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4 Sun **Piedmont Bluz;** 4pm, Good Coffee House, Brooklyn
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11 Sun **Upper West Side Song Swap** at HI-NY, 5-8pm
12 Mon FMSNY Board of Directors Meeting; 7:15pm; see p. 5
18 Sun **Shanty Sing;** Snug Harbor, Staten Island, 2-5 pm
21 Wed Sunnyside Singers Club; performers (separate acts) **Ernie Mancuso & Pamela Jean Agaloos,** 8 pm
24 Sa **Gene Yellin & Clarence Ferrari;** New World Folk Club, 4-6pm at the Scratcher Bar
26 Mon **Newsletter Mailing,** 7pm in Jackson Heights, Queens

March
*Mondays:* **Irish Traditional Music Session;** Landmark, 8pm
*Wednesdays:* **Sunnyside Singers Club;** Woodside, 8pm
4 Sun **Annual Pete Seeger Memorial Sing;** John St. Ch., 2pm
4 Sun **Gathering Time;** 4pm, Good Coffee House, Brooklyn
7 Wed **Folk Open Sing;** 7pm in Brooklyn
7 Wed Sunnyside Singers Club; performer **Marie Mularczyk O’Connell & the Mountain Maidens,** 8pm
10 Sat **Pat Lamanna & Sharleen Leahey & Lydia Adams Davis;** Peoples’ Voice Cafe, 8pm
11 Sun **Upper West Side Song Swap** at HI-NY; 5-8pm

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**Irish Traditional Music Session: every Monday, 8-11pm**
Tenor banjo, harmonica and fiddle player Don Meade and friends get together every Monday night for an Irish traditional music session in the back room of this historic Hell's Kitchen bar/restaurant. Free admission; food and drink are available. Musicians, singers, and listeners welcome. At the Landmark Tavern, 626 11th Avenue (on 46th St), Manhattan; co-sponsored with and led by Don Meade; for info 212-247-2562 or www.blarneystar.com/ Featured Performers: to be announced

**Sunnyside Singers Club: every Wednesday, 8-11pm**
Come join us every Wednesday at 8pm for a 3-hour pub style sing-around. All songs are welcome, as are acoustic instruments. Co-sponsored with, and held at the Aubergine Cafe, 49-22 Skillman Avenue at the corner of 50th Street in Woodside, Queens. Occasionally there is a featured guest performer for part of the evening. Yummy desserts, sandwiches, salads, coffee, tea, wine, and beer are available. Free admission; a voluntary contribution is requested on guest nights. The nearest subway stop is 52nd Street on the #7 Flushing Local. Info: 718-899-1735. www.facebook.com/sunnysidesingersclub. Featured Performer: Feb. 21, Ernie Mancuso & Pamela Jean Agaloo; March 7, Marie Mularczyk O'Connell & the Mountain Maidens

**Chantey & Folk Song & Music Session; Sundays, Feb. 4th & Mar 4th; 2-4pm**
A Community Sing & singalong, usually on the first Sunday. Bring voices, instruments, and friends; raise the rafters in this historic downtown venue! At John Street Church, 44 John St. (east of Broadway, 1 block south of & parallel to Fulton), near Fulton St. subway stop. Info: 212-957-8386. We respectfully ask for a free will donation of any amount to help support this historic venue that is so generous in donating their space for our use. Please note: venue is an historic landmark and NOT handicapped accessible – approx. 13 stairs to reach the downstairs venue (facilities are also located on the same downstairs level). Hosted by The New York Packet & co-sponsored by the Folk Music Society of NY. Coming March 4: Annual Pete Seeger Memorial Sing.

**Piedmont Bluz; Sunday, February 4th, 4-6 pm**
The Piedmont Bluz acoustic duo is dedicated to the preservation of Country Blues and the Piedmont style and their mission is to help keep this rural, east coast tradition alive by educating audiences about this unique aspect of African-American culture through musical entertainment. The husband and wife duo are much loved wherever they go and feel that "there are stories to tell, people to remember, and things that must be said" so, in addition to tickling your ears with delightful music, they weave a bit of history into the presentation of each song.

Cosponsored with and at the Good Coffee House at the Old Stone House, 336 Third Street in J.J. Byrne Park, between 4th & 5th Avenues, Brooklyn, 11215. $10 contribution. Info: fbanjo[at]aol.com. Facebook: http://on.fb.me/1UxthNr

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**Folk Open Sing: Wednesdays, Feb. 7th & Mar. 7th; 7-10pm**
Join us on the first Wednesday of each month for an open sing. Bring your voice, instruments, friends, neighbors, and children. Drop by for a couple of songs or the whole evening. At the Ethical Culture Society, 53 Prospect Park West, Brooklyn (near 2nd St.). (If door is locked, ring the BSEC bell.) Directions: F or Q train to 7th Ave.; 2 or 3 train to Grand Army Plaza. Hosted by Ethical Culture Society, Folk Music Society of NY/NYFMC, Alison Kelley, Frank Woerner, and Tom Weir. Info: 212-695-5924.

**Winter Weekend of Music; Feb. 9-11, Ellenville, NY**
In the Bleak Midwinter ...... when the gloom and cold are getting you down, come join us at our Winter Weekend. Unstructured (except for meal times), we get together to sing, play, relax, and have fun. The Honor's Haven Resort and Spa in Ellenville, NY, is about 2 hours from NYC (barring traffic). Accommodations are comfortable, food is good and plentiful, there is a heated indoor pool, a spa, and hot tub. Mood and weather permitting, there is a walk to a scenic waterfall right on the grounds. Our special guests will be Lorraine & Bennett Hammond, plus Ray Taylor running a square dance session. *See flyer in centerfold.*

**Upper West Side Song Swap: Sunday, February 11th; 5-8pm**
A series on the second Sunday of the month! FMSNYS and PMN have joined up to start a new sing-around on the Upper West Side. Bring your voices, your acoustic instruments and your ears. It’s free! At Hostel International-New York (HI-NY), 891 Amsterdam Avenue at 103rd Street. For info. call John Ziv at 212-662-6575.

**Shanty Sing: Sunday, February 18th; 2-5pm**
We are co-sponsoring the Shanty Sing on the 3rd Sunday of every month. The William Main Doerflinger Memorial Sea Shanty Sessions at the Noble Maritime Collection (to give the official title) are from 2 to 5 pm at the Noble Gallery, Building D, Snug Harbor Cultural Center, 1000 Richmond Terrace, Staten Island. Snug Harbor is accessible by the S40 bus from the Staten Island Ferry Terminal and by car. For more information about the Noble Collection, go to http://www.noblemaritime.org -- click on "Visitor Information" for directions. For further information contact Bob Conroy: RConroy421(at)aol.com or 347-267-9394.

**Gene Yellen & Clarence Ferrari: Saturday, February 24th; 4-6pm**
The New World Folk Club is a new intimate and educational folk music event on the last Saturday of each month at the Scratcher Bar. Hosted by Vincent Cross, two special guests are invited to collaborate on traditional and/or contemporary folk songs. The first month's guests are Gene Yellen (guitar) & Clarence Ferrari (fiddle).

**Gene Yellin**, a 40 year veteran of the New York bluegrass scene, has played with Hazel Dickens, Breakfast Special (Kenny Kosek, Andy Statman, etc), Yellin Grass (with his bluegrass banjo playing brother, Bob), Eastbound Freight and American Flyer (with Ben Freed). He is critically recognized as one of the best bluegrass singers to come out of the New York area. **Clarence Ferrari** has performed with countless musicians including Pete Seeger, Tom Chapin, Tom Paxton, Roswell Rudd, Davey Arthur of The Furies, Les Binks of Judas Priest, and The Brooklyn Philharmonic. His “fast and floating fiddle” does both Irish and bluegrass music.

The Scratcher Bar is at 209 E. 5th St., Manhattan 10003 (bet. 2nd & 3rd Ave's) Contribution: $5

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Newsletter Mailing: Monday, February 26th; 7pm
We need you to help to mail out the next newsletter! Join the important band of volunteers that sticks on the stamps and labels, and seals the pages to mail out this newsletter. At the home of Don Wade and Eileen Pentel, 35-41 72nd Street, Jackson Heights (Queens). Near the 74th St. Station of the #7 line or the Roosevelt Ave-Jackson Heights Station of the E, F, M, and R trains. Info: 718-672-6399

Gathering Time; Sunday, March 4th, 4-6 pm
Voted best band runner-up (and top folk band) in the 2011 Long Island Press readers' poll, Gathering Time is like a high-energy Peter, Paul & Mary or a co-ed Crosby, Stills & Nash, with various parts of The Byrds, Joni Mitchell, the Eagles and America mixed in; a head-turning folk-rock harmony trio described recently as "getting a whole beehive-full of buzz" on the northeast regional folk scene. WFUV's John Platt has written that they are "among the finest performers in the New York metropolitan area, whatever the size of the venue, from a house concert to an outdoor festival," with "harmonies that can charm the birds out of the trees, strong original songs, and a savvy repertoire of cover songs, ranging from traditional folk to classic rock. They appeal to audiences of all ages."


From the Editor

Eileen Pentel

It’s hard to believe that February is here already, a great month to come to our Winter Folk Music Festival Weekend at Honor’s Haven in Ellenville. It is a new/old venue for us. We were there some time ago. It is now renovated so it will be exciting to see what it looks like now. The music made by us remains wonderful and exciting. I am looking forward to seeing you there. See the flier for details.

Of course we have many other events this month. So many in fact, that we can’t list everything in March as we usually do on the front page. We are only going as far as the middle of the month so that all of our February events can be listed. We have our usual Irish Traditional Music Sessions, our Sunnyside Singers Club with music by participants and once a month a guest performer, the Folk Open Sing, the new Upper West Side Song Swap, the Shanty Sing and a new monthly event, the New World Folk Club. And don’t forget the Piedmont Bluz will be performing at the Good Coffee House.

Of course we also have our monthly Board of Directors Meeting to which you are welcome to come. They have been re-elected this year. We want to thank them all for continuing to serve and making sure that FMS runs smoothly.

Our other exciting event is our Newsletter Mailing! That’s how we get these newsletters to you. We can use your help as always (on February 26th; see above). Thank you to the volunteers from last month, Marilyn and Steve Suffet, Eileen Pentel and Don Wade. Thank you to Heather Wood for mailing out our ballots and to all of you who sent it in. It is very important that you do vote, so that we know of your support. And it is also important that you vote in this country’s elections. I think of all the people who fought so hard to get the right to vote. If nothing else, voting is a way of saying thank you to them.

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Topical Listing of Society Events
For details of current events see pages 2-4

Weekends
Feb. 9-11: Winter Folk Music Weekend at Honor's Haven Resort & Spa, Ellenville, NY; see flyer in centerfold.

May 25-28 Spring Folk Music Weekend at Hudson Valley Resort and Spa, Kerhonkson, NY; featured staff includes Scott Ainslie, Michael & Carrie Kline, and Russ Chandler. More information later in the Spring; see www.folkmusicny.org/weekends.html.

October 26-28 Fall Folk Music Weekend at Hudson Valley Resort and Spa, Kerhonkson, NY

Traditional Music & Dance Camp (TradMaD Camp)
Aug. 25-31, 2018: Plan now for TradMaD camp 2018. see www.tradmadcamp.org

Concerts
Concerts Co-sponsored with the Good Coffee House, usually first or second Sunday, 4-6pm, in Brooklyn
February 4, Piedmont Bluz; March 4: Gathering Time

Concerts co-sponsored with Peoples' Voice Cafe, Saturdays, 8pm:
Sat, Mar. 10, Pat Lamanna & Sharleen Leahey & Lydia Adams Davis
Sat, Mar. 17, Dian Killian + Alice Farrell + Alison Kelley
Sat, Mar. 24, Colleen Kattau + John Ziv & Tom Weir

New World Folk Club, last Saturday of the month, 4-6pm at The Scratcher Bar:
February 24, Gene Yellen & Clarence Ferrari

Sings and Informal Jams
Sun, Feb. 4: Chantey & Folk Song & Music Session; John St. Ch, 2pm; March 4 is the Pete Seeger Memorial Sing

Folk Open Sing: First Wednesday of each month, Feb. 7, March 7, etc.), 7-10 pm;
Ethical Culture Society in Park Slope, Brooklyn.

Irish Traditional Music Session: every Monday, 8-11 pm, Landmark Tavern, 11th Ave. & 46th Street; free, performers to be announced

Upper West Side Song Swap at HI-NY; Second Sunday of each month, Feb. 11, March 11, April 8, etc.

Shanty Sing: on the 3rd Sunday, 2-5 pm on Staten Island, Feb. 18, March 18, etc.)

Sunnyside Singers Club: Wednesdays, 8-11 pm, Aubergine Cafe, Woodside, Queens. Featured Performers: Feb. 21, Ernie Mancuso & Pamela Jean Agaloo; March 7, Marie Mularczyk O'Connell & the Mountain Maidens; April 18, Dan & Bonnie Milner; May 23, Russ Chandler; June 20, Jeremy Aaron; July 18, Mike Agranoff

Business Meetings, etc.
Newsletter Mailing: Tuesday, February 26; 7pm in Queens -- see page 3

Board of Directors Meeting: the second Monday (except August) at 7:15pm at O.S.A. Hall, 220 E. 23 St, rm. 707. (Feb. 12, March 12, etc.) Info: Heather at 646-628-4604.

Updated FMSNY events information (online)
is available on our website at: http://www.folkmusicny.org
2017 was an interesting and exciting year for Mark and Rita Hamburgh. Mark writes "Aside from the birth of two grandsons (reported in a previous 'Folk Process' column) we were fortunate, between business trips and vacations, to get in some exciting traveling around the U.S. We were in Austin, San Antonio, Little Rock, Taos, Santa Fe and Albuquerque. We visited two national parks (Grand Canyon and Hot Springs in Arkansas). We have now been to 55 of the 59 national parks, two national forests (Ozark in Arkansas and Carson in New Mexico), three national historical sites (LBJ in Texas, Little Rock Central High School and Los Alamos), one national preserve (Valles Caldera in New Mexico), one national wilderness (Bisti de-na-zin in New Mexico), and 13 national monuments (Kasha Katuwe Tent Rocks, Río Grande del Norte, Bandelier, El Malpais and Petroglyphs in New Mexico, Vermilion Cliffs, Wupatki, Sunset Crater Volcano and Walnut Canyon in Arizona, and in Utah, Rainbow Bridge, Natural Bridges and...Grand Staircase Escalante and Bears Ears). As you might suspect, I have been active in the cause of protection of the federal public lands."

If you have news to share, contact me at 372 Central Park West; #15B, New York, NY 10025; 212-663-6309, ruthlipman(at)msn.com

Folk Music Events Calendar

For addresses, times, phone numbers, and other details, see the location information on page 14 following the repeating events. Events with a pound sign (#) are run or co-sponsored by the club and more info is on pages 2-4; other events are not run by the Club, and information given is the best available at press time. Events with an asterisk (*) feature members of the club. Send information for listing to: listings(at)folkmusicny.org or Margaret Murray, 1684 W. First Street, #C6, Brooklyn, New York 11223. DEADLINE is the 12th of the preceding month. This Calendar is updated online when late-breaking information is available. You can view the online pdf newsletter: there is often a link on the club website, www.folkmusicny.org. If not, members have an ID number printed on the address label -- use that and your last name to login at: www.fsgw.org/nypfm.

NEW YORK CITY – February
Mondays#: Irish Traditional Music Session at the Landmark; 8pm; see p. 2
Wednesdays#: Sunnyside Singers Club in Woodside, Queens; 8pm; see p. 2
1 Th Josh Waletzky! with Deborah Strauss & Jake Schulman-Ment: New York Klezmer Series; Jalopy 3 Sa
2 Fr Dylan Foley and Josh Dukes: Blarney Star; Glucksman Ireland House 3 Sa
2-4 Thunderbird American Indian Dancers 43rd Annual Concert with music, dance and storytelling: Theater for the New City, 155 First Ave., NYC; 8pm; also, children’s matinee on 2/3 & 2/4 at 3pm; 212-254-1109; Anna and Elizabeth Family Cncrt – An Imbolic Celebration: Irish Arts Center; 2pm Hasidic New Wave: WMI; Littlefields, 638 Sackett St., Brooklyn; 7:30pm; standing room only Songs of the Sea and Taverns: Tavern Concerts; Historic Richmondton; 6 & 8pm

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3 Sa  Gerry Sagal + Lois Morton: Peoples Voice Café

4 Su#  Chantey & Folk Song & Music Session: John St. Church; 2pm

4 Su  Piedmont Bluz: 4pm at Good Coffeehouse, Brooklyn; see p.2

4 Su  Alicia Svigals album release show for Beregovski Suite: Joe’s Pub, 7pm

7 We#  Folk Open Sing; 7pm in Brooklyn; see p. 2

9-11 Thunderbird American Indian Dancers 43rd Annual Concert with music, dance and storytelling; 8pm; also children’s matinee at 3pm on 2/10 & 2/11; see 2-4 info above

10 Sa  Tom Cintula: Tavern Concerts; Historic Richmondton; 6 & 8pm

10 Sa  Rod MacDonald: Peoples Voice Café

10 Sa  Ken Schatz One Day Workshop on Trad./Folk/Roots Singing Styles and Perf. Techniques: Jalopy; 1-5pm

11 Su  The End of America House Concert: First Acoustics; 3pm; comp. supper afterward

11 Su#  Upper West Side Song Swap at HI-NY, 5-8pm; see pp 2-3

17 Sa  Jerry Epstein Memorial Concert with Jeff Davis, Julia Friend and David Jones: Peoples Voice Café

17 Sa  Ken Schatz One Day Workshop on Trad./Folk/Roots; Jalopy; see 2/10 info above

17 Sa  Stout: Tavern Concerts; Historic Richmondton; 6 & 8p

18 Su#  Shanty Sing on Staten Island; 2-5pm; see p. 3

21 We#  Ernie Mancuso & Pamela Jean Agaloos: featured performers at Sunnyside Singers Club; see p. 2

22 Th  Stanley Samuelsen presenting music from his album Folk Songs of the Faroe Islands: Scandinavia House, 58 Park Avenue, NYC; 212-779-3587

23 Fr  WFUV’s John Platt hosts and talks with Tom Paxton and the Don Juans (Dr. Henry and Jan Vezner): Sheen Center, Loreto Theater, 18 Bleecker St., NYC; 7:30pm

23 Fr  Tal National with Kaleta & Super Yamba Band: WMI; Littlefield, Brooklyn; 8pm; standing room only

24 Sa#  Gene Yellin & Clarence Ferrari: New World Folk Club, Scratcher Bar; 4-6pm; see p.3

24 Sa  Generations – Mike & Aleks Glick plus Steve Schalchin: Peoples Voice Café

26 Mo#  Newsletter Mailing: 7pm in Jackson Hts, Queens; see p. 3

NEW YORK CITY – MARCH

Mondays#: Irish Traditional Music Session at the Landmark; 8pm; see p. 2

Wednesdays#: Sunnyside Singers Club in Woodside, Queens; 8pm; see p. 2

3 Sa  Afrika Now! with Black Coffee, Tony Allen & Jeff Mills, Pierre Kwendeus: WMI; Apollo Theater, 253 W. 125th St., NYC

3 Sa  Grassroots Harmony plus Chris Seymour: Peoples Voice Café

3 Sa  Half Moon: Tavern Concerts; Historic Richmondton; 6 & 8p

4 Su#  Gathering Time: Good Coffeehouse; 4pm; see p. 4

4 Su#  Pete Seeger Memorial Sing: John St. Church; 2pm; see p. 2

7 We#  Folk Open Sing; 7pm in Brooklyn; see p. 2

7 We#  Mountain Maidens: featured performers at Sunnyside Singers Club; see p. 2

LONG ISLAND – FEBRUARY

2 Fr  Heather Pierson Trio: Garden Stage; UCCCN

3 Sa  Abbie Gardner/Craig Akin plus Goodnight Moonshine: 1st Sat. Concert; FMSH

15 Th  Ray Lambiase & Bill Lauter: Hard Luck Café; FMSH

16 Fr  Little Toby Walker: Our Times Coffeehouse

LONG ISLAND – MARCH

1 & 2  David Bromberg Quintet: Landmark on Main Street; 7:30pm 3/1; 8pm 3/2

2 Fr  Cole, Nakoa & Treacher: Garden Stage; UCCCN

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3 Sa  Tom Paxton and the Don Juan: 1st Sat. Concert; FMSH 18 Su  Christine Lavin: Turning Point; 4pm
7 We  Cliff Eberhardt with Louise Mosrie: Live @ Deepwells 22 Th  Tom Paxton & the Don Juan: Caffè Lena; 7pm
                      23 Fr  Joe Crookston: the Eighth Step; 7:30pm
NEW YORK STATE - FEBRUARY
1 Th  Driftwood: Caffè Lena; 7pm 23 Fr  The Kennedys: Turning Point; 8pm
2 Fr  Kevin McKrell with Brian Mellick: Caffè Lena; 8pm 23 Fr  Mile Twelve: Caffè Lena; 8pm
3 Sa  Golfstrom: Caffè Lena; 8pm 24 Sa  Jim Gaudet and the Railroad Boys with special guest Sara Milanovich: Caffè Lena; 7pm
3 Sa  Out on a Limb: Rosendale Café; 8pm
8 Th  Toby Walker: Caffè Lena; 7p 24 Sa  The Ana Egge Trio with special guest Steve Addabbo: Common Ground Coffeehouse
9 Fr  Beausoleil: Turning Point; 8:30pm
9 Fr  Driftwood: Towne Crier; 8:30pm
9 Fr  Ellis: Old Songs; 7:30pm
9-11#  Winter Folk Music Weekend at Honor’s Haven, Ellenville; see flier in centerfold
10 Sa  Mary Fahl: Towne Crier; 8:30pm
10 Sa  CT Chenier and the Red Hot Louisiana Band: Emelin Theater
10 Sa  Lindsay Wilson & Kristen Graves: Walkabout CH
11 Su  Cole, Nakoa and Treacher: River Spirit Music House Concert: 5pm
11 Su  Griffin House: Caffè Lena; 7p
11 Su  Sam Gleeves & Tyler Hughes: Valley Folk; 2pm
14 We  Yes Darling - Ryan Montbleau & Hayley June: Caffè Lena; 7p
15 Fr  Gathering Time: The Folks; 8pm
16 Fr  45th Anniv. Celebration with Cherish the Ladies: Towne Crier
16 Fr  Loudon Wainwright III: Caffè Lena
16 Fr  Red Wine: Emelin Theater
17 Sa  The Flurry Festival’s Folk Oasis: Caffè Lena; 11am-5:30p
17 Sa  45th Anniv. Celebration with the Bacon Brothers Band; also Chris Smithere: Towne Crier
17 Sa  Jam Crackers: Cranberry Coffeehouse
18 Su  Jackson – Johnny Cash and June Carter tribute: Towne

NEW YORK STATE – MARCH
1 Th  Birds of Chicago: Caffè Lena; 7pm
2 Fr  Adirondack Angels – Album Release plus Mel Guarino and the Bluebillies: Caffè Lena; 8p
11 Su  Cole, Nakoa and Treacher: River Spirit Music House Concert: 5pm
11 Su  Rod MacDonald: Turning Point; 4pm
14 We  Yes Darling - Ryan Montbleau & Hayley June: Caffè Lena; 7p
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NEW JERSEY – FEBRUARY
2 Fr  Valentines Day
                      3 Sa  Lara Herscovitch and the Extravaganza: Minstrel

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**Levins:** Hurdy Gurdy  
16 Fr **Diane Perry** with Roia  
16 Fr **Rafiekian:** the Minstrel  
17 Sa **Tony Trischka:** Princeton  
    Folk Music Society  
17 Sa **Christine Ohlman** and **Big Mamou Band:** Outpost in the  
    Burbs  
23 Fr **Butch Ross** with Hiyra  
    Tsukamoto: the Minstrel  

**NEW JERSEY – MARCH**  
2 Fr **Magpie** with Rhonda Shuster:  
    the Minstrel  
3 Sa **Joe Jencks & Si Kahn:** Hurdy  
    Gurdy  

**CONNECTICUT – FEBRUARY**  
2 Fr **The Meadow Brothers:** Folk  
    Fridays Series; CT Folk  
3 Sa **Grass Routes:** Sounding Bd  
3 Sa **Vance Gilbert:** Vanilla Bean  
3 Sa **Don White:** Northwest Park  
    Concert Series  
4 Su **The Feinberg Brothers:** The  
    Half Door  

**The Society's Web Page:** [www.folkmusicny.org](http://www.folkmusicny.org)  
**facebook:** [www.bit.ly/FolkNY](http://www.bit.ly/FolkNY)  

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**Repeating Events Listings**  

Items listed in the events calendar are generally not included here. This is an  
abridged list! See the full list printed in the December issue (we told you to  
save it). For a complete and constantly updated list, go to: www.folkmusicny.org/  
repeating.html. All of these listings change -- you should always call and check.  
Additions and corrections are most welcome! Send to: Don Wade, 35-41 72 St,  
Jackson Heights, NY 11372; E-mail: Don(at)folkmusicny.org.  
[#=new or changed item. $= organization with newsletter]  

**NYC BLUEGRASS & OLD-TIME**  

Sundays:  
**Paddy Reilly's:** 519 2 Ave, Manhattan (29 St)  
    212-686-1210; bluegrass, etc. jam 5-  
    8pm; Sunday (see also Irish and general  
    multi-day listings); www.  
    paddyreillysbar.us/weekly-lineup/  
**Southern Hospitality,** 645 9th Ave at 45th St,  
    Manhattan; Bluegrass Brunch from  
    12:15 to 3:45 with Fresh Baked  
    Bluegrass.  
**Superfine,** 125 Front St. Brooklyn, 718-243- 
    9005; Bluegrass Brunch 11AM-3PM  

Mondays:  
**Lowlands Old-Time Jam,** Lowlands Bar 543  
    3rd Ave (at 14 St), Bklyn 11215;  
    8:30pm-1am; www.lowlandsbar.com;  
    www.facebook. com/groups/  
    20947358503954/  
**Paddy Reilly's:** 519 2 Ave, Manhattan (29 St)  
    212-686-1210; 2nd & 4th Mon: Slow  
    Bluegrass Jam; 1st, 3rd and occasional 5th  
    Mon: Bluegrass & Beyond Jam, 7:30-  
    11pm  
    www.bluegrassandbeyondny.com or  
    www.facebook.com/pages/Bluegrass-  
    Beyond-NY/142022495825058  
**Rockwood Music Hall,** 169 Allen St, NYC,  
    212-477-4155; **First Monday**  
    Bluegrass Jam hosted by Michael Daves; 9:30pm,  
    stage III; http://www.facebook.com/  
    FirstMondayBluegrassJam/  

Tuesdays:  
**Manhattan old-time jam,** Globle Bar, 158  
    East 23rd St., (between 3rd Ave. &  
    Lexington); 8pm until 11 or so. every
NYC Bluegrass & Old Time Repeating Events, continued from previous page

other Tuesday.

**Wednesdays:**
*Randolph Beer* (343 Broome St (Bowery & Elizabeth, 212-334-3706); Sheriff's Bluegrass Jam, 9:30 pm-1:30 am; www.sheriffunclebob.com/news.asp)

*Jalopy*, 315 Columbia St., Brooklyn; “Roots ‘n Ruckus” old-time and blues night 718-395-3214; www.jalopy.biz

**Thursdays:**
*Freddys*, 627 5th Ave (18 St), Brooklyn, 718-768-0131; Cash Hank Hootenanny Jamboree with Alex Battles first Thurs; www.facebook.com/pages/The-CashHank-Hootenanny-Jamboree/72741338520; www.freddysbar.com

**Friday/Saturday:**
*NYC Barn Dance*, with David Harvey and Harry Bollick and friends: occasional dances at various locations; 603-496-9567

**Saturdays:**
*Jalopy*, 315 Columbia St., Brooklyn; Old Time Open Jam with Harry Bolick; first Saturday of each month; 3-6pm; free; 718-395-3214; www.jalopy.biz

*Randolph Beer*, 343 Broome St, between the Bowery and Elizabeth St., Manhattan; 212-334-3706; Bluegrass Brunch from 1:30 to 5:30pm with Fresh Baked Bluegrass.

*Southern Hospitality*, 645 9th Ave at 45th St, Manhattan; Bluegrass Brunch from 12:15 to 3:45 with The Hunts.

*Sunny’s*, 253 Conover St (between Reed & Beard St) in Red Hook, Brooklyn, 9 PM in the back: band performance followed by Bluegrass and Misc, jam at 10 PM, ’til Late. 718-625-8211; www.sunnyssredhook.com

**NYC General Repeating Music:**

**multi-day:**
*An Beal Bocht Cafe*, 445 W. 238th St, Riverdale (Bronx) bet. Greystone & Waldo Ave; 718-884-7127; Music most days; *Sun* 4-7pm John Redmond & Friends; *Sun* 8pm singer-songwriter session; *Tue* open mic; *Fri*, Mary Courtney’s Ballad Night 6-8pm; www.anbealbochtcafe.com

*BB King’s Blues Club*, 237 W. 42nd St, 1-212-997-4144; www.bbkingblues.com various live music all week [Flyer 8-04]

*Paddy Reilly’s*, 519 2 Ave, Manhattan (29 St) 212-686-1210; *nightly* music 9:30pm; *Sun*, Bluegrass, *Mon*, Slow and fast Bluegrass Jams; *Wed*, open mic, 7pm; *Sat* Songwriters open mic, 6pm; (see also Irish multi-day listings); http://www.paddyreillysmusicbar.us/weekly-lineup

*Sidewalk Cafe*, 94 Ave A (6 St.); 212-473-7373; performers nightly; open mic; *Mon’s* 7p; www.sidewalkny.com

*Underground Lounge*, 955 West End Ave (West End and 107 St); Mon Open Mic, 8 -11: Tuesday Acoustic

**Mondays:**
*Caffe Vivaldi*, 32 Jones Street (Off Bleeker St, near Seventh Ave), Greenwich Village, Manhattan; 212-691-7538; various music every night; Mon open mic night; one Fri Greenwich Village Showcase hosted by Jeremy Aaron; www.caffevivaldi.com

*Iona Bar*, 180 Grand Street, Williamsburg, Bklyn, (G train Grand St stop); http://ionabrooklyn.com; Scottish Session Mondays; 8:30pm; https://www.facebook.com/pages/Iona-Scottish-Session/348968145220186

*Jewish People’s Philharmonic Chorus*, 6-7:30PM, Dorot, Inc, 171 W. 85th St; info: Nan Bases, 212-807-1568

*Magic Night Out*, The Magician, 118 Rivington St, NY 10002; 8:30-10:30pm (sign up from 5pm at bar); magicmikeout (at)gmail.com; 212-673-7881, Music, comedy, poetry, spoken word

**Tuesdays:**
*An Beal Bocht Cafe*, 445 W. 238th St, Riverdale (Bronx) bet. Greystone & Waldo Ave; 718-884-7127; 9pm Open mic; www.anbealbochtcafe.com

*Charles Street Synagogue*, 53 Charles St (at W. 4 St, 2 bl. N. of Sheridan Sq) American roots music some Tuesdays w/ *Andy Statman & Friends*; 8pm; $15 212-242-6425; info(at)andystatman.org

*Church of the Village*, 201 W. 13th St at 7th Ave; English dancing to live music 7-10 pm, Sept. through June; www.cdny.org or 212-459-4080

*Jalopy*, 315 Columbia St., Brooklyn; 718-395-3214; www.jalopy.biz; some Tuesdays, Open Mic Night, 9pm;

**Wednesdays:**
*NYPFMC Folk Open Sing, 1st Wed*; 7- see page 2


*Life Cafe Nine Eight Three*, 983 Flushing Ave. East Williamsburg, Brooklyn; www.lifecafenyc.com; Open Mic Weds, 10pm; 718-386-1133

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Shape Note Sing, 7-9:30pm; September-June. St. John's Lutheran Church, 81 Christopher St. (bet. Bleecker & W. 4th Sts., near 7th Ave. S.), Greenwich Village, Manhattan; http://nycsacredharp.org

Sunny’s, 253 Conover St (between Reed & Beard St) in Red Hook, Brooklyn, 9 or 10 PM in the front or the back: rock, country, honky tonk, misc. bands. 718-625-8211; www.sunnsredhook.com

Sunnyside Singers Club, Aubergine Cafe, see page 2

Thursdays:
New York Caledonian Club §: Pipes & Drums of the NY Scottish, rehearsals every Thurs, Chanters at 6; pipes at 7, info 212-724-4978; (PO Box 4542, NYC 10163-4542; 212-662-1083)
Charles Street Synagogue, 53 Charles St (at W. 4 St, 2 bl. N. of Sheridan Sq); music of the Jewish Mystics many Thursdays w/ Andy Statman & Friends; 8pm; 212-242-6425; S15; www.andystatman.org

Christopher Street Coffeehouse, St. John’s Lutheran Church, 81 Christopher St, Manhattan. 6:30pm sign-up, 7pm song circle with featured performer. 4th Thursday each month. http://stjohnsurrectiononline.org/

Sunny’s, 253 Conover St (between Reed & Beard St) in Red Hook, Brooklyn, 9 or 10 PM in the front or the back: rock, country, honky tonk, misc. bands. 718-625-8211; www.sunnsredhook.com

Fridays:
American Folk Art Museum, 2 Lincoln Square, Manhattan 10023; 212-265-1040; Free Music Fridays with various performers, 5:30-7:30pm; www.folkartmuseum.org/

Camp Friendship, 339 8th Street, Brooklyn 11215; Brooklyn Contra Dances 1st and 3rd Fridays (1st and 3rd Saturdays in summer) www.brooklyncontra.org

New York Caledonian Club §: Ceilidh, First Fri, call for info (PO Box 4542, NYC 10163; 212-662-1083); 212-724-4978

Sunny’s, 253 Conover St (between Reed & Beard St) in Red Hook, Brooklyn, 9 or 10 PM in the front or the back: rock, country, honky tonk, misc. bands. 718-625-8211; www.sunnsredhook.com

Fri & Sat - school year only (closed May-Sept. & Dec.-Jan.), 8:30pm; open stage usually 1st Sat (8pm sign-up); free

Saturdays:
Camp Friendship, 339 8th Street, Brooklyn 11215; Brooklyn Contra Dances 1st and 3rd Saturdays in summer only (1st and 3rd Fridays, other seasons) www.brooklyncontra.org

Church of the Village, 201 W. 13th St at 7th Ave; American (mostly contra) dancing most Saturdays, 8:00-11:00 pm (beginners at 7:30). Sept. through June; www.ccdn.org or 212-459-4080

Paddy Reilly’s. 519 2 Ave, Manhattan (29 St) 212-686-1210; open mic

Shape Note Sing, 7-9:30pm; Saturday before first Sunday: [Nov. 4: meet at the Church of the Ascension, Fifth Avenue at Tenth Street] otherwise at Jimmy’s No. 43, 43 E. 7th St (bet 2nd & 3rd Ave), Manhattan

Sundays:
Bitter End, 147 Bleecker Street (between Thompson and LaGuardia) Greenwich Village; 212-673-7030; www.bitterend.com; www.thebitterendjamnyc.com; Open mic every 2nd and 4th Sun at 7pm

Shanty Sing at Snug Harbor: see page 2 or 3; Info: email at RConroy421(at)aol.com or 347-267-9394

Shape Note Sing: Joe Beasley Sacred Harp Singing: 2nd Sun. at St.Paul’s Church, 199 Carroll St (cr. Clinton), Brooklyn; 718-793-2848; 2pm including Pot-Luck snack break. Info: BPub(at)Prodigy.net; www.nycsacredharp.org

Shape Note Sing; Church of the Epiphany, 1393 York Ave (corner of E. 74 St) enter on 74 St; singing in the chapel just to the right of the main sanctuary; www.nycsacredharp.org; 3rd Sundays September through May, 2-5 pm.; 212-750-8977

Terra Firma, 119 Ingraham St, Bushwick, Brooklyn, all-traditional folk session from all traditions (piano available), First Sunday, 5-8pm; info 917-214-7623

NYC Irish Music: Open Sessions (free) & repeating music --see also: www.murphguide.com /tradsession.htm

Multi-day:
An Beal Bocht Cafe, 445 W. 238th St, Riverdale (Bronx) bet. Greystone & Waldo Ave; 718-884-7127; Music most days; Sun 2-4pm Irish Session; Sun 4pm singer-songwriter session; Tue open mic; Fri, .Mary Courtneys Ballard Night 6-8pm; www.anbealbochtcafe.com

Paddy Reilly’s. 519 2 Ave, Manhattan (29 St)
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212-686-1210; **nightly** music 9:30pm;
**Thurs** Session w/ Niall O'Leary 10:30pm; http://www.paddyreillysmusiebar.us/weekly-lineup/

*The Catalpa*, 119 E. 233rd St, Woodlawn, Bronx; 718-324-1781 **Sun** session; **Wed**, Eamonn O’Reilly & Matt Mancuso

**Sundays:**
*Cafe Martin*, 5th Ave. bet 4 & 5 Streets in Brooklyn; once a month session 4-8pm; info: Chris Carpenter, Mandochamp2003(at)yahoo.com

*Eleventh Street Bar*, 510 E. 11th St (between Ave’s A & B); session with Tony Demarco. 9:30 pm – 12:30am; http://tonydemarcomusic.net/td.gigs.html

*Flagship Brewery*. 40 Minthorne St, Staten Island, New York 10301. 1st Sunday, Staten Island Seisiun, 2-5pm; www.facebook.com/events/212466132438930/

*Mustang Harry’s*, 352 7 Ave. (between 29 & 30 St.); presented by Ull Mor CCE; session 5-8pm; info Maureen Donachie, at ceolagusrice(at)gmail.com [11-07]

*Jack O’Neill’s*, 130 Franklin St, Brooklyn, 718-389-3888, info(at)jackoneills.com; www.jackoneills.com; Session, 8-11pm; info, Tony Horswill at tony(at)catandfiddlesessions.com

*New York Irish Center Hall*, 10-40 Jackson Ave Long Island City, Queens, Maureen: 718-440-2616 or ullmor(at)comhaltas.net www.newyorkirishcenter.org; Ceili third Sunday, 8-mdnte

*Doc Watson’s*, 1490 2 Ave (77 St), 212-988-5300; 8:30-12:30am session w/ Aonach

*Yeats Tavern*, 42-24 Bell Blvd, Bayside, Queens; 6pm session; 718-225-0652

**Mondays:**
*Theatre 80*, 80 St. Marks Place (at 1st Ave), New York 10003; 212-388-0388 . 8 pm sean nos dance & footwork; 9pm Seisiun with Deirdre Corrigan, & Bernadette Fee; www.theatre80.net.

*Landmark Tavern*, 626 11th Ave at 46 St, 8-11pm session with Don Meade and often featured guest, free; food and drink available; 212-247-2562; www.thelandmarktavern.com; Info: www.blarneystar.com/

*Paddy Reilly's Pub*, 2nd Ave at 29th St. Traditional singers circle; First Monday 6:30pm Info Louise Kitt, LWalsh9709(at)jaol.com

**Tuesdays:**
*Jack Dempsey's Pub*, 61 2nd Ave (bet 3 & 4 St); session: 8pm; 212-388-0662; www.DempseysPub.com [12/06]

*Swift Hibernian Lounge*, 34 E. 4th St (bet Bowery & Lafayette), 212-260-3600;

9:30pm session w/ Tony DiMarco; www.SwiftBarNYC.com

*O'Reilly's*, 56 W.31 St bet 6th & B'way, 9pm session; 212-684-4244

**Wednesdays:**
*Fiddleticks Pub*, 54-58 Greenwhich Ave (bet 6 & 7 Av), 212-463-0516; perf by Morning Star

*The Scratcher*, 209 E. 5th St (bet 2 Ave & Bowery), 212-477-0030; session 11pm w/ Fiona Dougherty & Eamon O'Leary

*Trinity Pub*, 229 E. 84 St bet 1 & 2 Av, 212-327-4450, 9-11pm session run by Caitlin Warbelow

**Thursdays:**
*Paddy Reilly's*, 519 Second Ave. (29th St); Tony DeMarco, 10pm-1am; 212-686-1210

*Maguires*, 54-20 Roosevelt Ave, Woodside, Queens, 718-429-9426; Session with the F#Miners 9:30pm; www.maguirespublichouse.com/

**Saturdays:**
*St. Andrew’s*, 120 W. 44th St.(6 & 7 Av.); live Celtic music 9pm - 1am; 212-840-8413; www.StAndrewsNYC.com [12/06]

The Harp, 729 3rd Ave (bet. 45 & 46 St); 9pm-1am session; 212-818-0123

**Long Island Repeating Events**

**Multi-day:**
*Brokerage Club*, 2797 Merrick Rd (off Wantagh Pkwy, exit 6N W), Bellmore; some folk/Acoustic/Blues; 8 or 8:30pm; 21 & over; 516-785-8655 or -9349

*Samantha’s Lill Bit of Heaven Coffee House*, 287 Larkfield Rd, East Northport; 631-262-1212; http://samanthaslilbitofheaven. org; Christian coffee house Fri & Sat; Open Mike one Thurs

**Monthly:**

*Bethpage United Methodist Church*, 192 Broadway, Bethpage LI NY Open Mike 9p **First Fri** Acoustic Showcase, (516) 931-4345 Adm $5 Food & soft drinks avail www.bethpageumc.org

*Eclectic Café*, Unitarian Universalist Society of South Suffolk, 28 Brentwood Rd, Bay Shore; second Saturday, September through May, 7:30pm open mic, 8:30pm performer; info: 631-661-1278

*Five Towns College*, Burr’s Lane, Dix Hills, LI NY room 217; Island Songwriters Showcase www.islandsongwriters.org 631-462-3300; **1st Mon** Members Workshop Meeting 7:30-11:30p

*Hard Luck Cafe*: **third Thursday** –see

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**Huntington Folk Music Society** § (PO Box 290, Huntington Station 11746; http://fmshny.org) – see listing in the Calendar Locations listings

**Irish American Hall, 297 Willis Ave, Mineola; 516-746-9392 (9:30am-1pm), 1 block North of Jericho Tpke (route 25). Irish-American Society Ceilidh once a month. [radio + 6/00 Irish Arts]**

**LITMA § (LI Traditional Music Assn., c/o Liz Levitt, 133 Clinton Ave, Mastic NY 11950). Smithtown events at Smithtown Historical Society's Brush Barn, 211 Main St (Rte 25 east of Rte 111), Smithtown: **Contra dance 2nd Fridays, 8pm (631-369-7854); English Country Dances 3rd Sunday 2pm (631-757-3627); Orchestra rehearsals (516-433-4192). **Other Locations: **Contradance 1st Saturday, 8pm Oct.-June Watermill Community Center (631-725-9321). **Shape Note Sing 3rd Sunday, 1pm, Bethany Presbyterian Church, 425 Maplewood Rd., Huntington Station. **House Song Circle 2nd Saturday** at various locations (631-281-5648). www.LITMA.org

**Northport Library, 151 Laurel Avenue, Northport: 2nd Wed Northport Arts Coalition www.northportarts.org, 631-261-6930 in community room free! Also occasional Friday “Doing Music”**

**Peacesmiths House Cfehs: 1st United Methodist Ch, 25 B'way/Rt.110, Amityville; music/poetry first Fri (Oct-June); 516-798-0778

**Mondays:**

**Kenn's open mic; The Village Lantern, 143 N Wellwood Ave, Lindenhurst; http://thevillagelanterme.com; 631-225-1690

**Tuesdays:**

**Chowder House, 19 Bellport Rd, Bellport; 516-286-2343. Mostly acoustic, w/ singalongs & open mike**

**Field of Dreams, Old Country Road, Bethpage; 516-937-7603. Blues Jam**

**Wednesdays:**

**Deepwells Mansion, 497 Route 25a, Saint James; Acoustic Long Island: open mic 8-9pm; featured acoustic singer-songwriter 9-10pm; free; www.acousticlongisland.com**

**Dunhills, Mineola, 516-248-1281: Buddy Merriam & Back Roads (Bluegrass) every other Wednesday ??

**Sundays:**

**Acoustic Afternoons, Mills Pond House, 660 Route 25A, St James, N.Y. 11780; acoustic open mic one Sunday a month;**

www.stacarts.org

**Brush Barn, Smithtown; 1st Sunday; 2-7pm jam sessions sponsored by Bluegrass Club of L.I.;**

www.longislandbluegrass.org

**Upstate NY Repeating Events**

(Also see **www.oldsongs.org**)

**Multi-day:**

**The Art Gallery, 14 Route 212, Mt. Tremper; Music & Poetry presented by Woodstock Acoustic Music and Poetry Society. Open mike nights Fri and Sat. Singer/songwriter Brother Hood host/featured artist at all shows. Adm free. 845-679-4362 (??)**

**Caffe Lena; 45 Phila St, Saratoga Springs 518-583-0022; open nightly; Thurs open mic; www.caffelenana.com [PSG-12/00]**

**Eighth Step Coffeehouse; concerts various days at several locations; www.eighthstep.org: 518-434-1703**

**Old Songs, Inc, PO Box 466, Voorheesville 12186; 518-765-2815; Festival the last full weekend of June, average of 2 concerts a month during the concert series (late Sept-early Dec, Late Jan-May); dances: family/community dance on the 1st Saturday, zydeco/Cajun dance on the last Saturday of the month Drum circle 3rd Monday of the Month; Wednesdays: 1st - Open Mic, 2nd - Contra Dance Tunes, 3rd - Traditional Irish Slow Session, 4th - Aussie Bush Band Jam; www.oldsongs.org**

**St. Johns Folk; St. John’s Hall , 8 Sunnyside (& Bedford) Pleasantville; Folk Circle 2nd Fri and open mic 2nd Sat.; www.songster.org/**

**Watercolor Café, 2094 Boston Post Road, Larchmont; 914-834-2213; www.watercolorcafe.net; varied shows Wed, Thur, Fri, 8pm**

**Monthly:**

**Pickin' & Singin' Gather'n, Inc §, 2137 Pangburn Rd, Duanesburg, NY 12056 <www.pickingsanding.org >; Sing-around meetings on 2nd Sun, Sept.-May, at Old Songs Community arts Center, 37 South Main St, Voorheesville ; also Gottagetgon (Memorial Day) and Last Gasp (Labor Day) weekends; 518-961-6708**

**Borderline Folk Music Club, house concerts Sunday 2pm at New City Volunteer Ambulance Corps, 200 Congers Road, New City (Rockland County); 845-354-4586; solzl(at)optonline.net; http://www.borderlinefolkmusicclub.org/**

**Burnt Hills Coffeehouse, Burnt Hills United Methodist Church Route 50, Burnt -13- continued on next page
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Hills.; Sat; 518-882-6427
Casalaja Coffee House; 291 Main St. Cornwall (845) 534-6874; Open Mic 8pm,. First Saturday, Signup 7:00 to 7:45; $3.00 cover. Host;
Colonial Inn, 701 N. Franklin St., Watkins Glen; Pub Sings (unaccompanied singing with rousing choruses) 7-10pm on the third Friday of each month; Valley Folk Music; www.valleyfolk.org
Cranberry Coffeehouse, 183 Riverside Drive, Binghamton, New York 13905; third Saturday, see listing in the Calendar Locations listings
Hudson Valley Bluegrass Association $, <hvba@hvbluegrass.org>; www.hvbluegrass.org; 845-462-8871, 1st and 3rd Wed bluegrass jam at Dubliner Irish Pub, 796 Main Street, Poughkeepsie 12603; other concerts & programs at Christ Church, 20 Carroll Street, Poughkeepsie 12601
Hilltop Hanover Farm, 1271 Hanover Street, Yorktown Heights 10598; Old-Time Jam Session and Potluck in Bldg. A, First Friday, 6:30-10pm; $5 donation and bring a healthy dish to share; map, http://tinyurl.com/dbhvyzg.
Hudson Valley Folk Guild, § concerts and open stage coffeehouses (except July and August), P.O. Box F, Poughkeepsie 12602; www.hudsonvalleyfolkguild.org 845-229-0170
--- Kingston: Open Mic Coffeehouse First Saturday, 7:30pm, Unitarian Fellowship Hall, Sawkill Rd, Kingston; 845-340-9462
--- Poughkeepsie Open Mic Coffeehouse: Third Saturday, 7:30pm, Unitarian Fellowship Hall, 67 S. Randolph Ave, Poughkeepsie; 845-849-1775
--- Friends of Fiddler's Green: concerts at Hyde Park United Methodist Church, Rte. 9 and Church St.; 845-483-0650
St Lukes Church, RT 100 and 202, Somers, N.Y.; Bluegrass jam first Friday at 8pm; Mike Burns, 845-276-2239 <mcceuerns(at)aol.com> [www-2-01]
Lorien Coffeehouse; Grafton Inn, Grafton, NY (12 mi. E. of Troy); 518-658-3422
North Salem Folk Circle; St. James Parish Hall, rt 116 & June Rd; host 1st Fri, 8 pm; 845-279-2504, or 845-373-7831

The above are abridged listings. For the rest of NY, NJ, CT events see online:
www.folkmusiceny.org/repeating.html (Also see www.oldsongs.org)

Folk Calendar Listings Info

This list gives more detailed information for locations listed in the chronological Events Listings. It does not generally include information about locations in the Repeating Events listings. Corrections to this list are most welcome! Send location info to: Don Wade, 35-41 72nd St, Jackson Hts, NY 11372; 718-426-8555, DonWade(at)donwade.us
# = new information or listing
§ = Folk Society with a newsletter which lists area events.

AROUND TOWN (The 5 boroughs of NYC)
Blarney Star --see Glucksman Ireland House First Acoustics; First Unitarian Society in Brooklyn: Monroe/Pierrepont Sts., 8pm, www.firstacoustics.org
Folk Open Sing: Ethical Culture Society (Brooklyn), 53 Prospect Park West, B'klyn 11215 (at 2nd St) – see p. 2
Glucksman Ireland House at New York University, 1 Washington Mews (enter on 5th Ave off Washington Square); 8pm 212-998-3950, www.blarney.org.com
Good Coffeehouse at the Old Stone House, 336 Third Street, bet. 4th/5th Avenues, Brooklyn, NY. 718-768-3195; 4:30-6:30pm; www.facebook.com/pages/The-Good-Coffeehouse-at-The-Old-Stone-House/15591161133314
HI-NY, Hostels International- NY, 103rd St. & Amsterdam Ave; 5-8pm see page 2-3.
Historic Richmondtown: Staten Island Historical Society, 441 Clarke Ave, Staten Island; 6 & 8 pm; $15; ($12 SIHS members); Free parking, 15-minute drive from all bridges to Staten Island. Take bus S 74 from the Staten Island Ferry.; Beer, wine and hot apple cider are available. Info: www.historicrichmondtown.org or call 718 351-1611 x241 for information or to make reservations. (Dinner available next door at M. Bennett Refreshments, 718-983-6715)
Irish Arts Center/An Claidheamh Soluis, 553 W. 51 St, Manhattan; 212-757-3318;

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www.irishartscenter.org.
Jalopy, 315 Columbia St., Brooklyn; 718-395-3214; www.jalopy.biz/
Joe’s Pub at The Joseph Papp Public Theater, 425 Lafayette St bet. E. 4th and Astor Place;
212-967-7555; www.joeспub.com
John Street Church, 44 John St. (east of Broadway and one block parallel to and south of Fulton).
Sea Music Concerts Info: 212-957-8386 Donation, $5 (child, $2), pay at the door.
Landmark Tavern, 626 11th Avenue (on 46th St); co-sponsored with and led by Don Meade;
for info 212-247-2562 or http://www.thelandmarktavern.org/events.php
NY Caledonian Club §: Ceilidh, First Fri, 7PM-on, cal for location information; Scottish
country Dance, 7PM at 5th Ave Psby Ch, 5 Ave at 55 St, Manhattan, $6; New York
Caledonian Club, PO Box 4542C 10163-4542; 212-662-1083 [8/94]
NY Irish Center, 10-40 Jackson Ave, LIC (Queens); 718-482-0909: Ceili Dancing, 3rd Sat,
Tin Whistle Classes, Wed 5-8pm; www.newyorkirishcenter.org/
OSA (Organization of Staff Analysts), 220 E. 23rd Street New York, suite 707 (between 2nd
and 3rd Ave).--for NYFMC concerts, see page 2-3.
Peoples’ Voice Cafe; Sat 8PM at Community Church of NY, 40 E 35 St (between Park &
Robert Browning Associates, concerts at various locations;
www.robertbrowningassociates.com
Scratcher Bar, 209 E. 5th St., Manhattan 10003 (bet. 2nd & 3rd Ave's) see page 3
Shanty Sing: The William Main Doerflinger Memorial Sea Shanty Sessions at the Noble
Maritime Collection, 2 to 5 PM, see pages 2-3. For further info, RConroy421[at]aol.com
or 347-267-9394
Sunnyside Singers Club; Aubergine Café, 49-22 Skillman Ave., Woodside;
www.auberginecafe.com; sings Wednesdays sometimes with featured performer.
Symphony Space; 95 St & Bway, Manhattan; 212-884-5400; various groups.
www.symphonyspace.org
Tavern Concerts; see Richmond town Restoration
Town Hall, 123 W. 43 St, Manhattan, 212-840-2824; Ticketmaster 212-307-7171; used by
various groups
WMI-World Music Institute Concerts: (8:00 PM unless indicated) various locations: info:
www.worldmusicinstitute.org; 212-545-7536

LONG ISLAND
FMSH= Huntington Folk Music Society § (PO Box 290, Huntington Station 11746) 1st
Saturday Concerts at the Congregational Church of Huntington, 30 Washington Drive,
Centerport (north side of Route 25A at Huntington border); also Hard Luck Café
concerts on the 3rd Thursday at the Sky Room of the Cinema Arts Center, 423 Park Ave.,
Huntington; also monthly (usually the 2nd Sunday) Folk Jams at the Huntington Library
from 1 to 5pm. Info: liconcertnotes[at]optonline.net; http://fmsh.org
Garden Stage Concerts, Open Mic Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Central Nassau
(www.uuccn.org) 223 Stewart Ave at NW Corner Nassau Blvd, Garden City 516-248-8855 www.gardenstage.com
Hard Luck Cafe: 3rd Thursday at the Sky Room of the Cinema Arts Center, 423 Park Ave.,
Huntington; run by Huntington FMS—see FMSH.
Landmark Community Center, 232 Main St, Port Washington; 516-767-6444; 8pm
performances in their Jeanne Rimsky Theater; www.LandmarkonMainStreet.org,
Our Times Coffeehouse, Ethical Humanist Society, 38 Old Country Rd, Garden City (2 mi
west of Meadowbrook Pkwy, beside water tower); monthly except July & Aug., 8pm;
$10 ($8 child/student); 516-541-1006; www.ourtimescoffeehouse.org/.

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also look at: The Hudson Valley Calendar: www.hvmsc.org/listing/calentry_list.php
American Center for Folk Music: Long Dock Road, Beacon; www.centerforfolkmusic.org;
Borderline Folk Music Club; concerts 1 to 4 pm, one Sunday a month at Nanuet Public
Library, 149 Church St, Nanuet, NY (Rockland County); and various locations;
www.borderlinefolkmusicclub.org; $20 FMSNY at members rates
Caffè Lena, 47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs; 518-583-0022; www.caffe lena.org
Hastings-on-Hudson; 914 478-2710. one Saturday a month. http://
commongroundfusws.com
Cranberry Coffeehouse, 183 Riverside Drive, Binghamton, New York 13905; third Saturday,
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7:30pm; featured performers plus open mic; www.cranberrycoffeehouse.org; phone: Chris, 607-754-9437

Eighth Step Coffeehouse; 8th Step at Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady; 518-434-1703;
Emelin Theater; Library La, Mamaroneck, 10543; 8:30pm; 914-698-0098; www.emelin.org

Fiddle & Dance News is a bi-monthly dance & music calendar for the Mid-Hudson region;
$6 to $987 Rte. 28A, West Hurley 12491; 845-338-2996.

Folk Times is a bi-monthly listing of events in the Albany area: $10 to Addie & Olin Boyle,
969 Co.Rt.10, Corinth 12822; 518-696-2221; www.folktimes.com

Folkus; concerts at May Memorial Unitarian Universalist Society, 3800 East Genesee St,
Syracuse, N.Y.; http://www.folkus.org/; Box 197, DeWitt, NY 13214

Honor’s Haven, Ellenville, NY – see flier in centerfold.

Old Songs, Inc, PO Box 466, 37 South Main St, Voorheesville 12186; 518-765-2815;
www.oldsongs.org

River Spirit Music house concerts, 5pm in Hastings-on Hudson; (potluck at 4pm) http://
www.riverspiritmusic.com/houseconcerts (347) MUSIC-76

Rosedale Cafe, 434 Main St, Rosendale 12472; 845-658-9048; 9pm cover & min;
www.rosendalecafe.com

Towne Crier Cafe, 379 Main St, Beacon, 845-855-1300; www. townecrier.com; concerts
many nights; open mic Tue & Wednesday; reservations suggested

Troy Music Hall, 30 Second St, Troy; 8pm

Turning Point, 468 Piermont Ave., Piermont, Rockland County (off rte 9W south of Nyack);
(845) 359-1089; food avail; www.piermont-ny.com/turning

Valley Folk Music; First United Methodost Church, 144 Cedar St., Corning; 7:30pm;
www.valleyfolk.org

Walkabout Clearwater Coffeehouse; 6:30PM, Memorial United Methodist Church, 250
Bryant Ave, White Plains; (914) 242-0374; www.walkaboutclearwater.org second Sat
Oct-May

NEW JERSEY

Hurdy Gurdy Folk Music Ch'se: Fairlawn Community Center, 10-10 Kipp St, Fairlawn; info:
201-384-1325, adv. tickets 201-791-2225; 1st Sat, 8pm, through May. (run by Hurdy
Gurdy Folk Music Club §); <info[at]hurdygurdyfolk.org>; www.hurdygurdyfolk.org.)

Minstrel Coffeehouse; Fri, 7:45pm, $7 (2nd Fri, open stage); Morristown Unitarian
Fellowship, 21 Normandy Heights Rd, Morristown, NJ. (Run by Folk Project §, POB 41,
Mendham 07945; 973-335-9489; www.folkproject.org; Sat concert info: 973-335-9489

Outpost in the "Burbs" Coffeehouse The Unitarian Church of Montclair or the Montclair
High School Auditorium; twice monthly; 8:30pm; 973-744-6560;
www.outpostintheburbs.org [1/08]

Princeton Folk Music Soc. §; usually cncts 3rd Fri. Sept. through May at Christ
Congregation Church, 55 Walnut Lane (across from Princeton HS), Princeton; $20 ($15
NYFMC members); info: Justin Kodner, 609-799-0944; <info(at)princetonfolk.org>
www.princetonfolk.org.

CONNECTICUT

Branford Folk Music Society, First Cong. Ch, 1009 Main St, Branford, 8pm; 203-488-7715,
<b Branfordfolk(at)yahoo.com >, http://folknotes.org/branfordfolk/
Folk Fridays Series; CT Folk[at]First Presbyterian Church, 704 Whitney Ave., New Haven;
www.ctfolk.com

Friday Night Folk Ch'se, All Souls Universalist Unitarian Congregation, 19 Jay St., New
London; 860-443-0316; www.fridaynightfolk.org

Half Door, 270 Sisson Av., Hartford; 5-8pm; 860-232-7827; info 203-650-3492
Meeting House Presents Concert Series; Unitarian Society of Hartford;
www.ushartford.com; 8pm

Northwest Park Concert Series, Northwest Park Nature Center,145 Lang Road, Windsor, CT,
860-285-1886; 7:30pm; http://www.northwestpark.org

Sounding Board C.H., Universalist Church of West Hartford, 433 Fern St., West Hartford
CT; Sat's, 8pm, $10, (closed July & August) info: Brent Hall, 460 Wallingford Rd,

Vanilla Bean Cafe, corner of 44, 169 & 97, Pomfret; 8pm Sat eve's plus first Fri open mike,
860-928-1562; www.thevanillabeancafe.com; $5-15 [1-09/00]

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Folk Music Society of NY Information

The Folk Music Society of New York, Inc./NY Pinewoods Folk Music Club was started in 1965 and is a 501(c)(3) non-profit, educational corporation; an affiliate of the Country Dance & Song Society of America and a member of the Folk Alliance. A copy of our annual report is available from our office at 444 W. 54 St, #7, NYC, NY 10019 or from the Office of Charities Registration, N.Y. Dept. of State, 162 Washington Av, Albany, NY 12232.

We have approximately 400 members and run concerts, week-ends, classes, and get-togethers, all with an emphasis on traditional music. The Society is run entirely by volunteers with a Board of Directors elected by the membership. The working officers below (members of and elected by the board) welcome your help and suggestions.

Memberships are listed on the back page; regular memberships help support the society and include one subscription to the newsletter (11 issues yearly) and reduced admissions. Won’t you join us?

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