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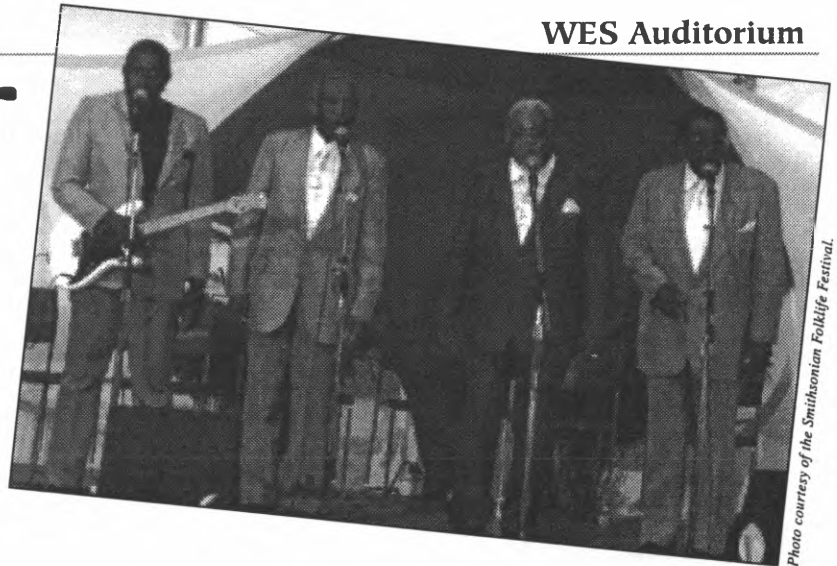
WES Auditorium

## The Four Echoes

*African-American  
Gospel Quartet*

**Saturday September 16**

**8pm**



Mark your calendars for a special evening of syncopated, stirring, sacred songs as the Four Echoes bring the African-American tradition of gospel quartet singing to the WES auditorium for our September program. *The Four Echoes* are four vintage gentlemen of religious commitment and musical elegance who keep alive the sophisticated traditions of quartet singing in the Washington, DC area.

Led by lead vocalist **Rev. William Evans**, the group also includes tenor **George G. Blake**, baritone **James Stein**, and **Glen Taylor** on lead guitar and vocals. Those of you who have enjoyed such masters of the quartet-singing idiom as the *Golden Gate Quartet* or the *Dixie Hummingbirds* will be astounded at the vitality of this local living tradition, as well as by the *Four Echoes'* rich and imaginative repertoire. In addition to leading the group, Rev. Evan is pastor of the Word of the World Church at 10<sup>th</sup> and G Streets, NW. *The Four Echoes* can be heard regularly on Sunday mornings at 8:15am on WWGB-AM. (Tune in for a preview of the September 16 concert!)

Don't miss this chance to hear a whole evening of the group that was such a huge hit at last summer's Smithsonian Festival of American Folklife. *The Four Echoes* will perform at 8pm on **Saturday, September 16**, at the **Washington Ethical Society**, located at **7750 16th St., NW, Washington, DC** just south of the intersection of Kalmia Rd. and 16th St., about four blocks inside the District from the DC/MD line. **Tickets at the door: \$10** (free to FSGW members, and you can join at the door). **Info:** FSGW's website at [www.fsgw.org](http://www.fsgw.org) or hotline at **202.546.2228**.

### FSGW Is Looking for a New Treasurer

Due to personal reasons, **Pat McGee** is no longer able to continue as FSGW Treasurer. He has agreed to continue to do our bookkeeping functions and will, of course, help the new Treasurer. Accordingly, we are looking for an FSGW member to assume the responsibilities of Treasurer. Because we already have a bookkeeper, the new Treasurer will not need accounting experience. However, the new Treasurer will need to participate in FSGW board meetings, oversee the bookkeeper, and work with the bookkeeper on financial issues that affect FSGW. Please contact our president, **Carl Mintz (202.543.4999)**, if you are interested in this position or could suggest an FSGW member who might be interested.

### **Bok, Trickett, Muir**

**Farewell  
Concert**

**Saturday, September  
23rd**

*Details on page 3*

**Order Your Tickets Now!  
They're going Fast!**

Spanish Ballroom

Glen Echo Park, Glen Echo, MD

# FSGW Sunday Night Contra Dance

## Sundays • 7:30 to 10:30pm



In the Spanish Ballroom at Glen Echo Park, MD on MacArthur Boulevard at Goldsboro Road unless otherwise noted. Called dances include a mix of traditional American contras and squares with live music by excellent bands. Experienced and new dancers are welcome, and no partner is needed. New dancers should come early, since dances become more challenging later in the evening. **Admission: \$8, \$6 for FSGW members and affiliated groups (BFMS, CDSS, ATDS).** The ballroom is not air-conditioned, so we recommend that dancers dress in layers, as they may get warmer as the evening progresses. **Info: Jay Ladin at 301.565.9104 or [www.fsgw.org](http://www.fsgw.org).**

**September**

- 3 *Whiskers Before Breakfast* (Al Taylor, Steve Benka, Ritchie Schuman) with Ridge Kennedy. At the Clara Barton Community Center.
- 10 *Greenfire* (Ken Kolodner, Laura Risk, and Keith Murphy) with Robbin Schaffer
- 17 *String Beings* (Laurie Fisher, Tom Troszak, Cailen Campbell) with Cis Hinkle
- 24 *The Hix* with Bev Smith

**October**

- 1 *Dance DuJour* with TBA

Glen Echo Town Hall

Glen Echo, MD

# FSGW Community Dance

## Sunday September 3 • 3:30 to 5pm



September is here and it is time to dance! The FSGW community dance is back at the Glen Echo Town Hall. Our dances are geared for children and adults. No experience is necessary; in fact we encourage you to bring "both left feet". **Ridge Kennedy** will call to *Whiskers Before Breakfast* featuring **Ritchie Schuman** on banjo, guitar, and piano, **Al Taylor** on fiddle, and **Steve Benka** on hammer dulcimer. **Admission: \$4/kids, \$5/adults**, with a maximum of \$15/ family. Bring a snack to share at the break. **Info: Tali or Bob 301.589.7539 or [talibob@starpower.net](mailto:talibob@starpower.net).**

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Special Event

Bethesda, MD

# Bok, Trickett & Muir

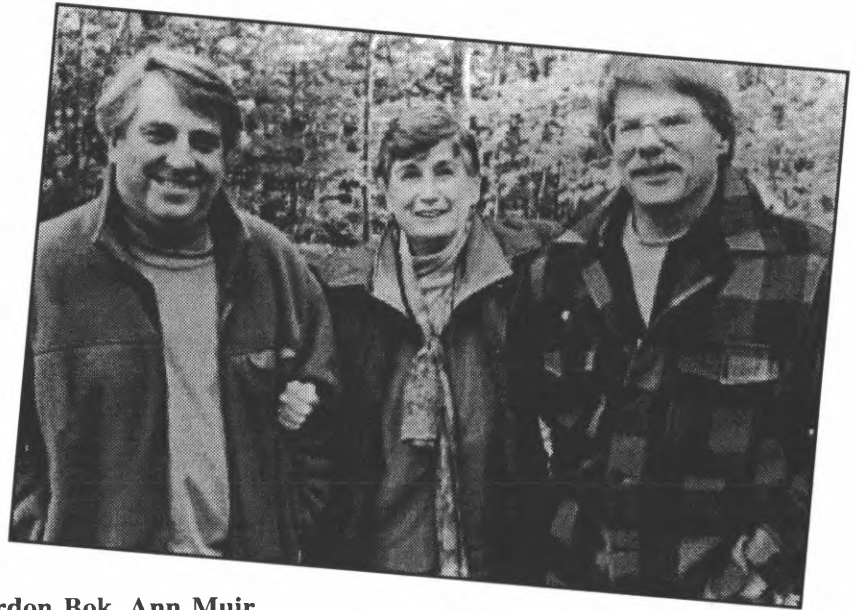
## Farewell

## Concert

## Saturday

## September 23

## 8pm



For more than thirty years, folksingers **Gordon Bok, Ann Muir and Ed Trickett** have captivated audiences throughout the country with musical performances which combine sea songs, mountain songs, dances, stories, cantefables, fine harmony singing, and an array of instruments that includes guitars, whistles, harp, flute, fiddle, hammer dulcimer and piano. Now the trio is bidding Washington, DC farewell in a concert to be held **Saturday, September 23 at 8pm at Bradley Hills Presbyterian Church, 6601 Bradley Boulevard, Bethesda, MD.**

The group's wide-ranging appeal was summed up by *Washington Post* music critic Richard Harrington when he wrote: "Whether singing children's songs, Russian hymns, Irish tunes or their own originals, Bok, Trickett and Muir swept the audience down an enchanted path of folk legacies colored by guitars, flute harp and hammered dulcimer, and most decidedly by the glorious simplicity of the unaffected human voice raised in celebration and renewal." In addition to pursuing solo careers, Bok, Trickett and Muir have released 11 recordings as a group. Their most recent recording, *Harbors of Home*, will be available for purchase at the concert.

**Tickets are \$16 for the general public and \$12 for FSGW members.** Tickets are available by advance order only. Advance tickets are now available. Only 450 tickets can be sold to this concert. To receive yours, send a check payable to FSGW to:

**BTM Tickets, c/o J. Woods  
8401 Cedar St.  
Silver Spring, MD 20910.**

*Please enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope.* Individual members of FSGW are limited to one ticket at member prices; family memberships may purchase up to 4 tickets at member prices. **Ticket cost is \$12 for FSGW members and \$16 for nonmembers.** Orders received before September 15 will be mailed; orders received after that date will be held at the door. Please include a phone number or e-mail address for us to notify you if the concert is sold out by the time your order is received.

For directions, parking information, and information on the Folklore Society of Greater Washington, call the **FSGW Hotline at 202.546.2228**, or visit the FSGW website at <http://www.fsgw.org>.



Glen Echo Town Hall

Glen Echo, MD



## FSGW English Country Dance

### Wednesdays • 8 to 10:30pm

Come to the FSGW's English country dance. Find a mix of fun and refined dancing led by talented callers who are accompanied by topnotch musicians playing tunes that are unique to each dance. On a given night you may hear anything from the ubiquitous piano and fiddle to the flute, harp, oboe, concertina, bassoon, or viola. Dance on a wood floor in the fine, climate controlled, community room at the Glen Echo Town Hall. Enjoy the friendly crowd, known for its welcoming nature, light refreshments, and dance from 8 to 10:30pm. Open to dancers of all experience levels. **Cost: members \$5, nonmembers \$6.** Free beginners' lesson every second Wednesday at 7:30 sharp. Dancers planning to attend the Playford Ball on October 7, sponsored by the Baltimore Folk Music Society, may anticipate that several dances on the ball program will be called for the benefit of those who wish to practice ahead of time.

Directions: From the Beltway, take either the (Clara Barton Parkway) from VA or the Cabin John Expressway (from MD) toward Glen Echo. Take the Glen Echo exit to MacArthur Blvd. Turn left onto MacArthur Blvd. Two blocks past the small shopping center, turn left onto Harvard Ave. **Info: Norm Bernhardt at 301.320.2469, Rich Galloway at 301.589.0939 or Roger Broseus at english@fsgw.org.**

*PLEASE NOTE:* In deference to the residents of Glen Echo, please park behind the hall and *not* on the street that passes by the front. Disperse parking, preferably on the opposite (east) side of MacArthur Blvd.

#### September

- 6 **Rich Galloway** calls to the music of **Judy Kleppel** (oboe), **Francine Krasowska** (piano), and **Jeff Steinberg** (fiddle).
- 13 **Stephanie Smith's** calling is accompanied by **Liz Donaldson** (piano), **David Knight** (fiddle), and newcomer to the FSGW English country dance scene, **Matty Metcalfe** (accordion). **Bob and Kitty Keller** lead FREE LESSONS in basics of English country dancing, 7:30 sharp.
- 20 **Diane Schmit** calls to music by **Liz Donaldson** (piano), **Barbara Heitz** (flute), and **Paul Oortz** (mandolin).
- 27 **Mary Kay Friday** calls to music provided by **Liz Donaldson** (piano), **Laurie Mielke** (recorder), and **Colleen Reed** (flute).

#### Welsh country dancing!

Efforts are underway to have an evening of Welsh country dancing, led by **Gene Baron** of Baltimore, in late October or November: watch your *Newsletter* for more info.

### Public Meeting Concerning Glen Echo Park

#### Thursday September 7

After several months of delay, the National Park Service has released the draft management plan for Glen Echo Park. This "General Management Plan", which includes the Park Service's preferred scenario, will determine how day-to-day operations are funded and programs are run. The hundred-page text of the plan may be downloaded from the park's web site: <http://www.nps.gov/glec>. There is an official 60-day public comment period, and the National Park Service will hold a meeting on September 7 to collect comments from the public. Please mark your calendar and plan to attend so that your voice can be heard.

The National Campaign to Save Glen Echo Park will review the plan when it comes out and continue to work closely with the Montgomery County Working Group on Glen Echo Park to develop a consensus position there. **Info: <http://w4c.com/glenecho>.**



## Other FSGW Events

### FSGW Board Meeting Tuesday September 12 • 8pm

The FSGW board meetings are held at the Glen Echo Park Ranger Station. All FSGW members are welcome to attend. If you have any issues for the board to consider, please contact the appropriate board member or our president, **Carl Mintz** at 202.543.4999.

### FSGW Open Sing • MD Friday September 1 • 8:30pm

Come to the FSGW Open Sing on the first Friday of each month. We take turns doing music that's connected (however vaguely) to a given topic. You're welcome to sing, play, request a song, or just listen. People new to the Sing can do any song regardless of topic. This month's Sing will again be held at the accommodating home of **Rita Ferrara and Bill Day**, in **Wheaton, MD**. The topic will be "Singing, Dancing, and Celebration". Donations of refreshments are welcome, and singing usually lasts until around 11:45pm. **Info/directions: 301.946.2161.**

### FSGW Gospel Sing • MD Sunday September 10 • 4pm

Gospel sings are held every second Sunday at various homes. The singing usually starts at 4pm and breaks for a covered dish supper at 6pm with more singing after supper. Everyone is welcome! The September Gospel Sing will be at the home of **Barbara Karpas** in **Takoma Park, MD**. **Info/directions: 301.270.4239.**

### Shape Note ALL-DAY Singing School

October 28, 10am - 3pm  
(with lunch break)

Learn shape note singing from *The Sacred Harp* with singing school master **Jesse Roberts** of Jacksonville, FL—a first-time opportunity in this area. Location: Great Falls Grange, 9818 Georgetown Pike (Va. 193), Great Falls, Virginia. From I-495 (Beltway), take VA exit 13. Go west on Rt. 193 toward Great Falls 6.2 miles to the red-brick Grange on the right. From the west on Rt. 7, turn eastward onto 193 at Dranesville and go 3.1 miles east to Great Falls Village and continue 0.2 mile to the Grange on the left. **Info: FSGW hotline 202.546.2228, # 56; www.fsgw.org.**

### FSGW Sacred Harp Singing • MD Sunday September 24 • 3:30pm

FSGW sponsors monthly singings of early American hymns, anthems, and fuguing tunes in four-part harmony. The main tunebook is *The Sacred Harp*, 1991 Edition, but *Christian Harmony* (Deason-Parris revision) is also used, and original shape-note compositions by local singers are sometimes sung. These singings are held every fourth Sunday afternoon (except in December) and also on New Year's Day. We usually sing from 3:30 until 6:30, then share a potluck supper. All are welcome to come and sing or listen. Loaner tunebooks are available. Admission is free. (At some church locations a free-will offering is taken.)

The September 24 singing will take place at **McCathran Hall in Washington Grove, MD**—a beautiful, sonorous, multisided frame assembly hall built for a Methodist camp in 1902. To get there, take I-270 north to exit 8, Shady Grove Road. Go right (east), on Shady Grove, and after crossing Rt. 355, take a left at the first light onto Oakmont Ave. opposite the Sears warehouse. In about half a mile turn right at the stop sign, cross the tracks, and when the road winds to the left take your first right on Grove Road. At the second stop sign turn left on Center St. From there it's half a block to the octagonal town hall. When preparing your potluck dish, please remember McCathran Hall has no stove or oven for heating food, just a microwave.

### Storyswap • VA Saturday September 16 • 7:30pm

Storytellers and listeners are invited to the home of Gary Lloyd in Centreville, VA. Storytellers and listeners alike are welcome at this free event. Please bring your bit for potluck snacks. Co-sponsored by FSGW and Voices in the Glen. **Directions/RSVP: 703.968.4746.**

### Foggy Bottom International Folk Dancing • DC Thursdays • 7:30 to 10:45pm

The Foggy Bottom Folkdancers meet in the parish hall of St. Mary's Church, 23rd St. NW between G & H Streets, one block from Foggy Bottom Metro. Parking is available. Air conditioned room with good dance floor. Beginner/intermediate classes 7:30-9pm. Request dancing 9 to 10:45pm. No experience or partner needed. Mostly taped music. Occasional parties and workshops. Co-sponsored by the FSGW. Admission: \$4. **Info: Jamie at 301.320.7099.**





# FSGW's 36th Annual Getaway

## Camp Ramblewood, MD

### Friday thru Sunday • October 20-22

At Camp Ramblewood near Havre de Grace, MD, the annual FSGW Getaway features good music under the trees and throughout the camp. Enjoy music, friendship and the wonderful new Getaway site. There will be traditional group singing and playing, song and tune swapping, dancing (the camp has a building with a great sprung floor), crafts and storytelling—the days are packed with good times. There will be music by many local residents as well as invited guests. Guests this year include **Mike Agranoff, Sandy & Caroline Paton** and **Max Ochs**. The camp will provide good food, fall colors, trails, fishing in the pond, and other activities. Bring the whole family—there will activities for everyone.

If you have never been to the Getaway before, bring the family for a day's outing and see all the fun that you have been missing. Registration is available by the day as well as for the entire weekend (see registration form on page 6). Camp Ramblewood is approximately one and a half hours from Washington, DC off Route I-95 north of Baltimore. If you have questions, call or email the co-chairs, **Dolores Nichols 703.938.4564** ([doloresn@d-and-d.com](mailto:doloresn@d-and-d.com)) or **Charlie Baum 301.587.2286** ([cbaum@nas.edu](mailto:cbaum@nas.edu))

### Auditions for Coral Cantigas • MD

#### Until Thursday September 14

Open auditions for singers to join *Coral Cantigas*, the only area choir specializing in music from Latin America, Spain, and the Caribbean, will be held this summer from August 7 until September 14. Singers are invited to join this exciting chamber choir, under the direction of **Diana Saez**, for the 2000-2001 season, which includes A Colonial Christmas (December), Canto y Poesía III: Singing Latin American Poetry (March), and Africa en las Américas: Celebrating our African Heritage (May/June). Concert repertoire will include both classical and folkloric choral music such as Tomás de Victoria's *O Magnum Mysterium*; old favorites such as *En mi Viejo San Juan* and *El Carbonero*, and the Cuban Baroque piece *Toque Presto a Fuego* by Esteban Salas.

Positions are open in all sections for volunteer singers. Singers should have previous choral experience and basic sight-reading skills. Spanish language knowledge is welcome, but not necessary. Auditions will consist of scales to determine range, a brief song of the applicant's choice, and rhythmic and melodic sight-reading. Singers selected to join *Coral Cantigas* will participate in weekly rehearsals on Thursday evenings at Bethesda United Methodist Church in Maryland. **To schedule an audition or for more info: Coral Cantigas 301.816.2314.**

### Folk 2000 Music Apprenticeship Program

The DC Commission on the Arts and Humanities, with the support of the National Endowment for the Arts, is pleased to announce the Folk and Traditional Arts Music Apprenticeship Program for 2000. The program, entitled *Folk 2000*, will match master musical artists in the fields of Go-Go, Ethiopian, Blues, and Gospel music with emerging musical groups. This will be a ten-week program that will culminate with a concert featuring program participants. Apprentice groups are paid a stipend of \$700. The program is scheduled to begin in January and run through March. **Application deadline: November 1. Info: 202.724.5613.**

### Maggie's Music Has Moved!

Maggie's Music record label takes "a walk on the shady side" to the new Maggie's Music headquarters thirty minutes south of Annapolis, MD:

Maggie's Music  
 PO Box 490, Shady Side, MD 20764  
 410.867.0624 • fax 410.867.0265  
 email: [mail@maggiesmusic.com](mailto:mail@maggiesmusic.com),  
 website: [www.maggiesmusic.com](http://www.maggiesmusic.com).



## Local Events

### IMT Concerts • Silver Spring, MD

**Mondays • 8pm**

All concerts take place at 8pm in the lovely meeting room of the Paint Branch Unitarian Universalist Church, 3215 Powder Mill Road, Silver Spring, MD, unless otherwise noted. The Institute of Musical Traditions is a non-profit arts presenting organization, supported in part by the Maryland State Arts Council, the Arts Council of Montgomery County, Prince George's Arts Council, Heyman Mailing Service, and by our individual and in-kind contributors, loyal audiences, and volunteers. **Info/tickets: 301.263.0600 or PO Box 629, Glen Echo, MD 20812. Website: <http://www.imtfolk.org>.**

#### September

- 11 Open Mike Night:** Cathy Fink & Marcy Marxer with special guests **Ken Kolodner** on hammered dulcimer and Celtic fiddler **Laura Risk**. Ken and Laura will perform a "mini-set" to kick off an exciting evening of great music. Sign-up will take place in the concert hall from 7 to 7:30pm. If more than twelve persons/groups wish to perform, names will be drawn from a hat. Each performer will get 6 minutes for 1 or 2 songs. Come listen, play, have fun! Admission: \$5 at the door.
- 18 Omar Faruk Tekbilek**, virtuoso on several Middle Eastern instruments (*ney*, *zurna*, *baglama* and percussion). With a quintet. Co-sponsored by the Turkish Embassy, American-Turkish Council and, American Friends of Turkey. Tickets: \$14/adv; \$16/door.
- 25 Katy Benko**, not your average 17-year-old, performs a variety of modern and classic country songs, some oldies and some very dynamic originals. Backed by guitarist **Jim Horton**, bass-player **Hal Singer**, **Tom Smallwood**, guitars and mandolin, **Brian Alpert**, drums, and keyboard-player **Julie Crosson**. Tickets: \$12/adv; \$14/door.

#### October

- 2 Robin Bullock**, back from France for a CD-release party for *The Lightning Field*, a Celtic-American journey. Tickets: \$12/adv; \$14/door.

### DC Blues 2000 • DC

**Saturday September 2**

The 12<sup>th</sup> Annual DC Blues Festival will take place Saturday, September 2, at the Carter Barron Amphitheater in Washington, DC. Featured will be **Carey Bell**, **Bobby Parker**, **Jesse Yawn**, **Charlie Sayles**, **Cindy Cain**, and **Ben Andrews**, as well as *The Renaissance Singers*, *Choo Choo Charlie Williams & the Spitfires*, free workshops, and more. Free admission. Presented by the DC Blues Society in conjunction with the National Park Service and the DC Commission on the Arts and Humanities. Directions: Washington Beltway (I-495) to the Georgia Ave. So. Exit. Stay to the right and go onto 16<sup>th</sup> St. Take 16<sup>th</sup> St. down to Colorado Ave. NW, where you make a right turn and then another right turn into the Carter Barron parking lot. **Info: 202.828.3028 or [www.dcblues.org](http://www.dcblues.org).**

### 24th Annual Washington Irish Folk Festival • MD Saturday & Sunday, September 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>

Considered "one of America's premier music events" (Irish Echo), the Washington Irish Festival features the finest traditional musicians, dancers and artists from Ireland, Irish-America and related communities. The two-day event celebrates traditional Irish-American culture and features many attractions. Traditional Irish music and dance, Ceili and set dance classes, Demonstrations by local Irish dance schools, Traditional craft demonstrations and displays, Sheep dog trials, Connemara ponies, and Irish Wolfhounds, Abundant food and drink and much, much more!

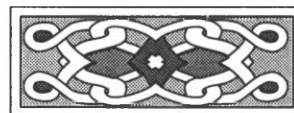
Performers include: *The Baltimore All-Stars Ceili Band*, *The Liz Carroll Band* (Chicago), *Cherish the Ladies* (New York), **Jack Coen**, **Fr. Charlie Coen**, & **Felix Dolan**, *Danu* (Co. Waterford, Ireland), *Dervish*, **Paddy Glackin & Robbie Hannon**, **Len Graham & Pdraigin Ni Uallachain**, **James Kelly & Daithi Sproule**, *Lunasa*, **Howie MacDonald**, **Dave MacIssac**, **Tracey Dares & Paul MacNeil**, **Timmy "The Brit" McCarthy**, **Zan McLeod**, **Brendan McGlinchey & Nigel Stevens**, **Aine Meenaghan**, **Brendan Mulvihill**, **Brian Gaffney** (Baltimore & DC), **Jimmy Noonan & Tony Cuffe**, **Sue Richards**, *The Kathryn Tickell Band*. And More!

At the Montgomery County Fairgrounds, Gaithersburg, MD. Saturday 12 noon to 10 pm, Sunday, 12 noon to 7:30 pm. From the Beltway take I-270 North, exit 10-11 (Montgomery Village/Fairgrounds); from I-270 going south, take exit 11-A; then go to Route 355 South; make a right onto Perry Parkway; Fairgrounds' entrance will be on the left; 1/2 mile. Tickets are \$16 for adults, children 11 and under are free. **Info/tickets: NCTA at 301-565-0654 or <http://www.ncta.net/irish.html>.**

### Sea Shanty Open Pub Sings • MD/VA

**Tuesdays September 5 & 19 • 8pm**

*The Ship's Company* chanteymen will be hosting more of their ever-popular open mike sea chantey (shanty?) sings, twice a month, at two locations (no waiting!). 1st Tuesdays at 8pm: The Royal Mile Pub, 2407 Price Ave., Wheaton, MD 20902, 301.946.4511, no cover/minimum good food and imported beer. Arrive early—by 7—for a table. 3rd Tuesdays at 8pm: Hard Times Cafe, 1440 King St. Alexandria, VA 22314, 703.683.5340, no cover/minimum, nationally famous chili and domestic/micro-brewery beer. The Hard Times Cafe is much less crowded and seating is almost always available. The format is round-robin from one table to another. You are welcome to sing or request a song, play a tune, join in or simply listen, but participation is encouraged. Mostly *a cappella*, but instruments are welcome. To quote Bob Web - from Salthouse Docks: "Clarity and volume are more important than tonal quality." **Info: Don Stallone 301.949.5684, [shipscompany@hotmail.com](mailto:shipscompany@hotmail.com).**



## Local Events *(continued)*

### Fretted Dulcimer Circle • Falls Church, VA Tuesday September 5 • 6:30 to 8:45pm

Players of the mountain dulcimer meet monthly to swap tunes and play at the Tysons-Pimmit Regional Library, 7584 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church, VA. Info: Ellie at 703.578.3106 or eholsopple@aol.com.

### Caffé Florian Coffeehouse • Camp Springs, MD Saturday September 9 • 7:30pm

Open mike, held on the second Saturday of each month, September through June; acoustic musicians, songwriters, storytellers, and poets. Sign-up starts at 7:30pm. Free. Located at Davies Memorial Unitarian Church, 7400 Temple Hill Rd., Camp Springs, MD, 0.3 mi south of Allentown Rd. Info: Den Frumen 301.856.2573 or <http://www.dmuuc.org>.

### Moore Music House Concert • Rockville, MD Saturday September 9 • 8pm

*Armor and Sturtevant*, with Jennifer Goree opening, will be featured on September 9 at Moore Music (In the House), a monthly house concert series in Rockville, MD. Doors open at 7:30; music starts at 8. Suggested donation for the performers is \$10. Snacks and other goodies provided. Info/reservations: 301.309.0983 or <http://www.erols.com/moore>

### Takoma Park Folk Festival

#### Sunday September 10 • 11am to 6:30pm

The 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Takoma Park Folk Festival takes place on Sunday, September 10 from 11am to 6:30pm at the Takoma Park Municipal Complex, Rt. 410 and Maple Avenue, Takoma Park, MD, rain or shine. Admission is FREE; and two free buses run continuously between the Takoma Metro station, a free satellite parking area at the Washington Adventist Hospital, and the Festival.

Festival attendees will enjoy a wide variety of ethnic foods, handmade crafts, and community tables as well as acoustic music and dance from around the world, presented continuously on six stages. Musical highlights include *In Process...*, Moondi Klein, Cathy Fink & Marcy Marxer, *Blue Moon Cowgirls*, Andrea Hoag, *Thealella*, *Roustabout*, *Alexandria Klezmet*, *Reverb*, *Hot Soup*, and Al Petteway & Amy White. You can catch several dance performances including the *Thai Cultural and Performing Arts Society*, the *Silk Road Dance Company* and *Liz Lerman Dance Exchange Community Dancers*. Many singer-songwriters will be on hand; among them Mary Byrd Brown, Darryl Purpose, Mary Sue Twohy, and Garth Ross. A wide variety of performances for young audiences will be offered including Imani Gonzales, Jamal Koram, and Sue Trainor. Dance workshops include ballroom, Romanian, swing, tango, contra and salsa. You can even attend a *Shofar* blowing workshop with David Shneyer. Special musicians, storytellers, games, and hands-on crafts offer a full day of fun for kids—making it a great family event.

Proceeds from sales of T-shirts, CDs and festival food go to local youth programs. Info: 301.589.3717, [info@tpff.org](mailto:info@tpff.org), [www.tpff.org](http://www.tpff.org). See flyer and schedule in center of Newsletter.

## UPCOMING FSGW EVENTS:

Special Concert, Saturday, October 14:  
MOIRA CRAIG, WES Auditorium, DC

October 20-22: 36<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL FSGW  
GETAWAY. NEW LOCATION! Camp  
Ramblewood, MD

Special Concert: Friday, October 27: BRUCE  
MOLSKY

October 28, 10am – 3pm (with lunch break):  
SHAPE NOTE ALL-DAY SINGING SCHOOL.  
Learn shape note singing from *The Sacred Harp*  
with singing school master Jesse Roberts of  
Jacksonville, FL—a first-time opportunity in  
this area. Location: Great Falls Grange, 9818  
Georgetown Pike (Va. 193), Great Falls,  
Virginia.

Special Concert, November 2: SUE  
RICHARDS

FSGW Monthly Program, Saturday,  
November 18: HELEN SCHNEYER

Special Concert, December 1: NOWELL  
SING WE CLEAR! (John Roberts, Tony  
BarRand, Andy Davis & Fred  
Breunig) Advance tickets will be available  
starting in October.

FSGW Monthly Program: NOTE: A WEEK  
earlier than usual, Saturday, December 9:  
TBA

FSGW Monthly Program, Saturday, January  
20, 2001: MARTYN WYNDHAM-READ

FSGW ANNUAL MINI FEST: Saturday,  
January 27, 2001 Takoma Park Middle  
School, MD

FSGW Monthly Program Saturday, February  
17, 2001: DOUBLE DECKER STRING  
BAND

FSGW Monthly Program, Saturday, March  
17, 2001: TBA

FSGW Monthly Program, Saturday, April 21,  
2001: JOEL MABUS

FSGW Monthly Program, May 19, 2001:  
MARGARET MacARTHUR

April 27-29, 2001. 19TH ANNUAL FSGW  
CHESAPEAKE DANCE WEEKEND! Camp  
Letts, Edgewater, MD.

**Local Events** (continued)**The Birchmere • Alexandria, VA**

3701 Mount Vernon Ave., Alexandria, VA. All shows at 7:30pm unless otherwise noted. Full-service menu, food and drink. Advance ticket sales: phonecharge 202.432.7328 or TicketMaster 703.573.SEAT. **Info: 703.549.7500** or [www.birchmere.com](http://www.birchmere.com).

**September**

- 10 Reunion Tour of *Dan Hicks & The Hot Licks!*
- 16 *Schooner Fare*
- 19 *Battlefield Band*
- 20 *Steeleye Span*
- 25 *Seven Nations*

**October**

- 7 *Solas*
- 13 *Martin Sexton*

**Laurel Jam Session • Laurel, MD**

**Wednesdays September 13 & 27 • 7 to 10pm**

Adults of all ages who enjoy acoustic music are invited to come and sing, play or listen to folk, bluegrass, and other traditional music in an informal setting. At The Phelps Senior Center, 701 Montgomery Street, Laurel, MD. **Info: 301.776.6168** during business hours.

**Vic's Music Corner • Rockville, MD**

**Wednesdays September 13 & 27 • 8pm**

Vic's Music Corner, a concert series held on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month, is dedicated to introducing outstanding acoustic singer/songwriters from across the country to the greater Washington area. At O'Brien's, 387 E. Gude Drive, Rockville, MD. Delightful room, smoke-free, good food, quiet during performances. Tickets: \$12 (unless otherwise noted). **Reservations: 301.984.1897, [rebaheyma@compuserve.com](mailto:rebaheyma@compuserve.com)**. **Info: <http://www.victorheyma.com>**.

**September**

- 13 *Liz Queler & Annie Gallup*
- 27 *Rachel Bissex & John McVey*

**Dupont Music Circle • Arlington, VA**

**Friday September 15 • 8pm**

For 15 years, the Dupont Music Circle has been meeting informally to sing and play English, Scottish, Welsh, Irish, Quebecois, American, and other traditional music just for fun. **Confirm/directions: Liz at 703.658.0957.**

**Bluegrass on the Farm • Derwood, MD**

**Saturday September 16 • noon to 6pm**

Bluegrass on the Farm, the 4th annual benefit festival for the Friends of the Agricultural History Farm Park, The farm is located at 18400 Muncaster Road, in the triangle that is formed by Laytonsville, Olney and Derwood (northeastern Rockville). Requested donation: \$5/car. **Info: 301.670.4661** or [www.montgomeryparksfnd.org/fg-aghist.htm](http://www.montgomeryparksfnd.org/fg-aghist.htm).

**Free Concerts at HMT • MD**

**Sundays • 1 to 3pm**

Join us at The House of Musical Traditions, 7040 Carroll Avenue, Takoma Park, MD, for free music on Sunday afternoons, 1 to 3pm. Weather permitting, we'll gather outside. Otherwise we'll meet inside the large drum room at the store. **Info: 301.270.9090**

**September**

- 17 *John Fahres*
- 24 A rare theramin concert, featuring *Rupert*

**Irish Traditional Music Session • Wheaton, MD**

**Sunday September 17 • 7 to 10pm**

Irish traditional music session with Dennis Botzer (fiddle, flute, guitar) on the third Sunday of each month at 7pm at the Royal Mile Pub, 2407 Price Avenue, Wheaton, MD. Traditional musicians welcome. Great dinners and a very nice pint of Guinness! **Info: Dennis 301.422.6550.**

**Hammer Dulcimer Jam • Falls Church, VA**

**Saturday September 23 • 1:30 to 4:30pm**

Hammer dulcimer players meet most months to swap tunes and play at Tysons-Pimmit Regional Library, 7584 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church, VA. **Info/confirm: Ellie at 703.578.3106** or [eholsopple@aol.com](mailto:eholsopple@aol.com).

**Scottish Heritage Festival • Alexandria, VA**

**Saturday, September 23 • 10am- 6pm**

At Fort Ward Park, Braddock Rd & Van Dorn St, off I-395. Admission is free, donations welcome. Featured performers on two stages include fiddlers *Bonnie Rideout*, *Jeff Steinberg*, harpers *Dreamers* (trio), *Pam Swischer*, *Home-spun Ceilidh Band*, gaelic groups *Mac-Talla Gaelic Singers* and *Na Maragan*, singers *George Stephens & Mary LaMarca*, *Kathy Westra*, *Linda Rice-Johnston*, piper *Eric Rice-Johnston*, storytellers *Michael Gaudrau*, *Janiel Henson* and *Jim Lochner*. Plus Clan info, crafts & vendors, and food. **Info: Joan Weiss 301-656-3454.**

**Scottish Rant • Alexandria, VA**

**Saturday September 23 • 7pm**

*The City of Washington Pipe Band* and *Bonnie Rideout* will debut their new album *Scottish Rant* in concert on September 23 at 7pm following the Annual Scottish Heritage Festival and Games. *Scottish Rant* (Maggie's Music MM223) features Highland bagpipe music from Scotland, Ireland, Spain, and North America in innovative new arrangements, including small ensembles with solo pipes, small-pipes, drums, fiddle, viola, cittern and guitar (*Robin Bullock*) and dombek and bodhran (*Paddy League*). The concert will be held at the historic George Washington Masonic National Memorial concert hall at 101 Calahan Drive, Alexandria, VA. Admission: \$12 at the door, \$10 in advance. **Info/tickets/advance sales: Doris at Scottish Merchant 703.739.2302.**



## Local Events *(continued)*

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

At the Tortilla Factory, 648 Elden Street, Herndon, VA. Open mike with a 3-song/12 minute limit. \$1 donation. Member showcase 2nd Tuesdays (\$10/\$9 members). Smoke-free. Info/advance tickets: 703.435.2402.

### Irish Jam Session • Fairfax, VA Saturdays • mornings

A new, intermediate level Irish jam session is forming and meeting for six Saturday mornings, also at the John Wood Ctr., 3730 Old Lee Hwy, Fairfax VA.. Nominal fee required to help cover room rental. Info: Kevin Costello 703-591-7133, or e-mail at [skedeeps@msn.com](mailto:skedeeps@msn.com).

## Local Folkie Focus

The Washington area is enjoying a blossoming of venues for local performers at area bookstores, coffee shops, and community halls. We'd like to be able to list every folk event going on, but space considerations prevent us from listing every performer's schedule individually. The Newsletter will provide a monthly listing of local folk performers who are appearing at small venues. If you would like to be included, please send your name or band name, a BRIEF description of your musical style ("bluegrass," "unaccompanied singer," "contemporary songs," "Balkan dance band," etc.) and how people can find out about your performance schedule (web address, e-mail, or your phone number). As space permits, we will try to accommodate everyone whose performance is related to the traditional folk orientation of the Folklore Society and who submits their contact information to the Newsletter Editor by the deadline.

### Singer-songwriters

ANDREW MCKNIGHT <http://songs.com/andrew>  
 BILL PARSONS [bill@songs.com](mailto:bill@songs.com) or [www.billparsons.com](http://www.billparsons.com)  
 CHRISTINA MUIR <http://songs.com/hotsoup>  
 ERIC SCHWARTZ <http://www.eric schwartz.com>  
 GARTH ROSS <http://www.garthross.com>  
 HERB TYSON <http://www.herbtyson.com>  
 JERRY BRESEE <http://www.shenandoahacoustics.com/jbresee>  
 JOHN MCVEY <http://www.johnmcvey.com>  
 LENA & SANFORD MARKLEY <http://www.lena-and-sanford.com>  
 LISA TAYLOR <http://www.shenandoahacoustics.com/ltaylor>  
 MARY SUE TWOHY [www.marysuetwohy.com](http://www.marysuetwohy.com)  
 MARY BYRD BROWN <http://www.geocities.com/SunsetStrip/Stage/8829/>  
 TOM PRASADA-RAO <http://songs.com/tp>

### Groups

ALEXANDRIA KLEZTET: traditional and innovative klezmer. Info: 410.521.0616, [kleztet@aol.com](mailto:kleztet@aol.com), or <http://members.aol.com/kleztet/>  
 BOTTOMLAND: Info: 301.587.1198, [bottomland@hotmail.com](mailto:bottomland@hotmail.com), or [www.bottomland.org](http://www.bottomland.org)  
 HOT SOUP: Harmony and laughter with Christina Muir, Sue Trainor, and Jennifer Agner. Info: [hotsoup@pobox.com](mailto:hotsoup@pobox.com) or [www.songs.com/hot\\_soup](http://www.songs.com/hot_soup)

### Groups Continued

SQUEEZE BAYOU: Cajun dance music. Info: 301.270.2586 or <http://members.aol.com/kcollin/squeeze/index.html>  
 THE OKLAHOMA TWISTERS: Keeping Western Swing Alive in the Nation's Capitol. Info: [www.oktwisters.com](http://www.oktwisters.com)  
 THE URBAN LEGENDS: traditional and contemporary acoustic music featuring Ruth Goldberg, George Welling, Ira Gitlin, and Jamie Daly. Info: [www.theurbanlegends.com](http://www.theurbanlegends.com), [urban.legends@pressroom.com](mailto:urban.legends@pressroom.com), or 703.532.4599

### Other

CAJUN/ZYDECO EVENTS in the DC area. [Jrice@physiome.com](mailto:Jrice@physiome.com) or [www.bme.jhu.edu/~jrice/czschedule.html](http://www.bme.jhu.edu/~jrice/czschedule.html)  
 CHUCK DURFOR: fingerstyle guitar (new CD *Fallen/Forgotten*). <http://hometown.aol.com/cdurfor>  
 JENNIFER CUTTING: (new CD *Forgiveness* with Maddy Prior). [www.kinesiscd.com/jennifercutting/](http://www.kinesiscd.com/jennifercutting/) or [Jcut@loc.gov](mailto:Jcut@loc.gov)  
 LIBERTY DAWNE: [Lrucker@erols.com](mailto:Lrucker@erols.com)  
 SHENANDOAH COFFEEHOUSE SERIES: [www.shenandoahacoustics.com/scs](http://www.shenandoahacoustics.com/scs)  
 SOCIAL DANCING IN THE DC AREA: For e-mail updates, send your e-mail address to [Subscribe@dcdancenet.com](mailto:Subscribe@dcdancenet.com) or visit <http://dcdancenet.com/>



## Local Dances

### Special policy for dance submissions:

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 telephone numbers!**

### Friday Night Contra Dances at Glen Echo • MD Fridays • 8:30pm

*The Friday Night Dancers*, in cooperation with the National Park Service, sponsor contra dances with occasional squares and couple dances to live music in Glen Echo Park's Spanish Ballroom. When the Ballroom closes for restoration, the dance will move to the just-renovated Bumper Car Pavilion next to the Ballroom. Note also the special venues for dances on September 1 and 8. Glen Echo Park is located at MacArthur Blvd. and Goldsboro Rd. Free beginners' classes start at 7:30pm. Dances start at 8:30. Admission is \$6. To play for or call a dance, send email to [fndbooking@folkdancer.com](mailto:fndbooking@folkdancer.com). **For other information, call the Friday Night Dance Hotline 202.216.2116, or see our webpage <http://fnd.folkdancer.com>.**

#### September

- 1 Dance will be held in the Bumper Car Pavilion next to the Spanish Ballroom. *The Blarney Stones*: Steve Hickman (fiddle), Dennis Botzer (fiddle), John O'Loughlin (piano), Ritchie Schuman (bass). Multiple callers.
- 8 Dance will be held in the Whitby Gym, located in the National Cathedral School for Girls, 3609 Woodley Road, NW, Washington, DC, adjacent to the National Cathedral. *Glen Echo's Open Band* with Susan Taylor calling.
- 15 Robert Cromartie (from NC) calls to the music of *Footloose* (from NC). Andrea Hoag (fiddle), David DiGiuseppe (accordion, mandolin, washboard), Jonah Blaustein (clarinet and soprano sax), and Pete Campbell (piano and bass).
- 22 Kathy Anderson calls to the music of *Raise the Roof*. Mathew Clark (fiddle and mandolin), Judi Stellar (hammered dulcimer), Kathy Talvitie (guitar), and Peter Soloway (bass). Scandinavian dancers will give a demonstration during the break
- 29 Steve Gester calls to the music of *Raise the Roof*. David Knight (fiddle), Matty Metcalfe (accordion), and Liz Donaldson (piano).

### Ceili Dance • Fairfax, VA

#### Saturday September 9 • 8pm to midnight

*Comhaltas Ceoltoiri Eireann* (CCE) sponsors a monthly (2nd Sat.) Ceili Dance at the John Wood Center, 3730 Old Lee Hwy., Fairfax, VA. Lesson at 7:30pm. *Bogwanderers Ceili Band* plays 8pm to 12 midnight. Free tea, coffee, sodabread. Admission: \$10 (Family \$20). **Info: Gene Nazarowitz 703.444.9368.**

### Dances of the British Isles • MD/VA

#### Saturdays September 9 & 23 • 8 to 10:30pm

A new series of dances of the British Isles begins this month in Silver Spring, MD on 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturdays and in Arlington, VA on 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays. This month **Anna Pappas** will teach dances from Ireland and **Barbara Harding** will call English country dances. Beginners and singles welcome! Instruction for beginners at 7:45pm. Music by *Peascods Gathering*. Admission \$5. 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturdays: Sligo Middle School, 1401 Dennis Ave., Silver Spring, MD. 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays: Barcroft Community House, 800 S. Buchanan St., Arlington, VA. (From Route 50 in Arlington, turn south on George Mason Dr., right on S. 8th St. to Buchanan.) **Info: Dottie Beck 703.671.3240 or Carl Minkus, 301.493.6281.**

### Cajun/Zydeco at Glen Echo Park • MD

#### Saturday & Sunday September 9 & 24

At the Spanish Ballroom at Glen Echo Park, Glen Echo, MD. Dress is casual. No partner or experience necessary. Admission \$10. Directions: From the Beltway (495), Maryland side, take Exit 40 to the Cabin John Parkway. From the Virginia side, take Exit 41 to the Clara Barton Parkway. Follow signs for MacArthur Blvd. Exit and Glen Echo. **Info: 301.309.0895, ewicker@concentric.net, or [www.ppgi.com/crawfish.html](http://www.ppgi.com/crawfish.html).**

#### September

- 9 Leroy Thomas & the Zydeco Roadrunners (zydeco). Workshop 8pm. Dancing 9pm to midnight
- 24 Zydeco Crayz (zydeco). Workshop 3pm. Dancing 3:30 to 6:15pm

### "Texas" Tea Dance at Glen Echo Park • MD

#### Sunday September 10 • 3 to 6pm

Two-step, waltz, swing and polka to the area's only Western Swing dance band in the Spanish Ballroom at Glen Echo Park (7300 MacArthur Blvd. at Goldsboro Rd. in Glen Echo, MD). Casual dress. Newcomers welcome. No experience or partner needed. Dance lesson/mixer at 3 and 4:30pm with **Mary Pat Cooney**. Live music for social dancing from 3:30 to 6 by *The Oklahoma Twisters*. \$5 admission includes workshops. **Info: George 703.644.0551 or [www.pressroom.com/~okt](http://www.pressroom.com/~okt)**

### Alpine Dancers • New Carrollton, MD

#### Sundays September 10 & 24 • 4 to 6:30pm

Free open practice of the *Alpine Dancers*, specializing in couples and trio dances from Austria and Germany. Taped and live music. New dancers welcome. New Carrollton Municipal Center, 6016 Princess Garden Parkway, near Washington Beltway exit 20A. Confirm date as practices may be replaced by performances. **Confirmation/directions: Carol & Herbert Traxler at 301.577.3503 or [www.geocities.com/Vienna/Strasse/1945/alpine.html](http://www.geocities.com/Vienna/Strasse/1945/alpine.html).**

**Local Dances** *(continued)***English Country Dance (CDSS) • Herndon, VA**  
**Tuesdays September 12 & 26 • 7:45pm**

At Harding Hall, 730 Jackson St., Herndon, Va. Workshop includes figures, phrasing and style. Live music (guest musicians welcome; call in advance). Admission \$3. Leader, **Barbara Harding**. Musician, **Pat Wexelblat** on recorder. **Info/musicians: Barbara Harding 703-437-3615 or barbharding@juno.com.**

**Folk Dancing at the Swiss Embassy • DC**  
**Wednesdays September 13 & 27 • 7:30 to 10pm**

Swiss folk dancing to recorded music on the wooden floor at the Swiss Embassy, 2900 Cathedral Avenue NW, DC. Sponsored by the Swiss Folklore Group, admission is free. Beginners are welcome. **Info: Fran Walters at 301.530.5643.**

**Gumbo Groupies • Silver Spring, MD**  
**Thursday September 14 • 8 to 10pm**

Informal Cajun and zydeco dancing on the second Thursday of each month to mostly recorded music. Musicians welcome! Longbranch Community Center, 8700 Piney Branch Road, Silver Spring, MD. FREE! **Info: 301.588.3614 or bpineles@erols.com.**

**Allemande Right to the National Press Club**  
**Friday September 15 • 6:30 to 10pm**

The ballroom where heads of state, presidents and well-known newsmakers make headlines will be the site of a gala night of western dancing on September 15. Come to the National Press Club, at 14<sup>th</sup> and F Sts., NW, 13<sup>th</sup> floor, near the Metro Center metro stop. The ballroom will be decked out country-style with red checkered tablecloths, southwestern buffet all you can eat and then some, cash bar with special beers of the region. The VIP caller, **Mac McCall**, a member of the *Red Boot Boys*, will call the dances in "patter" and song. Circles, squares, lines and contra dancing are in the mix with instructions provided (no experience necessary, singles sans partner welcome). Admission: \$20 for members of the National Press Club and their guests. Advance reservations necessary. Reservations: 202.622.7501. (Folklore Society members should mention they are members of FSGW and that they have been invited by Joan Worden when they call in for reservations.) **Info: Joan Worden 202.337.5411.**

**Scandinavian Couple Dancing • Greenbelt, MD**  
**Saturday September 16 • 7:30 to 11pm**

*Scandia DC* Scandinavian couple dancing, the 3rd Saturday monthly dance at the Greenbelt Community Center (15 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, MD) resumes Saturday, September 16 as part of a Swedish Dance and Music Weekend Workshop, co-sponsored by the *Nordic Dancers of Washington*. The workshop features **Leif and Margareta Virtanen** with 22 dancers and musicians from Sweden and runs Saturday and Sunday, September 16-17; registration is required for the workshop. The Saturday evening dance party with live music will be in the Community Center gymnasium, 8 to 11pm and does not require registration. Admission: \$10. **Info: Linda Brooks 202.333.2826, Chris Kalke 301.864.1596, or www.erols.com/s526.**

**English Country Dance (CDSS) • Herndon, VA**  
**Saturday September 16 • 8pm**

At Harding Hall, 730 Jackson St. Herndon, VA. Caller: **Barbara Harding** with recorded music. No experience or partner necessary. Free. **Info: Barbara Harding 703.437.3615 or barbharding@juno.com.**

**Waltzing at Glen Echo Park • MD**  
**Sunday September 17 • 3:30pm**

Sunday afternoon waltzes are held at the Spanish Ballroom, Glen Echo Park, 7300 MacArthur Blvd. (intersection of Goldsboro Rd. and MacArthur Blvd.) in Glen Echo, MD, with easy access from the Beltway. At 3pm there is a half-hour introductory Waltz workshop by **Donna Barker**, followed by social dancing for 2-1/2 hours to live music by *Footloose* until 6pm. Everyone is welcome to attend. Admission to the waltz is \$5 per person, which includes the waltz lesson. **For late-breaking information visit <http://www.erols.com/swing4me>, or call Donna Barker 703.978.0375.**

**Swing at Glen Echo Park • MD**  
**Monday & Saturday September 18 & 30 • 8pm**

At the Spanish Ballroom at Glen Echo Park, Glen Echo, MD. Dress is casual. No partner or experience necessary. Non-smoking, non-alcohol events. Directions: From the Beltway (495), Maryland side, take Exit 40 to the Cabin John Parkway. From the Virginia side, take Exit 41 to the Clara Barton Parkway. Follow signs for MacArthur Blvd. Exit and Glen Echo. Introductory swing dance lesson at 8pm, dancing from 9 to midnight. Admission \$8. To volunteer for one hour and get in free, leave a message at 202.726.3972. **Info: WSDC hotline 301.340.9732 or [www.wsdc.org](http://www.wsdc.org).**

**September**

18 *Big Joe & the Dynaflows*  
30 *New Legacy Jazz Band*

## Local Dances (continued)

### Hungarian Folk Dance & Music • Greenbelt, MD Saturday September 23 • 7:30 to 10:30pm

*Tisza Ensemble's* Hungarian Tanchaz: dance party for adults and children. Teaching basic steps in circles throughout the evening. Live music by *Maros & Tanchaz! Ensembles* and recorded music. Bring dance shoes. Admission \$5. Location: Greenbelt Community Center's Dance Studio on Crescent Rd next to the library, Greenbelt, MD. Info: Szilvia Balazs 301.441.4659, [tisza@tiszaensemble.org](mailto:tisza@tiszaensemble.org), or <http://tiszaensemble.org>

### Barn Dance • Arlington, VA Friday September 29 • 8pm

Liz Donaldson calls to the live music of *Jump Start* (Jim Besser, guitar and concertina, Julie Gorka, piano and fiddle, and Kathy Kerr, fiddle). Friendly community dance for dancers and non-dancers of all ages. Some contras, some squares and circles. Admission: \$7/adults, \$5/kids, \$15/families. At the Barcroft Community House, 800 S. Buchanan St., Arlington, VA. Directions: From 395, exit on Glebe Rd. heading N. Follow Glebe across Columbia Pike. Turn left on 8<sup>th</sup> St. Follow 8<sup>th</sup> (it joins 7<sup>th</sup>) for about 1 mile, (continue through light at George Mason) to Buchanan St. The Community House is the historic white building in front of you. From 495 in VA: Exit on Rt. 50E. Exit Rt. 50 at George Mason Dr. in Arlington, turn right (S) on George Mason Dr. Follow to 1<sup>st</sup> light, turn right on 8<sup>th</sup> St. Follow 8<sup>th</sup> St. to Buchanan. The Community House is the historic white building in front of you. Info: Julie Gorka 703.979.0339.

### Israeli Folk Dancing • DC Mondays • 7:30 to 10:30pm

At St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 728 23rd St. NW (between G and H Sts.), Washington, DC. 7:30 beginners teaching, 8:30 advanced/requests. Recorded music. Admission \$5. Info: Helen Rubin, 703.207.1551 or [helen@israelidance.com](mailto:helen@israelidance.com).

### Bethesda International Folk Dancing • MD Mondays • 7:30 to 10pm

Dance on the wood floor of the Leland Community Recreation Center social hall, 4301 Willow Lane, Bethesda, MD. No partner necessary. 7:30pm Beginners teaching, 8pm intermediate/advanced and requests. Mostly recorded but occasionally live music and workshops. Admission \$5. Info: Phyllis or Brandon Diamond, 301.871.8788.

### Bluemont Morris • Reston, VA Mondays • 7 to 8:30pm

A group of men and women who do traditional Morris dances in the spring and fall. The group is fun and the dancing is addictive and great exercise. Practice in Reston, VA. If you would like to join, call Laura 703.845.8536.



### Taylor Made Squares • Silver Spring, MD Tuesdays • 8 to 9:30pm

Betsy Taylor calls squares to recorded music at the Long Branch Community Center on Piney Branch Rd., Silver Spring, MD. There is a wood floor and admission is free. No Experience or partner necessary. Info: 301.589.4868.

### Arlington International Folk Dancing • VA Tuesdays • 8 to 10pm

At the Key School, Key Blvd. at Veitch St. near the Courthouse Road Metro, Arlington, VA \$3. Recorded music. Instruction, walk-throughs, and requests. Singles welcome and all ages or levels of expertise. Info: 703.527.8998 or [sstulberg@earthlink.net](mailto:sstulberg@earthlink.net).

### Israeli Dancing • Potomac, MD Wednesdays • 8 to 11pm

At the Har Shalom Congregation, 11510 Falls Rd., Potomac, MD. Instruction 8-9:15. Oldies on first and third Wednesdays, newer dances second and fourth. Recorded music. \$4. Info Ben Hole, 301.441.8213.

### Foggy Bottom Morris Men • Silver Spring, MD Thursdays • 8 to 10pm

Join the *Foggy Bottom Morris Men*. Authentic Cotswold- and Border-Morris dance taught by Nick Robertshaw (Herga Morris Men, Hammersmith Morris Men, Brackley Morris Men), accompanied by live, traditional concertina and accordion dance music from the English villages of Badby, Bampton, and the Welsh-English border regions. The FBMM perform at traditional music and dance festival venues locally, regionally, and internationally. Practices at Oak View Elem. School, Silver Spring near Takoma Park. Info: Bill Brown 301.270.2014 or [wmlbrown@earthlink.net](mailto:wmlbrown@earthlink.net), Brad Graham 703.916.0213, Bob Collins 410.536.0986.

### Mount Vernon International Folk Dancing • Alexandria, VA Thursdays • 8 to 10pm

Dance in the meeting hall of the Mount Vernon Unitarian Church, 1909 Windmill Lane, Alexandria, VA. Instruction, walk-throughs, requests. No experience or partner needed. Admission \$2.50. Recorded music. Info: 703.780.2393 or [kkkrogh@aol.com](mailto:kkkrogh@aol.com).

### Chevy Chase International Folk Dancers • DC Thursdays • 7:30 to 9:30pm

At the newly renovated Chevy Chase Community Center, 5601 Connecticut Ave., NW, DC (corner of Connecticut Ave. and McKinley St. - two blocks south of Chevy Chase Circle). Instruction and walk-throughs until 8:30. All levels welcome. No partner necessary. Recorded music. Leader Roland Forbes. Info: Jackie Davis 301.424.8827 or Naomi Rogers 301.438.0063.

## Local Dances *(continued)*

### Greenbelt International Folk Dancing • MD

**Fridays • 8:30 to 11pm**

Focusing on dances from Eastern and Western Europe, Scandinavia, and the Mediterranean, International Folk Dancing at Greenbelt will continue throughout the summer. No partner or experience necessary. Teaching from 8:30 - 9:15pm, request dancing 9:15-11pm. Mostly recorded music. At the Greenbelt Community Center Dance Studio (beautiful wooden floor!), 15 Crescent Rd., Greenbelt, MD. Admission \$5. **Info: Larry Weiner 301.565.0539 or [weiner@erols.com](mailto:weiner@erols.com); John Robinson 410.715.9210; and John Bartholomew 301.565.3650.**

### Reston Contra Dance • VA

The Reston Contra Dance is taking a sabbatical. There will be a 3-month winter series; the next dance will be on Saturday, January 13, 2001. **Info: Alice Markham 703.709.9121.**



## Classes

*Class listings may be submitted by FSGW members ONLY.*

### Clogging

Traditional Clogging classes at Wakefield Recreation Center in Virginia. Students will learn the basic steps and a routine they can perform with the *Patchwork Dancers*. The next class begins on Sunday September 10 at 5pm. **For classes or performances call 703.503.9260, 202.401.3571, or email [jpmaxwell@yahoo.com](mailto:jpmaxwell@yahoo.com).**

### English Country Dancing

Tuesdays at the Pavilions of Turkey Run, 6310 Georgetown Pike, McLean, VA. **Corky Palmer**, dancing master. Figures taught from 7 to 8pm; dancing to live music from 8 to 10pm. Beginners welcome. Refreshments available. Tuition: \$5. Directions: From the Washington Beltway (I-495), take VA Rte. 193 (Georgetown Pike) east towards Langley; drive 2.3 miles and turn left onto Colonial Farm Road just prior to junction with Rte. 123; follow signs to visitor parking lot. From Washington, DC, take the George Washington Memorial Parkway north to the exit for Rte. 123 toward McLean; drive almost 1 mile and turn right onto Rte 193; make the first right onto Colonial Farm Road and follow signs to visitor parking lot.

### Hambo

*Scandia DC and the Nordic Dancers of Washington DC* are sponsoring a special hambo workshop on Sunday, September 17, 1:30 to 4:30pm, at the Greenbelt Community Center (gym), 15 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, MD. The teachers will be **Leif and Margareta Virtanen** from Sweden with the aid of about 20 superb dancers from Sweden. This is an unheard of opportunity to perfect your hambo skills and dance with native Swedish dancers. Some hambo experience preferred. One or two other dances will be included. All live

music. Carry dance shoes to preserve the floor - leather soles make dancing easier. Cost is \$13 at the door. No partners necessary. **Info: 202-333-2826 or [www.erols.com/s526/](http://www.erols.com/s526/)**

### Instrumental "Stuff" Workshop

**Linda Littleton and Karen Hirshon** of *Simple Gifts* return to Lady of the Creek near Emmitsburg, MD to present a music workshop on Sunday afternoon and evening, October 1. One of the topics they'll cover is "stuff"—something that's not melody, and not backup, but something in between. They'll share their ideas on fills, syncopations, and rhythmic and melodic variations—"stuff" that certainly goes a long way toward making a band's sound special. As a participant, you will work in small ensembles with other musicians. You are welcome to bring your own material or may choose from sheet music provided by the instructors. **Info: Marguerite Plank 717.334.5392 or <http://www.ladofthecreek.com>.**

### Irish Ceili and Country Set Dancing

Irish ceili and country set dances are social dances performed to exciting and energetic reels, jigs, hornpipes, and polkas. Classes are to taped music. Several dances to live music are held each month in Washington DC area. No partner, Irish ancestry, or previous dance experience required.

**TUESDAY:** Ridgeview Intermediate School, 16600 Rock Raven Drive, Gaithersburg, MD. \$25/semester. Begins September 5. Sponsored by *Ring of Kerry Irish Dancers*. **Info: Marilyn O'Brien 301 926-6943 or <http://hometown.aol.com/obieobwan/club/index.htm>.**

7 to 8pm                      beginners  
8:15 to 9:30pm            advanced

**THURSDAY:** Frost Center, 4915 Aspen Hill Road, Rockville, MD. \$35 donation per 13 wk session requested. Begins September 7. Sponsored by Greater Washington Ceili Club and

## Classes continued

Comhaltas Ceoltoiri Eireann. Info: **Emmett Murphy 301.948.2458** or <http://members.aol.com/pfod/irishdance/index.htm>.

7:30 to 8:30pm beginners  
8:30 to 9:30pm advanced

### Irish Pennywhistle

The O'Neill-Malcom chapter of Comhaltas Ceoltoiri Eireann is again sponsoring an 8-week series of group pennywhistle lessons Saturday mornings October 14 and 21, November 4, 11, and 18, and December 2, 9, and 16. At the John Wood Ctr., 3730 Old Lee Hwy, Fairfax VA. Maximum class size is 10. Tuition \$72 Info: **Betsy O'Malley 703.560.4719**, or [omalley99@aol.com](mailto:omalley99@aol.com).

Beginner: 10-10:55am  
Advanced Beginner/Intermediate: 11-11:55am  
Pre-teen Beginner (ages 9-13): Noon-1pm

### Beginning Scandinavian Dancing

2nd and 4th Thursdays; September 14 and 28, 8 to 9:30pm. Learn hambo, schottische, waltz, and other couple turning dances. Singles, couples, beginners, and advanced dancers welcome. Mostly recorded music, with occasional live musicians. Come whenever you can; class is continuous. Some hambo is done every time. Wear smooth soles for turning. NIH Fitness and Dance Center, building T-39, Bethesda, MD. Air-conditioned. (Enter NIH at Wisconsin and Center Drive and park in the NIH permit parking next to the building, or walk eight minutes from the Medical Center Metro stop. See a map at <http://des.od.nih.gov/parking.htm> or on a flier.) Cost \$5. Contact **Lisa Brooks at 301.654.7667, 301.435.5544**, or [lisa\\_brooks@nih.gov](mailto:lisa_brooks@nih.gov).

### Swing Dancing

New Savoy style lindy hop series, Monday nights at Glen Echo Park, September 18 to October 23 (6-week series). 1 1/2 hours of class and supervised practice with personal attention each week. Teachers: Marc Shepanek and Ellen Engle. Registration/info: 202.244.2787, [flvfeet@erols.com](mailto:flvfeet@erols.com), [www.erols.com/flvfeet](http://www.erols.com/flvfeet).

7-8:30pm Beg./Int. lindy  
8:30-10pm Int./Adv. lindy



### Social Dancing

Dance classes with **Donna Barker**. Recorded music used for classes. Info: **Donna 703.978.0375** or <http://www.erols.com/swing4me>.

**THURSDAYS:** Glen Echo Spanish Ballroom, 7300 MacArthur Blvd., Glen Echo, MD. 4-week sessions starting Sept. 7 – 28. Register on first night of class

6 -7pm Beg. Hollywood Lindy (Cost: \$36)  
7 -8pm Beginning Waltz (Cost: \$36)  
8 -9pm Beginning Swing/Jitterbug (Cost: \$36)  
9 -10pm Beg. Savoy Lindy Hop (Cost: \$36)

**TUESDAYS:** Lyon Village Community House, 1920 N. Highland, Arlington, VA. Six-week sessions starting Sept. 19 - October 24. To register contact **Tony Lau 703.795.1602**.

7 -8pm Beg. Swing/Jitterbug  
8 -8:30pm Social Dancing/Practice (free to both classes)  
8 -9pm Beginning Lindy Hope

**WEDNESDAYS** at Vienna's Tap Room, 146 Maple Ave., East, Route 123, Vienna, VA. Drop-in any Wednesday for a Beg. Swing workshop at 7:15pm or an Adv. Swing workshop at 8pm followed by 2 hours of social dancing (DJ). PSDC members: \$11 lesson & dance, \$8 dance only; Nonmembers: \$13/\$10.

**SUNDAYS:** Lyon Village Community House, 1920 No. Highland, Arlington, VA. "Drop-in" ANY Sunday for one or both lessons and dancing! The entire evening is ONE price (dancers can choose one or both classes): PSDC members pay \$10 lessons & dance, \$7 dance only; Nonmembers: \$12/\$9. Snacks included. CLOSED Sept.3 (Labor Day)

7-7:45pm Slow Dance  
7:45-8:30pm Int. Jitterbug with a Lindy Flair  
8:30-10:30pm Social Dancing (DJ)

### Zydeco & Cajun Dancing

With **Michael Hart and Sharon Schiliro**. Info: **Michael 301.762.6730**.

**TUESDAYS**, September 19 to October 3, at Glen Echo Park's Spanish Ballroom. Tuition: \$30.

7:30-8:30pm Beg. Cajun  
8:30-9:30pm Beg. zydeco

**WEDNESDAYS**, September 27 to November 15, at the Leland Community Center, 4301 Willow Lane, Chevy Chase, MD. Tuition: \$48 for Mont. Co. residents.

7:30-8:30pm Beg./Int./Adv. Cajun  
8:30-9:30pm Beg./Int./Adv. zydeco



## Out-of-Town Events & Dances

### LA • New Orleans – 8th Annual Cutting Edge Music Business Conference & Roots Music Gathering Wednesday thru Sunday, September 20-24

Ever wonder what it is like to be on the cutting edge? The schedule of the Cutting Edge/Roots Music Gathering nears completion. Current schedule: <http://jass.com/cuttingedge/ce1.html>. List of panelists: <http://jass.com/cuttingedge/speakers.html>. Locations in New Orleans: Marriott Hotel, Contemporary Arts Center, Praline Connection Gospel and Blues Hall, Dooky Chase Restaurant. Additional locations will be posted to the web site at <http://jass.com/cuttingedge/>. To be considered for a performance in the NewWorks Showcase, call or email the Cutting Edge office to make arrangements. Applications: 504.945.1800 or [http://jass.com/cuttingedge/reg\\_nw\\_mail.html](http://jass.com/cuttingedge/reg_nw_mail.html). Travel arrangements: Marguerite 800 479-9767. **Other info: Cutting Edge/Music Business Institute, 1524 Claiborne Avenue, New Orleans, LA 70118. Tel. 504.945.1800; fax 504.945.1873; email: [cut\\_edge@bellsouth.net](mailto:cut_edge@bellsouth.net)**

### MD • Annapolis - Concerts at Quiet Waters Park Saturdays • 5:30pm

These outdoor concerts are free, but there is a \$4 entrance fee per vehicle to the park. Bring a blanket/lawn chair and a picnic basket (food can also be purchased). No alcohol. Directions: From Rt. 50 take exit 22 and get on Aris T. Allen Blvd. (Rt. 665). Go about 2 miles and bear right onto Forest Drive. Go about 2 miles on Forest Drive and then turn right onto Hillsmere Drive. Go about 150 yards and the park entrance will be on your right. Go to the Gate House and you will be directed to the concert site. **Info: 410. 222.1777.**

#### September

- 2 QWP 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration, with **Mary Byrd Brown** (folk), **Doug Dunn & the One Too Many Band** (pop/rock)  
9, 16, 23, 30 [unknown by your editor at presstime]

### MD • Annapolis - 333 Coffeehouse Friday September 15 • 8pm

The 333 Coffeehouse is a non-profit, non-alcoholic venue run by volunteers for the love of music. It features songwriters, acoustic folk singers and spoken art. Featured acts this month **Y'All & Bar Scott**. Proceeds go to charitable causes. Third Friday of each month at the Unitarian Church, 333 Du Bois Road (exit 24 B off Rt. 50 to Bestgate). Inexpensive gourmet fare offered. Doors open 7:30pm; music begins promptly at 8pm. Admission: \$6, \$5 for students/senior citizens. **Info: Leslie at 410.266.8044 or Max at 410.647.4275.**



### MD • Annapolis Traditional Dance Society Contra Dance

**Saturday September 16 • 8pm**

**Bill Troutman** calls to the music of *Mostly Mortal Wombat*, which includes **Carl Friedman** (violin), **Susan Brandt** (flute), and **Michael Freidman** (piano). Introductory lesson 7:30. Admission \$8/\$6 ATDS. No partner or experience needed. At Fraternal Order of Police Hall, Rt. 178, Crownsville, MD. **Directions/info: 410.224.8488 or [josull@erols.com](mailto:josull@erols.com).**

### MD • Baltimore - English Country Dance (BFMS) Mondays • 8pm

English Country Dancing is joyous, lively movement to elegant music in a friendly, informal setting. The figures are simple, and each dance is taught and walked through. Come alone or with a friend. New dancers are always welcome but are encouraged to arrive on time, as easier dances are taught earlier in the evening. An optional workshop for newcomers is held at 7:30pm on the first Monday of every month. Admission is \$8, \$6 for BFMS members. At St. Mark's on the Hill Parish Hall, 1620 Reisterstown Road, Baltimore (1/2 mile inside the Baltimore Beltway – I-695 – at Exit 20 South). **Info: 410.321.8419 or [www.bfms.org](http://www.bfms.org).**

#### September

- 4 **Dawn Culbertson** calls to music by **Marty Taylor** (flute and concertina), **Hope Stanton** (concertina), **Susan Rudy** (guitar). First Monday beginners' workshop starts at 7:30 and is included in the cost of the evening dance.  
11 **Rich Galloway** calls to music by **Liz Donaldson** (piano, accordion), **Carl Friedman** (fiddle)  
18 **Diane Schmidt** calls to music by **Dave Knight** (fiddle), **Robbin Schaffer** (piano)  
25 **Christopher Fields** calls to music by **Becky Ross** (fiddle), **Paul Oorts** (strings), **Colleen Spence Reed** (flute)

### MD • Baltimore - Lovely Lane Contra Dance (BFMS) Wednesdays • 8pm

This weekly contra dance is sponsored by the Baltimore Folk Music Society. All dances are taught and walked through. Beginners are always welcome and are encouraged to arrive promptly at 8pm. Nationally-known musicians and callers appear regularly. Free workshops introducing basic contra dance held on 2nd and 4th Wednesday at 7:30. Admission is \$8, \$6 for BFMS/FSGW members. Lovely Lane Church, 2200 St. Paul Street, Baltimore, MD. **Info: 410.321.8419 or [www.bfms.org](http://www.bfms.org).**

#### September

- 6 **Laura Brown** calls to music by **Greenfire** (**Laura Risk** on fiddle, **Ken Kolodner** on hammered dulcimer and fiddle).

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- 13 Robert Cromartie from North Carolina calls to music by *Footloose* (Andrea Hoag on fiddle, David DiGiuseppe on accordion, Jonah Blaustein on clarinet and saxophone, Pete Campbell on piano). New Dancers' Workshop at 7:30.
- 20 Susan Taylor and friends call to music by *Taylor Among the Devils* (Jonathan Jensen on piano, ocarina, etc., Marty Taylor on flute and concertina, Steve Hickman on fiddle).
- 27 Susan Taylor calls to music by Marc Glickman and friends. New Dancers' Workshop at 7:30.

### MD • Baltimore - 2nd Saturday Dance (BFMS) Saturday September 9 • 8pm

Contra dancing is easy to learn, lots of fun, and great exercise. All dances are taught. Beginners, singles, couples, and families are welcome, and you don't need to bring a partner. 7pm free workshop: Intro to contra dancing. 8 to 11pm contra dance by calling by Peggy Meyers, music by *June Apple* (Alice Markham on piano, Jeff Steinberg on fiddle, Mike McGeary on banjo and mandolin, Bob Garber on clarinet). Free beverages will be served at the break and participants are invited to bring goodies to share with their fellow dancers. At St. Mark's on the Hill Parish Hall, 1620 Reisterstown Road, Baltimore (1/2 mile inside the Baltimore Beltway - I-695 - at Exit 20 South). Admission: \$8, \$6 for BFMS/St. Mark's members. Discounts for children, families, students. Info: Ralph Barthine 410.561.4573 or rbarthin@bcpl.net.

### MD • Baltimore - Concerts at St. John's Saturdays September 9 & 16 • 8pm

Uptown Concerts (a nonprofit organization affiliated with the North American Folk Alliance) presents shows in the fellowship hall of St. John's United Methodist Church of Hamilton (5315 Harford Road Baltimore, MD; just 3 miles inside the Beltway). All shows begin at 8pm. No alcohol or smoking permitted. Access the large parking lot from Gibbons Street. Concert info: Joyce Sica 410.922.5210, joycesica@aol.com, or <http://www.charm.net/~dirtylin/uptown.html>. Advance tickets advised. By phone: call Midnight Music 1-888-843-0933. By mail: send your check or money order to Uptown Concerts, PO Box 150, Randallstown, MD 21133. Please make checks payable to Uptown Concerts. Include a phone number and be sure to specify the show(s) for which you are purchasing tickets. To get on our e-mail mailing list and stay informed, send your e-mail address to [uptownconcerts@aol.com](mailto:uptownconcerts@aol.com).

#### September

- 9 Melanie (\$22)  
16 Al Petteway and Amy White (\$15)



### MD • Bel Air - Folk Music Festival Sunday September 10 • 1 to 6pm

Featuring *Magpie* and *Kim & Reggie*, Bill Kirchen and *Too Much Fun*, *The Seldom Scene*. Also workshops, open mikes, children's activities, craft and food vendors. At Harford Community College, 401 Thomas Run Road, Bel Air, MD. Directions: There are signs on 95 for Harford Community College. From 95 N, take exit 85. From the exit ramp, turn left (Rt 22) towards Churchville. Follow Rt 22 approx. 5 miles to the College on your right. Admission: \$15/adults, free/children aged 12 and under. Attention performers! Interested in an open mike tryout? Contact: Katherine McGuire 410.836.4102.

### MD • Catonsville - Somebody Scream (BFMS) Friday September 8 • 9pm

*Zydeco-A-GO-GO* from Philadelphia will play their first dance in Catonsville. At the Barn Theater, Catonsville Community College (CCC). Free zydeco dance workshop at 8pm. Music by for dancing 9pm to midnight. Refreshments on sale. Directions: From I-95, exit at Route 195 but take Route 166 (Rolling Road) north towards Catonsville. At the second traffic light (Valley Road) turn left into the CCC campus. The Barn Theater is the stone building on the hill beyond parking lot A. Free, well-lit parking is available nearby. Admission: \$10 (reduced admission for BFMS members and CCC faculty, staff, and students with ID). Info: [www.bfms.org](http://www.bfms.org).

### MD • Columbia - Borders Books and Music Usually Fridays • 7:30pm

Free performances at Borders Books and Music, 6151 Columbia Crossing Circle, Columbia, MD. Children's storytime every Monday at 10:30am and every Wednesday at 11am. Open Mike Music every Sunday at 4pm in Cafe Espresso. All soloists and duos welcome. Sign-up sheet available at 3pm each Sunday. General info: 410.290.0062

#### September

- 1 Mark Mosley Trio  
8 Basque  
15 Jeff Lopez Trio  
22 Steve Abshire Trio  
29 Burnt Taters

### MD • Columbia International Folk Dancing Wednesdays • 8 to 10:30pm

Kahler Hall, Beaverkill Rd. & Harper's Farm Rd., Columbia, MD. Admission \$3. Recorded music. Beginners welcome. Teaching until 9pm. We have parties and workshops. Info: 410.997.1613 (night), or 301.495.4642 (day).

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### MD • Easton – Crab Contras

**Saturday September 23 • 8 to 11pm**

Crab Contras announces the first dance of the 2000-2001 season. **Alan Gedance** will call to the music of *Kindred Spirits* (Steve Quillen on fiddle, Ali Quillen on guitar) at the Cross Court Athletic Club, 1180 South Washington St., Easton, MD. Admission: \$7/ adult. All are welcome; no partner or experience necessary. **Info: Jane Terebey 410.479.1343, ext 1; website: [www.geocities.com/Petsburgh/4867/dance.html](http://www.geocities.com/Petsburgh/4867/dance.html)**

### MD • Frederick Contra Dance

**Saturday September 23 • 8 to 11pm**

Join us at our new location in Frederick, Maryland to dance to the music of *Raise the Roof* from Philadelphia, featuring **Kathy Talvitie** on guitar, **Mathew Clark** on fiddle & mandolin, **Judi Stellar** on hammered dulcimer, and **Pete Soloway** on bass. **Kathy Anderson** will call. Free beginner workshop at 7 sharp; dance starts at 8. Admission: \$6 for most, \$4 for Frederick City residents. Our new location is the Seventh Day Adventist hall, located near the intersection of Rte. 70 and 355, beside Grove Stadium. **Further information, including directions and a map, is available on our website at <http://w4c.com/dance/mmfac/>. Human contacts are Boe Walker at 301.694.6794 and Marc Glickman at 301.695.4390.**

### MD • Linthicum - *Creating Music For Peace*

**Friday, September 15 • 5 & 7:30pm**

*Creating Music For Peace* is a special event at the Friendship Church of the Brethren Fellowship Hall, 217 Mansion Road, Linthicum, MD. At 5pm, **Sue Trainor** will lead a family songwriting workshop. At 7:30pm, Sue will present a concert program, including the songs written in the workshop. A light supper is included with workshop registration. Workshop fee and concert: \$6; concert only: \$3. Reservations required for the workshop. **Info/reservations: 410.789.2422.**

### MD • Sykesville - Baldwin's Station & Pub

**Usually Wednesdays • 8pm**

At Baldwin's Station & Pub, 7618 Main St., Sykesville, MD 21784. Productions by Uptown Concerts, a non-profit organization affiliated with the North American Folk Alliance. Unless otherwise stated, all shows are on Wednesdays and begin at 8pm. **Concert info: Joyce R. Sica, 410.922.5210, [joycesica@aol.com](mailto:joycesica@aol.com), or <http://www.charm.net/~dirtylin/uptown.html> (compliments of Dirty Linen Magazine). Tickets/reservations: 410.795.1041.**

#### August

**30 Grace Griffith & Zan McLeod (\$15)**

#### September

**6 Danny Doyle (\$15)**

**13 Bill Staines (\$12)**

**17 Jonathan Edwards (\$22.50), 2 shows @ 4pm & 8pm**

**20 Robin Bullock (\$13.50), album-release party**

**27 Tabache (\$12)**

### MD • Towson - Uptown Concerts

**Thursday September 21 • 8pm**

**Dar Williams** with her band and special guest **Catie Curtis**. At Kraushaar Auditorium on the campus of Goucher College, Dulaney Valley Road, Towson, MD. Well lit free parking just minutes off Route 695 Exit 27. Show begins 8pm (doors open 7pm). All seats \$24 plus service charge. Tickets are on sale now at all TicketMaster locations, including Hecht's. **Tickets: 410.481.SEAT (7328), [www.ticketmaster.com](http://www.ticketmaster.com).**

### PA • Lancaster Contradance

**Saturday, September 16 • 8 to 11pm**

The Lancaster Traditional Society presents **Beau Farmer** calling for *June Apple*, featuring **Alice Markham, Jeff Steinberg, Mike McGearry, and Bob Garber**. Pot luck supper at 6:30pm, beginners workshop at 7:15pm, and contradance from 8-11pm. Lancaster County Park, pavilions 11 and 12. **Info: Shane 717.390.7277 or email Shirley at [sam@mcc.org](mailto:sam@mcc.org).**

### PA • Philadelphia – Heritage Dance Festival

**Friday thru Sunday September 22 to 24**

17<sup>th</sup> annual Heritage Dance Festival at the Plymouth-Whitemarsh High School near Philadelphia, PA. Attend a single session, a full day, or the entire program. Over 100 events for all ages, beginner to advanced. No partner necessary. Dances and dance workshops (contra, squares, English country, waltz, swing, international folk, clogging, Cajun, Scottish, Scandinavian, vintage, tango, country-western, Latin), live music and callers, performances, music and singing workshops, jam sessions, folk bazaar, international and American food. Free admission for volunteers (contact Sarah Gowan 610.394.2637 or [ladysmyth@mindspring.com](mailto:ladysmyth@mindspring.com)). **Info: 215.842.1425 or [www.heritagedancefestival.com](http://www.heritagedancefestival.com).**

### PA • The Cook Forest Festival

**Friday thru Sunday September 8-10**

The Cook Forest Festival, in the beautiful Cook Forest at Clarion University in western PA, just off route 80. **Christina Muir, Walt Michael, Robin Bullock, Simple Gifts, Doofus** and more. Though the focus is on hammered and mountain dulcimers, there will also be workshops for guitar, fiddle, mandolin, tin whistle and banjo, as well as ongoing opportunities for jamming. **To register, get a brochure, or for other administrative questions, contact Kris Stiglitz at [kstiglitz@clarion.edu](mailto:kstiglitz@clarion.edu).** For questions about the workshops and performances, contact Linda Littleton 814.238.8048, [lrl@psu.edu](mailto:lrl@psu.edu), or [www.personal.psu.edu/lrl/festival](http://www.personal.psu.edu/lrl/festival).

### VA • Boyce Contra & Square Dance

**Friday September 8 • 7:30 to 10:30pm**

Y'all come on out to the Shenandoah Valley for a fun and family-friendly dance with **Janine Smith** calling to the music of *The Hillbilly Sweethearts*. Kids dance early and dances

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become more complex later in the evening. No partner or experience necessary. All dances are taught and FREE pre-dance beginners lesson at 7:30pm. Admission: Adults \$4, under 13 \$3, under 7 free. Boyce is 30 min west of Leesburg, VA. In Boyce, Emmanuel is the second church (large stone church) west of the blinking light at Rt.340 and Rt. 723. Please bring clean shoes to dance in and a snack or drink to share at the break. **Info: Janine 301.926.9142, John or Kelly 540.955.2660.**

### VA • Charlottesville Contra Dance Fridays September 1, 15 & 29 • 8 to 11pm

In the gym on 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> Fridays. At MACAA. Take Rt. 29 South to Charlottesville. Turn east onto Rt. 250. Just after the light at McIntire Rd. Turn north on Park St. Go a block to the first marked pedestrian crosswalk and turn left into the alley. Beginner's workshop at 7:30. Admission \$6. **Info: contradanc@aol.com, www.contradance.sbc.edu, or Rob Craighurst at 804.971.8863.**

### VA • Front Royal – Dixie Contra Dance Saturday September 30 • 7pm

The Rural Citizen, Inc. is pleased to sponsor another wonderful family entertainment event, the Dixie Contra Dance in Front Royal, VA on September 30 at 7pm at the Front Royal Community/Youth Center (Raymond Santmyers Bldg.). Live music by *Happy Creek*, who play Celtic and American folk tunes, mentored by *Tabby Finch. Mr. Quigley* from Winchester is calling the dances and keeps everyone moving and having a great time. Please bring a snack to share; ice water and soda machines available. Door prizes! Donation/Admission: \$5 adults, \$3 children 13 and under. Directions from DC: Take I-66 to the Linden exit, make a left, go under I-66, make a right at light. This takes you into Front Royal, at the first light (RiteAid, KFC) make a right onto Rt 522 bypass, follow it till you see Marlow Motors on the right. The Community Center is just next to it on the right, with a Dixie Contra Dance sign in front of the bldg.

**Info: Carol and Rory Martin 540.635.6673, dixiedances@ruralcitizen.com, http://ruralcitizen.com/dixiedances.**

### VA • Richmond - Cajun Dance Thursday August 31 • 8:30pm

From England to Richmond, *Phil Underwood*, leader and accordion player extraordinaire of *ZigaZag*, England's foremost Cajun band and CFMA Award nominee, joins with *Jolie Rouge & the Ramblers*, Washington's new lively Cajun dance band. Their traditional style includes songs from the past to the present. *Jolie Rouge & the Ramblers* consists of *Paula Lucas* and *Joel Bailes* (formerly of *Blackberry Cajun Band*) on guitar and fiddle, *Charlie Bean* (of *Orange Line Special*) on string bass, and introduces *Brendan Bailes* on drums. They will be performing on Thursday, August 31 in Richmond at the Broad St. Deli (804.282.9333) from 8:30-11:30pm; dance lesson 7:30pm. Admission charged. **Info: Paula 703.569.0331.**

### WV • Capon Bridge – Savoy Swings Again Friday thru Monday • September 1 to 4

WSDC brings you the 14th Annual Savoy Swings Again Dance Weekend over Labor Day Weekend at Buffalo Gap Community Camp, Capon Bridge, WV. Three nights and four days of quality instruction, hot bands, sumptuous meals, and camaraderie in a truly magical setting! Dance instruction by: **Marcus Koch** and **Baerbl Kaufer** (Germany), **John Knapp** and **Meredith Stead** (New York), **Mattias Lundmark** and **Ewa "W" Staremo** (Sweden). Three great bands: *The Delegates* (New York), *Dr. Zoot* (Pittsburgh), *J Street Jumpers* (Washington, DC). You'll learn Boogie Woogie, Jitterbug, Hollywood and Savoy styles Lindy, West Coast, Charleston, plus a little hip-hop, slow dancin', and more! Classes will be tailored to meet the needs of beginning, intermediate, and advanced dancers. Private dance lessons and waltz parties will be offered during breaks; or take advantage of the majestic surroundings and swim, sun, bike, hike, or just plain RELAX! Buffalo Gap Community Camp is two hours west of Washington, DC, on 200 acres with an open-air dance pavilion, several other dance areas, a swimming lake, a white sandy beach, and a log sauna. Two large, wooden-floor dance halls provide plenty of room for instruction. Participants will be housed in rustic, bunk-style cabins. Please bring your own linens, blankets, and towels. Smoking is strictly prohibited in all camp buildings. Plenty of tent sites are available for those who prefer privacy and the outdoors; you will still be assigned a cabin and bed space. If you snore, please consider camping out. There are no hook-ups for recreational vehicles. Sorry, no non-registered guests and NO PETS! Registration: \$280 includes all workshops, dances, meals, snacks, and lodging. **Info: WSDC hotline 301.340.9732, website <http://www.wsdc.org/savoy>.**

### WV • Capon Bridge – American Dance Weekend at Buffalo Gap Friday thru Sunday • September 15 to 17

Come join us for a whole weekend of dancing, singing, and instrument workshops at the American Dance Weekend at Buffalo Gap held September 15 – 17 at Buffalo Gap Community Camp in Capon Bridge, WV. This year we are featuring caller **Cis Hinkle** with the *String Beings* (**Cailen Campbell**, fiddle; **Laurie Fisher**, fiddle; **Art Shuster**, mandolin; **Tom Troszak**, guitar) and caller **Susan Taylor** with *Microchasm* (**Dave Wiesler**, piano; **Laura Lengnick**, fiddle; **Steve Hickman**, fiddle, **John Devine**, guitar; **David Crandall**, saxophone, flute). Also included will be workshop leaders **Tom Hinds**, **Jamie** and **Betsy Platt**, and workshop musicians **Marty Taylor** and **Liz Donaldson**. We'll be offering contras, squares, programs for musicians, a waltz workshop, and other workshops of dancing and singing. In particular, we are featuring **Jamie and Betsy Platt** teaching Hambo, **Ralph Sweet** calling Singing Squares and **Judy Cook** leading workshops on singing. The fee of \$168 (or \$178 if done in 2 payments of \$89) includes the program, all meals (catered by Janet Bradley), lodging (in dormitory-style cab-

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ins camping is also available), all in a lovely mountain setting (with the popular sauna by the edge of the lake). Please note that children are not allowed. Registration is open as long as space is available. **Info: Boe Walker, 26 South Market St., Frederick, MD 21701; (301) 694-6794 between 9am and 10pm, [BuffaloBoe@aol.com](mailto:BuffaloBoe@aol.com), or <http://www.cacapongroup.com/buffalo>**

### WV • Charles Town - Jumpin' Java Saturdays • 8 to 10pm

The Jumpin' Java Coffeehouse offers acoustic music as well as fine coffees, espresso drinks, sandwiches, and other lite fare and desserts. Open every day, with music every Saturday from 8 to 10pm. Requested donation: \$2/adult. No smoking, no alcohol. Directions: Take Rt. 340 west from Frederick, MD and continue straight into downtown Charles Town, WV. Jumpin' Java is at 109 West Washington Street, on the left in the center of town. **Info: 304.728.0195.**

#### September

- 2 *Route 9*, highway songs
- 9 **Chuck Durfor**, fingerstyle guitar
- 16 **Steve Cifala**, acoustic rhythm & blues
- 23 **Jean Shepherd**, retrospective storytelling
- 30 **Mike & Alex Carr**, American traditional

### WV • Shepherdstown Contra Dance Saturday September 2 • 8 to 11pm

All are invited to our friendly dance at the Men's Club in downtown Shepherdstown, WV on Sept 2 with Susan Hankin calling to the music of *Je Ne Sais Quebecois*. This band features **Susan Brandt** on the flute, **Carl Friedman** on the fiddle and **Marc Glickman** on piano. At the air-conditioned War Memorial Building (Men's Club) on the corner of German and King Streets in Shepherdstown, WV. Beginners' workshop starting at 7:15pm. Admission \$6, \$5 members, \$3 under age 26. Dancers must bring soft-soled shoes. **Info: 304.263.8323 or 304.876.2169. Website: [www.w4c/dance/shepherdstown](http://www.w4c/dance/shepherdstown).**



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**October 14, 8pm. "Living Out Loud"**, a 50<sup>th</sup> birthday celebration and homecoming for singer/guitarist **Jeanne Mackey**, who left the DC area for Ann Arbor, MI in 1995. Some of her best friends and former musical partners are joining her for the evening of music on both personal and social justice themes, ranging in style from neo-folk to classic swing to foot-tapping, hand-clapping world beat. At the Silver Spring Unitarian Universalist Church, 10309 New Hampshire Ave., Silver Spring, MD. Sponsored by the House of Musical Traditions. Tickets: \$10 in advance at HMT. Info: HMT at 301.270.9090 or e-mail [jmackey50@yahoo.com](mailto:jmackey50@yahoo.com) Web site: [www.geocities.com/jmackey50](http://www.geocities.com/jmackey50).

**October 14 & 21. HESPERUS Ear-Trade Workshop.** 10-4 each Saturday. Concert at 7pm and dance at 8:30pm on Oct 21. Learn medieval, Renaissance, old-time and Irish tunes by ear. Learn how to combine these great styles in **HESPERUS'** own inimitable way! For players of recorder, Irish whistle, fiddle, viola da gamba, hammered dulcimer, guitar, banjo, and mandolin. Tuition: \$100, includes both Saturdays. Deadline for registration: October 7 (late registration for additional charge). Location TBA, probably northern VA. Info: **Scott or Tina 703.525.7550.**

**October 20-22. 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Charlottesville Fall Dance Festival**, Charlottesville, VA. Featuring music by **Nightingale**, calling by **Lisa Greenleaf**. Info: **Rob Craighurst 804.971.8863, [www.contradance.sbc.edu](http://www.contradance.sbc.edu).**

**November 10-12. 10th Annual Pittsburgh Fall Dance Weekend 2000. The Groovemongers** on Friday with Keith Cornett, workshops on Sat. and Couple Dance on Sunday. **Hotpoint String Band** with **Kathy Anderson** on Saturday night, workshops Saturday, Contra Dance on Sunday. Great dancing, food, hospitality. **Contacts, [contradancepagh@hotmail.com](mailto:contradancepagh@hotmail.com), Deanna 412.421.5708 or [drlovdnc@nb.net](mailto:drlovdnc@nb.net).**

**November 12. Singers! Mark your calendars!** The Baltimore Folk Music Society will host **Dr. Ysaye Barnwell**, renowned singer and song leader, in a workshop titled "Building a Vocal Community." At the Woodbrook Baptist Church near Towson, MD, 2-5pm. Tickets available. Info: **Barbara 410.788.2761, [svob@home.com](mailto:svob@home.com), or [www.bfms.org](http://www.bfms.org).**

**December 27 to January 1. The 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Terpsichore's Holiday**, sponsored in Jackson's Mill, WV, by the Lloyd Shaw Foundation. Enjoy Contras, Squares, Swing, English, Scandinavian, Scottish, Rapper, Morris, Shape Note Singing, and story telling. It is a great opportunity to dance and make music. There is a full children's program. Info: **Bob Mathis 301.589.7539, [talibob@starpower.net](mailto:talibob@starpower.net), or <http://www.lloydshaw.org>.**



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<b>10</b> 4pm FSGW Gospel Sing 7:30 FSGW Contra Dance 3pm Texas Tea Dance 4pm Alpine Dancers  <i>Takoma Park Folk Festival Bel Air Folk Music Festival</i>	<b>11</b> 7:30 Israeli Dance, Bethesda Intl. Dance, Swing At Glen Echo 8pm IMT Concert, Baltimore Eng. Country Dance	<b>12</b> 8pm FSGW Board Meeting 7:30 Herndon-Reston Folk Club 7:45 Eng. Country Dance 8pm Taylor Made Squares, Arlington Intl. Folk Dance	<b>13</b> 8pm FSGW Eng. Country 7pm Laurel Jam Session 7:30 Swiss Folk Dance 8pm Vic's Music Corner, Baldwin's Station, Columbia Intl. Folk Dance, Baltimore Contra Dance, Israeli Dance	<b>14</b> 7:30 Intl. Folk Dance In Foggy Bottom, Chevy Chase 8pm Gumbo Groupies, Intl. Folk Dance In Mt. Vernon	<b>15</b> 6:30 Press Club Dance 7:30 Creating Music For Peace 8pm Dupont Music Circle, 333 Coffeehouse, Charlottesville Contra Dance 8:30 FND Contra Dance, Intl. Folk Dance In Greenbelt  <i>American Buffalo</i>	<b>16</b> 7:30 FSGW Storyswap 8pm FSGW The Four Echoes 5:30 Quiet Waters Concert 7:30 Scan Dance 8pm St. John's, Jumpin' Java, Annapolis & Lancaster Contra Dances, Eng. Country Dance <i>Bluegrass On The Farm American Buffalo</i>
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