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FSGW Special Events

Great Falls, VA and Washington, DC



Sviraj

Sprightly Balkan Music

Balkan Dance:

Thursday, June 6 • 7:30 pm

Concert:

Saturday, June 8 • 8 pm

If you enjoyed the *Harmonia* dance/concert event last year, you'll be delighted by **Sviraj** (pronounced svee-raj, with a rolled "r"), whose name means "Play!" in Serbian and Croatian. This group of ethnic Balkan musicians will perform at a Balkan dance event, with teaching by **Larry Weiner**, at the Great Falls Grange on Georgetown Pike, and later that week will entertain in a concert format at the Washington Ethical Society auditorium (Directions, page 20).

Sviraj's performances evoke passion, fire, sadness, joy, melancholy. Their music has its roots in Serbia, Croatia, Macedonia, Bosnia, Dalmatia and Romania, but also flourishes in the tamburitza music popular among North American ethnic Balkan communities. **Sviraj**, whose members have performed together since 1988, preserves both the European and American traditions. **Sviraj's** repertoire includes a Serbian *kolo*, a Croatian love song, a Macedonian *lesnoto* in 7/8 time, a whimsical Dalmatian song about the sea, a Bosnian song of unrequited love with its clear Turkish influences, a lilting waltz from Slovenia, and extends to the rich music of the Banat region of Romania, and the dances of the Greek islands.

The members of **Sviraj** are life-long friends who grew up together in an ethnically diverse steel town in Pennsylvania. They learned the music of their culture and others through performances, jam sessions and encounters with folk musicians from ethnic communities in the United States and the Balkans.

R.E. (Raczar) Lopatic (violin, prim, vocals), of Croatian and Slovenian descent, is a former member of the Duquesne University Tamburitza. A classically-trained violinist, he
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FSGW Sunday Night Contra Dance**Sundays • 7:30 to 10:30 pm**

Bumper Car Pavilion at Glen Echo Park (Directions, page 20). Live music by excellent bands, entertaining callers. Experienced and new dancers are welcome, and no partner is needed. Called dances are mostly contras, with occasional squares. New dancers should come early, as dances become more challenging later in the evening. **Admission \$6 for FSGW, BFMS, DCSS, and ATDS Members; \$8 for Non-Members.** The Bumper Car Pavilion is not climate-controlled. Dancers should dress appropriately and bring water. **Info: Anne Sergeant at dance@fsgw.org or check the webpage at www.fsgw.org.**

**June**

- 2 **George Segebade** calls to music by the *Elftones*: **Mara Beamish** (fiddle) and **Roger Gold** (guitar and foot percussion)
- 9 **Ted Crane** calls to music by *Taylor Among the Devils*: **Marty Taylor** (concertina), **Steve Hickman** (fiddle), and **Jonathan Jensen** (piano)
- 16 **Tom Hinds** calls to music by **Laura Light** (fiddle), **Dan Sebring** (guitar/mandolin/fiddle), and **Doug Hepler** (guitar/mandolin)
- 23 **Elinor Preston** calls to music by **Joe DeZarn** (fiddle), **Liz Donaldson** (piano), and **Ralph Gordon** (bass).
- 30 **Barbara Groh** calls to music by the *Evil Twins*: **David Knight** (fiddle) and **Laurie Fisher** (piano).

July

- 7 **Anna Rain** calls to music by *Martin's Flight*: **Alexander Mitchell** (fiddle), **Paul Oorts** (mandolin/guitar), **Marc Glickman** (piano), and **Ralph Gordon** (bass).
- 14 Caller and musicians TBA.
- 21 *The Happy Homesteaders*: **DeLaura Padovan** calls to music by **Steve Hickman** (fiddle), **David Cantieni** (wind instruments and feet), and **Ann Percival** on piano.
- 28 Music by **Alan Jabbour** (fiddle), **John Schwab** (guitar), and a mystery banjo player.

August

- 4 **Glen Echo Benefit Dance**: **Michael Schechtman** calls to music by **David Knight** with **Wes and Terry Maluk**. Admission \$10

Spanish Ballroom Update

courtesy of Washington Swing Dance Committee

The hole in the ground to the left of the Spanish Ballroom, temporarily to be used by the Puppet Theatre, will eventually become a staging/holding area for sound equipment. A permanent puppet theatre will be built in former arcade space.

The original Ballroom entrance in the middle of the building will be restored. The hole in the ground to the right of the ballroom will become a new snack bar/restaurant. The area now used by the snack bar, together with the current entryway and the puppet theatre ticket booth, will become a lounge area. Bathrooms will be installed between the reopened original Ballroom entrance and the new lounge area.

Windows will be installed next to the entrance doors and the ironwork will be restored. The windows that used to overlook the pool will be restored. All windows will be openable, to draw air through the Ballroom, and there will be new, quiet(er) exhaust fans.

FSGW Free Monthly Program

Washington, DC

The Gospel Messengers



Classic Gospel Harmony
Saturday, June 15 • 8 pm

On Saturday, June 15, this season's series of free monthly FSGW programs will conclude with a concert of classic black gospel quartet music presented by the Connecticut-based **Gospel Messengers**. If you admire the close harmonies and window-rattling bass lines of black gospel groups such as the *Golden Gate Quartet*, then you'll love the **Gospel Messengers**, who bring the same infectious musical joy to their harmony singing.

Joseph Evans (bass), **Franklin Cummings** (baritone), **Derrick Hanchard** (tenor), and **Jerry Rasmussen** (baritone and electric guitar) sing spirituals and black gospel music, drawing on the rich wealth of gospel quartet music. Each member of the group has a long history of singing and performing. **Joseph Evans** sang in the *No Notes* for many years, performing up and down the East Coast. He and **Franklin Cummings** have sung in the *Men's Chorus* of Union Baptist Church in Stamford, Connecticut for over 25 years. **Derrick Hanchard**, also a member of the *Men's Chorus*, sings and plays guitar in the reggae band *Profile*. **Jerry Rasmussen**, who has been singing gospel music most of his life, has recorded three albums of traditional American folk music and his own songs, many of which have been performed and recorded by other singers.

The Gospel Messengers, celebrating their 5th anniversary as a quartet, have performed widely on the East Coast, and as far west as central Missouri, playing at folk festivals, concert series, schools, museums and churches, as well as on radio and television. They currently are recording their first CD.

Don't miss this last FREE program of the 2001-2002 season. The concert begins at **8:00 pm** at the **Washington Ethical Society auditorium, 7750 16th St. NW** (directions, page 20). **Admission is free for FSGW members, \$15 for nonmembers** (nonmember kids 12 and under are half price).

The monthly program series will resume on **Saturday, September 21**, with a concert by **Nick Apollonio** and **Kristen Tescher**. Watch the newsletter for the Fall 2002 program date of Maine singer **Kendall Morse**, originally scheduled for June but postponed due to illness.



FSGW English Country Dances

Wednesdays • 8 to 10:30 pm

Dance on a wood floor in the climate-controlled community room at the **Glen Echo Town Hall** (Directions, page 20). Enjoy the talented callers, accompanied by top-notch musicians playing melodies that are unique to each dance, featuring a delightful mix of instruments, which on a given evening might include piano, fiddle, flute, harp, oboe, concertina, bassoon, or viola. Enjoy the welcoming crowd, light refreshments, and dancing from 8 to 10:30 pm. Experienced and new dancers are welcome, and no partner is needed. **Admission \$6 for FSGW members, \$8 for Non-members.** **Info: Norm Bernhardt at 301.320.2469; Rich Galloway at 301.589.0939, or Roger Broseus at English@fsgw.org.**

June

- 5 **Martha Seigel** calls to music by **Judy Kleppel** (oboe), **Barbara Heitz** (flute) and **Liz Donaldson** (piano).
- 12 **Bob Farrall**, with **JoAnn Morris** call to the playing of **Bruce Edwards** (concertina/bassoon), **David Knight** (fiddle), and **Liz Donaldson** (piano).
- 19 **Stephanie Smith** calls while while **Julie Gorka** (piano), **Colleen Reed** (flute) and **Jeff Steinberg** (fiddle) play the tunes.
- 26 **John Bremer** calls to the music of **Paul Oorts** (mandolin), **Becky Ross** (fiddle), and **Liz Donaldson** (piano).

July

- 3 **Barbara Harding**, calls to the playing of **Jeff Steinberg** (fiddle), **Donn Williams** (guitar) and **Bruce Edwards** (bassoon and concertina)
- 10 **Stephanie Smith** calls to the music of **Keith Gillis** (guitar), **David Knight** (fiddle), and **Liz Donaldson** (piano).
- 17 **Diane Schmit** with **Don Sweig** call to music by **Julie Gorka** (piano), **Laurie Mielke** (recorder) and **Marty Taylor**, (concertina and recorders).
- 24 **Rich Galloway** calls while **Becky Ross** (fiddle), **Colleen Reed** (flute), and **Liz Donaldson** (piano) play the tunes.
- 31 **Bob Farrall** calls to tunes played by **Barbara Heitz** (flute), **Karin Lova** (cello), and **Liz Donaldson** (piano).

FSGW Community/Family Dance

The FSGW Community/Family Dance will resume in September. Have a wonderful summer!

Glen Echo International Folkdancing

Thursdays • 7:30 to 10:45 pm

Glen Echo International Folkdancers meet Thursday evenings at the Church of the Redeemer, Dunrobbin Drive and MacArthur Blvd, next to the Glen Echo shopping center. Teaching from 7:30-9pm. Request dancing from 9-10:45pm. Learn dances from Romania, Bulgaria, Serbia, Macedonia, Albania, Greece, Turkey, Armenia, Croatia and elsewhere. No experience or partner necessary. **Admission \$5. Info: Jamie at 301.320.7099 or dancingplanet@erols.com. Co-sponsored by FSGW**



No dance on June 6th (Sviraj — FSGW special event) or July 4th.

FSGW House Concert

Silver Spring, MD

Tom Lewis

**Sea (and Under-the-Sea) Songs
Sunday, June 2 • 8 pm**

Tom Lewis spent a quarter-century in Her Majesty's Royal Navy, much of it under the waves in a submarine (for such is the nature of the modern navy). He's collected many songs and stories of the sea, and the ones he couldn't find, he made up. His songs cover a wide range of nautical topics, from life aboard HM ships, through the loneliness and lure of the sea, to the very funny tale (tail?) of a randy canine ship's mascot. He sings (or

leads) them all in a powerful voice that could overwhelm a ship's engine if it had to, and is far more melodious than creaking sails and rigging.

This House Concert will be hosted by Jennifer Woods and Bob Clayton in Silver Spring, MD. \$10 FSGW Members, \$14 Non-Members.

Info: www.fsgw.org or Charlie Baum at 301.587.2286.

Directions: Bob Clayton or Jennifer Woods at 301.587.7174

(please note that the hosts own cats and a dog).

FSGW House Concert

Laurel, MD



Sara Grey

From both sides of the Atlantic

Tuesday, July 16 • 8 pm

Sara Grey was born in New England, lives in Scotland, and is as happy singing an Appalachian or New England song as one from Ulster or the Highlands. Her driving banjo and enthusiastic singing will make it difficult to resist joining in on the choruses.

Her voice, both powerful and sweet with a distinctive and lovely tremolo, is well suited to native American ballads and ballads of Ireland and Scotland. For the last several years she has concentrated on tracing the migration of songs from the British Isles to North America. Her singing reflects her great knowledge of, and feeling for, traditional music.

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FSGW Special Event**Vienna, VA**

FSGW Picknic

Saturday, July 6 • 1 pm until dark

One great way to celebrate Independence Day is a picnic with friends, food, and music. The FSGW Board is extremely pleased to revive an FSGW tradition (see Joe Hickerson's July 1967 column on page 21), and we hope you will join us and other FSGW members for a delightful and relaxing afternoon.

Come join us at Glyndon Park, in Vienna, VA. FSGW will provide hot dogs, buns, condiments, chips, soft drinks, paper plates, utensils, cups and napkins — and maybe some red, white and blue toys for the kids (and your inner kids). Have a favorite picnic food you'd like to fix? Baked beans? Potato or macaroni salad? Cupcakes? Deviled eggs? If you can, please bring some along to share. There are grills in the park for cooking, if hot dogs aren't your cup of tea, but don't forget to bring charcoal and matches.

The most important things to bring are your voices and favorite portable musical instruments — guitar, mandolin, banjo, recorder, flute, harmonica, fiddle . . .

So that FSGW can better plan this activity, please let us know that you are planning to come, and approximately how many people will be with you. E-mail your RSVP to secretary@fsgw.org, or **Contact: Dolores Nichols, 703.938.4564**

Directions: From 495, take Route 123 toward Vienna. At the Mobil station, turn right onto Glyndon St. NE. Go through two stop signs. The park is to the right, at the curve in the road. Park and follow the paved path to the main picnic pavilion.

Hope to see you there!

Oh, Grow Up!

or, How can we increase FSGW membership?

By Chuck Moran, FSGW Membership Chair

On May 9 of this year, FSGW's new database indicated we had 2,477 individual members. We want to attract more members and are seeking your help, suggestions, and feedback.

What do you think FSGW should/could do to attract new members and retain current members? Are you happy with the current music, dance, and other offerings? Is there something you think we should add to our list of sponsored events? Conversely, do you think there are programs we should drop altogether or de-emphasize? How can we improve our responses to requests from members? How can we build a future for FSGW? How can we attract young members?

Please send your ideas to **Chuck Moran at: members@fsgw.org, or call Chuck at 703.892.4154, or snail mail to 412 South Edgewood Street, Arlington, VA 22204-2043.**

JACK BECK & WENDY WELCH

*Traditional songs and stories from
Scotland and Appalachia*

Tuesday, July 30 • 8 pm

Yet another charming evening spent on “both sides of the pond.” **Jack Beck and Wendy Welch** live in Scotland, but are spending the summer in America teaching at many music camps, and we’ve snagged them in between teaching assignments.

Jack Beck’s passion for more than 25 years has been singing the songs and ballads of his native Scotland. Over this time he has developed a style deeply rooted in the tradition of unaccompanied singing. His guitar accompaniments are used by a number of other respected performers. Jack served his ‘apprenticeship’ in the

1960s singing with Barbara Dickson and went on to found the critically acclaimed traditional group Heritage. With them and as a solo artist he has performed throughout Europe and North America. Jack performs regularly with other musical luminaries. He often works with singer and banjo player Sara Grey, and singer-songwriter John Watt. His monthly interviews with folk musicians are syndicated on Scottish public radio and in Appalachia. An honorary life member of Scotland’s Traditional Music and Song Association, Jack co-ordinates tutor training schemes throughout the country to ensure that future generations are prepared to carry the Scottish music traditions forward.

Telling stories is second nature to **Wendy Welch**. She writes a newspaper column on folklore and storytelling; is founder of the American Folklore Society’s Storytelling Section; has written numerous articles on the art and study of storytelling; and teaches college classes on folklore and telling techniques. Cultural understanding is the hallmark of a repertoire gathered from her native Appalachia and her studies in Newfoundland. She infuses her tales with depth and meaning and her energetic approach to life makes them come alive.

This House Concert will be hosted by **Jennifer Woods and Bob Clayton** in Silver Spring, MD. **FSGW Members: \$10 Non-Members: \$14. Info: www.fsgw.org or Charlie Baum at 301.587.2286. Directions: Bob Clayton or Jennifer Woods at 301.587.7174 (please note that the hosts own cats and a dog).**



Thank you!

The FSGW Board would like to express its appreciation to Past President Carl Mintz for his efforts regarding the recent review of FSGW's insurance policy, which has resulted in a substantial refund to FSGW.

FSGW Co-Sponsorship with Fairfax County Park Authority Annandale, VA

FREE Concerts in Fairfax County

Fridays • 7:30 pm

Fairfax County Park Authority and the Folklore Society of Greater Washington present a series of **FREE** international folk music concerts at **Mason District Park Amphitheater, 6621 Columbia Pike, in Annandale, Virginia.** Concerts will be held every **Friday evening in June, July and August** starting at **7:30 pm.** Info: 703.324.8566

June

- 7 **Young and Rollins Band.** Guitarists Young and Rollins blend salsa, flamenco and Latin jazz into what *The Washington Post* described as a “fiery fusion of styles.”
- 14 **Takoma Mandoleers.** A mandolin and guitar orchestra in the finest American tradition, the *Takoma Mandoleers* have been performing distinctive folk music since 1923.
- 21 **Irish Breakfast Band.** The *Irish Breakfast Band* celebrates music and dance in the Irish tradition.
- 28 **Mariachi Los Amigos.** *Mariachi Los Amigos* presents a celebration of the vibrant colors, lively rhythms and wonderful vocal harmonies of Mexican tradition.

July

- 5 **Blue Moon Cowgirls.** *Blue Moon Cowgirls* will take you back to the early days of country music to create a special blend of honky tonk music.
- 12 **Korean Dance and Music.** This group captures 5,000 years of Korean history and culture through dance and music in the melting pot of American performing arts.
- 19 **Fairfax Symphony “German Band.”** *The Alte Kameraden* preserves the musical heritage and festive spirit of Bavarian village bands.
- 26 **Simple Gifts** concert followed by a sing along session at 8:30 p.m. Three women playing 12 instruments - with folk music from the U.S. and Europe. Afterwards there is a short session for local musicians to play or sing.

August

- 2 **Toho Koto Society.** The repertoire of the Koto Society ranges from 17th century Koto music to contemporary compositions featuring traditional instruments, including the *shamisen* and *shakuhachi*.
- 9 **Yarawi Musical Art of the Andes.** *Yarawi's* music is committed to preserving the musical and cultural heritage of the Andean people of Bolivia, Peru and Ecuador
- 16 **Signorello.** As swinging times are back in vogue once again, so is *Signorello* and his band to remind us all that it's still cool to be cool.
- 23 **The Continentals.** German, Polish, Slovenian and Czech selections are served up with contagious enthusiasm by the *Continentals*.
- 30 **Air Force Band Silver Wings.** From country classics to the hot new sounds of today's artists, it's the music America wants to hear.

Other FSGW Events

FSGW Open Sing • MD

Friday, June 7 • 8:30 to 11:30 pm

• **Glenmont/Wheaton**

Friday, July 5, 8:30 to 11:30 pm

• **Kensington**

Come to the FSGW Open Sing on the first Friday of each month. We take turns doing music related to a given topic. Newcomers can do any song regardless of topic. You can sing, play, request a song, or just listen. Donations of refreshments are welcome. Singing usually lasts till about 11:45pm.

The June Sing will be held on Friday, June 7 at the home of **Dottie Hurley** in Glenmont/Wheaton, MD. **Dick Rodgers** leads, with the topic "Songs that Mention Non-English-Speaking Countries." **Info/Directions: 301.942.6179.**

The July Sing will be on Friday, July 5 at the home of **Nancy King** in Kensington, MD. Nancy's topic is "The Battle of the Sexes," or, "Vive la Difference." **Info/Directions: 301.933.3073**

FSGW Gospel Sing • DC & MD

Sunday, June 9 • 4 to 8pm

• **Chevy Chase, DC**

Sunday, July 14 • 4 to 8 pm • Potomac, MD

Gospel sings are held the second Sunday of every month at various homes. Singing starts at 4 pm and breaks for a covered dish supper at 6 pm with more singing after supper. Everyone is welcome!

The June Gospel Sing will be at the home of **Rick Morgan and Arlene Rodenbeck** in the Chevy Chase area of Washington, DC. **Info/directions: 202.364.3663.**

The July Gospel Sing will be at the home of **Peggy and Hunter Jones** in Potomac, MD. **Info/directions: 301.762.6343.**

FSGW Sacred Harp Singing • Arlington, VA

Sunday, June 23 • 3:30 to 6:30 pm

Sunday, July 28 • 3:30 to 6:30 pm

St. Peter's Episcopal Church, 4250 North Glebe Road. FSGW sponsors free monthly singings of early American hymns, anthems, and fugues in four-part harmony. The principal sourcebook is *The Sacred Harp* (loaner books are available), but shape-note compositions by local singers are sometimes sung. We sing from 3:30 to 6:30, then share a potluck supper. All are welcome.

Directions: St. Peter's is one-half mile south of Chain Bridge, on the west side of Glebe Road (crossing from Washington, on your right, from Virginia, on your left). The church is not visible from Glebe Rd. Turn on Tazewell St. to reach the parking lot. **Info: 301.229.8534.**

Storyswap • Bowie, MD

Saturday, June 15 • 7:30 pm

This month at the home of **Tim Livengood** in Bowie. Free, storytellers and listeners welcome, potluck snacks. **Info/directions/rsvp: 301.805.8865.**

Storyswap • Silver Spring, MD

Saturday, July 20, 7:30 pm

Harold and Becky Feld host the July Storyswap, which is free. All storytellers and listeners welcome, potluck snacks (kosher would be nice.) **Info/directions/rsvp: before sundown on Fridays: 301.754.2027 or email hfeld@mediaaccess.org**

Concerts & Concert Series

Bread and Roses Concert • Washington, DC

Saturday, June 1 • 8 pm

Westminster Presbyterian Church, 400 "I" Street SW. *Bread and Roses Feminist Singers of Washington, D.C.* present "Women of the World," music sung by women the world over and a tribute to their courage, strength and spirit. 25% of proceeds goes to the Revolutionary Association of the Women of Afghanistan. Guest performers **Lisa Null** and **Rita Ferrara**. Tickets at the door, \$10-15. **Info: admin@dcbreadandroses.org.**

A Musica do Brasil • Bethesda, MD

Saturday, June 1 • 7:30 pm

Coral Cantigas presents a concert of Brazilian music and dance, at Bethesda United Methodist Church ,

8300 Old Georgetown Rd, Bethesda, MD (corner of Huntington Pkwy), featuring samba dancer **Camila Karam** and musicians **Richard Miller** (guitar), **Patricia Vergara** (piano), and **Alejandro Lucini** (percussion). In Portugese, with program notes and texts in English. Tickets \$14 advance, \$15 door; seniors and students \$10, children under 11 free. **Info: 301.816.2314 or www.cantigas.org.**

Banat al-Beled Dance Concert

• **Alexandria, VA**

Sunday, June 2 • 6:30 pm

Explore the rich cultural heritage of Middle Eastern dance in the exotic ambiance of the Casablanca Restaurant in Old Town Alexandria. Dinner and dance show with troupe **Banat al-Beled**. Moroccan and

Concerts & Concert Series, *continued*

Mediterranean cuisine. Lovely dancers. Dazzling costumes. \$25. Reservations/directions: 703.549.6464.

Free Outdoor Concert • Arlington, VA Friday, June 7 • 6 - 8 pm

Squeeze Bayou at Pentagon Row, 1201 Joyce Street.
Info: 301 270.2586

House Concert • Germantown, MD Saturday, June 8 • 8 pm

Annie Gallup. \$10/\$5 youth. Info/directions/rsvp:
jmornini@juno.com or 301.540.8096.

Free Outdoor Concert • Alexandria, VA Wednesday, June 12 • 7:30 - 8:30 pm

Squeeze Bayou at Lee District Amphitheatre, 6601
Telegraph Rd. Info: 301 270.2586

Arts al Fresco • Arlington, VA Saturday, July 27 • 4 pm workshop 8:30 pm Concert

Amateur and professional musicians are invited to join *Simple Gifts* for a free workshop at Lubber Run Amphitheatre. The workshop will focus on arranging music for performance, and participants will have an opportunity to perform with Simple Gifts during the evening concert. All instruments and levels are welcome. A potluck follows at 6:00 and then a free concert at 8:30, with *Simple Gifts* performing. Info: 703.228.1850 or lrl@psu.edu

CONCERT SERIES

Sundays:

Sundays in the House • Takoma Park, MD Sundays • 1 - 3 pm

The House of Musical Traditions presents free in-store concerts at the House of Musical Traditions, 7040 Carroll Avenue, Takoma Park, MD 20912. Info: 301.270.9090.

Phoenix Coffeehouse • Alexandria, VA Sunday, June 9 • 7 pm

Annie Gallup and We're About 9.
Sunday, July 14 • 7 pm

Woody Guthrie's 90th Birthday Party, with Steve Key, Michelle Swan, John Erwin, David A. Alberding, Garth Ross, John Seay and others.

Second Sundays concert series at Church of the Resurrection, 2280 North Beauregard Street. \$10, \$8 for students and seniors, at the door. Info: Stevekey@aol.com or 202.244.7524.



Red Rover • Bethesda, MD

Sunday, June 16 • 7 pm

Kath MacLeod, Michelle Swan, Kate & CJ

Sunday, July 21 • 7 pm

Chuck Pyle, Dave Saunders, Dulcie Taylor.

Third Sundays concert series at River Road Unitarian Church, 6301 River Rd. (at Whittier Blvd.), Bethesda, MD. \$10, at the door Info: Stevekey@aol.com or 202.244.7524.

Tuesdays

Tribute Night at Jammin' Java • Vienna, VA

Tuesday, June 4 • 8 pm

Tribute to Nanci Griffith, featuring Doris Justis, *The Unusual Suspects*, Richard Dahl & Audrey Morris, Fritzi Alwin, Sally Love, Mary Sue Twohy, Laurel Harris, Lori Kelley, Leah Morgan, Michelle Swan, Chris Vogt, Betty Morrell, KJ Wagner, and Alicia Deeny.

Tuesday, July 9 • 8 pm

Tribute to Johnny Cash. Musicians TBA

\$7 at the door. 231 Maple Avenue East. Sign up at 7, show starts at 7:30. Info: jamminjava.com or 703.255.1566.

Wednesdays

Vic's Music Corner • Rockville, MD

2nd and 4th Wednesdays • 8 pm

Vic's is dedicated to introducing acoustic singer/songwriters from across the country. At O'Brien's, 387 E. Gude Drive, Rockville, MD. Smoke-free. Tickets: \$12 Info/tickets: 301.984.1897 or rebaheyman@compuserve.com or http://www.victorheyman.com.

June

12 Terri Allard & Friends

26 Jeff Lang with Terry Gonda opening.

July

10 Sonia with Amilia Spicer opening.

24 Hot Soup

Baldwin's Station • Sykesville, MD

Wednesdays • 8 pm

7618 Main St., Sykesville, MD 21784. Info: joycesica@aol.com or Joyce R. Sica, 410.922.5210. Tickets/reservations: 410.795.1041.

June

5 Rod MacDonald

12 Tom Prasada, Rao and his sisters, Patty and Paula

19 Maggie Sansone, Andy Thurston & Eliot Grasso

26 Side by Side

Concerts & Concert Series, *continued*

Baldwin's Station *continued*:

July

- 10 Bill Staines
17 Robin Bullock
31 Bryan Bowers

Fridays:

See Page 8 of the Newsletter for the new Friday night FSGW co-sponsored International Folkmusic **FREE** Concert Series at Mason District Park Amphitheater in Annandale.

The Cellar Stage at St. John's • Baltimore, MD *Fridays at 8 pm*

At the United Methodist Church, 5315 Harford Road, Baltimore, Maryland 21214. Access the large parking lot from Gibbons Ave. Info: Joyce R. Sica, 410.922.5210 or 410.521.9099; uptownconcerts@aol.com or <http://www.charm.net/~dirtylin/uptown.html>

June

- 7 Nerissa and Katryna Nields, *We're About 9* opens
14 *The Kennedys*, Jeff Lang opens

Saturdays

The Bardhouse Concert & Literary Series

• Takoma Park, MD

Saturday, June 22 • 6:30 / 7:30 pm

From Asheville, NC, singer-songwriter and multi-instrumentalist **Chris Rosser**. Suggested sliding scale donation: \$10-20. Veggie potluck at 6:30. Show at 7:30. Info: 301.270.0430 or TheBardhouse@aol.com.

Bi-monthly FolkNite • Wheaton, MD

Saturday, July 13 • 9 pm

Chance Shiver's bimonthly FolkNite at the Royal Mile, 2407 Price Avenue. July features blues vocalist/guitarist **Eleanore Ellis**, **Chance and Susette Shiver** open. **Chance and Matt Shiver** and **Bennett Goldstein** follow with acoustic blues, country, and rockabilly. Info: 301.946.4511.



Jams/Open Mics/Audience Participation

Listed by day of the week

Sundays:

CABOMA Jam • Arlington, VA

Sundays, June 9 and 23 • 2 pm

Sundays, July 14 and 28 • 2 pm

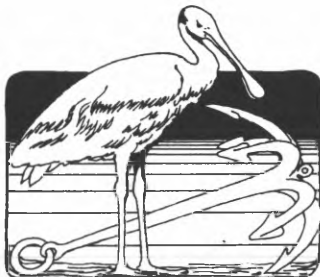
Capital Area Bluegrass and Old-Time Music Association (CABOMA) holds jams the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month. Lyon Park Community Center, corner of N. Filmore and Pershing, Arlington, VA. Info: Dave at 301.274.3441.

Irish Traditional Music Seisiun • Wheaton, MD

Sunday, June 23 • 7 - 10 pm

Sunday July 28 • 7 - 10 pm

Irish traditional music seisiun with **Dennis Botzer** (fiddle, flute), fourth Sundays, Royal Mile Pub, 2407 Price Avenue, Wheaton, MD. Seisiun musicians welcome. Info: Dennis at 301.422.6550.



Mondays:

Jammin' Java • Vienna, VA

Mondays • 7:30 - 10:30 pm

Two songs or 8 minutes total. Free, open to all. 231 Maple Avenue East. Sign up at 7, show starts at 7:30. Info: Steve Key at 202.244.7524 or stevekey@aol.com or 703.255.1566.

Tuesdays:

Sea Chantey Open Pub Sing • Wheaton, MD

Tuesday, June 4 • 8 pm

Tuesday, July 2 • 8 pm

The Ship's Company chanteymen host an open mike sea chantey sing at 8 pm, Royal Mile Pub, 2407 Price Avenue, Wheaton, MD. No cover/minimum; arrive early for a table. Participation is not mandatory, but encouraged. Requests are honored if possible. Mostly a capella but instruments are welcome. Info: Myron Peterson at shipscompany@hotmail.com

Folk Club of Herndon-Reston • Herndon, VA

Tuesdays • 7:30 - 9:45 pm

Tortilla Factory, 648 Elden Street, Herndon, VA. Open mic format. Each performer gets 12 minutes. \$1 donation. 2nd Tuesday includes a 25-minute member showcase. Smoke-free. Info: 703.435.2402.

Jams/Open Mics/Audience Participation *continued*

Wednesdays:

Laurel Jam Session • Laurel, MD

Wednesday, June 5 and 19 • 7 - 10 pm

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

Bangkok Blues • Falls Church, VA

Wednesday, June 19 • 8-11pm

Wednesday, July 17 • 8-11 pm

Third Wednesdays 2-hour folk and bluegrass open mic followed by a jam session from 10 to 11. Sign up at 7:30, be prepared to play for about 10 minutes. Bangkok Blues, 926 W. Broad Street, Falls Church. Park behind restaurant or across the street. **Info: 703.534.0095; advance signup encouraged: urban.legends@pressroom.com.**

Open Mic Nite • Alexandria, VA

Wednesday, June 19 • 7 pm

Wednesday, July 17 • 7 pm

St. Elmos Coffee Pub, 2300 Mt. Vernon Avenue. Third Wednesdays, hosted by Michelle Swan. Three songs each. All are welcome. Signup starts at 7. **Info: 703.739.9268 or mswan64@yahoo.com.**

Fridays:

Songwriters Open Mic • Germantown, MD

Friday, June 7 • 7:30 - 10:30 pm

Friday, July 5 • 7:30 - 10:30 pm

Songwriters Association of Washington (SAW) monthly open mic, host **Steve Key**. Sign up starting at 7. Borders, 20926 Frederick Road, Milepost Shopping Center in Germantown. Two songs or 8 minutes. Free. Open to all. **Info: Steve Key at 202.244.7524, stevekey@aol.com, or www.saw.org.**

Glen Echo Open Band • Glen Echo, MD

Friday, June 14 • 8:30 - 11:30 pm

Friday, July 12 • 8:30 - 11:30 pm

The fabulous Glen Echo Open Band plays for the second Friday contra dance. All instruments and levels of ability are welcome. **Info: Friday Night Dance Hotline, 202.216.2116 or <http://fnd.folkdancer.com>.**

Dupont Music Circle • Arlington, VA

Friday, June 21 • 8 pm

Friday, July 19 • 8 pm

Since 1983 the informal Dupont Music Circle has met to sing and play English, Scottish, Welsh, Irish, Quebecois, American, and other traditional music just for fun. **Info: Liz at 703.658.0957.**

Saturdays:

DC Folk Workshop • Washington, DC

Saturday, June 1 • 7:30 - 11 pm

Saturday, July 6 • 7:30 - 11 pm

Location: The Potter's House, 1658 Columbia Road, NW (Adams-Morgan). First Saturday Community Sing followed by guitar tips, followed by open mic. Bring an instrument and a copy of *Rise Up Singing*. Teach a tune if you like. **Info: Mary at 301.864.8255 or the Potters House at 202.232.2885.** Suggested contribution \$5.

Hammer Dulcimer Jam • McLean, VA

Saturday, June 29 • 1:30 - 4:30 pm

Saturday, July 27 • 1:30 - 4:30 pm

Hammer dulcimer players meet most months at the Dolley Madison Library to swap tunes and play. Other acoustic instruments welcome. **Info: Ellie at 703.578.3106 or eholsopple@aol.com.**

Archie Edwards Blues Jam • Washington, DC

Saturdays • 1 pm

The Archie Edwards Blues Heritage Foundation holds an acoustic blues jam almost every Saturday afternoon, starting about 1 pm. All skill levels welcome. 1007 Bunkerhill Road, NW, Washington, DC. **Info/confirmation: 202.5267539.**

General FSGW Concert Information

Unless specifically announced in the Newsletter, there are no advance tickets for FSGW events. All tickets are general admission, and are available at the door.

Doors generally open thirty minutes before the start of the concert.

Absolutely no audio recording or videotaping or photography is allowed at any FSGW concert without the express advance permission of both the concert manager and the performer.

Workshops, Weekends & Festivals

Potomac Celtic Festival • Leesburg, VA

Saturday, June 8 • 10 am - 10 pm
Sunday June 9 • 10 am - 6 pm

The 9th annual Potomac Celtic Festival at Morven Park Equestrian Center will feature Scotland, though it celebrates the cultures of all the Celtic nations, and their New World transplants

Attractions on the 9 stages include: *The Battlefield Band, Brenga Astur, Andy M. Stewart & Gerry O'Beirne, Tornaod, Nolwenn Monjarret, TÈada, Si, n Phillips and Danny KilBride, IONA, and Charlie Zahm*, plus pipers, dancers, storytellers, and poets. You'll also find a juried craft market, historical reenactors, children's activities; clans and genealogical societies; Highland athletic competition, Celtic foods and family fare. Night festival at 8 pm on Saturday will feature Brenga Astur, Tornaod and TÈada in the Guinness Tent. (Additional cost, \$10/person).

Directions: Morven Park is on Rte 15 at Tutt Lane, 1 mile north of Leesburg, Va.

Tickets at the gate: Adult, 1-day \$15/2-day, \$24; Child 6-12 1-day \$7/2-day \$12. Family (2 adults, 4 children) \$44. Children under 6 free. Advance tickets at reduced prices. **Info: Loudoun Tourism Council, 1.800.752.6118 or www.PotomacCelticFest.org.**

Buffalo Jambalaya • Capon Bridge, WV

Thursday-Sunday, June 13-16

Buffalo Jambalaya 2002 features Louisiana's hottest zydeco group, *Keith Frank and the Soileau Zydeco Band*. Also returning are perennial favorites *the Bruce Daigrepoint Cajun Band* and zydeco veteran *Willis Prudhomme* with DC favorites *Zydeco Crayz*. **Info: Mike Baker at 410.662.1336 or info@buffalोजam.org, or www.buffalोजam.org**

Catoctin Mountain Music & Dance Weekend • Thurmont, MD

Friday - Sunday, June 14-16

The Baltimore Folk Music Society presents its 17th annual spring folk weekend at Camp Misty Mount in the Catoctin National Park. Enjoy dancing (contra, English, and more), singing, crafts, storytelling, nature walks. Professional chef. Open band, open mic. Callers include *Andy Kane, Susan Taylor, and Carl Friedman*. Featuring historic log cabins, modern showers, and swimming pool. Advance registration required. **Info: Julianne Harden at 301.565.3650 or jjharden@min.net; or Mike Franch at 410.889.3252 or franch@juno.com.**

BandAid Workshop • Bethesda, MD

Saturday, June 15, 10:30 am-3:00 pm.

Area pianist *Liz Donaldson* will lead this ensemble playing workshop. This month's session will concen-

trate on a variety of tunes, including the strathspey! All instruments welcome. Drinks provided. Bring a bag lunch, and, if you like, a goodie to share. Cost \$20. Space is limited. **Info/registration: Info: Liz Donaldson at 301.986.1291 or liz@us.net.**

Solstice Celebration • Comus, MD

Saturday, June 15 • 5 - 9 pm

Washington Revels will hold a fundraiser and silent auction at Shepherd's Hey Farm in Comus, featuring group singing, contra dancing with *Steve Hickman* and friends, festive food and more! Help launch *The Washington Revels* into its next 20 years. \$45/person, advance registration required. **Info: 202.723.7528 or 222.revelsdc.org**

L.A.U.G.H.S. Storyfest • Sterling, VA

Saturday, June 22 • 10 am - 4:30 pm
Sunday, June 23 • noon - 5 pm

Loudoun's Annual Unforgettable Gigantic Hilarious Storyfest, featuring nationally-acclaimed tellers *Len Cabral, Carmen Deedy, Elizabeth Ellis, Bill Harley, Susan Klein, and Ed Stivender* with showcases by *African Folk Heritage Circle, Voices in the Glen, Folklore Society of Greater Washington, and Virginia Storytelling Alliance*. Folk singing and fiddles, FSGW-sponsored country dancing and Shape Note singing. Claude Moore Park, 21544 Cascades Parkway. Advance tickets \$17 adults/\$12 seniors. Slightly more at the gate. **Info: 703.771.5308 (Loudoun County Parks & Recreation), laughsinfo@aol.com, or visit the website at www.laughsfestival.org.**

Grandfather Mountain Gaelic Song, Language and Harp Workshop

Sunday-Friday, July 7-12

Held on Lees-McRae College campus in Banner Elk, North Carolina near Grandfather Mountain. Instruction in Gaelic song (Mary Jane Lamond), Gaelic language (Jamie MacDonald) and Scottish harp (Sue Richards). Classes from Monday through Friday, July 8-12. Grandfather Mountain Highland Games Friday through Sunday, July 12-14. The North Carolina Gaelic MÙd and the Scottish Harp Association of America National Competition Saturday, July 13. **Info: seona@worldnet.att.net or Jana Blue at 804.282.5512**

ArtFarm Multimedia Festival • Hyattstown, MD

Saturday, July 27 • 10am - 4pm.

ArtFarm at Red Wiggler Farm, 25214 Peachtree Rd, Hyattstown, a family-friendly multimedia festival of music, dance, theatre, environmental installations. and organic produce. Musicians include: **Tim**

Workshops, Weekends & Festivals *continued*

Whittemore, Rupert Chappelle and Arthur Harrison, Anthony Hyatt, and Ric Wagner. Free Admission, but donations gratefully accepted.

Info: "Concerts in the Country" Marianne Ross, 301.229.6690 or Ric Wagner, 301.972.1161, or CintheC@aol.com

Directions from Interstate 270: Take Exit 22 (Rte 109/Old Hundred Road), toward Barnesville. The first left after on-bound 270 ramp is Peachtree Road. Turn onto Peachtree; the farm is the first driveway on the right (about one-half mile)

SoundCatcher: Play By Ear • Harpers Ferry, WV *Wednesday-Sunday, August 7-11*

Learn to play medieval, Irish, and Old-Time tunes by ear with **Scott Reiss, Tina Chancey, and Bruce Hutton** of *Hesperus*. Playing by ear is a skill you can learn. Tune arranging and group playing also emphasized.

Any instrument welcome. \$750 for the week, including all meals and double room at Hilltop House in historic Harpers Ferry. **Info: 703.525.7550 or ScottReiss@cs.com.**

Avalon Folk Fest 2002 • Paw Paw, WV *Monday - Sunday, August 5-11*

The 6th Annual Avalon Folk Music Festival and Crafts Fair will star **Bill Morrissey, Hot Soup, Amilia Spicer, Bill Danoff, Side by Side**, and others. Children's concert on Sunday morning. Admission includes use of fabulous *clothing-optional* family resort facilities. Camping, food, and beverages on premises. **Info: Vacation@Avalon-resort.com or 304.947.5600 or <http://www.Avalon-resort.com>**

Buffalo on the Danube Labor Day International Dance Camp • Capon Bridge, WV *Friday, August 30 - Monday, September 2*

At Buffalo Gap Community Camp, Capon Bridge, WV— great music by **Ardeleana, Lyuti Chushki, Loretta Kelley, Paul Morrissett** and *the Resia Valley Girls and Dudes*. Superb teaching by **Steve and Susan Kotansky** (Romanian/Transylvanian), **Monique Legare** (Balkan), **Roo Lester** and **Larry Harding** (Swedish & Norwegian) and **Larry Weiner** (Resia). Children's program with **Julia Borland-Ferneborg**. **Info: Jamie Platt at 301.320.7099 or dancingplanet@erols.com or the webpage at w4c.com/dancingplanet.**

American Dance Weekend • Capon Bridge, WV *Friday-Sunday, September 20-22*

Leave your worries behind and cruise over to Capon Bridge. "Shipboard" bands are the **Hotpoint Stringband** with caller **Kathy Anderson** and *the Groovemongers* with caller **Keith Cornett**. You can swim in the camp lake, bask in the lakeside sauna and feast on the fabulous food. Request a registration form at www.contradancers.com. **Info: BuffaloBoe@att.net or Boe Walker at 301.694.6794.**

Volunteers, Performers Needed for: Music on the Farm Festival • Derwood, MD *September 21 • noon to 6 pm*

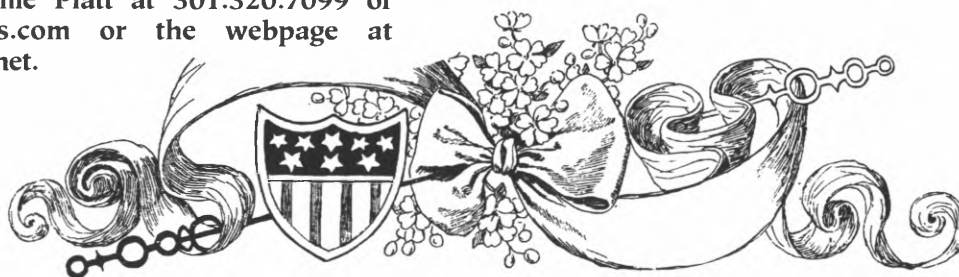
The 6th annual Music on the Farm Festival held at the Agricultural History Farm Park, 18400 Muncaster Road, featuring historically related music and dance, is looking for volunteers, bands, dancers, group and individual performers. Co-sponsored by Friends of the Agricultural History Farm Park and NMCPPC-MC. **Info: Mike Roth 301.670.4661** (press 1 to leave a message) or **301.253.5059** after 6pm weekdays and on weekends, or **michael_roth@fc.mcps.k12.md.us** or **www.montgomeryparksfnd.org/fg/fg-aghist.htm**

Volunteers, Performers Needed for: Reston Multicultural Festival • Reston, VA *Saturday, September 21, 2002*

This one-day extravaganza of international music, dance, art, crafts and food celebrates cultural diversity and brings enthusiastic crowds to the Lake Anne Village Center. Artists, crafters, and performers of all sorts who wish to participate should contact **Haywood R. Hopson, Sr., 703-476.4500 or haywood.hopson@co.fairfax.va.us by June 21.**

Indonesian Gamelan Music • Washington, DC *Continuous*

Learn from a Central Java gamelan master. The Javanese gamelan is an orchestra of tuned bronze gongs, xylophone-like instruments, drums, and other instruments. Beginners welcome. No charge, sponsored by the Embassy of Indonesia. Informal, friendly, social as well as musical group. Meet evenings in the Dupont Circle area. **Info: 202.775.5230 or Bagong55@aol.com.**





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<p>FSGW Int'l Folkdance Chevy Chase Intl Folk Dance Arlington Scottish Country Mt. Vernon Intl Folk Dance Foggy Bottom Morris Men</p>	<p>19 7:30 FSGW-Fairfax Free Concert 8 Dupont Music Circle 8:30 Friday Night Contra 8:30 Greenbelt Intl Folk Dance</p>	<p>20 1 Archie Edwards Blues Jam 7:30 FSGW Storyswap 8 Crownsville Contra 8 Herndon English Country Dance</p>
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**FSGW House Concert
Mount Rainier, MD**

**James
Leva**

*Virginia Fiddler and
Songster*
**Tuesday, August
13 • 8 pm**

Originally from New Jersey, and usually paired with Carol Elizabeth Jones, **James Leva**, is a Virginia-based musician known for classic original songs, but he is also a master of traditional Appalachian fiddle styles, songs and tunes. His repertoire ranges from foot-stomping Appalachian fiddle tunes to tender, catchy portraits of love and life, covering a wide range of emotions, turning simple moments into art.

James' encounter with a Tommy Jarrell LP hooked him on mountain music. In 1971 he moved to Lexington, Virginia in order to study at Washington and Lee University, but instead became a serious and dedicated performer. He finally graduated 9 years later, and won a Fulbright Scholarship to study in France, where he lived for four years. While in Europe, he toured extensively with Plank Road, a trio from Lexington. He also wrote and performed music for a French theater company. He will come to us fresh from a stint teaching about Appalachian music in Scotland.

This House Concert will be hosted by **Debbie and Bruce Hutton** in Mount Rainier, MD. **FSGW Members: \$10 Non-Members: \$14**

Info: www.fsgw.org or call **Charlie Baum** at **301.587.2286**.

Directions: contact the **Huttons** at **301.779.5901**.




June 2002

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<p>"Reality is merely an illusion, albeit a very persistent one." - Albert Einstein</p>				
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ADVANCE NOTICE

FSGW 2002

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JAMES LEVA

Rural American Music
 House Concert

Huttons • Mt. Rainer, MD

Wednesday, September 14

BOB FOX

Singer from Washington,
 England in the NE of
 England

House Concert

Potter/Hearn's • McLean, VA

Saturday, September 21

FSGW FREE Program

NICK APOLLONIO & KRISTEN TESCHER

Celtic tunes & songs on gui-
 tars, cittern, & harp

WES, Washington, DC

Tuesday, October 8
COOPE, BOYES & SIMPSON

A capella virtuosity
 on English Traditional &
 originals

Glen Echo Town Hall, MD

Friday-Sunday,
October 18th-20th;

**37TH ANNUAL FSGW
 GETAWAY**

Camp Ramblewood, MD

Saturday, November 9
DAVE WEBBER & ANNI FENTIMAN

Traditional English Folk

Songs (some written by Dave

Webber, though you wouldn't know it.)

Location TBA

Saturday, November 23
DEBRA COWAN

Interpreter of both traditional
 and contemporary material.

House Concert

Location TBA

July 2002

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Local Folkal

The FSGW Newsletter provides a listing of local performers who appear at small venues. Send your name or band name, very brief description of your musical style, and web address, e-mail, and/or phone number to the Newsletter Editor.

SOLO PERFORMERS

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or 1.888.961.7647. Duet w/ Fiddlin' Phil
- BRESEE, JERRY**
http://www.shenandoahacoustics.com/jbresee
- BROWN, MARY BYRD.**
http://www.geocities.com/SunsetStrip/Stage/8829/
- COOK, JUDY** judy@ceimd.com or
http://www.ceimd.com/folksing.htm or 301.776.4314
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Fingerstyle guitar.
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LivePoetry31@aol.com
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- HICKERSON, JOE** Jhick@starpower.net or 301.270.1107
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- HOAG, ANDREA** http://www.andreaHoag.com or
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202.244.7524 Singer/songwriter, guitar teacher
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Jazziblufolktunes
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- PARSONS, BILL** bill@songs.com or www.billparsons.com
- PRASADA-RAO, TOM** http://songs.com/tpr
- ROSS, GARTH** http://www.garthross.com
- SCHWARTZ, ERIC** http://www.ericsschwartz.com
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Contemporary folk singer/songwriter
- TAYLOR, LISA**
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http://www.blumooncowgirls.com or
301.270.2586. Acoustic early country
- BOTTOMLAND** bottomland@hotmail.com or
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okt@pressroom.com or 703.536.9839.
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Traditional and contemporary acoustic music.

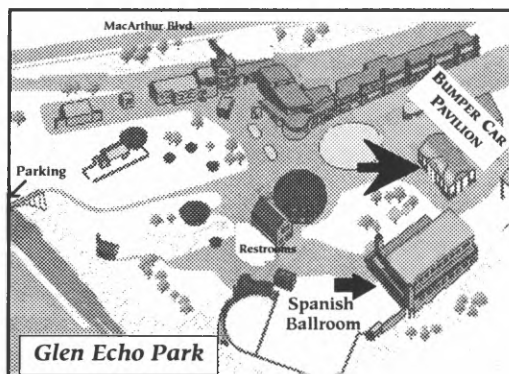


DIRECTIONS TO FREQUENT VENUES:

Washington Ethical Society (WES) Auditorium. 7750 16th St., NW, just south of the intersection of Kalmia Rd. and 16th St., about four blocks inside the DC/MD line.

From the Beltway: Take the Georgia Avenue South exit. Stay in either right lane. Go 0.4 miles from the exit ramp, where the right lanes curve and put you on 16th St South. Follow 16th past East-West Hwy (Rte 410); cross the MD/DC line at Portal Dr. Kalmia Road is the first traffic signal south of the line, and WES is the second building on the right after you cross Kalmia. You may park on Kalmia Road by turning right at the light, or on either side of 16th St.

Bumper Car Pavilion, Glen Echo Park. 7300 MacArthur Blvd. at Goldsboro Rd, in Glen Echo, MD. The Bumper Car Pavilion is located just past and to the right of the carousel. (To the left of the under-construction Spanish Ballroom).



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MD/VA: Watch for signs to MacArthur Blvd. Make a very sharp hairpin turn and move immediately into the right lane. At the T intersection/stop sign, turn left onto MacArthur Blvd. Upper parking lot on the left. For lower parking lot, go around the small traffic circle and make the first left onto Oxford St.

By public transportation: Take the #29 bus from the Friendship Heights Metro Station. Ask the driver to let you know when to get off for Glen Echo Park. The bus stops running before the dance ends. Ask the dance coordinator to announce you need a ride. We've never left anybody at the park. Last bus leaves Friendship Heights Metro at 7:30 pm.

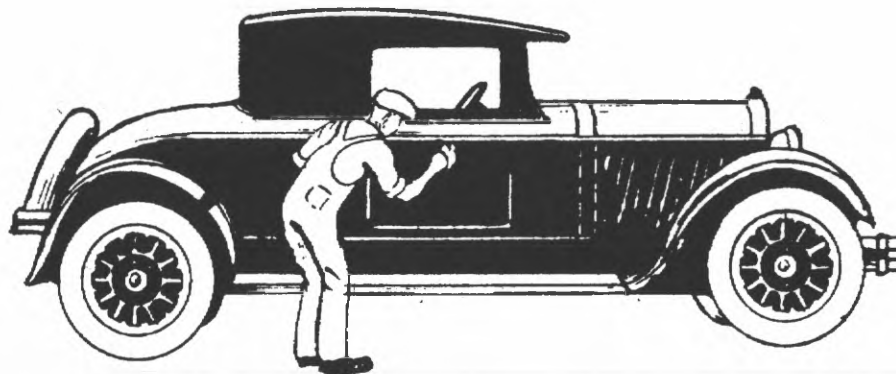
Glen Echo Town Hall
6106 Harvard St., Glen Echo, MD:

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PLEASE NOTE: Please park in the lot behind the hall, on University Drive, or on the east side of MacArthur, NOT on Harvard Street.



35 Years Ago — June & July 1967

By Joe Hickerson

June 1967

The June 9, 1967, FSGW monthly program at Pierce Hall featured **Grant Rogers** from the Catskill region of New York. The annual "**Pick-Nik**" was held on June 25 at Fort Ward in Alexandria. The 6-page June 1967 (vol. 3, no. 9) FSGW newsletter described these and other events; presented reports from the president and treasurer, election results, the "Folk Calendar," and the president's column; and announced **Chuck Perdue's** move to the University of Pennsylvania to study folklore.

Correction: The Getaway II Sacred Harp workshop reported last month was actually the second FSGW event of this kind; the first was at the July 17, 1966, Pick-Nik.

Gordon Harding's entry (*Washington Star*), "Elizabeth Cotten - Folksinger," won 3rd prize in the Picture Story category of the 24th annual White House News Photographers Exhibit, on display beginning this month at the Library of Congress.

On June 28, Old Dominion Park in Manassas featured **Jim & Jessie, Country Gentlemen, George Winn & The Bluegrass Partners**, and **Bob Goff's Bluegrass Buddies**.

The following were also scheduled to perform in the area this month: **Ian & Sylvia** (Cellar Door); **Joe Hickerson** and **John & Ginny Dildine** (Hard Bargain Amphitheater); **Joe Glazer and Charlie Byrd** (Temple Sinai); **Grant Rogers** (Department of Agriculture); **Takoma Mandoleers** (Washington Theater Club); **Jim & Jessie & The Virginia Boys** (Shiloh Dude Ranch); **Benny & Vallie Cain & The Country Clan** (Jimbo's); **Country Gentlemen** (Shamrock); **Bill Emerson, Buzz Busby & The Bayou Boys** (Lampighter); **Bob Goff's Bluegrass Buddies** (Candlelite Inn); **Spruce Mountain Boys** (Buddy's Bar; Turf Club). Some of these events were reported in *Bluegrass Unlimited*; two were reviewed in the *Washington Star* by **Joe Hickerson**.

Meanwhile, the Library of Congress Archive of Folk Song registered the following researchers and visitors: **Lawrence Cohn** (Saturday Review); **Pearl Steele Dickman** (daughter of Archive informant **Pete Steele**); **Gladys Fry** (Indiana University); **Joseph Hall** (Pasadena City College); **Stanley Isaacs** (Westwind Folk Ensemble); **James Masterson** (National Historical Publications Commission); **Jean Mayo** (Indiana University); **Paul Prestopino** (Mitchell Trio); **Regula Qureshi** (University of Alberta); **Ronald Radosh** (Queensborough Community College); **Irwin Silber** (Sing Out!); **Ronald Smith** (Michigan State University); **Philip Tilney** (Indiana University); **Roger Welsch** (Nebraska Wesleyan University); **Mary Willmot** (W. J. Gage Ltd.).

July 1967

There were no FSGW events or newsletter this month.

The first **Festival of American Folklife** was presented July 1-4 on The National Mall by the Smithsonian Institution Division of Performing Arts. Participants included **Edd Presnell, Ed Young, Willard Watson, Dejan's Olympia Brass Band, Bessie Jones & The Georgia Sea Island Singers, Moving Star Hall Singers, Yomo Toro Puerto Rican Band, Fred McDowell, Billie & DeDe Pierce**. In connection with the festival an "American Folklife Conference" was held July 2-3 at the Smithsonian. Scheduled participants included **Roger Abrahams, Bruce Buckley, Richard Dorson, Estyn Evans, Henry Glassie, Joe Hickerson, Fred Kniffen, Alan Lomax, James Morris, Ralph Rinzler, Robert Wildhaber, D. K. Wilgus, Don Yoder**.

The following were also scheduled to perform in the area this month: **Les Ballets Africains** (National Theatre); **Odori Festival of Japan** (Merriweather Post Pavilion); **Peter Paul & Mary; Jim Kweskin & The Jug Band** (Carter Barron); **Benny & Vallie Cain & The Country Clan** (Jimbo's); **Country Gentlemen** (Shamrock; Willis Hall); **Bill Emerson & Buzz Busby** (Jimbo's; Oak Crest Inn; Shiloh Dude Ranch; Turf Club); **Bob Goff's Bluegrass Buddies** (Candlelite Inn); **Page Valley Boys** (Elden Street Restaurant). Some of these events were reported in *Bluegrass Unlimited*; two were reviewed in the *Washington Star* by **Joe Hickerson**.

The July 1967 issue of *Bluegrass Unlimited* announced the advent, on July 5, of a weekly half-hour bluegrass music radio show on WAMU-FM, with **Dick Spottswood** as host and **Gary Henderson** as engineer.

Meanwhile, the Library of Congress Archive of Folk Song registered the following researchers and visitors: **Joel Bailes** (New College); **Robert Bialek** (Discount Records and Books); **Linda Burman** (Princeton University); **George Carey** (University of Maryland); **Don Cummings** (Nashville); **David Freeman** (County Records); **Lena Gitter** (American Montessori Society); **Marie Ester Grebe** (University of Chile); **Richard Nevins** (County Records); **Scott Odell** (Smithsonian Institution); **Paul Prestopino** (Mitchell Trio); **Roger Welsch** (Nebraska Wesleyan University).



Joe Hickerson, head of the Archive of Folk Culture at the Library of Congress until his retirement in 1998, is available to sing and lecture about folk music. A founding member of FSGW, he has served as the Society's President, Program Chair, and Book Review Editor, and now contributes a monthly column describing FSGW and other area events 35 years ago. If any readers have relevant flyers, clippings, etc. from 1966-67, please mail copies to Joe at 43 Philadelphia Avenue, Takoma Park, MD 20912 for possible inclusion in this column.

Joe is picture at left at an FSGW Sampler Concert in 1967, and at right at the Library of Congress in 2000.



Dances

CONTRA

Sundays:

The FSGW Sunday Night Contra Dances are listed on page 2.

Wednesdays:

BFMS Lovely Lane Contra Dance • Baltimore, MD Wednesdays, 8 - 11 pm

Lovely Lane Church, 2200 St. Paul St., Baltimore, MD. 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 8 pm. Nationally known musicians and callers appear regularly. Free beginners' workshops on 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 7:30. Admission: \$6 for BFMS/FSGW Members, \$8 for Non-members. Info: www.bfms.org or Dan Katz at 410.987.1351.

June

- 5 Caller **Bob Hofkin** with music by **EMS**, **Marc Glickman** (piano), **Elke Baker** (fiddle), and **Susan Brandt** (flute).
- 12 Caller **Robbin Schaffer** with music by the **Baltimore Open Band**.
- 19 Caller **Ann Fallon** with music by **Laura Lengnick** (fiddle), and **Charlie Pilzer** (piano)
- 26 Caller **Elinor Preston** with music by **Carl Friedman** (fiddle), **Ralph Barthine** (guitar), and **Michael Friedman** (piano).

July

No information

Fridays:

Friday Night Contra Dances • Glen Echo, MD Fridays • 8:30 - 11:30 pm

The Friday Night Dancers, in cooperation with the National Park Service, sponsor contra dances (with occasional squares and couples dances) to live music in Glen Echo Park's Bumper Car Pavilion (until further notice) (Directions, page 20). Free beginners' workshop at 7:30 pm. Dance starts at 8:30. Admission: \$6. To play for or call a dance, email fndbooking@folk-dancer.com. For other information: **Friday Night Dance Hotline, 202.459.2202** or <http://fnd.folk-dancer.com>.

June

- 7 **Greg Frock** calls to the music of **June Apple**. **Jeff Steinberg** (fiddle), **Mike McGeary** (banjo, mandolin), **Bob Garber** (clarinet), and **Alice Markham** (piano)
- 14 **Reine Wonite** calls to the music of the **Glen Echo Open Band**.

- 21 **Lou Shapiro** calls to the music of **Fiddlestyx**: **Steve Hickman** (fiddle), **John Devine** (guitar), and **Jim Bieneman** (bass).
- 28 **Elinor Preston** calls to **Tally Ho!** with **David Knight** (fiddle), **Liz Donaldson** (piano), and **Matty Metcalf** (accordion).

July

- 5 Caller TBA. Music by **Shadrack's Delight**: **Laura Lengnick** (fiddle), **Mara Beamish** (fiddle), and **Charlie Pilzer** (piano)
- 12 **Ann Fallon** calls to the music of the **Glen Echo Open Band**.
- 19 **Jim Kitch** calls to music by **Steve Hickman** (fiddle), **Marc Glickman** (piano), and **Ken Wright** (banjo).
- 26 **Barbara Groh** calls to **Footloose**.

Charlottesville Contra Dance • Charlottesville, VA 1st, 3rd, and 5th Fridays • 8 - 11 pm

Municipal Arts Center (MAC) 11119 5th St., SW, Charlottesville. Beginners' workshop at 7:30. Admission \$6. Info: www.contradance.sbc.edu or **Rob Craighurst** at 434.971.8863.

From DC area: Rte. 66 W to 29 S to Charlottesville (@2.25 hrs). Take the 250 bypass (right hand exit), to 64 East. Take the 5th Street Exit, toward Charlottesville. Right at the end of the ramp. Left onto Harris (fourth light). Turn into the SECOND parking lot entrance, or park in the Food Lion lot next door

Saturdays:

Second Saturday Dance • Baltimore, Md Saturday, June 8 • 8-11 pm Saturday, July 13 • 8 - 11 pm

Beginners' workshop at 7:30. Contra Dance from 8 to 11, with **Steve Gester** calling to music by **Andrea Hoag** (fiddle), **Paul Oorts** (accordion, mandolin, guitar, banjo), and **Karen Ashbrook** (hammered dulcimer, flute). St. Mark's on the Hill Parish Hall, 1620 Reisterstown Rd., Baltimore, MD, 0.5 miles inside the Baltimore Beltway (695) at Exit 20 South. Admission: \$8, \$6 for BFMS members and affiliated groups. Info: www.bfms.org, **hotline at 410.366.0808**, or **Ralph Barthine** at 410.561.4573 or rbarthin@bcpl.net.

No Information available for July.

Third Saturday Contra Dance • Crownsville, MD Saturday, June 15 • 8 - 11 pm Saturday, July 20 • 8 - 11 pm

Sponsored by Annapolis Traditional Dance Society (ATDS) Dance from 8-11 p.m, with with free instruction at 7:30. No partner or experience required. Admission \$7 members, \$9 nonmembers. \$6 members,

Dances *continued*

\$8 non-members. No partner or experience required. FOP Hall, Rt. 178, Crownsville. **Info/directions:** 410.224.8488 or <http://w4c.com/dance/atds/>.

June 15: Eva Murray calls to *Whiskers Before Breakfast*: Al Taylor (fiddle), Ritchie Shuman (mandolin), and Steve Benka (hammered dulcimer).

July 20: *The Baltimore Open Band* caller TBA

Lancaster Contra Dance • Lancaster, PA *Saturday, June 22 • 7-10 pm*

Peggy Myers calling to *The Ryck Kaiser Trio* featuring Ryck Kaiser (fiddle), Jamie O'Brien (guitar), and Jill Smith (piano). Lancaster County Park, Pavilions 11 and 12, Lancaster, PA. Potluck 5:30 pm. Beginners' workshop 6:30 pm. Partner not necessary. **Info:** Shirley at sam@mcc.org or Shane at 717.390.7277.

Please note that there is **NO** July dance in Lancaster.

Fourth Saturday Contra Dance • Frederick, MD *Saturday, June 22 • 8 - 11 pm* *Saturday, July 27 • 8 - 11 pm*

Free Beginners' workshop at 7 pm; dance starts at 8 pm. Admission \$6. Dance is held at the former Adventist school near Harry Grove Stadium. For updated directions and maps, please visit the newly updated website at <http://www.contradancers.com> or call Boe Walker at 301.694.6794. Contact Marguerite Plank at mvhplank@netrax.net.

June 22: Tom Hinds calling to music by Joe DeZarn (fiddle), John Devine (guitar), and Ralph Gordon (bass).

July 27: Laura Brown calling to music provided by musicians who have spent the day at the annual SummerTunes workshop led by Liz Donaldson and Alexander Mitchell.

ENGLISH COUNTRY

Mondays:

Baltimore Folk Music Society • Baltimore, MD *7:30 pm*

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. New dancers are always welcome. Beginners' workshop on the first Monday promptly at 7:30 pm. Sponsored in part by the Maryland State Arts Council. Admission: \$6 for Members, \$8 for Non-members. St. Mark's on the Hill Parish Hall, 1620 Reisterstown Road, one-half mile inside the Baltimore Beltway, at Exit 20 South. **Info:** 410.321.8419.

June

3 Caller Christopher Field with music by Liz Donaldson (piano), Becky Ross (violin), and Marty Taylor (recorders, concertina)

10 Caller Diane Schmit with music by *The Geud Band of Baltimore*

17 Caller Carl Friedman with music by David and Ginger Hildebrand.

24 Caller Dawn Culbertson with music by Ellen Jacobs (violin), and Julie Gorka (piano).

July

No information.

Tuesdays:

English Country Dance (CDSS) • Herndon, VA *Second and fourth Tuesdays • 7:45 pm*

At Harding Hall, 730 Jackson St., Herndon, VA. Workshop includes figures, phrasing, and style. Live music (guest musicians welcome; call in advance). \$3. No partner or experience necessary. **Info:** Barbara Harding 703.437.3615 or bharding@quixnet.net.

June

11 Carl Minkus, marimba

25 Laurie Mielke, recorder

July

9 Laurie Mielke, recorder

23 Jeff Steinberg, fiddle

Wednesdays:

FSGW English Country Dance • Glen Echo, MD

See the listing on page 4.

Saturdays:

English Dance • Silver Spring, MD *Saturday, June 8 • 8 - 10:45 pm*

At Sligo Middle School, 1401 Dennis Ave, Silver Spring, MD. Dance to music by *Peascods Gathering*, calling by Barbara Harding and Bob Farrall. Last dance of the season; dances will resume in September. \$5. **Info:** Carl Minkus 301.493.6281, Karla Farrall 301.577.5018.

English Country Dance (CDSS) • Herndon, VA *Saturday, June 15 • 8 - 10:45 pm* *Saturday, July 20 • 8 - 10:45 pm*

At Harding Hall, 730 Jackson Street. Caller Barbara Harding with recorded music. No experience or partner necessary. Free. **Info:** Barbara at 703.437.3615 or bharding@quixnet.net



Dances continued**INTERNATIONAL****CEILI (IRISH)**

Ceili Dance • Fairfax, VA
Saturday, June 8 • 8 - midnight
Saturday, July 13 • 8 - 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 7:30 pm. Free tea, coffee, sodabread. Admission: \$10 (Family \$20). **Info: Gene Nazarowitz 703.444.9368.**

INTERNATIONAL**Mondays:**

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

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

Tuesdays:

Arlington International Folk Dancing • VA
Tuesdays • 8 - 10 pm

At Key Elementary School, off Veitch St. between Wilson and Key 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**

Wednesdays:

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

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

Thursdays:

Chevy Chase International Folk Dancers
• Washington, DC
Thursdays • 7:30 - 9:30 pm

Chevy Chase Community Center, 5601 Connecticut Ave, NW, Washington DC (Connecticut Ave. at McKinley St., 2 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.**

Mount Vernon International Folk Dancing
• Alexandria, VA

Thursdays • 8 - 10 pm

Mount Vernon Unitarian Church meeting hall, 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.**

Fridays:

Greenbelt International Folk Dancing • MD
Fridays • 8:30 - 11 pm

Focusing on dances from Eastern and Western Europe, Scandinavia, and the Mediterranean. No partner or experience necessary. Teaching from 8:30 - 9:15 pm, request dancing 9:15-11 pm. Mostly recorded music. 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; John Robinson 410.715.9210; and John Bartholomew 301.565.3650.**

ISRAELI

Israeli Dancing • Bethesda, MD
Mondays • 8-10 pm

Beginners/Intermediate (everyone welcome) taught by Moshe Shem-Tov and Aviva Kutnick. Join the circle and have a great time. Recorded music. \$6 adults, \$3 students. Adat Shalom Reconstructionist Congregation, 7727 Persimmon Tree Lane.

Info: 301.871.5663 or danceto@home.com.
 Directions: 301.767.3333 or www.jrf.org/adatsmd/

Israeli Dancing • Silver Spring, MD
Tuesdays • 7:30 - 11 pm

Shaare Tefila Congregation, 11120 Lockwood Drive, Silver Spring (near intersection of Route 29 and New Hampshire Ave.) 8-9, Beginner/intermediate teaching. 9-11, Advanced teaching/open dancing. Admission \$5/\$2 students. **Info: Helen Rubin, 703.207.1551 or Helen@israelidance.com.**

Israeli Dancing • Potomac, MD
Wednesdays • 8:15 - 11 pm

Har Shalom Congregation, 11510 Falls Rd., Potomac (between Democracy Blvd and Montrose Rd). "Oldies" only (dances before 1990). Instruction: Beginners 8:15 - 8:45; Intermediate/Advanced, 8:45 - 9:15; Requests 9:15 - 11. Recorded music. \$5. **Info: Ben Hole, 301.441.8213.**

Dances continued**Israeli Dancing • Greenbelt, MD****Saturday, June 1 • 8:15 - 11 pm****Saturday, June 29 • 8:15- 11 pm**

Israeli "Oldies" party (dances before 1990). Recorded music, light refreshments. Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road. \$5. **Info: Ben Hole, 301.441.8213.**

MORRIS**Bluemont Morris • Reston, VA****Mondays • 7 - 8:30 pm**

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. **Info: Laura 703.845.8536.**

Albemarle Morris • Charlottesville, VA**Tuesdays • 7 - 9 pm**

Practice is usually at the Jefferson-Madison Regional Library (201 East Market Street) from September to November, and from March to June. **Info: Bill Davick at davick@intelos.net, or Jim Morrison at jim@morns.com or <http://monticello.avenue.org/amm/>**

Foggy Bottom Morris Men • Chevy Chase, MD**Thursdays, 8 - 10 pm**

Learn traditional dances from English villages, the Welsh-English border regions, long-sword, and seasonal mumming too. As long as you enjoy dance and movement you can experience the vigorous thrill of the Morris! No previous morris experience is necessary. New musicians as well as dancers are welcome at practice, Chevy Chase School, Rosemary Circle, near Connecticut and Bradley. **Info: Jud McIntire at 703.528.0588 or maxintire@comcast.net, Bill Brown at 301.270.2014 or wmlbrown@earthlink.net, or website, www.science.gmu.edu/~bgraham/foggy.html.**

SCANDINAVIAN**Scandinavian Midsummer Dance Festival • Bethesda, MD****Saturday, June 29 • 8 - 10:45 pm****Saturday, July 27 • 8 - 10:45 pm**

At Bethesda Elementary School, 7600 Arlington Boulevard in Bethesda. The June 29th dance will celebrate traditional Midsummer/summer solstice; the July 27th dance will celebrate the slightly more correct middle of summer in this area. Music by **Peascods Gathering**, teaching of hambo and schottisch during first hour by **Lisa Brooks**, followed by general dancing. Everybody welcome and everybody dances, beginner or experienced, single or paired. Air conditioned site, refreshments, and friendly atmosphere all includ-

ed for the low admission price of \$5. **Info: Carl Minkus 301.493.6281, Lorraine Silsbee 301.585.1130.**

SCOTTISH**Scottish Country Dance • Bethesda, MD****Mondays • 8:15 - 10 pm**

Similar to English Country. No partner needed. Bring soft, flexible shoes. Taped and live music. Classes for new and experienced dancers: NIH Aerobics and Dance Center, Building T-39. **Info: Ralph Stoddard at 301.649.5666 or caberfei@aol.com.**

Scottish Country Dance • Greenbelt, MD**Tuesdays • 8 - 10 pm**

Similar to English Country. No partner needed. Bring soft, flexible shoes. Taped and live music. New and experienced dancers. Greenbelt Community Center. **Info: Jennifer Mayrovitz: 410.381.3948 or rjmayro@erols.com.**

Scottish Country Dance • Arlington, VA**Thursdays • 8 - 10 pm**

Similar to English Country. No partner needed. Bring soft, flexible shoes. Taped and live music. Anne Carpenter Fellowship Hall at Rock Spring Congregational Church of Christ, 5000 Little Falls Road. **Info: David_E_Chase@HUD.gov.**

SQUARE**Taylor Made Squares • Silver Spring, MD****Tuesdays • 8 - 9:30**

Betsy Taylor calls squares to recorded music at the Long Branch Community Center, Piney Branch Rd., Silver Spring, MD. Wood floor. Free admission. No experience or partner necessary. **Info: 301.589.4868.**

SWING**Swing Night at Timpano • Rockville, MD****Thursday, June 20 • 9:30 - midnight****Thursday, July 18 • 9:30 - midnight**

Radio King Orchestra (aka RKO) plays classic Big Band Swing at Timpano Chophouse in Rockville. Beginning Swing lesson at the first break (approx. 10:20 pm), dance contest at the second break. Free/No cover. Intersection of Montrose Road and Rockville Pike (Rte 355) **Info: <http://www.erols.com/flyfeet> or 301.299.8728 or email to flyfeet@erols.com.**



Dances continued**Swing Dance • Glen Echo, MD****Saturday, June 1 • 8 - midnight.****Saturday, July 6 • 8 - midnight**

Washington Swing Dance Committee, in cooperation with the National Park Service. **June 1** featuring *Lush Life*, **July 6** featuring *Swing Speak*, Introductory swing lesson 8 - 9 pm, then dance until midnight. Admission \$10. No partner or experience necessary. All ages welcome. Smoke- and alcohol-free venue. Volunteer for one hour and get in free. **Info:** www.wsdc.org or 202.726.3972.

USO/WWII Swing Dance • Glen Echo, MD**Saturday, June 29 • 9 pm - midnight.**

Local favorite *Blue Sky 5* will take you back to the WWII era with their Big-Band-style swing music. Vintage attire encouraged. Lesson 8 - 9 pm, then dance until midnight. Admission \$10. Bumper Car Pavilion, Glen Echo Park (Directions, page 20). **Info:** <http://www.erols.com/flyfeet>, 301.299.8728, or email flyfeet@erols.com

WALTZ / BALLROOM / SOCIAL**Sunday Afternoon Waltz • Glen Echo, MD**

Bumper Car Pavilion, Glen Echo Park (Directions, page 20). A half-hour introductory waltz workshop by Donna Barker from 3-3:30 pm; then social dancing to live music 3:30 - 6 pm. Admission: \$5, which includes the lesson. **Info:** Donna Barker at 703.978.0375 or <http://users.erols.com/swing4me>

Dance Classes *Class listings may be submitted by FSGW members only.***Clogging**

Traditional Clogging classes at Wakefield Recreation Center in Annandale, Virginia. Students will learn basic steps and a routine to perform with the Patchwork dancers. New Classes begin on Sunday, June 30 at 5 pm. For this or other clogging classes, plus Irish step, **Info:** Jim Maxwell, 703.503.9260, 202.401.3571, or jpmaxwell@yahoo.com, or <http://home.earthlink.net/~jimmaxwell>.

LATIN**Bumper Car Pavilion • Glen Echo, MD****Mondays, June 3, 10, 17, & 24, 7 - 8 pm**

Join instructors Marc Shapanek and Ellen Engle of *Flying Feet Enterprises* for a class that will introduce you to the basic techniques, steps, and moves for the mambo/salsa, cha cha, and rumba. No partner or experience needed. Pre-registration suggested, but walk-in registrations taken on the first night of the

June

2 *Shadrack's Delight* with Laura Lengnick, Ralph Gordon, Mara Beamish, and Roger Gold

16 *Waltzing Stars* with Liz Donaldson, Ralph Gordon, Marty Taylor and Alexander Mitchell.

July

7 *Martin's Flight* with Ralph Gordon, Alexander Mitchell, Paul Oorts, and Marc Glickman

21 *Happy Homesteaders* with Steve Hickman, Ann Percival and David Cantieni.

Tea Dance • Glen Echo, MD**Sunday, June 9 • 3:30 - 6 pm**

The LaSalle Dance Orchestra presents music of the Roarin' Twenties and Sophisticated Thirties — a little swing, some waltz, some foxtrots and Latin — there's a rhythm here for everyone! Lesson 3:00 - 3:30 pm, Dancing 3:30 - 6:00 pm.. \$5.00. Bumper Car Pavilion, Glen Echo Park (Directions, page 20). **Info:** <http://www.erols.com/flyfeet>, 301.299.8728, or email flyfeet@erols.com

Tango/Milonga Tea Dance • Glen Echo, MD**Sunday, July 14 • 3:30 - 6 pm**

Champagne Tango will play tangos, milongas, and tango-valzes. Showcase/ demonstrations by area tango teachers at the first break. Lesson 3:00 - 3:30 pm, Dancing 3:30 - 6:00 pm.. \$10.00. Bumper Car Pavilion, Glen Echo Park. (Directions, page 20) **Info:** <http://www.erols.com/flyfeet>, 301.299.8728, or email flyfeet@erols.com

series. \$36/person. (Directions, Page 20). **Info/registration:** <http://www.erols.com/flyfeet>, 301.299.8728, or email flyfeet@erols.com

LINDY**Intermediate Savoy Lindy****Bumper Car Pavilion • Glen Echo, MD****Thursdays, June 6-27, 8-9 pm**

Donna Barker and Mike Marcotte. Dancers should know basic swingout and Charleston steps. From there, learn some great variations and new footwork. One hour lesson, four-week course. \$36/person; no partner required. (Directions, page 20) You do not need to pre-register, but please arrive 10 minutes early on the first night to register at the door.

Info: Donna Barker at 703.978.0375, or <http://users.erols.com/swing4me> or swing4me@erols.com.

Dance Classes *continued*

INTERMEDIATE HOLLYWOOD LINDY

Bumper Car Pavilion • Glen Echo, MD
Thursdays, June 6-27, 9-10 pm

Donna Barker and Mike Marcotte. Learn variations on the 8-count whip, nifty off-hand moves, and stylish footwork. One hour lesson, four-week course. \$36/person; no partner required. (Directions, page 20) You do not need to pre-register, but please arrive 10 minutes early on the first night to register at the door.

Info: Donna Barker at 703.978.0375, or <http://users.erols.com/swing4me> or swing4me@erols.com.

INTERMEDIATE LINDY HOP

Bumper Car Pavilion • Glen Echo, MD
Mondays, July 1, 15, 22, 29, & August 5, 12 • 7 - 8:15 pm

Lindy is a high-energy dance. Students should know and be comfortable with the swing out, Lindy circle, and basic Charleston rhythms. No partner required. Taught by **Marc Shapanek** and **Ellen Engle** of *Flying Feet Enterprises*, who will show you how to make your Lindy Hop zing! Pre-registration suggested, but walk-in registration taken on the first night of the series. \$88/person. (Directions, Page 20). **Info/registration: <http://www.erols.com/flyfeet>, 301.299.8728, or email flyfeet@erols.com**

SCANDINAVIAN

Beginning Scandinavian Dancing
• NIH, Bethesda, MD
Thursdays June 6 & 27 • 8 to 9:30 pm
Thursdays July 4, 11, & 25 • 8 to 9:30 pm

Learn hambo, schottish, waltz, zwiefacher, and couple turning dances. Singles, couples, beginners, advanced dancers welcome. Air conditioned venue. Mostly recorded music, occasionally live musicians. Come when you can – class is continuous, and some hambo is done every time. Wear smooth-soled shoes for turning. \$5. Enter NIH at Wisconsin and South Drive (have ID available). Go to the south center of NIH and park in the NIH permit parking, next to Building T-39. Alternatively: Park on Battery Lane, walk (5 minutes) to NIH Fitness and Dance Center, Building T-39 or walk (8 minutes) from the Medical Center Metro stop. See map at www.HamboDC.org, <http://www.nih.gov/about/images/nihmap.gif>, or on a flyer. **Info: Lisa Brooks at 301.654.7667, 301.435.5544, or lisa@HamboDC.org.**

SWING

Beginning Swing
Bumper Car Pavilion • Glen Echo, MD
Thursdays, July 18 - August 8, 8-9 pm

Donna Barker and Mike Marcotte. Learn triple swing basics, partnering skills, and lots of moves, so you'll have plenty of variety. One hour lesson, four-week course. \$36/person; no partner required. (Directions, page 20). **Info: Donna Barker at 703.978.0375, or <http://users.erols.com/swing4me> or swing4me@erols.com.** You do not need to pre-register, but please arrive 10 minutes early on the first night to register at the door.

BEGINNING/INTERMEDIATE SWING

Beginning/Intermediate Swing
Tap Room, 146 East Maple Ave., Vienna, VA

Donna Barker and Ray Keaney. Walk-in classes every Wednesday. Beginning swing at 7:15, intermediate swing at 8, followed by DJ'd social dancing until 11. Beginners' lesson progresses from week to week; the series starts on the first Wednesday of each month. Lesson and dance: \$12 PSDC Members, \$14 Non-Members. Dance only: \$9 PSDC Members, \$11 Non-Members. Drinks included. **Info: Donna Barker at 703.978.0375, or <http://users.erols.com/swing4me> or swing4me@erols.com.**

INTERMEDIATE SWING

Intermediate Swing and Musicality/Footwork for Swing Dancers
Sundays • 8-10:30 pm

Lyon Village Community House, Lee Hwy & N. Highland, Arlington, VA. **Donna Barker and Mike Marcotte.** Walk-in lessons and dancing every Sunday. 7 - 8 pm, "Ideas for dancing musically" for Swing Dancers; 8 - 8:45 pm, Intermediate/advanced swing lesson (different moves each week). 8:45 - 10:30 pm, DJ'd social dancing. Lessons and dance: \$10 PSDC Members; \$12 Non-members. Dance only: \$7 PSDC Members; \$9 Non-Members \$9. Refreshments included.

INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED SWING:

Showstoppers & Aerials
Bumper Car Pavilion • Glen Echo Park, MD
Thursdays, July 18 - August 8, 9 - 10 pm

Partner REQUIRED (you will NOT change partners). **Donna Barker and Mike Marcotte** will teach you lifts, dips, leans, and drops that make dancing to the

Dance Classes *continued*

music exciting and showy. One hour lesson, four-week course. \$36/person. (Directions, page 20).

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Swing Dance Performance Team

Glen Echo Bumper Car Pavilion • Glen Echo, MD
Mondays, July 1, 15, 22, 29, and August 5, 12
• 8:15 - 9:45 pm

Partner required; participants must be intermediate level or above. **Marc Shapanek** and **Ellen Engle** of *Flying Feet Enterprises* will teach you a performance routine that will take your dancing to the next level. Participants will have the opportunity to perform the routine at the Canteen Dance, Frederick Air Show in August. \$70/person. (Directions, Page 20). **Info/registration: <http://www.erols.com/flyfeet>, 301.299.8728, or email flyfeet@erols.com**

WALTZ

Advanced Waltz and Intermediate Waltz Bumper Car Pavilion • Glen Echo, MD

Thursdays, June 6-27, 7-8 pm

Donna Barker and Mike Marcotte. For experienced waltzers, learn challenging waltz figures and how to dance closer to the music. Also, learn the Viennese waltz, a half-turning waltz. One hour lesson, four-week course. \$36/person; no partner required. (Directions, page 20).

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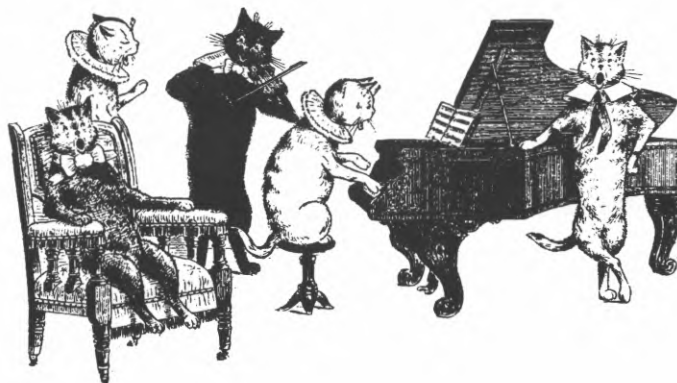
Beginning Waltz

Bumper Car Pavilion • Glen Echo, MD

Thursdays, July 18 - August 8, 7-8 pm

Donna Barker and Mike Marcotte. Learn a basic half-turning waltz, techniques for partnering, and some cool variations in open position. One hour lesson, four-week course. \$36/person; no partner required. (Directions, page 20).

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has been performing for over 20 years with groups such as *Jorgovan, Trick Bag & Tzigantzi* at Epcot Center.

Lenny Tepsich (bass, cello, vocals), of Serbian and Croatian heritage, has performed for over 20 years. He has been featured at Balkan music and dance camps and international folk festivals. Also an accomplished tamburitza cello player, he adds the counter-melodies that give the music richness and texture. Lenny is also nationally-known as "Mr. Music", performing songs for children.

Danilo Yanich (*bugarija*, accordion, vocals) of Serbian descent, has performed for over 25 years. He is on the teaching staff of Balkan music and dance camps and past president of the national board of the East European Folklife Center. He holds a Ph.D. in Urban Affairs and Public Policy and has published articles on Balkan politics. He is an Associate Professor at the Graduate School of Urban Affairs and Public Policy, University of Delaware.



Tickets: Dance: FSGW Members: \$10, Non-Members: \$14. Concert: FSGW Members: \$14 Non-Members: \$17. Info: www.fsgw.org or Charlie Baum at 301.587.2286.

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On many songs Sara accompanies herself by frailing a 5-string banjo. She is widely regarded as one of the foremost exponents of the old-time style. Sara is also a fine storyteller specializing in stories from New England, many of which she learned from her father.

Sara grew up in New Hampshire but has lived in North Carolina, Ohio, Montana, New York, Pennsylvania, Arizona, Wales, Scotland and England. It was as a youngster in North Carolina that she first heard a lot of mountain music and her love for the old time banjo music and songs developed from this experience. She has carried this interest into her adult life, studying folklore and collecting and performing music from the various areas in which she has lived.

This House Concert will be hosted by **Dennis and Judy Cook in Laurel, MD.**

FSGW Members: \$10 Non-Members: \$14. Info: www.fsgw.org or call Charlie Baum at 301.587.2286. Directions: contact the Cooks at 301.776.4314.

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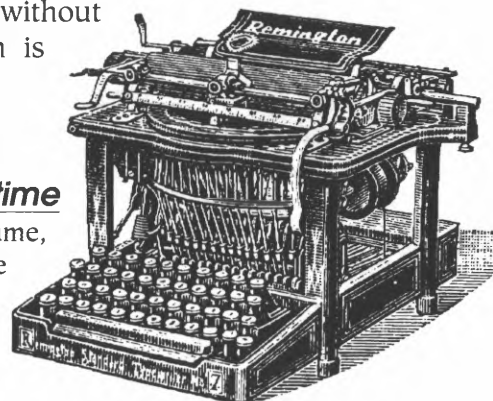
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In addition, in the "Subject" line of any email that includes listing information, please identify the listing by type (i.e., Concert Series, Open Mic, Weekend), so that she can pull, copy, paste and edit all listings for similar events without having to open and read each email the subject of which is "FSGW Newsletter listing" or "Announcement."

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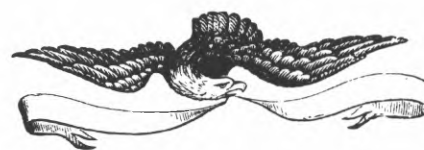
FSGW ELECTION RESULTS

The incoming FSGW Board starts work on July 1. The new members are:

Sam Weiler, secretary, and **Peter Adams** and **Darriell Day** as members-at-large. **Lisa Harmon** changes from member-at-large to Program Chair, and **Nancy-Jean Seigel** is now publicity chair (having been Secretary for the past two years).

FSGW thanks **Carl Mintz**, **Kathy Westra**, and **Liz Milner** for their hard work the past two years. We also thank **Sean Doherty** for his work this past year.

The New Board is listed at the bottom of this page with their phone numbers. If you're wondering about the secretary's phone number, it's a cell phone based out of Pittsburgh.



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FSGW Board Meeting

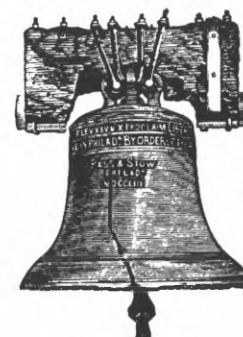
Tuesday, June 4 • 8 pm

July Meeting TBA

The monthly FSGW board meeting will be held in a classroom at Glen Echo Park. All FSGW members may attend. If you wish the Board to consider a particular matter, please contact the appropriate board member or **Dennis Cook**, FSGW President, at 301.776.4314.

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10:00				City of Alexandria	Piping		Loudoun Border Guard			10:00
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10:30		Irish Fire		Maple School of Irish Step Dancing	Potomac Valley Scottish Fiddle Club	Burns and his Mentors - Richard Gary	Medieval Costumes	Bill Mayhew	PG County	10:30
10:45							Martin Family Band	Beth	Police PB	10:45
11:00	Sián Phillips & Danny KilBride		Nolwenn Monjarret		Eileen Niehouse	Yeats - Ellen Waff		Vaughan	Chesapeake	11:00
11:15		Betsy McGovern		Something Scottish Highland Dancers			Ancient Tools	Margaret Chatham	Caledonian PB	11:15
11:30	Charlie Zahm	Patrick O'Flaherty	Jim Wearne		Jim & Holly Lawrence				Massed Bands	11:30
11:45		Tinsmith				Scots Gaelic - Nick Freer	TV & Me		11:45	
12:00			Moch Pryderi	Dance Gypsies of Pennsylvania					Solo Piping - Burt Mitchell	12:00
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1:30		Charlie Zahm	Ru-Ra					Susan	Police PB	1:30
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2:00						Michael Mott - Brad Strahan	Cindy Roser			2:00
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5:45					Dronemaster & Dancer					5:45
6:00				Washington Irish Dancers			Martin Family Band	Merrilee Palansch		6:00
6:15	Moch Pryderi	Charlie Zahm	Jim & Holly Lawrence							6:15
6:30					Harp			Bill		6:30
6:45				Bonfire Dance				Mayhew		6:45

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Night Festival at Guinness Tent 8 - 11 featuring Brenga Astur, Téada, & Tornaod

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	WAMU Amphitheater	Guinness Tent	Barnaby Stage	US Airways Stage	Grove Stage	Words & Music Tree	Greenway Family Stage	Celtic Lore	Parade Field	
10:00				Clann na h'Eireann	Loudoun Border Guard	Piping - Burt Mitchell				10:00
10:15	Moch Pryderi	Maggie Sansone & Friends	Jim Wearne	Pipes & Irish Dancers	Dronemaster & Dancer	Celtic Balladry - Richard Gary	Martin Family Band	Bill Mayhew		10:15
10:30				Something Scottish			Ancient Tools	Gary	Greater Richmond	10:30
10:45	Ru-Ra			Highland Dancers	Eileen Niehouse			Lloyd	Pipes & Drums	10:45
11:00		Betsy McGovern	Waulking Demo w/			The Poesy of	Highland Dance		Solo Piping	11:00
11:15		Patrick O'Flaherty	Mac-talla	Culkin School of Irish Step Dance	Renee Camus & Liberty Dawne	Fiona MacLeod - Ellen Waff	TV & Me	Jane Dorfman	- Tim Carey	11:15
11:30	Siân Phillips & Danny Kilbride	Tinsmith	Rakes & Roses						Massed Bands	11:30
11:45						Scots Gaelic - Nick Freer	Manx Tale	Beth Vaughan	Clann na h'Eireann Pipes	11:45
12:00	Téada	Charlie Zahm	Betsy McGovern	Festival Folk Dancers (Welsh)	Jim Wearne				Greater Richmond	12:00
12:15			Patrick O'Flaherty				Jim Maxwell		Pipes & Drums	12:15
12:30						R. S. Thomas		Susan	Eagle	12:30
12:45						Welsh Poet - Cindy Roser	Welsh Lesson	Wooden	Pipe Band	12:45
1:00	Battlefield Band	Tornaod	Jim & Holly Lawrence	Anduriña Galician Dancers, Pipes & Drums	Breton Dance	Celtic & Original Poetry - Dawn Miller	Liberty Dawne	Jane Dorfman	Emerald Society of Baltimore PB	1:00
1:15							Bill Reese	Gary Lloyd	Solo Piping - Burt Mitchell	1:15
1:30		IONA	Karen Ashbrook & Paul Oorts	Dance Gypsies of Pennsylvania	Rakes & Roses	Lori Powell - Brad Strahan		Susan	Massed Bands	1:30
1:45							Cindy Roser	Wooden		1:45
2:00	Andy M. Stewart & Gerry O'Beirne				Jim & Holly Lawrence		Mary Triola			2:00
2:15										2:15
2:30		Téada	Charlie Zahm	Renee Camus & Liberty Dawne						2:30
2:45	Brenga Astur									2:45
3:00						Piping - Ian Lawther	Manx Tale	Margaret Chatham	Something Scottish Highland Dancers	3:00
3:15							Weaving Demo			3:15
3:30							Melissa & Dave		Eagle	3:30
3:45	IONA			Patchwork Dancers & Rakes and Roses		Harp	TV & Me	Ralph Chatham	Pipe Band	3:45
4:00					Dronemaster & Dancer					4:00
4:15							Ancient Tools			4:15
4:30		Andy M. Stewart & Gerry O'Beirne	Moch Pryderi	Jan Zollars (Breton Dancing)		Breton Poetry - Bill Cassidy		Beth Vaughan	Solo Piping - Tim Carey	4:30
4:45										4:45
5:00		Brenga Astur	Nolwenn Monjarret	C.C.E. (Irish Celi & Sets)	Piping Workshop		Martin Family Band		Massed Bands	5:00
5:15				Joy of Dance				Bill Mayhew		5:15
5:30	Tinsmith				Harp					5:30
5:45				Bonfire Dance						5:45

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