm at the Lyceum Historic site, 201 S. Washington St. Alexandria, VA. Admission \$20 with group rate available. Refreshments will be served. Reservations recommended. For more info call 202-364-1522.

Méta, traditional Hungarian dance music**Thursday, July 20, 12pm**

The American Folklife Center at the Library of Congress presents **Méta** straight from Budapest, Hungry playing traditional Hungarian dance music. The concert will be across from the US Capitol, one block N of Capitol South Metro on the Orange or Blue Line). FREE. For more info call 202-707-9189.

Altan**Thursday, July 26, 7pm**

The songs and tunes of County Donegal in the Northwest corner of Ireland dominate the rich repertoire of **Altan**, a peerless quintet of singers and instrumentalists who capture the illusive power in the myriad melodies of Donegal's intermingled Irish and Scottish ancestors. The concert will be in the Baird Auditorium, Natural History Museum. Admission is \$15 SA members, \$20 non-members, \$12 students with ID. For more info call 202-357-3030.

Squeeze Bayou**Saturday, July 29, 1pm**

Saturday afternoon concert with **Squeeze Bayou** will take place at Borders Books and Records in the White Flint Mall in Rockville, MD. Music is from 1 - 3pm. Admission is FREE. For more info call 301-270-2586.

The Folktale**May 15 - June 17**

Corcoran School of Art will sponsor a course in storytelling given by Dr. Varda Fish. The course will be offered Mondays and Wednesdays from 9am - 12:20pm on the main campus of the Corcoran, 500 17th St. NW, Washington, DC. For more info call 301-897-5435.

Showtunes Circle**4th Wednesday of each month**

Showtunes Circle is an informal, for-fun-only get together for people who like to sing songs from musicals. We do not perform in public. We sing only for our own pleasure. You do NOT need to be musically talented to join us. We meet on the 4th Wednesday of each month. Our next meeting will be June 28 at 7:30pm. Able pianists welcome to attend. Info 301-468-9233 or 301-589-1439.

Dupont Music Circle**Every Wednesday, 8pm**

Come sing and play British Isles folk music with us, for fun and no profit! More than 11 years after it began, the Dupont Music Circle, by professionalism ne'er sullied, by talent now and again visited, by enthusiasm oft inspired, still meets informally every Wed. evening, alternating between DC (June 14, 28; July 12, 26) and Arlington, (June 7, 21; July 5, 19). More info call 202-775-8837.

Folk Alley**Doris Justis**

Doris Justis will spin the CD's and tapes on WTRI Radio Saturdays from 1 - 3pm. Featured will be contemporary, traditional and vintage folk music spotlighting local and regional acoustic music. Local artists send your CD's to D. Justis, PO Box 4867, Washington, DC 20008.

IN CONCERT

Carey Creed

Henderson, Lash and Creed in Concert

Carey Creed Every Wed in Jun/Jul. at Cate's Bistro, 715 King St., Alexandria, VA. 7pm. Reservations recommended. For more info call 703-549-0533.

Sat Jun 3 Washington Folk Festival
 Thurs Jun 8 Fort Ward Museum, 4301 Braddock Rd., Alexandria, VA. 7pm. For more info call 703-883-4686
 Sun Jul 2 Downs Park, 8311 Johns Downs Loop, Pasadena, MD. 6 - 8pm. For more info call 410-222-6230.

Henderson, Lash and Creed

Fri Jun 30
 & Sat. Jul 1 Nickleby's, 156 Enterprise St., Sterling, VA. 9pm. For info call 703-444-2208
 Sat. Jun 24 E. M. Magoo's, 2429 Reedy Dr., Wheaton, MD. 9pm - 1am. For info call 301-947-2777.
 Sun. Jun 25 Live Album taping at Seaport Inn Restaurant, 6 Kings St. Alexandria, VA. Featuring Roger Henderson. 7pm For more info call 703-549-2341.

Doris Justis in Concert

Sat. Jun 3 Washington Folk Festival, 8:30pm
 Thurs Jun 15 Washington Hospice & Home, 3720 Upton St. NW, Washington, DC. 2:30pm. For more info 202-895-0172.
 Sat & Sun Jun 24 & 25 Mountville Folk Festival, Middleburg, VA. For more info 703-687-6759.
 Sat Jul 8 Columbia Lakefront Summer Concert, Columbia, MD 8pm. For more info 410-381-9585.
 Sat Jul 22 Northern Virginia Ethical Society, Lorton, VA (Fundraiser House Concert) 8pm. For more info 703-690-1653.
 Sun Jul 23 Washington Ethical Society (Fundraiser Children's Concert) For more info 301-564-9675.
 Mon Jul 24 Alexandria Waterfront Concert, Alexandria, VA. 8pm For more info 703-838-4844.

Cathy Fink and Marcy Marxer in Concert

Fri Jun 16 Columbia, MD, Columbia Festival of the Arts, **ADULT CONCERT**, 7pm, Alexandria Lippencott, 410-715-3044
 Thurs. Jun 29 Towson, MD, Baltimore County Commission on Arts & Sciences, Family Concert, time TBA Amy DiAngelo, 410- 887-5372

New St. George in concert

Sat. Jun 3 Washington Folk Festival
 Sun Jun 11 Fairfax County Fair, 12 - 1pm, World Music Stage, Fairfax County Govt. Ctr., 12011 Govt., Ctr. Pkwy., Fairfax, VA/ For more info 703-324-3247.
 Mon Jun 12 Clarendon Metro Plaza, Clarendon Blvd. & N. Highland St., Arlington, VA 12- 1:30pm. For more info 703-358-6960.

Hickory Grove in Concert

Sun Jun 4 15th Annual Herndon Festival, Cafe Stage, Herndon Municipal Center, Herndon, VA. 2 -3pm For more info 703-435-6868.
 Sun Jun 11 Annual Car Show, Sully Historic Plantation Site, 3601 Sully Rd. Chantilly, VA. 12 - 1pm & 2 -3pm For more info 703-437-1794.
 Sat Jun 17 Concert Series by the Lake, Cunningham Falls Park, Thurmont, MD. 7 - 8pm For more info 301-271-7574.
 Fri Jun 23 Frederick Festival of the Arts. 1:30 - 3:30pm For more info 301-694-9632.
 Sat Jun 24 Northern Virginia Fine Arts Festival, Reston Town Center, Reston, VA. 11- 12:30pm For more info 703-471-9242.
 Sun Jun 25 National Capital Barbeque Battle, Georgetown Waterfront, Wisconsin Ave. at K St. 2:15 - 3:15pm. For more info 703-319-0101.
 Sun Jul 2 Arts in the Mansion Series, Rockville Civic Center, Rockville, MD. 2 -3pm For more info 301-309-3340.
 Tues Jul 4 Town of Vienna Fourth of July Festival Center & Cherry Sts., Vienna, VA. 4 - 5pm For more info 703-255-6352.
 Fri Jul 7 Friday Night in the Park Concerts Potomac Overlook Park, 2845 Marcey Rd., Arlington, VA. 7 - 8pm For more info 703-528-5406.
 Thurs Jul 20 Summer Courtyard Concert Series, Oakland Mills Village Center, Columbia, MD. 8 - 9pm For more info 410-730-4610.



Sue Trainor in concert
 Sat. Jun 3 Washington Folk Festival with Sue Ribaud 6pm, Parodies workshop with Eileen Joyner & Don Stallone 7:30pm
 Wed Jul 5 Columbia Lakefront Summer Festival 8pm with Eileen Joyner & Don Stallone. For more info 410-381-2834.
 Wed Jul 19 Sunset Serenade Concert series 7pm Centennial Park. Family singing with Sue Ribaud. For more info 410-313-4451.

Mill Run Dulcimer Band in concert
 Sat Jun 10 Reunion concert with former members Terry Houff, Robin Gaiser and Kathleen Gotzmer at Colvin Run Mill Park, 5 miles west of the Capital Beltway at Tysons Corner, VA on Rte. 7. For more info 703-759-2771.
 Sun Jun 18 Father's Day concert of old time sentimental music at Colvin Run Mill Park. 2 -4 pm. See above entry for directions.



LOCAL CLUB VENUES

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

Open mike with a 3-song limit. \$1 cover. Member Showcase 1st Tuesday. **Bill Staines 6/13** \$8 (\$7 members) **Richard Gilewitz 7/25** \$6 (\$5 members) Tortilla Factory, 648 Elden St., Herndon, VA. Info: 703-437-7766 or 703-573-6855. Smoke FREE venue.

Open Door Coffeehouse Saturday, June 3 & July 1, 8pm

The Open Door Coffeehouse is a no-smoking, no-alcohol coffeehouse located in the social hall of Fairlington United Methodist Church, 3900 King St., Alexandria, VA. at the intersection of I-395 and Rte. 7. Donation admission. Info call 202-775-1742.

Jun 3 **Debbie MacFarlan, Mary Blankemeier & Al Williams**

Jul 1 **Vicky Pratt Keating, The Mollys**

Coffeehouse Good Counsel Saturday, June 17, 8:30pm

Open Stage: Acoustic musicians, singers, songwriters, story tellers and poets invited to participate. Sheepshead Bay hosts. Admission is \$5. Smoke FREE venue, complimentary refreshments and ample parking. Located at Good Counsel High School Library (2nd Floor), 11601 Georgia Ave., Wheaton, MD. For more info call 301-680-8669 (evenings).

Del Ray Coffeehouse Saturday, June 10, 8pm

Our final show this season will feature famed storyteller **Lawanda Randall**, acoustic folk/rock and country duo **The Wheel** with Mike Bobrick and Steve Shartel and the sensational a capella jazz vocal quartet **Da Vinci's Notebook**. Del Ray Coffeehouse is located at the Del Ray United Methodist Church fellowship hall, 100 East Windsor Ave., Alexandria, VA. This is a Smoke FREE venue. Local musicians are encouraged to sign up for a 15-minute open mike set, two openers at each performance. For more info and directions call M-F 9 am - 1pm 703-549-2088. Admission is \$5 unless otherwise noted.

Sat Jun 10 **Lawanda Randall, The Wheel, Da Vinci's Notebook**
 July/August **DARK**

Music Americana Showcase Wednesday, June 21 & July 19, 8:15pm

Music Americana presents a monthly showcase of national and regional folk music performers at Bad Habits, 5444 Columbia Pike, Arlington, VA. Showcases will be held on the 3rd Wednesday of the month at 8:30pm. Admission is \$6 & proceeds benefit the World Folk Music Association. Dick Cerri is host & emcee.

Wed Jun 21 **James Mee, Sarah Green, Margie Rylett and Joseph Parsons**
 Wed Jul 19 **Steve Gellman, The Mollys, Don Conoscenti and others TBA**

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.0

Friday Night Dance

The Friday Night Dancers and the National Park Service sponsor contra dances (with occasional squares) every Friday night at the Spanish Ballroom at Glen Echo Park on MacArthur Boulevard. The dances begin at 8:30. The admission price is \$5 unless otherwise noted. A four-week series of classes for beginning dancers starts on the first Friday of the month 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. The June classes will be taught by Ann Fallon. For recorded information about who will be playing for the current week's dances, call the DC Dance Hotline at 301-270-1678. If you wish to discuss any aspect of the dance or would like to play or call for a Friday Night Dance, please contact Betsy Platt at (301) 320-7099 or bplatt@access.digex.com.

Bands and callers for June and July will be:

- Jun 2 *Future Geezers* with Lou Shapiro
- Jun 9 Open Band with Donna Barker
- Jun 16 *Folk Remedy* with Michael Schechtmann
- Jun 23 *Roustabout* with Bev Smith
- Jun 30 Kerry Elkins(of *Fresh Fish*) and Larry Unger(of *Uncle Gizmo*) PLUS Carol Hamm on bass, with Nancy Mamlin
- Jul 7 *Blue Bamboo* / caller TBA
- Jul 14 Open Band with Carlotta Wellington
- Jul 21 *Hoover Uprights* with Chris Youngblood
- Jul 28 *Brandt, Brandt, Jacobs and Glickman* / caller TBA

Scandinavian Dance Saturday, June 3, 8pm

Last dance of the season, will resume in October. Music by *Peascods Gathering*, at TPIS. Emphasis on teaching beginners the lovely and rewarding traditional couple turning dances (such as hambo, pols, schottish) in a small, friendly group, with individualized instruction by experienced dancers. Teaching 8 - 9pm, general dancing 9 - 10:30pm. \$4 N/E, N/P. \$4. For more info call 301-493-6281, 703-356-3036 or 301-762-4541.



Clogging

Thursdays 2nd & 4th

Come to the Clog Palace for free-style Appalachian clogging, 2nd and 4th Thursdays of the month at the Chicken Place, 11201 Grandview Avenue, Wheaton MD. Admission \$5. From the Beltway, take Georgia Avenue north toward Wheaton, then a left onto Veirs Mill road. At the second light, take a right onto Reedie Drive. Take an immediate left onto Grandview Avenue. The Chicken Place is just before the large public parking lot on the right. Information: Julie Mangin (301)495-0082.

- Jun 8 *The Hoover Uprights* (Bill Schmidt, Kate Brett, Kevin Enoch, John Schwab)
- Jun 22 *Roustabout* (Chris Romaine, Lars Hanslin, Jim Bollman, Nancy Mamlin)
- Jul 13 To be announced
- Jul 27 To be announced

Maryland Klezmer Club

Sunday, June 4 & 25; July 9 & 23, 6:30 - 9pm

Authentic East-European Jewish Music by the acclaimed *Machaya Klezmer Band*. Concert, Klezmer dance instruction, fine food from Julian's Restaurant at Chevy Chase Holiday Inn, 5220 Wisconsin Ave. Admission \$2.50 for everyone, dining optional. Call 301-656-1500 for reservations.

Reston Dance

Saturday, June 10 & July 8, 8pm

Lou Shapiro will be the caller on Sat. Jun 10 and Andy Kane will be the caller on Sat. Jul 8 with *June Apple Band*, for the Reston Contra Dance from 8 - 11pm. At The Reston Community Center, 2310 Colts Neck Rd. Reston, VA. All levels welcome, no partner needed. Dance \$4.50. Beginners' workshop 7 -8pm., \$1.50. For more info call Alice Markham 703-709-9121.

English Country Dance

2nd & 4th Saturdays, June 10, 8:15pm

Last dance of the season, will resume in September. Music by *Peascods Gathering*, calling by Barbara Harding, at Sligo Middle School, 1401 Dennis Ave., Silver Spring, MD. Personal instruction for beginners, 8 - 8:15pm. N/E, N/P. \$4. For more info call 301-493-6281, 301-946-5388 or 301-577-5018.

Scandia DC

Scandia DC's monthly 3rd Saturday night Scandinavian couple dancing at Takoma-Langley Community Center will take a summer vacation this year (June through August) and resume in September. For more info 202-333-2826.

Zydeco Dance

Saturday, June 10, 9pm

Enjoy red hot zydeco music and come dance to *Roy Carrier & the Night Rockers* in the Spanish Ballroom at Glen Echo Park, MacArthur Blvd. at Goldsboro Rd., Glen Echo, MD. Beginners zydeco workshop from 8 - 9pm. Dance 9 - 12pm. Admission \$10 (includes dance and workshop). For info call 301-309-0895. Sponsored by Crawfish Productions in cooperation with the National Park Service.

Northern Virginia Ceili

Saturday, June 10, 7:30pm

The Northern Virginia Ceili will be on Sat. Apr. 8 at the John Wood Center, 3701 Old Lee Highway, Fairfax, VA. from 8pm to Midnight. FREE lessons for beginners from 7:30 - 8pm. Music by the *Bogwanderers Ceili Band*. Admission: Adults \$10; children under 16 \$5; family \$20; children under 6 FREE. Complimentary tea, coffee and soda bread; soft drinks for sale. For info 703-978-8265.

CDS Northern Virginia Dance Group

English Country Dance and Workshop, June 13 and 27, 7:45 pm. Figures, phrasing, and style taught. Calling by Howard Markham, Pat Ruggiero, occasional guests. Musician: Pat Wexelblat, recorder. Guest musicians welcome--call Howard. N/P, N/E. \$3. Harding Hall, 730 Jackson Street, Herndon, Virginia. Call Howard or Pat at 703-471-0629 for information.

English Country Dance, 3rd Saturday, June 17.

Calling by Barbara Harding, recorded music. All are welcome. No admission charge. N/P, N/E. Harding Hall, 730 Jackson Street, Herndon, Virginia. For more information, call Barbara Harding at 703-437-3615.

Argentine Tango Tea Dance

Sunday, June 11, 2pm

An Argentine tango tea dance will be held at Dancers, 4609 Willow Ln., Bethesda, MD. Recorded music: authentic style 30's, 40's & 50's Argentine tango and Milonga (also some big band swing and Latin). \$8. For more info 301-656-0595.

Zydeco Dance

Saturday, June 16, 8pm

Come to a Zydeco/Cajun dance at the Market 5 Gallery in Eastern Market's North Hall, Washington, DC. The Nov. 26 dance will feature the popular local band *Zydeco Crayz*. Dance instruction will be given by *Terry Davey* from 7:30 - 8pm. The dance will be held from 8pm to 11pm. Admission is \$10. Eastern Market is located on 7th St. SE between C St. & North Carolina Ave. For info call 202-543-0587.

Sunday Waltzing in the Park

Sunday, June 18, 3:30pm

Enjoy a fun-filled afternoon waltzing to the tunes of some of the area's finest waltz ensembles. Come waltzing on Sunday Afternoons in the Spanish Ballroom at Glen Echo National Park. This regularly scheduled waltz dance is unique in this area and is sponsored in cooperation with the National Park Service on the third Sunday of every month. Introductory waltz workshop, 3:30pm with two hours of social dancing. Admission is \$6. For more info call 703-978-0375.

Jun 18 *Vienna String Orchestra*

Tom Cunningham Orchestra

Saturday, June 25 & July 22, 9pm

Join the cats who are swingin' at Glen Echo Park with the Tom Cunningham Orchestra in the Spanish Ballroom. Dancing from 9pm with Swing workshop from 8 - 9pm. Admission \$8 including workshop. \$49 for a season pass. For more info 703-533-8864.

Fais Do-Do

Sunday, June 25, 6pm

Roy Carrier & the Night Rockers will rock the walls of the Cherry Hill Ballroom with traditional zydeco music at Cherry Hill Park Ballroom, 9800 Cherry Hill Rd., College Park, MD. Beginners zydeco workshop from 5 - 6pm. Dance 6 - 9pm. Admission \$10 (Dance workshop and dance). Info call 301-309-0895. Sponsored by Crawfish Productions in cooperation with Cherry Hill Park.

Swing Dance

Saturday, July 1 & July 15, 9pm

It's time to go Swingin' in the Glen! The Washington Swing Dance Committee proudly brings you the best in local (and national) bands. You're always sure to meet your old friends and make some new ones at our regularly-scheduled dances and special events. There will be a pre-dance workshop from 8 - 9pm. Admission to the dance for this special fundraiser is \$12. Glen Echo Park, 7300 MacArthur Blvd. Glen Echo, MD. For more info 301-340-9732.

Sat Jul 1

Big Joe and the Dynafloes

Sat Jul 15

Mitch Woods.

WACZA Cajun Dance
Friday, July 7, 8:30pm

The monthly WACZA dance features Cajun music with the California Cajuns who are the core members of the award-winning California Cajun Orchestra. (Danny Poullard, Suzy Thompson, Eric Thompson and Edward Poullard). Cherry Hill Park, College Park, MD. Workshop 8 - 8:50pm. Dancing is from 9 - 11:30pm. Admission to this dance is \$8 for WACZA members and \$10 nonmembers. For info 703-739-3836.

Cajun/Zydeco/Tex-Mex Dance
Sunday, July 16, 6pm

Enjoy Cajun, Zydeco and Tex-Mex music, which originated in the South Louisiana and Texas/Mexico border country dance halls and come dance to the emotionally charged and smoothly-harmonized vocals of Los Rock Angeles at Cherry Hill Park, 9800 Cherry Hill Rd., College Park, MD. Beginners Cajun and Tex-Mex workshop from 5 - 6pm, Dance 6 - 9pm Admission \$10 (Includes dance workshop and dance). For more info 301-309-0895. Sponsored by Crawfish Productions in cooperation with Cherry Hill Park.

Squeeze Bayou
Sunday, July 30, 6pm

Sunday evening Cajun music continues at Tornado Alley with *Squeeze Bayou*. It's an early evening of Cajun dancing and children are welcome. Workshop takes place from 5 - 6pm. Dancing from 6 - 8:30pm. Admission is \$7 for adults. Kids - FREE. Tornado Alley is located just off of University Blvd. on Elkin St. in Wheaton, MD. For info call 301-270-2586.

Zydeco Dance
Sunday, July 23 & July 30, 6pm

Come hear Geno Delafosse & the Eunice Playboys and dance to the high energy improvisation of traditional zydeco music on Sun. Jul 23. Come dance to Brian Terry & the Zydeco Travelers on Sun. Jul 30 at Cherry Hill Park, 9800 Cherry Hill Rd., College Park, MD. Beginners zydeco workshop from 5 - 6pm. Dance 6 - 9pm. Admission \$10 (Includes dance workshop and dance). For more info 301-309-0895. Sponsored by Crawfish Productions in cooperation with Cherry Hill Park.

DANCE CLASSES

Dance classes - Donna Barker & Ken Haltenhoff, Synergy Dance Center, Jun 5 - Jun 19 & Jul 3, 7:10 - 8:10pm Intermediate swing, 8:10 - 9:10pm Exper. Swing, 9:10 - 10:10pm Advance Swing. 4 week session is \$44, \$40 if paid one week prior to classes. Synergy Dance Center, 4321 Wisconsin Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20016. Make checks payable to Halbark Dance. For more info call 703-978-0375. Taped music.

Dance classes - Donna Barker & Ken Haltenhoff, Glen Echo Park Spanish Ballroom. Thursdays Jun 1-22, 7-8pm Beginner Swing, 8-9pm Experienced Waltz 9-10pm Beginning Lindy. \$36 for four weeks. For more info call 703-978-0375. Taped music.
Irish Céilí and Country Set Classes - Spanish Ballroom, Glen Echo Park, MD. 7 - 8pm Beg. 8 - 9pm Adv. N/P Weds. Info: 301-840-1416.

Irish Céilí and Country Set Classes - Frost Center, Rockville, MD. Adv. 7:45-9:30pm. N/P. For more info call 301-840-1416.
Irish dance lessons - Classes resume January 18 in Gaithersburg, MD. Beginner's welcome. For more info call 301-948-2458.

Irish Weekend
July 29 - 31, 1995

The Nation's Capital Feis is a spectacular annual Cultural Festival celebrating Irish heritage and tradition. The weekend will have traditional Irish dancing on the Ellipse Sat. Jul 29, a pre-feis céilí Sat. Jul 29, the Feis Sun Jul 30 and a step dance workshop with Deirdre Cadwell Mon Jul 31. For more info call 703-241-1978.

Polish Dance Group Looking for New Members
 Dawn Tance, Polish folk dance performing group is seeking new members. For more info call 301-890-0920 or 703-271-8681.

International Folk Dancing in Columbia

International Folk Dancing is held every Wednesday night at Kahler Hall in the village of Harper's Choice, Columbia, MD. from 8 - 10:30pm. Dances are taught the first hour and request dancing to recorded music follows. The group does line, circle and partner dances from Eastern Europe, Western Europe, and parts of Asia. We have frequent parties and workshops. New dancers are always welcome. Admission is \$3. For more info call 410-740-2309.

Greek Dancing

Join us for Greek Dancing Sunday nights. The group meets in Laurel, MD. at the Deerfield Community Center. Authentic Greek dances are taught to recorded music. N/P. For more info call Chris Brettat 301-953-7882.

International Folk Dancing

The Saturday night international folk dance group at the Takoma-Langley Community Center will be taking a break over the summer, due to scheduling conflicts at Takoma-Langley Community Center. The last folk dance of the season will be a party featuring music with Luk na Glavata (Macedonian). Šarenica (Tamburitsa) and Loretta Kelley (Scandinavian). Join us for a terrific night of live music, great dancing & socializing! Info 301-565-0539.

DANCE CLASSES continued

Contra Class - Sponsored by Mont. County Rec. Dept. 10 week class, beginning Wed. Mar. 30, 8 - 10pm, Argyle Park Center on Forest Glen Rd., Silver Spring, MD. For more info call 598-3696.

Zydeco Dance Class - 4 week session beginning May 16- Jun 6, Tues. Beg. 7:15-8:15pm, Adv. 8:30-9:30pm. \$36. Glen Echo Spanish Ballroom, Glen Echo, Md. For more info call 301-309-0895.

Cajun & Zydeco dance lessons beginning June 27 for 4 weeks Tuesday nights. Beg. Zydeco 7:30-8:30pm Beg. Cajun 8:30-9:30pm. \$36. For more info 301-309-0895.

Greek, Israeli and other International folk dances beginning under the sponsorship of the Mont. Co. Recreation Dept. 301-217-6880. Learn specialty ethnic dances from a professional teacher Anna Pappas 301-340-8723. Starting Friday evenings 8 - 9:30pm at Beverly Farms Elementary. Admission \$40.50 for a ten week session. Recorded music.

Early Bird dancing - If you are an early bird, Tuesday mornings from 10 - 11:30am at Forest Glen Sr. Center may be just right for you. Beginners, intermediates, re-newers, singles, couples, trios, whatever ... all are welcome. The music is from tapes, so that you can experience the exotic flavors of the different cultures. Wear comfortable shoes!. For more info call 301-340-8723.

INTERNATIONAL FOLK DANCES

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

Sun: GREEK DANCING Deerfield Community Center, Laurel, MD. Recorded music. N/P Info: 301-953-7882.

Mon: SCOTTISH DANCE 8:15pm NIH Fitness Center, Bldg T-39, Bethesda. Info: Peggy Dennis 301-983-9738

INTERNATIONAL FOLK DANCING Leland Community Center, 4301 Willow St., Bethesda, MD. Beginner's class - 10 classes 7:15 - 8:00pm \$40, Intermediate/Advanced class 8 - 10pm 5 classes \$24.25, 7 classes \$30.75, 10 classes \$40.50. For info call the Diamonds 301-871-8788.

Tues.: ARLINGTON INTERNATIONAL FOLK DANCE open class every Tuesday from 8 - 10pm at Key Elem School, Key Blvd. (between Adams & Veitch, 3 blocks from Courthouse Metro), Arlington VA. \$3. refreshments served. Dancing nonstop to recorded music with instruction-walk through-request throughout. Singles welcome, and all ages and levels of expertise. Stulbergs: 703-527-8998.

SCOTTISH DANCE 8pm, Washington Episcopal School, River Rd., Bethesda. Info: Jim 202-234-6840.

Wed.: SCOTTISH DANCE 8pm. Durant Center on Cameron St., Alexandria, VA. Info: 703-549-6077.

IRISH DANCE CLASSES- Spanish Ballroom, Glen Echo Park, MacArthur Blvd., Glen Echo, MD. Wednesdays. 7:30pm beginner, 8:30pm

intermediate to advanced. 11 classes for \$25 beginners, \$30 intermediate/advance. For more info call 301-840-1416. Preregister with Glen Echo Park. SILVER SPRING GUMBO GROUPIES Long Branch Community Center, Social Hall A, 8700 Piney Branch Rd., Silver Spring. 7:30pm For info call 301-439-4815.

MOUNT VERNON INTERNATIONAL FOLK DANCE taught by George Tressel. BEG. to INT. N/E, N/P 8 - 10pm Recorded music. Seasonal parties \$2.50 Mt. Vernon Unitarian Meeting Hall, 1909 Windmill Ln., Alexandria. Info: 703-780-2393.

INTERNATIONAL FOLK DANCE, Kahler Hall, Harper's Choice, Columbia, MD. 8 - 10pm. Recorded music. Frequent parties & workshops. Info: 410-740-2309 or 410-997-1613.

Thurs: IRISH DANCE CLASSES- Frost Center, Aspen Hill Rd. Thursdays. 8pm. \$25 donation to the Frost Center. For more info call 301-840-1416.

INTERNATIONAL FOLK DANCING Chevy Chase Community Center, 5601 Conn. Ave. NW, DC. 7:30 - 9:30pm FREE. Info call 301-572-4215.

Fri. INTERNATIONAL FOLK DANCING Beltsville Community Center, 3900 Sellman Rd., Beltsville, MD. 8 - 10pm 8 classes \$30. For more info call 301-572-4215.

TRAD. EUROPEAN COUPLE DANCE, Catonsville Prebyterian Church, 1400 Frederick Rd., Catonsville, MD, 2nd & 4th of each mth., 8pm, \$2. Info 410-997-8173.

AND BEYOND**MARYLAND****Baltimore Folk Music Society News**

Hotline: 410-366-0808

Squares and Contrás.

Wednesdays, 8pm Lovely Lane Church, 2200 St. Paul St. Admission \$5 for BFMS, \$7 nonmembers. Your card is required to enter as a member. Basic steps taught at a workshop 2nd & 4th Wed. of each month.

Jun 7 **Ann Fallon** calling to *The June Apple Band*

Jun 14 **Robbin Schaffer** calling to *Beyond the Beltway*

Jun 21 **Larry Edelman** calling to Open Band

Jun 28 **Nancy Mamlin** calling to *Lucrative Gig Boys*

July's callers and bands were not available. Consult the BFMS Hotline for the information.

BFMS continued

English Country Dance.

Mondays 8pm Lovely Lane Church, 2200 St. Paul St.
Admission \$5 for BFMS, \$7 nonmembers. Your card is required to enter as a member. First time attendee FREE.

- Jun 5 **Rich Galloway** calling to **Malcolm Stephens, Marty Taylor, Sue Ribaud**
Jun 12 **Jenny Beer** calling to **Elke Baker, Linda Block and Liz Donaldson**
Jun 19 **Christopher Field** calling to **Andrea Hoag and Kathy Talvite**
Jun 26 **Diane Schmit** calling to **Maggie Brown's Favorites**

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**Open Band Rehearsal****Tuesday, June 13**

Welcome, welcome all instruments, ages and skill levels to Baltimore's Open Band. If you can't meet to play the 2nd Tuesday of the month, we've got music available at the dances. So, come enrich our community and yours. For a good time call Robbin or David at 410-366-2742 or Susan at 410-254-1730 for more info and directions. For May please call Robbin for directions.

BFMS Second Saturday Dance**Saturday, June 10, 8pm**

Workshop: "Old-Fashioned Couples Dances" World-renowned caller, musician, dance instructor and bon-vivant **John Krumm** will teach a variety of dances that would typically have been enjoyed at a New England contra dance 75 years ago. Dances will include the schottische, waltz, polka and others, depending on participants interests. Not to be missed.
Dance: "New-Fashioned Old-Style Contra Dance" High energy contra and square dances, interspersed with (you guessed it) old-fashioned couples dances. Called by **John Krumm**, to string band music by some of the Philadelphia area's best contra dance musicians: **Matthew Clark, Judi Stellar, Kathy Talvite and Peter Soloway**.
Workshop 7 - 8pm \$2 general admission/ \$1.99 members.
Dance 8 - 11pm \$8 general admission/ \$6 members.
Lovely Lane Church, 2200 St. Paul St. Baltimore, MD.
For more info call the BFMS Hotline 410-366-0808.

REST OF MARYLAND

Patapsco Scottish Dancers**2nd & 4th Tuesdays each month, 8 - 10pm**

Scottish dancing is GREAT FUN, social, aerobic and challenging. Geared for beginners, we welcome all levels of dancers, all ages, singles & couples and work on keeping it interesting and fun for all. **Annamarie Pluhar** and **Elke Baker** teach, Elke provides first class music on the fiddle. We meet at the Caryl Maxwell Dance Studio, (wood floors and mirrors) 8030 Main St. 4th floor, Ellicott City, MD. Bring soft soled shoes and \$5. For info call 301-589-6813

Coffeehouse at Mays Chapel**Fridays, 8:30pm**

The Coffeehouse of Mays Chapel United Methodist Church, 11911 Jennifer Rd., Timonium, MD presents concerts which are \$8 unless otherwise noted. Show time is 8:30pm. The concerts are non-profit educational, alcohol and smoke FREE. The church is wheelchair accessible. For more info call 410-922-5210.

- Jun 3 **Schooner Fair** Tickets \$17.50 **LAST SHOW OF THE SEASON. SEE YOU SEPTEMBER 8TH WITH THE SMITH SISTERS.**

Archie Edwards**Saturday, June 17, 8pm**

Southern Maryland Traditional music and Dance and the Calvert Marine museum present **Archie Edwards** in concert at the Calvert Marine Museum in Solomons, Maryland. Concert starts at 8pm. Tickets are \$9 or \$8 for Calvert Marine members. For more info 410-586-3556.

Pete & Maura Kennedy**Saturday, July 15, 8pm**

Southern Maryland Traditional Music and Dance and the Calvert Marine Museum present **Pete & Maura Kennedy** in concert at the Calvert Marine Museum in Solomons, MD. Concert begins at 8pm. Tickets are \$12 or \$10 for Calvert Marine Museum members. For more info 410-586-3556.

Frederick Country Dances
Saturday, June 24 & July 22, 8pm

On June 24, **Denise Lair** calls mostly contras to the music of **Moose Chowder**. On July 1, **Erna-Lynne Bogue** calls to the music of **A Band Named Bob**. Pot luck dinner before the dance at 6pm in the Gazebo in Baker Park. Dances hosted by Mid-Maryland Folk Arts Council every fourth Saturday at the Old Armory, corner of Second and Bentz. Directions: From Rte. 70 take 15N exit at Rosemont Ave. and go straight at light onto 2nd St. follow to Bentz. Armory is on the right. FREE beginners workshop promptly at 7pm. MMFAC members \$4, nonmembers \$6, Frederick City residents \$3. For more info call 1-301-694-6794.

Westminster Country Dance
Common Ground On The Hill

Common Ground On the Hill announces its 1995 summer courses. The first week (July 9 - 14) is Instrumental Week and Traditions in Black and White. Week two will be Vocal and International Week. For more info and/or to receive a catalog please contact Common Ground On The Hill WMC Box 1296, Western Maryland College in Westminster, MD. For more info call 410-857-1710.

Labor Day Balkan Dance & Music Weekend
September 1 - 4, 1995

Larry Weiner and Margaret Loomis, of **Old World Music and Dance**, will be holding another exciting, fun-packed Labor Day folk dance and music camp at beautiful Camp Ramblewood, only 1½ hours from the DC area, in northeastern Maryland. They will be bringing **Joszi Szavai** and the 5-member **Vizin Orchestra** from southwestern Hungary, to teach music classes and dances from the ethnic Serbian and Croatian communities of the multi culturally diverse region. Excellent dance instruction will also be provided by **Steve Kotansky**, teaching line and couple dances from the Balkans and **Joe Graziosi**, teaching dances from the Greek islands and mainland. Music will be provided by the superb bi-costal band, **Ziyia**, with **George Chittenden**, **Lise Liepman**, **Beth Cohen**, **Christos Govetas** and **Dan Auvil**. **Loretta Kelly** will add Scandinavian music for parties. Beginners are welcome! For more info 301-565-0539.

VIRGINIA

Bluemont Morris Dancers

The Bluemont Morris Dancers perform traditional English Morris Dances to celebrate the return of the sun in the Spring and the plenty of the harvest in the Fall. Practices are on Mon. evenings in Sterling, VA, near Dulles Airport. New Members, including beginners, are welcome. Call David 202-797-7395.

H M Dancers
Wednesdays 7pm

Eighteenth century English Country dances, cotillions and minuets classes. Weds. at the Northern VA Electric Co-op in Manassas, VA. For more info call Christine 703-636-4639.

Oatlands Celtic Festival
June 17 - 18, 1995

Save the weekend from 10am - 5pm for the 2nd annual Celtic Festival. The site is Oatlands Plantation, Leesburg, VA. Admission is \$8 per person per day, children under 12 FREE. No Pets allowed. More info call 703-777-3174.

Chincoteague Homestyle Music and Shrimp Festival
Saturday, June 10, 10 - 4pm

The First Chincoteague Homestyle Music and Shrimp Festival will be held at the Chincoteague carnival grounds. Tickets are \$20 for music and all the food you can eat. Only 1,000 tickets will be sold. Music by **Bob Zentz**, **The Northern Neck Chantey Singers**, **Maggie** and **New Dominon Bluegrass**. For more info 804-336-6161.

WEST VIRGINIA

Shepherdstown Dance
Saturday, June 3 & July 1, 8pm

On Jun 3, **Cindy Workman** calls contras to the music of **Some Assembly**. On July 1, **Ann Fallon** calls contras and squares to the music of **Andrea Hoag** and **Dave Wiesler**. Dance starts at 8pm. FREE beginners workshop at 7:15pm. Shepherdstown Men's Club, King & German Sts., Shepherdstown, WV. Bring soft soled shoes. Admission is \$6, SMADS members \$4.50. For more info: 304-725-0266 or 304-263-2531.

Dance Through Time with Savoy
June 15 - 18, 1995

9th annual **Savoy Swings Again** Swing Dance Weekend is back with an exciting cast of accomplished instructors. Dance instruction by **Charlie Womble & Jackie McGee**, **Debbie Ramsey & Wesley Boz** and **Marcus Koch & Barbara Kaufer**. Music by **The Sevilles**, **Peaches O'Dell** and **Her He-Man Orchestra** and **The J Street Jumpers**. \$240 for Thursday, Friday & Saturday nights, \$195 just Friday & Saturday nights. Checks payable to WSDC, mail to 9th Annual Savoy Swings Again % 116 East Rosemont Ave., Alexandria, VA. 22301. Send SASE legal size.

Country Dance Weekend September 15 - 17, 1995

A new committee (affiliated with CDSS) is producing this year's high-spirited event at Buffalo Gap Camp in Capon Bridge, WV. Staff: *Wild Asparagus*, Sue Dupre (tentative), *Critton Hollow String Band*. About \$150. Watch for flyers are the local dances. For info call 301-432-7779.

Space Still Available at CDSS Summer Camp Weeks

The following Country Dance and Song Society summer camp weeks still have space:

English & American Dance Week at Buffalo Gap, July 15 - 22; **Early Music Week at Pinewoods**, July 15 - 22; **Folk Music Week at Pinewoods**, July 22 - 29; **English Dance Week at Pinewoods**, August 19 - 26; **American Dance Week at Pinewoods**, August 26 - September 2.

For more info on these weeks or to register, please contact the Country Dance and Song Society at 17 New South St., Northampton, MA 01060 or call Steve at 413-584-9913. We can be faxed at 413-585-8728 or reached on e-mail at 71231.2526@compuserve.com.

PENNSYLVANIA

York Folk Dance Association Friday, June 2 & July 7, 8pm

The York Folk Dance Association invites you to a Folk/Contra dance at the Asbury United Methodist Church, 340 East Market St. All regular dances held Fridays. The contra dance will be 8 - 11pm with a beginner's workshop 7 - 8pm. Cost \$6. Please wear flat, soft-soled shoes. For more info call 717-845-2897 or 717-246-2065.

Jun 2 **Cindy Workham** calling to *Medicinal Purpose*.
Jul 7 **David Kirchner** calling to *The Mighty Possums*

Susquehanna Folk Music Society Saturday, June 17, 8pm

Capital Union Building, Penn State Harrisburg, Middletown. Potluck dinner 6:30pm, Beginner's workshop 7:15pm. Dance 8 - 11pm \$5 non-members \$3 SFMS members. For more info call 717-932-2348.
Jun 17 **Michael Schechtman** calling to *Terpsicore*

Special Concert & Contra Dance Saturday, July 15, 8pm

The York Folk Dance Association invites you to a very special concert and contra dance on Sat. Jul 15 featuring the renowned *Natalie MacMaster Band* from Cape Breton Island, Canada. The event will begin with a concert at 8pm followed by a dance until 11pm featuring the exuberant calling of **David Kirchner**. Location Valencia Ballroom, 142 N. George St., York, PA. Admission to both dance and concert is \$10 in advance \$12 at the door. For more info 717-845-2897.

NORTH CAROLINA

John C. Campbell Folk School Courses

June 18 - 24 -- Contra & square dance callers' course. Live music by **Steve Hickman** and **John Devine**. Instructor is **Bob Dalsemer**. For further info call 1-800-365-5724 or write John C. Campbell Folk School, Rte. 1 Box 14-A, Brasstown, NC 28902.

July 2 - 8 -- Contra & square dance musicians course. Instructors will be **Barbara Greenberg**, **David Kaynor**, **John Krumm**, **Bob Pasquarello** and **Bob Dalsemer**. For more info call 1-800-365-5724 or write John C. Campbell Folk School, Rte. 1 Box 14-A, Brasstown, NC 28902.

July 23 - 29 -- Effective Song Leading. Instructor will be **Jeff Warner**. For more info call 1-800-365-5724 or write John C. Campbell Folk School, Rte. 1 Box 14-A, Brasstown, NC 28902.

NEW YORK

Cranberry Dulcimer Gathering July 28 - 30, 1995

The 19th Annual Cranberry Dulcimer Gathering will be held July 28 - 30, 1995 at the Unitarian Universalist Church in Binghamton, NY. Included are workshops on fretted dulcimer, hammered dulcimer and autoharp; concerts; open stage; contra-dancing; jamming. Featured performers are **Bryan Bowers** (autoharp), **Rosamond Campbell** (mountain dulcimer), **Steve Schneider** (hammered dulcimer). Camping available. Info Ed Ware, 1259 Fowler Pl., Binghamton, NY 13903-6036
Phone: 607-669-4653.

EUROPE

S & S Folk Festival Tours of '95

Czech & Slovak Republics old and new -- June 29 - July 14 Folk festivals at Vychodna and Detva, High Tatras, ancient wooden churches, spas, wine caves, rafting the Dunajac, dining and dreaming in our own Castle.

Folk Tour of Bulgaria -- July 28 - August 14 - Koprivshitsa Festival - six stages on a mountaintop overlooking this museum town with dancers, singers, musicians and festivities.

Waterways of Russia -- August 22 - September 4 - Art treasures of Moscow and St. Petersburg, Red Square, Kremlin, St. Basil's Gum's Hermitage, Pushkin and more, our own Russian dance instructor on board ship.

Czech Contra dance Adventure -- October 12 - 24 - Join Czechs, Danes and other Europeans at the Czech Country Dance Festival in Prague with Don Armstrong calling and Diana Shaw clogging.

More info call Sam or Sarah at 703-527-3993 or write to S & S Folk Festival Tours, 2701 North 24th St., Arlington, VA 22207.

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Monday, July 10

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23 6:00 PM Zydeco Dance 6:30 PM Klezmer 7:30 PM FSGW DANCE: BUCHANA- N/A BAND NAMED BOB	24	25	26 8:00 PM FSGW ENG. CNTY DANCE	27 7:30 PM FSGW FOGGY BOT. INT. DANCE Clogging	28	29
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