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SEA MUSIC CONCERTS; Sundays, March 2nd and April 6th; 3 pm

First Sunday of the Month: members of The New York Packet (Frank Woerner, Bonnie Milner, Deirdre Murtha, Joy Bennett, Alison Kelley, Frank Hendricks, David Jones, Jan Christensen, Dan Milner & Bob Conroy) join featured guests. Co-sponsored with the South Street Seaport Museum. At the Museum’s Melville Gallery, 209 Water Street, between Fulton & Beekman. Call 212-691-7610 for directions. Donation is $5 (children, $2), pay at the door.

Sunday, March 2 - Susan McKeown group. From Dublin, Susan plays fiddle and guitar and has one of the very finest voices in Irish music. A unique repertoire of maritime and immigration songs.

Sunday, April 6 - David Jones

FOLK OPEN SING; Wednesdays, March 5th and April 2nd; 7-10 pm

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.). Directions: F train to 7th Ave.; Q train to 7th Ave.; 2/3 train to Grand Army Plaza. Hosted by Ethical Culture/Good Coffeehouse, Pinewoods Folk Music Club, Alison Kelley, and Frank Woerner. Info: Alison Kelley, 718-636-6341

CHANTEY SING; Saturday, March 8th; 8 PM

Come to the Chantey Sing at South St Seaport. Bring instruments, voices and songs. Co-sponsored and hosted by the Seamen’s Church Institute at 241 Water St NYC. Directions: A & C trains Broadway/Nassau St., and J, M, Z, 2, 3, 4, 5, Fulton St. Walk down Fulton St and make a left on Water St. A small donation requested. Info: 718-788-7563 or www.woodenshipsmusic.com/nychanty/nychanty.html.

...NA FOLK BAND, Friday, March 14th, 8 PM

The ...NA folk band has a simple, yet grandiose plan: To convert every New Yorker to a Hungarian folk music fanatic. The plan is unfolding quite successfully, and it's plain to see why. The group combines great musicianship with a love of the various styles of European Village Music. This music, which includes Transylvanian, Hungarian, Romanian, Hungarian Jewish, and klezmer music, is remarkable for its rhythmic power and melodic ornamentation. The band consists of seasoned performers: Jake Shulman-Ment, lead violin; Kata Harsacki, vocals; Raul Rohblatt, bass; Aron Szekely, kontra (Hungarian souped-up viola) & dance; Madeline Solomon: flute, and Pete Rushevsky, cimbalom (Carpathian Jewish hammered dulcimer).


CAJUN MUSIC WORKSHOP; Saturday, March 15; 2 pm

Laissez Les Bon Temps Rouler! Participants will learn about the major elements of playing Cajun music in a group: rhythm, meter (including the characteristic "crooked" phrases), song/tune structure, style, keys and chords. Basic instruction for specific instrumental technique (fiddles, guitar, accordion, bass, triangle, etc) will be included, as will vocal material and vocal style. While the traditional instruments of Cajun music are preferred for participation (fiddle, diatonic accordion, guitar, bass, triangle),

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players of other instruments will be welcome. Participants will leave with a song/tune or two, and the ability to knowledgeably and pleasurably participate in Cajun jams.

Erica Weiss performs with the New England-based Cajun band, Grand Bois. She studied Cajun music with experienced musicians from Louisiana, including members of Balfa Toujours and Charivari. She has led numerous instructional workshops in Cajun music and dance at venues including Pinewoods, Chesapeake Dance Weekend, NEFFA, Lincoln Center and Dance Flurry.

Upper West Side location. Space is limited. YOU MUST REGISTER IN ADVANCE, NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, MAR. 7! Members: $22. Non-members: $24. Send payment by check made out to FMSNY to: Alan Friend, Education Chairman, 440 Fifth Street, Brooklyn, NY 11215 (Be sure to put Street, not Avenue). Include your phone number and/or email. Info: (718) 965-4074.

SACRED HARP SINGING AT ST. BART’S; Sunday, March 16th; 2:30pm
Co-sponsored and hosted by St. Bartholomew’s Church in Manhattan, on the 3rd Sunday of each month Sept. thru June, 2:30 to 5pm, 109 East 50th St. We continue the colonial American tradition of four-part, unaccompanied sacred singing. Beginners welcome! Books available for loan or purchase. Contributions collected; reduced rate parking available. Nearest trains: 51 St. on #6; Lexington Ave. on E; 47-50 Sts. on B, D, or F. Food and fellowship following. Info: Gail Harper 212-750-8977.

NEWSLETTER MAILING; Thursday, March 27th; 7 PM
We need your help to mail out the next Newsletter. Join the important band of volunteers that sticks the stamps and labels and staples the pages to mail out this newsletter. At the home of Don Wade and Eileen Pentel, 35-41 72nd Street, Jackson Heights (Queens). Right near the “74 St” Station of the #7 line or the “Roosevelt-Ave-Jackson Heights” Station of the E,F,V, and R trains. For info. call 718-426-8555.

GOSPEL & SACRED HARP SING; Sunday, March 30th; 3pm
Glorious music, great words (mostly serious, occasionally humorous). Come raise your voice and experience these rousing pieces, with a group of enthusiastic singers. Join us for singing gospel, plus songs from the Sacred Harp book. This is 4-part harmony sung from written music, so you should be able to carry a tune; sight-singing helpful but not required. Bring food for a potluck supper (host is supplying drinks). At the home of Lenore Greenberg, 120 Boerum Place, #1J, Brooklyn (718-403-0347). Subway: “F” or “G” train to Bergen St. (rear of train from Manhattan or Queens). Do not cross Smith Street; walk one block on Bergen to Boerum. Or #2, 3, or 4 to Borough Hall; walk south on Court St. around 8 blocks; turn left on Dean. Other info: Isabel, 212-866-2029.

PUB NIGHT; Sunday, March 30th; 7-10pm
The Club is once again combining with the Park Slope Food Co-op to have a great night of rousing informal pub singing, this time with a theme of renewal of life. All songs welcome at Freddy’s Back Room, edge of Park Slope. Admission is free and the selection of brew is excellent. Freddy’s does not serve food, but you are welcome to bring your own. Come and lift your voices, bring a song or two, a story, or a good joke, bring instruments, bring families. Celebrate the season. All ages are welcome. Let’s make a grand party of it. At: Freddy’s Bar, 485 Dean St.. at 6th Ave., East of Flatbush Ave. (turn left if coming from Manhattan). SUBWAY: M, N, R, Q trains to Pacific Street. 4, 5, Q to Atlantic Ave., 2, 3 to Bergen St. A map is available online at: http://www.freddysbackroom.com/directions.htm Parking is relatively easy on Sunday. Call for driving directions. Further info: Jerry Epstein (718) 429-3437.

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DEAN WINDEMULLER, House Concert, Tuesday, April 1st, 7:30 PM

Dean Windemuller is a singer/songwriter and fingerstyle guitarist who was born and raised in West Michigan. For this very exciting concert, Dean will present a mix of folk, gospel, blues and some of his own songs. His diverse musical studies include time spent in Chicago, New York City, and India. His vision is to incorporate his experience with jazz, Irish traditional, Western classical and Indian classical music within the singer/songwriter framework that he grew up with. Dean writes thoughtful and well-crafted tunes.

FMSNY members $12. Nonmembers $15. Children and F/T students $6. At the home of Don Wade and Eileen Pentel, 35-41 72nd Street, Jackson Heights, Queens. Space is limited so reservations highly recommended. Call for info 718-672-6399.

LORI HOLLAND, House Concert, Friday, April 4th, 8 PM

Lori Holland has been part of the folk music scene since the beginnings of the "folk music revival." She is well grounded in traditional music having recorded two albums for Folkways Records, "Scottish Folksongs for Women" and "Irish Folksongs for Women," which have been reissued by Smithsonian Folkways in C.D. form. Lori is well known as a songwriter, especially for "Didn't I Dance" which has been recorded by many artists in the U.S. and Canada. Sing Out magazine printed her songs and said "Nostalgia, respect, wistfulness, determination...find them all in 'Didn't I Dance'... 'Tapestry'. (is) ...another gem." Jean Ritchie has said of Lori that she has a "...soulful voice, and is a fine songwriter!"

You will be treated to works both touching and humorous and may be called upon occasionally to join in on a chorus. FMSNY members $12. Nonmembers $15. Children and F/T students $6. At the home of John Ziv & Deborah Rubin, 243 W. 98th St., apt 6A, near Broadway, NYC. Space is limited. Reservations required. Contact John Ziv, 212-662-6575 or johnziv@earthlink.net for reservations or information.

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E-Mail?

Dear members:  E mail is a great way for us to get in touch with you, and for you to get in touch with us.  Many of you have given us your e-mail addresses, but many have not.  If you would like to be on the club's e-mail address list, please send a message to nypinewood@aol.com. Also, if you think you gave us your e mail address but you haven’t gotten any messages, maybe it was illegible or we got it wrong for some reason.  If so, send it to us again. E-mail addresses of board members are also listed in this newsletter.  Let us hear from you.

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Fri, Apr.11:  A Little of What You Fancy (Vaudeville and Music Hall)
Fri, May 16:  Ian Robb

Weekends
May 23-26:  Spring Weekend of Music at Kislak Adult Center with Lissa Schneckenburger, Serre l’Ecoute, David Harvey, Robbie Wedeen, and others--see coupon p.11
Oct. 17-19:  Fall Weekend of Music at Fallsview Resort

House Concerts
Tue, April 1:  Dean Windemuller, 7:30pm, Jackson Heights, Queens; see p.4
Fri, April 4:  Lori Holland, 8pm, at the Zivs’, Upper West Side; see p.4
Fri, May 30:  Alan Friend, 8pm, at the Zivs’, Upper West Side; 718-965-4074

South Street Seaport Sea Music Concerts
Co-sponsored with South St. Seaport Museum. Performers with the NY Packet, In the Melville Gallery, 209 Water St. First Sunday, 3pm.
Sun, Mar.2:  Susan McKeown Group
Sun, Apr.6:  David Jones
Sun, May 4:  Mrs. & Mr. Milner

Workshops and Special Programs
Sat, Mar. 15  Cajun Music Workshop led by Erica Weiss; 2-4:30 PM reservations required--see page 3.
Nov. 14-16:  Eisteddfod-NY, our Folk Festival in Jackson Heights, Queens.

Informal Jams and Sings
Thur, Apr.24:  FMSNY Night at the Yippie Museum
Sat, May 17:  Singing Party at Gail and Bob Levine-Fried’s in Brooklyn
Folk Open Sing: First Wednesday of each month (Mar.5, Apr. 2 etc); 7-10 pm; Ethical Culture Society in Brooklyn.
Gospel & Sacred Harp Sing: Sun, March 30 in Brooklyn, see p.3
Sacred Harp Singing at St.Bartholomew’s in Manhattan, Third Sunday thru June, Mar. 16, April 20, June 15..
Chantey Sing at Seamen’s Church Institute, South Street Seaport; 8pm, Saturdays: March 8, April 12, May 17, June 21, July 12, and Aug.23.
Pub Night: Sunday March 30, 7-10pm at Freddy’s Back Room, 6 Ave & Dean St, Brooklyn.

Business Meetings, etc.
Newsletter Mailing, Thursday, March 27, 7pm in Queens--see page 3.
Executive Board Meeting: 2nd Monday: Mar. 10, April 14, etc.; 7:15pm at locations to be announced; call Joy at 718-575-1906

Help!
Can you help spread the word about our concerts? If you go to jams, sings, concerts, your office, anywhere (even your apartment laundry room) that you could put out flyers, help us by getting a supply of flyers to put out. Contact Don Wade, <donwade@donwade.us>, 718-426-8555 and let us know how many to send you!

The Society’s web page: http://www.folkmusicny.org
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; a member of the Folk Alliance; and a member of the NY-NJ Trail Conference. A copy of our annual report is available from our office at 444 W. 54 St., #7., NYC, NY 10119. We have approximately 500 members and run concerts, week-ends, classes, and get-togethers, all with an emphasis on traditional music. The Society is run by all 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.

Membership fees are listed on the back page; regular memberships include one subscription to the newsletter (10 issues yearly), free admission to our approximately 5 series events, and reduced admission to many events. Won’t you join us?

2006 Board of Directors:

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Corporate Secretary: Marilyn Suffet, 718-786-1533

Weekend Coordinator: Joy C. Bennett

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A recording of folk events in NYC. Send last minute listings to: Folk Fone, c/o Don Wade, 35-41 72 St, Jackson Heights, NY 11372 (Don Wade plus your name here—HELP WANTED)

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E-Mail: <info@folkmusicny.org> (but it is best to send to individual officers as listed above).
As I write this, I am thinking about our wonderful Winter Weekend which just passed. Marilyn Suffet’s article (below) about the weekend reminds me of the good times I had there, and makes me look forward to our upcoming Spring Weekend, slightly different because of the workshops, concerts, etc but nevertheless a wonderful time. Look for further information coming up about it.

In the meantime, we have many wonderful events between now and then; series concerts, house concerts, singing parties, etc. In March, the…NA Folk Band will be giving us a wonderful, lively concert. The Sea Music Concert will feature the Susan McKeown Group and we will have the Folk Open Sings, the Chantey Sing and Sacred Harp Sing and the Gospel and Sacred Harp Sing. This month we will also have our Pub Night which is always a huge success—so come and raise your voices and join us.

The Cajun Music Workshop still has room, so please call soon to reserve your space. The deadline is March 7. It will be a unique opportunity to learn how to play and sing Cajun Music. Erica Weiss is a masterful teacher—knowledgeable, patient and fun!

We are starting something new to give our members a heads up about our house concerts. Space is limited at these venues and sometimes by the time the newsletter comes out, the concert is booked, often because flyers have gone out ahead of time. Therefore if you look under our Topical Listing of Society Events, under House Concerts, you will now see a telephone number so that you can make reservations early. Exact details of the concert will appear in the newsletter that month, but often people know ahead of time that this is someone they definitely want to see. We ask only that if you find, as the time approaches, that you are unable to attend, let the registrar know. We usually have long waiting lists. Plans often do change at the last moment, and those people who are courteous enough to call, free up a space and make someone else very happy!

In the meantime, get your reservations in for the April house concerts—Dean Windemuller on April 1st, and Lori Holland on April 4th.

Thank you to the folks who mailed out the newsletter. They could always use more help. For the last newsletter thank you to: Isabel Goldstein, Eileen Pentel, Anne Price, Marcus Tieman, and Don Wade. Won’t you join us and help mail out the next newsletter on March 27? (See page 3.)

Dear editor:

As a non-musician, I never considered attending a Winter Weekend. I thought that without scheduled events, such as workshops and concerts, I would be bored just listening to others jam all the time. However, after participating in the last Winter Weekend, I totally changed my mind. I had an absolutely wonderful time.

My idea of perfection is curling up in a cozy chair with a good book, usually a murder mystery. I got plenty of time for that, including a fire in the fireplace, with great music playing all the time that I could just listen to or sing along with. The weekend was relaxing, comfy, and fun, with good camaraderie.

I look forward to next year's Winter Weekend as well as to all the other events New York Pinewoods sponsors.

--- Marilyn Suffet

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Bruce (Utah) Phillips has retired because of health problems. His son, Duncan Phillips, has created a blog site on which he posts current information about Utah’s condition. It is: http://utahphillips.blogspot.com/

In January, HARVEY CORT and I went on a cruise to the Caribbean. It was just lovely. It was so nice to relax in such a beautiful environment.

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

--- Steve Suffet

**Weekend Help Wanted**

Full and Partial Scholarships are available in exchange for administrative work done on our folk music weekends. Contact the Club President, Joy Bennett, 718-575-1906 if you are interested in any of the jobs.

**Weekend Chair:** (half scholarship)

**Registrar:** Receives, records, and acknowledges all reservations, maintains waiting list, processes cancellations; accounts for money received and reconciles the amount due the facility. Helps greet arrivals at camp. (full scholarship)

**Transportation:** Tries to find rides to and from camp for all who need them. Gets and gives out info. on public transportation if needed. (half scholarship)

**Typist/Room Assigner:** Types the address list and assigns rooms; Must be able to arrive early to greet arrivals at camp. It helps to know a lot of club members. (half)

**Baby-sitter:** (Depends on need.) Cares for smaller children, particularly during evening concerts. (full Scholarship)
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Members Free. General admission is $20, Seniors or low income individuals $12 Full-time students under 22 are admitted free.

General admission tickets can be purchased at the door or on line at: www.folkconcert3.eventbrite.com.

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Sing in The Spring

Another Fabulous Pub Night!
A night of informal singing, partying, food and drink, with your friends old and new
This year featuring songs for the renewal of life.

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Bring voices, instruments, friends, family, good cheer
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Free Admission!
All ages welcome,
All songs—tunes—stories—welcome
Freddy’s has a choice selection of drink, but does not serve food (BYO).
including Guinness and Bass on draught!

Directions: Further Info: (718) 429-3437
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with Lissa Schneckenburger, Serre l’Ecoute, David Harvey, Robbie Wedeen, plus others

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**Children sharing with 2 adults (under 4 years old are free)
All rooms have private bath.

(A full weekend flyer will be sent out in April)
Send this form with a Stamped, Self-Addressed Envelope and check payable to FMSNY to: Don Wade, 35-41 72 St, Jackson Heights, NY 11372; 718-672-6399; <donwade@folkmusicny.org>
You may also sign up on line (service charge applies) at:
members- http://springfolkweekend.eventbrite.com
non-members- http://membersspringwknd.eventbrite.com

Note: payment in full is required with registration. All but $15 is refundable until May 9th. All but $50 is refundable until May 19; no refunds after that date

Here is my full payment for the 2008 Spring Weekend for [ ]2-days, [ ]3-days:
___ adults, double at $_____ each ; ___ children, age______ , at $______ea.
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[ ] I am willing to be in a room near a late night singing area.
[ ] I don’t eat beef. [ ] I don’t eat chicken. [ ] I don’t eat fish.
[ ] vegetarian. [ ] vegetarian eats fish. [ ] vegan
[ ] I will be driving from ____________________________________________
at _____AM/PM and can take ___ additional passengers.
[ ] I need a ride, from _____________________________________________, if possible.
This is an amazing achievement. "Why is this night different...?" The "Four Questions" are at the heart of each Passover seder, and these two gents have co-authored this delightful, quite handsome book (with CD and DVD included), This modern Rosetta Stone, a 25 year labor of love, has an enthusiastic Foreword by Theodore Bikel. It's a beautifully produced illustrated volume, mostly serious -- hundreds of living languages and a few dead ones -- plus 22 amusing made-up languages like Lawyerese, Valley Girl, Klingon, semaphore, pig latin, and more. Among the serious examples are a few poignant ones, some languages on the brink of extinction, with only a few remaining, aging practitioners.

I don't know Rickey Stein, but (Doctor) Murray Spiegel is an articulate, dedicated, and fun person. He (and wife Randi) are international folk dancers and avid round singers. Their annual seders, which have been written about in the NY Times, are usually very different, with their home magically transformed each Spring. As described in the Times (and in the http://sedersforyou.tripod.com site), the house becomes a Bedouin tent, an Egyptian tomb, a jumbo jet exodus, etc. For the plagues, stuffed frogs (borrowed from friends) may cascade from the ceiling. Themes may include drug addiction, environmentalism, and of course MUSIC. Songs of freedom/civil rights. Beatles variations. Songs from immigrants to Israel. Clever parodies of G&S and Gilligan's Island, Delightful "Mostly Matza" words to Eine Kleine Nachtmusik.

This lavishly illustrated, entertaining and enlightening 368 page coffee table book/CD/DVD is a great gift for others or yourself. $39.95 plus $5.50 (U.S.) shipping from Murray Spiegel at WhyIsThisNight.com. For non-computer people, reach Murray at 48 Roosevelt St, Roseland, NJ 07068.

-----Sol Weber

Sending us a check?

Please be sure to make it out to our official corporate name: Folk Music Society of New York, Inc, or just FMSNY. The bank doesn’t like checks made out to Pinewoods. Thanks.
For addresses, times, phone numbers, and other details, see the location information on pages following the repeating events. Repeating events listings follow this list. Updated repeating events may be viewed at www.folkmusicny.org. The events with an asterisk (*) are run by the club and more information is on pages 2-3; other events in the listings below are not run by the Club, and the information given is the best available at press time. Everyone is encouraged to send complete information for listing to: Lenore Greenberg, 120 Boerum Place, #1J, Brooklyn, NY 11201; 718-403-0347; E-mail: lenoreg@nyc.rr.com. DEADLINE is the 12th of the preceding month. Continued on next page

Around NYC — March

1 Sa  Carolyn Hester & Daughters: Peoples’ Voice
1 Sa  Songs of the Sea and Taverns: Richmondtown
2 Su  David Roth: Uptown CH
2 Su* Sea Music; Susan McKeown Group+ NY Packet: South St. Seaport. See p2-3
5 We* Folk Open Sing: Brooklyn, 7pm. See p.2
6 Th  Patty Larkin: Joe’s Pub, 7:30p
6 Th  Fair Play Collective: Joe’s Pub, 9:30pm
7 Fr  Ari Eisinger: Good CH
7 Fr  Holcombe Waller: Joe’s Pub, 7pm
8 Sa* Chantey Sing at Seamen’s Church Institute, 8pm, see p.2-3
8 Sa  Anne Price: NYPL Spuyten Duyvil Branch, 650 235th St. Bronx., 2pm. 718 796-1202
8 Sa  Jolie Richman memorial celebration (several performers): Peoples’ Voice
8 Sa  Cajun Jamboree w Savoy-Doucet Band & D.L.Menard: WMI, Symphony Space, 8pm.
8 Sa  Risky Business Bluegrass Band: Richmondtown
8 Sa  Richard Julian: Joe’s Pub, 7:30
9 Su  Joe Beasley Sacred Harp
9 Su  Chelsea String Band: Zeemeeuwse Concert Series; J.J. Byrne Pk. 5th Ave bet. 3 & 4 St, Park Slope, Brooklyn, 4pm. 718 768-3195
9 Su  Astrograss for Kids: Joe’s Pub, 12pm
12 Th Women Innovators in Afro-Caribbean Music & Dance: CUNY Graduate Center; 7:30p, free; info <phd-dmaconcert@gc.cuny.edu> 212-817-8607
14 Fr* ...NA Folk Band (Hungarian/Hungarian-Jewish Music): OSA, 8pm. See p.2-3
14 Fr  Rachel Stone, Charles Bloom Carl Sievert, Mimi Cohen & Band: Community Cabaret. Community Church, 7pm.
15 Sa* Mary Flower, Blues guitarist: Good CH
15 Sa  Irish Stout: Richmondtown
15 Sa  Cajun Music Workshop w Erica Weiss: See p.2-3
15 Sa  Bright Morning Star: Peoples’ Koko Taylor, David, “Honeyboy” Edwards, Henry Gray, John Cephas & Phil Wiggins. WMI, National Heritage Masters, Blues Legends. Town Hall, 8pm
16 Su* Sacred Harp Sing at St. Bart’s: 2:30pm. See p2-3
16 Su  Jezra Kaye & Margaret Morrison: Park Slope Food Coop, Good CH
17 Th  Newsletter Mailing; see p. 3
18 Fr  Triboro: Richmondtown
22 Sa  Tiarnan O Duinnchinn: Blarney Star, Glucksman Ireland House, 9pm
28 Fr  Buffy Sainte-Marie: Highline Ballroom, 431 W. 16th St. 212 414-5994
28 Fr  Fado of Portugal; Ana Moura: WMI, Symphony Space, 8pm
28 Fr  This Old House: Richmondtown
29 Sa  National Heritage Masters: Africa in America: WMI, Town Hall, 8pm
30 Su* Gospel & Sacred Harp Sing: 3pm in Brooklyn, see p.3
30 Su  Pub Night: Park Slope, Bklyn, 7-10pm. See p2-3
30 Su  Girlyman: Joe’s Pub, 7pm
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31 Mo Paul Kelly: Joe’s Pub, 9:30pm

Around NYC — April
1 Tu* Dean Winemuller house concert, 7:30pm—see p.4
2 We* Folk Open Sing: Brooklyn, 7pm. See p.2
2 We Tim O’Brien: Joe’s Pub, 7pm
4 Fr* Lori Holland house concert; 8pm - see p.4
4 Fr Garifuna Music of Central America: WMI, Symphony Space, 8pm
5 Sa Kristin Lems: Peoples’ Voice
5 Sa Dhrupad Music of India: WMI, Symphony Space, 8pm
5 Sa Johnson Girls: Richmontdowntown

Long Island — March
1 Sa Phil Ochs Song Night: FMSOH
9 Su Shape Note Singing: LITMA, Huntington Sta. 1:30-5:30
15 Sa Ellis: Our Times
15 Sa Island Songwriters Showcase: FMSOH, Hard Luck Café
20 Th Robin Trower: IMAC, 8pm
28 Fr Kenny Rankin & Marc Antoine: IMAC, 8pm
30 Su Shape Note Singing: LITMA, Wading River. 1:30-5:30
30 Su Instrumental Jam Session: LITMA, Smithtown. 4-6pm

Long Island — April
5 Sa Performer TBA: FMSOH

New York State — March
1 Sa Marc Black Band w Terri Hendrix & Lloyd Maines: Towne Crier
1 Sa Johnny A.: Turning Pt.
7 Fr Hillbilly Water’s tribute to Townes Van Zandt: Turning Pt., 9pm
7 Fr Richard Shindell: Emlin, 8pm
7 Fr Andy Stewart & Gerry Obeirne: Rosendale Café
7 Fr Hillbilly Water & Cosmic American Derilick’s: Turning Pt., 9pm
8 Sa John McCutcheon: Walkabout Clearwater CH, 7:30pm
8 Sa Dave Cousins: Towne Crier, 9p
8 Sa Bobby Radcliff Blues Band: Turning Pt.
8 Sa Horowitz Meets Chekhov: Rosendale Café

8 Sa Richard Shindell: Emlin, 8pm
8 Sa Iris Dement w Sarah Lee Guthrie & Johnny Irion: Mainstage, 8pm
9 Su The James Hunter Band: Turning Pt., 7:30pm
9 Su Jesse Winchester: Friends of Music, 3pm
9 Su Al Stewart: Towne Crier, 7:30
10 Mo The James Hunter Band: Turning Pt., 7:30pm
11 Tu Dave Cousins: Turning Pt, 8pm
13 Th Trina Hamlin, Beaucoup Blue, Erik Balkey, Anthony DaCosta: Mainstage, Westchester Arts Council, 7:30pm

Dennis Gruenling: Towne

14 Fr David Davis & The Warrior Boys + Big Apple'achia: Emlin, 8pm

The Bobs: Towne Crier, 9pm
15 Sa Johnny Feds and da Bluez Boys: Turning Pt., 9:30pm
16 Su Red Molly: Borderline FMS, Steve Shapiro’s Home..7 Trailside Ct. New City. 2pm.845 354-4586 or Solz1@optonline.net

16 Su Ellis Paul: Friends of Music, 3pm

16 Su The Clancy Tradition: Family Matinee, 4pm. Towne Crier

The Highwaymen: Towne Crier, 9pm
22 Sa Jim Weider’s ProJECT PERCoLAToR: Turning Pt., 9:30pm

22 Sa Stacy Phillips & Paul Howard Duet: Rosendale Café
28 Fr Dave Keyes: Turning Pt., 9pm
28 Fr Murali Coryell Band: Towne Crier, 9pm
29 Sa Caroline Herring: Rosendale
29 Sa Luminescent Orchestra: Common Ground CH, 7:30pm

New York State — April
4 Fr Fred Eaglesmith Band + Milton: Mainstage, Irvington Town Hall, 8:30pm
5 Sa Debbie Davis Blues Band: Towne Crier, 9pm
5 Sa Paul Geremia: Turning Pt., 7p
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6 Su Greg Brown w Sarah Lee Guthrie & Johnny Irion: Towne Crier, 8pm

6 Su Eric Anderson: Turning Pt. 4pm
8 Tu David Freiberg: Turning Pt. 7:30pm

New Jersey — March
1 Sa Bethany & Rufus: Hurdy Gurdy
7 Fr Cindy Kallet & Grey Larsen: Minstrel CH
14 Fr Atwater/Donnelly: Princeton
21 Fr Annie & The Hedonists: Minstrel CH
28 Fr Jim Bizer & Jan Krist: Minstrel CH

New Jersey - April
4 Fr Nick Annis & Jud Caswell: Minstrel CH
5 Sa Ronny Cox: Hurdy Gurdy

Connecticut — March
1 Sa An Evening for Len w Bob Zentz, Ken Hicks, Ed Trickett & The Patons: Sounding Board
1 Sa Gail Wade & Turning Point: Vanilla Bean Café
1 Sa River City Slim & The Zydeco Hogs: Roaring Brook
2 Su Phil Ochs Song Night w Sonny Ochs, John Flynn, Greg Greenway, Pat Victor & Magpie: Temple Shearith

This is an abridged list. Please see the complete list printed in February. Also a constantly updated complete list is available on the web at: www.folkmusicny.org/repeating.html. Additions and Corrections to these lists are most welcome! Send to: Don Wade, 35-41 72nd St, Jackson Heights, NY 11372; E-mail: DonWade@donwade.us

NYC BLUEGRASS & OLD-TIME
(also look at www.banjoben.com and http://groups.yahoo.com/group/newyorkcityoldtime/)

Sundays:
Kili, 79-81 Hoyt St between State and Atlantic in Brooklyn. Ponkiesburg Pickin’ Party; www. ponkiesburg. com/home.php, acoustic jam, 4-7 PM, sbraelinhorn@hotmail.com>
Nolita House, 47 E Houston St, Between Mott & Mulberry Sts, (212) 625-1712; http://nolitahouse.com/events.html:

Bluegrass Brunch, 12:30pm
Paddy Reilly’s. 519 2 Ave, Manhattan (29 St) 212-686-1210; bluegrass jam 5-8pm; Sunday (see also Irish and general multi-day listings): 212-686-1210; www.bigapplebluegrass.com]
#Superfine, 125 Front St. Brooklyn, 718-243-9005; Bluegrass Brunch 11AM-3PM

Mondays:
The Parkside Lounge, 317 Houston St (bet Ave’s B & C); 212-673-6270 9pm- mdnte; various acoustic jams. Bands, etc.

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Israel, Ridgefield. 7pm
7 Fr Jonathan Edwards: U. of Hartford
8 Sa Notorious: Branford Folk CH
8 Sa Red Molly: Sounding Board
8 Sa Spook Handy: Roots Music CH, Danbury
8 Sa Dervish: U. of Hartford (M)
8 Sa Garnet Rogers: Roaring Brook
8 Sa Atwater-Donnelly: Vanilla Bean Café
8 Sa Gordon Bok: Audubon CH
9 Su Tret Fure: Temple Shearith Israel, Ridgefield, 7pm
9 Su Bill Staines: Vanilla Bean Café, 7pm
14 Fr Cashel Rock: Vanilla Bean
15 Sa Cindy Kallet & Grey Larsen: Sounding Board
15 Sa Terence Martin: Vanilla Bean
22 Sa Becky Chase: Vanilla Bean
22 Sa The Highwaymen: Sounding
28 Fr Glen Phillips: U. of Hartford, 7:30pm
29 Sa Meg Hutchinson: Vanilla Bean
29 Sa Wild Ones: Audubon CH
29 Sa The Nields: Sounding Board
30 Su Ronny Cox: Temple Shearith Israel, Ridgefield, 7pm

Connecticut — April
5 Sa Cheryl Wheeler: U. of Hartford, 7:30pm
6 Su Tim Grimm & Joe Crookston: Temple Shearith Israel, 7pm

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tending toward old-time/bluegrass; www.parksidelounge.com


169 Bar, 169 E. Broadway (Canal, Essex & Rutgers) 212-437-8866; Country Jam Wednesdays: Angel Band Jam, Vin Rouge, 5th Avenue bet. 17 & 18 St, Brooklyn; info, Bill Duke, 917-859-5397

Baggot Inn, 82 West Third St bet Sullivan & Thompson, 212-477-0622; Uncle Bob’s Bluegrass Jam, 9pm, www.bigapplebluegrass.com

Old Devil Moon Restaurant (Southern cuisine), 511 E.12th St at Ave A; 1212-475-4357; 8 pm every Wed: Wahoo String Band (Harry Bolick, Brian Slattery, Joe Dejarnette); no cover; www.bolick.net/wahoo/

Thursdays:

Frieldys, Dean St & Sixth Ave, Brooklyn, 718-622-7035; Old-Time Jam first Thursday; Kings County Opry third Thursday; www.freddysbackroom.com

Hungarian House, 213 E. 82 St, betw 2 & 3 Ave; second Thurs Oct-June, square and Contra Dance party, 8-11 pm; www.Nycbarndance.com

Fridays:

Sunny’s in Red Hook, Bklyn, see below

Saturdays:

Baggot Inn, 82 West Third St bet Sullivan & Thompson, 212-477-0622, Uncle Bob’s Bluegrass Jam, 9pm, www.baggotinn.com

Charles Street Synagogue, 53 Charles St (at W. 4 St, 2 bl. N. of Sheridan Sq); American roots music most Mondays w/ Andy Statman & Friends; 8:30pm; 212-242-6425 <info@andystatman.org>

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

The Lounge at TRIAD, 158 W. 72 St, 212-362-2590; open mic 7-9pm

Open House Coffee House; Advent Lutheran Church, 93 St. & B’way; 212-874-3423; 7:30-9:30PM

Richard Shepard Theater, 309 E. 26 St (2nd Ave); 212-684-2690; beer, wine, soda, available: open hoot Mondays; $5 adm, musicians get a free drink;

Telephone Bar & Grill, 149 Second Ave, 212-529-5000 Open Mic every other Mon + featured acts

Wednesdays:

NYPFMC Folk Open Sing, 1st Wed; 6:30pm; Ethical Culture Society, 53 Prospect Park West, Brooklyn (near 2nd St)— see page 2 or 3


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Garlicbreath Open-Mic; Infrared Lounge
210 Rivington St (Pitt & Ridge), 8pm
http://garlicbreath.org

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

Mooneys Pub, 77 St and 3rd Ave, Bay Ridge, Brooklyn; open mic first Wed. 8:30pm;
www.brooklynopen.com

Thursdays:
New York Caledonian Club %: Pipes & Drums of the NY Scottish, rehearsals every Thurs, Chanter's at 6; pipes at 7; info 212-724-4978; (PO Box 4542, NYC 10163-4542; 212-662-1083)
Freddys, Dean St & Sixth Ave, Brooklyn, 718-622-7035: Open Mic Third Thursday; http://freddysbackroom.com
Charles Street Synagogue, 53 Charles St (at W. 4 St, 2 bl. N. of Sheridan Sq); music of the Jewish Mystics most Thursdays w/ Andy Statman & Friends; 8:30pm; $10; 212-242-6425 <info@andystatman.org>

Fridays:
Hungarian House, 213 E. 82 St, betw 2 & 3 Ave; info: 212-289-8203; Balkan Café, 8:30pm; $12-15; Homemade ethnic snacks/light dinner avail; www.balkancafe.nycfolkdance.org

Fri & Sat:
Two Boots, 514 Second St (at 7 Ave) Park Slope, Brooklyn; shows Fri & Sat 10pm; 718-499-3253
Postcrypt Coffeehouse; St.Paul’s Chapel bsmt, Columbia Univ. 116 St & B’way; Fri & Sat - school year only (closed May-Sept. & Dec.-Jan.), 9pm, free; 212-854-1953; postcrypt@columbia.edu

Saturdays:
Living Room, 154 Ludlow St (bet. Stanton and Rivington); 1st Sat. Shape note Singing from the Sacred Harp, 3-6pm, free; lowdowngriggs@erols.com 212 777-9837 www.livingroomny.com

Sundays:
Baggo Inn, 82 West Third St bet Sullivan & Thompson, 212-477-0622; open mic 7pm
Banjo Jim’s, 9th St. and Ave. C; 212-777-0869; 2:30pm open mic; http://www.banjojims.com; 1 drink minimum]
Bitter End, 147 Bleecker Street (between Thompson and LaGuardia) Greenwich Village; 212-673-7030; www.bitterend.com; www.thebitterendjamnyc.com;
Open mic every other Sun at 10pm
The C-Note 157 Avenue C (10th St.), 212-677-8142; Open Mic for Singer/ Songwriters; ? to 9- Sign up starts at 5pm
Centerfold Coffeehouse, Church of St’s Paul & Andrew, 263 W. 86 St, Manhattan (West End Av); Open mic/poetry reading at 5:45pm; info: Mary Grace, 212-866-4454.
Klezmer Sundays at Tonic: 1:30 & 3 pm; Tonic, 107 Norfolk St; 212-358-7503; $10; food & drink available; <www.tonic107.com>
Munch Cafe & Grill, 71-60 Yellowstone Blvd, Forest Hills (Queens); First and Third Sundays, 3-5 PM; 718-544-0075; www.munchcafeandgrill.com
New York Folk Music Meet-Up, one Sunday a month, 3pm at various locations; http://folk.meetup.com/47/?gj=sj4; info: tsachs@sachsinsights.com
Three Jolly Pigeons. 6802 3rd Ave, Brooklyn., 212-940-2084 Open mic Sundays, 6:30p

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; Fri & Sat trad Irish music; 718-884-7127; Sun 4-7pm session w/ John Redmond; www.anbealbochtcafe.com
Paddy Reilly’s, 519 2 Ave, Manhattan (29 St) 212-686-1210; nightly music 9:30pm; Thurs Session w/Tony DeMarco; & Eamonn O’Leary, 10pm; Yellowbarber@aol.com; 212-686-1210; Traditional

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singers circle; **First Monday** 6:30pm Info Louise Kitt, louise.kitt@hotmail.com

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

**Sundays:**

**Ceol**: 191 Smith St. (at Warren), Brooklyn; session, 5-8pm; 347-643-9911

*Maggie Mae’s*, 41-15 Queens Blvd, Sunnyside, Queens, 718-433-3067; 6pm

**Mondays:**

*Baggot Inn*, 82 West Third St bet Sullivan & Thompson, 212-477-0622; 8:30-11pm

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

*Swift’s*, 34 E. 4 St 212-260-3600; performance 8:15pm;

**Tuesdays:**

*Banjo Jim’s*, 9th St. and Ave. C; 212-777-0869; session 10PM; http://www. banjojims.com; 1 drink minimum

*Jack Dempsey’s Pub*, 61 2nd Ave (bet 3 & 4 St); session: 8pm; 212-388-0662; www.DempseysPub.com

*Swifts Hibernian Lounge*, 34 E. 4th St (bet Bowery & Lafayette), 212-260-3600; 8:30pm session: www. SwiftBarNYC.com

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

**Wednesdays:**

*Ceol*: 191 Smith St. (at Warren), Brooklyn; 8:30-11pm; 347-643-9911

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

*Fiddlesticks Pub*, 54-58 Greenwich Ave (bet 6 & 7 Av), 212-463-0516; perf by Morning Star

*The Gate*, 321 5th Ave at 3rd St, Brooklyn, 718-768-4329; 8pm session ??

**Thursdays:**

*Doctor Gilbert’s Cafe*, 6115 Broadway. Riverdale, Bronx, NY; 8pm Mary Courtney; 718-548-9621

*Paddy Reilly’s*, 519 Second Ave. (29th St); Tony DeMarco, 10pm; 212-686-1210

**Saturdays:**

*Rosie O’Grady’s*, 52nd and 7th Ave, Gabriel Donohue, 10pm; www. gabrieldonohue.com

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

**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

*Cool Beanz Coffeehouse*, 556 North Country Rd, St. James; 631-862-4111; www.saintjamescoolbeanz.com; Tues 7:30 pm: open Mike (15-22 year olds); -Wed 7:30 pm: open mike & Acoustic L.I. (performer); -Fri and Sat 8:30 pm: performers (mostly acoustic); -Sat 4-7 pm open mike acoustic

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

**Monthly:**

*American Legion Hall*, 115 Southern Pkwy, Plainview; 516-938-1519a. Mid-Island Irish-American Club Ceili **1st Sat.**

*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.bethepageumc.org

*Borders Books*, Syosset, 425 Jericho Tpk, Syosset, LI NY, Island Songwriters Showcase www.islandsongwriters.org 631-462-3300; **1st Thus** Open Mike & 2 feature Showcase, 7:30p sign up, 8-11p

*Book Review*, 313 New York Ave, Huntington. (first **Tuesday**) 11AM-Toddler Time

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with Mike Soloway, Free: 631 271-1442
Five Towns College, Burr’s Lane, Dix Hills, Ll NY room 217; Island Songwriters Showcase www.islandsongwriters.org 631-462-3300; 1st Mon Members Workshop Meeting 7:30-11:30p
Irish American Hall, 297 Willis Ave, Mineola; 516-746-9392 (9:30am-1pm), 1 block North of Jericho Tpke. Irish-American Society Ceilidh once a month.
LITMA music Jam, % last Sunday 4-6 pm in Smithtown at the Meirs House, 631-864-4601; 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 Cfehse; 1st United Methodist Ch, 25 B’way/Rt.110, Amityville; music/poetry first Fri (Oct-June): 516-798-0778
Tuesdays:
#3MB Recording Studios, Morewood Plaza, 975 West Jericho Turnpike, Smithtown; 631-780-6267; acoustic open mic 8pm, <Info@3MBRecording.com>; http://www.3mbrecording.com/
Chowder House, 19 Bellport Rd, Bellport; 516-286-2343. Mostly acoustic, w/ sing-alongs & open mike
Field of Dreams, Old Country Road, Bethpage; 516-937-7603. Blues Jam
N’awlins Grill, www.nawlinsgrille.com, 44 Willis Ave, Mineola ,(516) 747-8488 Open Mke 8:30p & 10:30p for songwriters; Featured Artist 8 & 10p Info: Dave Isaacs dave@ jackalopemusic.com; 516-877-1083
Wednesdays:
Broadway Beanery, 2 B’way, Lynbrook; open mike 9pm Wed; 516-596-0028
The Cup, 3268 Railroad Ave, Wantagh; open mike 8:30pm Wed, performances some other nights; 516-826-9533; http://www.thecupcoffeehouse.com
Dunhills, Mineola, 516-248-1281: Buddy Merriam & Back Roads (Bluegrass) every other Wednesday ??
Starbucks Cafe, 101 W. Park Ave, Long Beach; acoustic & poets open mike; 516-670-9181
Thursdays:
Hunni’s, 530 N. Broadway, Amityville; open mike jam; 631-841-1800
Java Coffee Company, 135 Merrick Rd, Merrick; open mike; 516-771-8386
Zen Den Cafe, 14A Railroad Ave, Babylon; open mike; 631-321-1565
The Cooke’s Inn, 767 New York Ave, Huntington; Open Mic 7:30-10p; 631-424-2181
Fridays:
East Enders Coffee Shop, 50 East Main Street, Riverhead; 631-727-2656 Michele Monté www.michelemonte.com followed by Open Mike 8-11p
Paradise Fellowship Coffee House ,United Church of Christ, Rte. 112; 631-384-1102
Saturdays:
Java Cafe, 660 Wellwood Ave, Lindenhurst; live acoustic music; 631-2253-1600
Sundays:
Diamonds, Lindenhurst, 516-957-0001: Sunday afternoon jam sessions sponsored by Bluegrass Club of L.I., 516-289-0330

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Community Cabaret; 40 E. 35 St. (bet Park & Madison) NYC; Bi-monthly Fridays, 7pm-9:30pm (doors open 6:30pm); turkey wraps, cheese/crackers/fruit, desserts, wine, beverages avail; Tickets: $7 in advance at www.rachelstonemusic.com & from performers; $15 at door or $10 for members, seniors, students, disabled. Info: 718-472-0102; www.rachelstonemusic

Community Church; 40 E. 35 St. (bet Park & Madison) NYC; 212-683-4988 www.ccny.org; used by various organizations. Community Cabaret bi-monthly Fridays (see above).

CUNY Graduate Center, 365 Fifth Avenue, between 34 & 35 St.

Glucksman Ireland House – see Blarney Star

Good Coffeehouse Music Parlor; Ethical Culture Society, 53 Prospect Park West, B’klyn 11215 (at 2nd St); 718-768-2972; Fridays, 8pm; $10+. www.bsec.org/events/coffeehouse/

Joe Beasley Sacred Harp Singing: 2nd Sun at St.Paul’s Church, 199 Carroll St (cr. Clinton), Brooklyn; 718-793-2848 or BJPub@Prodigy.net; 2pm followed by Pot-Luck supper.

Joe’s Pub at The Joseph Papp Public Theater, 425 Lafayette St bet. E. 4th and Astor Place; 212-967-7555; www.joespub.com

Peoples’ Voice Cafe; Sat 8PM at Workman’s Circle, 45 E. 33 St (between Park & Madison); info: 212-787-3903, www.peoplesvoicecafe.org; $10 (reduced rates for seniors)

Richmondtown Restoration, Staten Island Historical Society, 441 Clarke Ave, Staten Island; Free parking. 15-minute drive from all bridges to Staten Island. Take bus S 74 from the Staten Island Ferry.; Info: www.historicrichmondtown.org or call 718 351-1611 x241

St. Bartholomew’s Church, 109 East 50th St, Manhattan; NYFMC Sacred Harp singing on the 3rd Sunday of each month through June, 2:30 to 5:30pm — see pages 2-3

Seamen’s Church Institute, 241 Water St (north of Fulton St), 2nd floor, Manhattan; Monthly Chantery Sing 8-11pm; (donation asked). www.woodenshipsomusic.com/nychanty/nychanty.html.

South Street Seaport Museum, foot of Fulton St. at the East River in the Beekman Annex, 219 Water Street, at Beekman, 1 block north of Fulton St and the East River. Sea Music, First Sunday; 3pm 212-691-7243; see page 2

Uptown coffeehouse, Ethical Culture Soc, 4450 Fieldston Rd, Riverdale (Manhattan College Pkwy); Sun 5PM, $15 adult ($13.50 seniors, students; $3 children); 718-885-2955; www.uptowncoffeehouse.org.

WMI-World Music Institute Concerts: (8:00 PM unless indicated) various locations:

Symphony Space; 2537 Bway (at 95th St), Manhattan; 212-864-5400; Town Hall, 123 W. 43 St, Manhattan, 212-840-2824; info: World Music Inst., 49 W.27 St 10001, 212-545-7536; www.hearttheworld.org

LONG ISLAND

FMOH=Huntington Folk Music Society % (PO Box 290, Huntington Station 11746) Hard Luck Cafe 1st Sat and concerts 3rd Sat each month at The Congregational Church of Huntington, 30 Washington Drive, Centerport (north side of Route 25A at Huntington border). An open mike at 7:30PM precedes each concert at 8:30Pm; 1631-425-2925 or 1631-661-1278; http://fmsny.org/ Hard Luck Cafe: 3rd Saturday of each month at The Congregational Church of Huntington, 30 Washington Drive, Centerport (north side of Route 25A at Huntington border; 8pm; refreshments available; run by Huntington FMS—see FMSOH.

IMAC: Inter-Media Art Center, 370 New York Ave, Huntington 11743; Sat’s at 9PM, some folk; 516-549-9666; www.imactheater.org

LITMA % (LI Traditional Music Assn., P.O. Box 991, Smithtown, N.Y. 11787). Music Jams last Sunday, 4-6pm in Smithtown at the Meirs House, 631-864-4601. Other Smithtown events at Smithtown Historical Society Brush Barn, 211 Main St (Rte 25 east of Rte 111), Smithtown: Community contra dances 8pm 2nd and 4th Fridays (631-369-7854); English Country Dance Beginner Workshop usually 1st Sunday 2pm (631- 673-5177); English Country Dance usually 3rd Sunday 2pm (631-757-3627); Orchestra rehearsals (516-433-4192); Music workshops and slow jams (631-427-7542); Concerts occasional 3rd Saturday 8pm (preceded by 6pm pot-luck) (631-757-5980); . Other locations: Contra dances 8pm 1st Friday Christ Church, 61 East Main St., Oyster Bay (631-864-4601); Contradances 8pm 1st Saturday Watermill Community Center (631-725-9321); Sacred Harp Sing 1pm 2nd Sunday Huntington Station and 4th Sunday in Wading River (631-325-8272); House Song Circle 2nd Saturday (631-581-5063). Info about events or LITMA: www.LITMA.org

Our Times Coffeehouse, Ethical Humanist Society, 38 Old Country Rd, Garden City (2 mi

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UPSTATE NEW YORK (also look at: The Hudson Valley Calendar: www.HVmusic.com/cgi-bin/getevent.pl?bydate=yes&fordays=12
Borderline Folk Music Club; house concerts in various Rockland Co. locations; 845-354-4586 or 201-664-6281 <solz@att.net>
Emelin Theater; Library La, Mamaroneck, 10543; 8:30Pm; 914-698-0098; $16-32 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
Friends of Music Concerts; Orange County Community College, 115 South Street, Middletown (845) 342-0878 www.friendsofmusic.net; Pot Luck Share Lunch at 2:00, Concert at 3:00; $20-$35
Mainstage Coffeehouse, Westchester Arts Council, 31 Mamaroneck Ave, White Plains; 8Pm; refreshments avail; 914-949-2913; www.Mainstage.org; $25+; Shows at Irvington Town Theatre (914) 591-6602) and The Paramount Centre for the Arts (Peekskill) (914) 739-2333 Millbrook Winnery, 200 Wing Rd, Millbrook 12545, 800-662-WINW, 845-677-8383,x11; www.millbrookwine.com (summer only)
Rosendale Cafe, 434 Main St, Rosendale 12472; 845-658-9048; 9pm cover & min; www.rosendalecafe.com
Towne Crier Cafe, 62 route 22, Pawling 12564; 845-855-1300; www.townecrier.com; reservations suggested; Fri & Sat, 9Pm; Sun-Thur, 8Pm; open mic,$4, 7:30PM (5-7PM sign up); $15-25
Turning Point, 468 Piermont Ave., Piermont, Rockland County (off rte 9W south of Nyack); (845) 359-1089; food avail; www.piermont-ny.com/turning
Walkabout Clearwater Coffeehouse; 7:30PM, Memorial United Methodist Church, 250 Bryant Ave, White Plains; (914) 242-0374; www.WalkaboutClearwater.org second Sat Oct-MayNEW JERSEY
Hurdy Gurdy Folk Music Ch'se: Fairlawn Community Center, 10-10 Kipp St, Fairlawn; info: 201-384-1235, adv. tickets 201-791-2225; 1st Sat, 8pm, through May. (run by Hurdy Gurdy Folk Music Club %); <info@hurdygurdyfolk.org>; www.hurdygurdyfolk.org.)
Minstrel Coffeehouse; Fri, 8:30pm, $5 (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
Princeton Folk Music Soc. %(POB 427, Princeton 08540); usually crcnts 3rd Fri. at Christ Congregation Church, 55 Walnut Lane (across from Princeton HS), Princeton; $15 ($10 NYPFMC memb); info: Justin Kodner, 609-799-0944; <info@princetonfolk.org> www.princetonfolk.org
CONNECTICUT (Southern New England-WWUH FOLKFONE: 860-768-5000) Acoustic Cafe, 2926 Fairfield Ave, Bridgeport, 06605; Tuesdays open mic; 1-203-355-3655, www.acousticcafe.com Audubon Society, 1361 Main St.(rt.17), Glastonbury: on Fri, 7:30Pm; 860-633-8023; www.ctaudubon.org/centers/glastonbury/ glastonbury.htm.Branford Folk Music Society, FIrst Cong. Ch, 1009 Main St, Branford, 8pm; 1-203-488-7715, <branfordfolk@yahoo.com>, http://folknotes.org/branfordfolk/ Roaring Brook Concerts; Roaring Brook Nature Cent, 70 Gracey Rd, Canton; Sat’s, 7:30pm; Open Mike one Wed, 7:30pm (open thru April); 1-860-693-0263, www.roaringbrook.orgRoots Music Coffeehouse- In the Common Ground Annex dance studio; 345 Main St. Danbury. http://www.rootsmusiccoffeehouse.com
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, Cheshire, CT 06410; 203-272-8404; http://folknotes.org.
Univ. of Hartford - (W)Wilde Auditorium or (M)Millard Auditorium, 200 Bloomfield Ave. (Rt. 189), W. Hartford; Fridays 7:30:1-860-768-4228 or 1-800-274-8587
Vanilla Bean Café, corner of 44, 169 & 97, Pomfret; 8pm Sat eve’s plus first Fri open mike, 860-928-1562; www.thevanillabeancafe.com; $5-15

Additions and Corrections to this list are most welcome! Send all location info to: Don Wade, 35-41 72nd St, Jackson Heights 11372; 718-426-8555, <DonWade@donwade.us>.
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  > MARI PUB> Brooklyn Union Grass Co.
  > EAGLE> The Flying Cloud, High Lonesome, Big Apple Bluegrass Band, Way Of The World
  > ARTURO’S> Richard Pinkston/James Nigro
  > FLUSHING LOCAL> Ephraim Jaronowski/Peter Janovsky, Sons Of The Underbrush, Paul Kaplan/Jim Lucas, Murray Cartan, Toby Fagenson
  > O’LUNNEY’S> Cobble Mountain Band, Groundspeed, Johnston Brothers, Arm & Hammer String Band, Wildcat Creek
  > BELLS OF HELL> Flying Cloud, Mike Agronoff, Margaret Grover/Zazu saz, Chris King and Mike O’Brien
  > SCENE ONE> Susanna Curran
  > NYU> Doc Watson/Bill Harrell
  > ALTERNATIVE CENTER> Dewan Motihar/Kamla Motihar, The String Trio Of New York, Ivy-Covered Walls
  > CASA GALICIA> Yiddish concert, Zenska Pesna
  > FOCUS> John Roberts, Hank & Sandy Bradley, Fly By Night String Band
  > CENTERFOLD> Diamonds In The Rough, John Farrell/Shelley Papernik, Alan Arbesfeld
  > FOLKLORE CENTER> Andy Statman and Zev Feldman
  > RAINBOW> Toby Fagenson
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Does anyone have a flyer, program or poster from Fox Hollow 1974 and 1975? I’ve put together memorabilia for our Morris team would love to include it. Also, I’m currently working on a book of pre-1970 concert posters, handbills, and fliers with Paul Grushkin, including all genres of music from 1920 through 1969. If anybody saved any coffee house flyers, Newport Folk Festival posters, or concert posters of any type of music, I would love to photograph them. As a collector, I also pay much higher than ebay or auction house prices for the same items. You can see some of the stuff in my collection at my website: http://www.kardboardkid.com. Mitch Diamond, 781-391-4951
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