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A Little of What You Fancy
Friday, April 11, 2008
8pm at OSA 220 E. 23rd Street, suite 707

The Society’s web page: http://www.folkmusicny.org
**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). Subways: “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.

**SING INTO SPRING: 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](http://www.freddysbackroom.com/directions.htm) Parking is relatively easy on Sunday. Call for driving directions. Further info: Jerry Epstein (718) 429-3437.

**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.

Society 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. (Cats in residence.) Space is limited; call for info and reservations: 718-672-6399.

**FOLK OPEN SING;** Wednesdays, April 2nd; and May 7th; 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

**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 Continued on next page
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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'..."Tapestory" (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.

SEA MUSIC CONCERTS; Sundays, April 6th; and May 4th; 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, April 6 - David Jones.
Sunday, May 4 - Mrs. & Mr. Milner

A LITTLE OF WHAT YOU FANCY, Friday, April 11th, 8 PM☺

Songs and recitations from the great Victorian and Edwardian era of the English Music Hall and the Vaudeville Stage. Murray Callahan, David Jones, and Heather Wood will provide the bill of fare, with the infamous Dr. Jerome at the keyboard. Songs of entertaining sadness, of damsels in distress (and even sometimes enjoying it), of a bit of bubbly and fine comradeship, of all those things that made for popular entertainment in a time a bit more simple, it would seem, than what songs are about today. Our performers are as good as you can find these days at bringing out the soul of this period and a twinkle and a tear in the eye. And the good doctor will provide tasteful and sensitive accompaniment. The performers will perform in some approximation of the costume of the period, and we invite the public to dress up for the occasion. Make it an event, not just a concert. Let’s recreate a grand old time, since we all know the old days were much better than they actually were!


CHANTEY SING; Saturday, April 12th; 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.

SACRED HARP SINGING AT ST. BART’S; Sunday, April 20th; 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

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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. www.manhattansing.org/.

**FMSNY NIGHT AT THE YIPPIE MUSEUM;** Thursday, April 24<sup>th</sup>; 8-10 PM

Join fellow Folk Music Society members in a participatory sing-around at one of New York’s hippest venues. Bring songs to share, especially songs with choruses or refrains. The Yippie Museum is located at 9 Bleecker Street (between Elizabeth Street and the Bowery) in Lower Manhattan, 212-677-5918. Free admission, bring your own refreshments. This event may be videotaped for later broadcast on cable TV. Info: 212-957-8386.

**NEWSLETTER MAILING;** Tuesday, April 29<sup>th</sup>; 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.

**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.

**Traditional Singing Workshop**

Saturday and Sunday, May 3-4, 2008--Advance Registration Required

Jerry Epstein will give an intensive 2-day workshop for singers at all levels, in every aspect of the singing of folk songs covering using the voice with freedom and power, holding pitch, and stylistic aspects that make a song memorable. Jerry has been leading these workshops for more than 30 years in the northeastern U.S., in England, Scotland, and Australia.

Registrants should be able to carry a tune and should have a few songs to work on. The sessions are informal, individualized, and supportive. Each participant will work on a song in each of the four sessions. Other attendees give their immediate reactions, enabling the participant to remove obstacles to the most immediate and effective delivery, the most natural sound, and the best narrative.

The sessions will be morning and afternoon of each day. The location is the upper West side of Manhattan. Full weekend registration is $75 for FMSNY members, $85 non-members. Registration for one day is possible only on a space-available basis. For questions, call Jerry at (718) 429-3437. **Register in advance** by sending your phone number, email address and a check made out to ‘FMSNY’ to Alan Friend, Education Chair, 440 Fifth Street, (NOT Avenue), Brooklyn, NY 11215. Other questions: Alan’s phone is 718-965-4074.

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Series Concerts - Free to Members 😊
Fridays, 8pm at OSA 220 E. 23rd Street, suite 707.

Fri, Apr.11: A Little of What You Fancy (Vaudeville and Music Hall)
Fri, May 16: Ian Robb, a singer and occasional writer of old songs.

Weekends

May 23-26: Spring Weekend of Music at Kislak Adult Center with Lissa Schneckenburger, Serre l’Ecoute and others--see flyer, centerfold
Oct. 17-19: Fall Weekend of Music at Fallsview Resort

House Concerts

Tue, April 1: Dean Windemuller, 7:30pm, Jackson Heights, Queens; see p.3
Fri, April 4: Lori Holland, 8pm, at Ziv/Rubin’s, Upper West Side; see p.3
Fri, May 30: Alan Friend, 8pm, at Ziv/Rubin’s, Upper W. Side; 718-965-4074
Sun, Sept.21: Jeff Warner, 2pm in Sparrowbush, NY

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, Apr.6: David Jones
Sun, May 4: Mrs. & Mr. Milner

Workshops and Special Programs

May 3-4: Traditional Singing Workshop; Advance registration required
-- see page 4
Sat, June 21: Make Music N.Y.
Nov. 14-16: Eisteddfod-NY, our Folk Festival in Jackson Heights, Queens.
Fri, Dec. 12 Nowell Sing We Clear (location tba).

Informal Jams and Sings

Thur, Apr.24: FMSNY Night at the Yippie Museum, 8pm in East Village
Sat, May 17: Singing Party at Gail and Bob Levine-Fried’s in Brooklyn

Folk Open Sing: First Wednesday of each month (Apr. 2, May 7, etc); 7-10 pm;
Ethical Culture Society in Brooklyn.

Gospel & Sacred Harp Sing: Sun, March 30 in Brooklyn,
Sacred Harp Singing at St.Bartholomew’s in Manhattan, Third Sunday thru June,
April 20, May 18, June 15..

Chantey Sing at Seamen’s Church Institute, South Street Seaport; 8pm, Saturdays: April 12, May 17, June 21, July 12, and Aug.23.

Pub Night: Sing into Spring: Sunday March 30, 7-10pm at Freddy’s Back Room, 6 Ave & Dean St, Brooklyn.

Business Meetings, etc.

Newsletter Mailing, Tuesday, April 29, 7pm in Queens--see page 4.
Executive Board Meeting: 2nd Monday: April 14, May 12, 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 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?

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Weekend Coordinator: Joy C. Bennett

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FOLK FONE, 718-651-1115

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)
The Folk Music Society of N.Y., Inc/ N.Y. Pinewoods Folk Music Club presents

A Little of What You Fancy

Friday, April 11, 2008 at 8:00 PM

Songs of Music Hall & Vaudeville
At OSA, 220 E. 23 Street, Suite 707
(between 2 & 3 Ave)

Songs and recitations from the great Victorian and Edwardian era of the English Music Hall and the Vaudeville Stage. David Jones, Heather Wood, and Murray Callahan, will provide the bill of fare, with the infamous Dr. Jerome at the keyboard. Songs of entertaining sadness, of damsels in distress (and even sometimes enjoying it), of a bit of bubbly and fine comradeship, of all those things that made for popular entertainment in a time a bit more simple, it would seem, than what songs are about today. Our performers are as good as you can find these days at bringing out the soul of this period and a twinkle and a tear in the eye. And the good doctor will provide tasteful and sensitive accompaniment. The performers will perform in costume of the period, and we invite the public to dress up for the occasion.

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.folkconcert4.eventbrite.com.

Information 718-672-6399
or www.folkmusicny.org
April is here with a plethora of musical events. Our series concert will have “A Little of What You Fancy”—you can even dress up if you want. Check the flyer and the blurb. It will be a blast and a way to finally shake off the winter doldrums. In addition we have house concerts—Dean Windemuller, and Lori Holland. Don’t forget the Sea Music concerts, the Chantey sing and the Gospel and Sacred Harp and Sacred Harp sings. Join us at the Yippie Museum.

Another workshop is coming up in May—Traditional Singing workshop. Space is very limited so sign up quick. In addition, our Spring Weekend is open for registration. It will be exciting and fun—so register starting now! See flyer in centerfold. Also, we now have an arrangement with the Folk Project for the weekends. Their members can attend our weekend at member’s rates and we can attend their weekends at their member’s rates (see page 17).

Thank you to the folks who mailed out the newsletter. They could always use more help. The following volunteers showed up at the March mailing but had to stop working when it was discovered that the printer had accidently reprinted the February Issue: Edward Coyle, Maddy de Leon, Isabel Goldstein, MaryJane Heyer, Brenda Pena, Eileen Pentel, Anne Price, and Marcus Tieman who was on his way to the mailing but turned back when he learned it was cancelled. When the March issue was printed the volunteers who put it together were Alan Friend, Rosalie Friend, Eileen Pentel, Steve Suffet, and Don Wade. Won’t you join us and help mail out the next newsletter on April 29? (See page 4.)

**CALLING ALL PERFORMERS**

Make Music, NY will again take place on Saturday, June 21, 2008. This is a citywide event where all the nooks and crannies of New York City will be full of people making music. This year the Folk Music Society will participate. We will have 4 sites on Broadway in Manhattan from 4 PM to 6 PM followed by a singing party from 6 PM to 9 PM. We have not yet selected the exact locations on Broadway.

For the slots from 4 PM to 6 PM, we will be selecting musicians for either a ½ hour or 1 hour slot. **Spaces are limited** Please send your application to Eileen Pentel, 35-41 72nd Street, Jackson Heights, NY 11372. We are looking specifically for individuals or groups who will sing/play participatory songs, i.e., chorus songs, chanteys, etc. Remember that this will take place on the street, which can be very noisy and busy, so quiet songs might be difficult. There will be no amplification.

Individual performers can always contact Make Music directly and arrange their own schedules. Performers can of course do more than one thing. As a service, we will list all club members who are not part of the “official FMSNY sites” and where they will be in our June newsletter. To see learn more about the day in general, you can check their website at www.makemusicny.org

**Application Form—Deadline April 15, 2008**

Names____________________________________
Address_______________________________________________________________________
Telephone number_____________________ E-mail________________________
Name of group/individual (if different from above) _________________________
Genre of music—please describe what you will do:
_______________________________________________________________________

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RITA and MARK HAMBURGH traveled to Tennessee in February. Among other activities, they attended a performance of the Grand Ol’ Opry, checked out the clubs on Broadway in Nashville and Beale Street in Memphis, toured Graceland and visited the Country Music Hall of Fame and the Rock and Soul Museum. When this interesting vacation was over, they returned to their careers. Mark has a law practice in midtown concentrating in estate planning, elder-law planning, trusts and estates as well as real estate. Rita continues her career as Senior Director of Rehabilitation Therapies at New York Presbyterian Hospital. Their son and daughter, JEREMY and MICHELLE, are doing well. Jeremy is now an Assistant District Attorney in Bronx County. Michelle has graduated from college and works for a marketing firm in midtown. Each of them lives on his/her own.

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

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)  
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)

Weekend Scholarships Available

Applications are now being accepted to the Spring weekend for the George Parker Scholarship, the Mayer Scholarship and the Lil Appel Scholarship. These funds provide either full or half scholarships to individuals who could not otherwise attend and who have a strong interest in folk music, singing, and/or instrumental playing.

TO APPLY: Please ask for an application from the address below. The most important considerations are financial need and interest in folk music. The candidates will be considered and notified by mail.  
Please request an application now and send it in before April 30 to: Marilyn Suffet,  
41-05 47th Street, Sunnyside, NY 11104.  
Phone: 718-786-1533; E-mail: Suffet@att.net

Country Dance and Song Society (CDSS) 
Folk Music Week, July 19-26, 2008

CDSS has announced their schedule of summer programs. Folk Music Week is July 19-26; for more information and the dates of other weeks, go online to www.cdss.org, call 413-268-7426, or write and ask for the camps brochure: CDSS, 132 Main St, PO Box 338, Haydenville, MA 01039-0338
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 preceeding month.

Around NYC — April

1 Tu* Dean Windemuller: Hse cnrct, Jackson Hts., 7pm. See p2
1 Tu Paul Kelly: Joe’s Pub, 7pm
1 Tu Nellie McKay: Joe’s Pub, 9:30 & 11:30pm
2 We Tim O’Brien: Joe’s Pub, 7pm
2 We* Folk Open Sing: Bklyn, 7pm. See p2
3 Th Talat: Joe’s Pub, 7:30pm
4 Fr Garifuna Music of Central America: WMI, Symphony Space, 8pm
4 Fr Tim Grimm: Good CH
4 Fr* Lori Holland: House concert. 8pm. See p2-3
5 Sa Kristin Lems & KJ Denhert: Peoples’ Voice
5 Sa Johnson Girls: Richmontown Restoration
5 Sa Stephanie Wrembel: Joe’s Pub, 7:30pm
6 Su Mad Agnes: Uptown CH
6 Su* Sea Music w David Jones + NY Packet: South St. Seaport, 3pm. See p2-3
5 Sa Dhrupad Music of India: WMI, Symphony Space, 8pm
8 Tu Wailin’ Jennys: Joe’s Pub, 7:30pm
9 We Steve Suffet, Anne Price, Hillel Arnold perform the songs of Woody Guthrie: Kingsborough CC, 2001 Oriental Blvd. Bklyn. 12:30-1:40pm
9 We Shawn Mullin: Joe’s Pub 7:30pm
10 Th Shawn Mullin: Joe’s Pub, 7:30pm
11 Fr Del Rey: Good CH
11 Fr* A Little of what you fancy: at OSA, 8pm. See p3
11 Fr Fiesta Mexicana-National Heritage Masters:
12 Sa WMI, Symphony Space, 8pm
12 Sa* Ray Korona Band: Peoples’ Voice
12 Sa Chantey Sing: Seamen’s Church Inst. 8pm. See p2-3
12 Sa Masters of Indian Music: WMI, Symphony Space, 8pm
13 Su Joe Beasley Sacred Harp Sing C.J.Chenier & the Red Hot Louisiana Band: Connolly’s. Ellis Paul: family matinee: Joe’s Pub, 12pm
15 Tu Marcia Ball: Highline Ballroom. 431 W. 16th St. NYC, 8:15pm
16 We Ozan Aksoy Trio w The CUNY Middle Eastern Music Ensemble: CUNY Graduate Ctr. 7:30pm. 212 817-8607
16 We Laura Cantrell: Joe’s Pub, 7:30pm
18 Fr Bev Grant & the Dissident Daughters + Jean Rohe & Band: Good CH
18 Fr Dana Lyn & Tina Lech: Blarney Star at NYU
18 Fr Sounds of the Desert-Niger: WMI, Symphony Space, 8pm
19 Sa Harbortown Revue: Richmontown
19 Sa Rumba Cubana: WMI, Symphony Space, 8pm
19 Sa Salt & Samovar: Joe’s Pub, 11:30pm
20 Su Paula Cole: Joe’s Pub, 7:30 & 9:30pm
20 Su Rosie Ledet & The Zydeco Playboys: Connolly’s
20 Su Sacred Harp Sing: St. Bart’s, 2:30pm. See p2-3
23 We Melissa Errico: Joe’s Pub, 7:30pm
24 Th Pharoah’s Daughter: Joe’s Pub, 9:30pm

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24 Th* FMSNY Night at the Yippie Museum - see p.4

25 Fr Nick Katzman-Blues & Ragtime Guitar: Good CH

26 Sa Terry Kitchen /Heather Lev: Peoples’ Voice

26 Sa Zakir Hussain’s Masters of Percussion: WMI, Town Hall, 8pm

26 Sa Dirdy Birdies Jug Band: Richmontown

26 Sa Rachelle Garniez & the Fortuna: Joe’s Pub, 9:30 & 11:30pm

27 Su Groove Lily: Joe’s Pub, 7:30pm

29 Tu* Newsletter Mailing - see p.4

29 Tu Blues Harp Blowout: B.B. King’s, 8pm

30 We Willie Nelson Birthday Tribute: B.B. King’s

Around NYC — May

2 Fr Metro Folk Band-Hungarian Folk Music: Good CH

2 Fr Qi Shu Fang Peking Opera: WMI, NYU Skirball Ctr, 8pm

2 Fr Josh Joplin: Joe’s Pub, 7pm

3 Sa Steve Suffet/Joel Landy: Peoples’ Voice

3 Sa Qawwali of Pakistan: WMI, NYU Skirball Ctr, 8pm

3 Sa Rani Arbo & Daisy Mayhem: Joe’s Pub, 7:30pm

3-4* Trad. Singing Workshop; see p.4

4 Su* Sea Music at the Seaport-see p2

4 Su Li’l Mo & The Monicats: Connolly’s.

5 Mo Tina Dico: Joe’s Pub, 7:30pm

7 We* Folk Open Sing: Bklyn, 7pm. See p2

Long Island — April

5 Sa Mike Agranoff: FMSOH

13 Su Shape Note Sing: LITMA, Huntington Sta. 1:30-5:30pm

19 Sa Karyn Oliver & Marc Douglas Berardo: FMSOH, Hard Luck Café

27 Su Shape Note Sing: LITMA, Wading River, 1:30-5:30pm

27 Su Instrumental Jam Session: LITMA, Smithtown, 4-6pm

New York State — April

3 Th The Greencards: Turning Pt., 7:30pm

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., 7pm

5 Sa Fred Eaglesmith Band: Rosendale

6 Su Greg Brown w Sarah Lee Guthrie & Johnny Irion: Towne Crier, 8pm

6 Su Eric Anderson: Turning Pt, pm

7 Mo Marty Ballin: Turning Pt., 7:30pm

8 Tu David Freiberg: Turning Pt., 7:30pm

11 Fr Spinney Brothers; Emelin

11 Fr Prof. Louie and the Crowmatix: Turning Pt, 9pm

12 Sa The Ebony Hillbillies: Walkabout Clearwater CH

12 Sa Memorial Concert for John Stewart w Jim Dawson, Roseanne Cash & Dave Batti: Towne Crier

13 Su Munnelly, Flaherty & Masure: Towne Crier, 7:30pm

13 Su Shawn Mullins: Turning Pt., 4pm

18 Fr Adrenaline Hayride: Towne Crier, 9pm

19 SA Eddy “The Chief” Clearwater: Turning Pt., 9:30

19 Sa Cherish the Ladies: Towne Crier, 9pm

20 Su Vance Gilbert: Friends of Music, 3pm

20 Su C.J. Chenier &The Red Hot Louisiana Band: Towne, 8pm

25 Fr Josh Ritter: Mainstage; Paramount Ctr, Peekskill, 8pm

25 Fr The Persuassions: Turning Pt., 9pm

25 Fr Maura O’Connell: Towne Crier, 9pm

26 Sa Dan Lavoie + Port O’ Monkeys: Common Ground

26 Sa April Verch Band: Rosendale

26 Sa Work o’ the Weavers: Turning Pt., 6pm

26 Sa Gandalf Murphy & The Slambovian Circus of Dreams: Mainstage, 8pm

27 Su Irish Song & Tune Session: Rosendale Café, 4pm

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### Repeating Events

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# = new or changed item. % = organization with newsletter

### 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, <bradelinhorn@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. tending toward old-time/bluegrass; www.parksidelounge.com

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**Connecticut** — April

- **5 Sa** Cheryl Wheeler: U. of Hartford, 7:30pm
- **5 Sa** Harvey Reid: Roaring Brook
- **6 Su** Ronny Cox: Temple Shearith Israel, Ridgefield, 7pm

- **11 Fr** David Munnely, Helen Flaherty, Philip Masure: U. of Hartford

- **12 Sa** Connecticut Troubadors-Past & Present: Sounding Board
- **12 Sa** Gordon Bok: Branford Folk
- **12 Sa** Jeffrey Foucault: Roaring Brook

- **12 Sa** The Machine performs Pink Floyd: U. of Hartford, 7:30pm
- **13 Su** David Jacobs-Strain + Barry Finch: Temple Shearith Israel, Ridgefield, 7pm

- **19 Sa** Gideon Freudmann: Sounding Board

- **25 Fr** The Kennedys: U. of Hartford, 7:30pm

- **26 Sa** Tom Lewis: Branford Folk CH
- **26 Sa** Maggie: Good Folk CH

**Connecticut** — May

- **3 Sa** Last Fair Deal: Sounding Board
- **3 Sa** Eliza Gilkyson: Roaring Brook
- **8 Th** Arlo Guthrie: U. of Hartford
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Instructional Session, Sackett St in Carroll Gardens, Brooklyn, 8-11pm; information: bhs@juneapple.org; 415-613-1409

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Iona, 180 Grand Street (between Bedford and Driggs), Williamsburg, Brooklyn; 2nd & 4th Mon; 7:30 – 10pm: The Moonshiners String Band; www.myspace.com/themoonshinersnyc. 169 Bar, 169 E. Broadway (Canal, Essex & Rutgers) 212-437-8866; Country Jam 8:30-11:30 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/; Thrusdays:

Freddys, Dean St & Sixth Ave, Brooklyn, 718-622-7035; Old-Time Jam, 9-12pm 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, 3rd Sat, Sheriff Sessions, American Roots Music, 9pm,

Nolita House, 47 E Houston St, Between Mott & Mulberry Sts, (212) 625-1712; http://nolitahouse.com/events.html: Bluegrass Brunch, 12:30pm

Sunny’s. 253 Conover St (between Reed & Beard St) Red Hook, Brooklyn, Every Sat. Bluegrass & Misc. Jam in the back; Sometimes also a performing group in the front. 718-625-8211; 9 PM

NYC GENERAL REPEATING MUSIC: multi-day:

BB King’s Blues Club, 237 W. 42nd St, 1-212-997-4144; www.bbkingsblues.com various live music all week

Banjo Jim’s, 9th St. and Ave. C; 212-777-0869; various kinds of live music Tuesday through Saturday; Open mic Sun 2pm, Irish session Tue 10pm, http://www.banjojims.com; I drink minimum plus cover for performers ]

Blah Blah Restaurant & Lounge, 501 11th St. (bet 7 & 8 Ave.). Brooklyn; 718-369-2524; Open Mic Mon & Wed at 8

C Note. 157 Ave C (10 St); 212-677-8142 performances nightly 7-11pm with Songwriter’s open mike Sun’s

The Ear Inn, 326 Spring St; 212-226-9060; Mon’s & Wed’s

Muddy Cup Cafe, 388 Van Duzer Street, Staten Island; performances Fri & Sat, 8-11pm; open mic, every other Monday, 7pm; 718-818-8100; No cover; www.muddycup.com/mudlane/

Orange Bear, 47 Murray St; 212-566-3705; Mon’s @ 7pm, bands & singers; Sun’s 6-9pm, open mic

Paddy Reilly’s, 519 2 Ave, Manhattan (29 St) 212-686-1210; nightly music 9:30pm:

Sat Songwriter Folk/Rock & Country, 7pm; (see also Irish multi-day listings); Yellowbarber@ aol.com; 212-686-1210

Sidewalk Cafe, 94 Ave A (6 St): 212-473-7373; Antihoot Mon’s @ 7-30, perform- ers nightly; www.antifolk.net

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

Mondays:

Baggot Inn, 82 West Third St bet Sullivan & Thompson, 212-477-0622, Open mike; 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

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


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

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**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. Chanters 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>

**Langston Hughes Community Library & Cultural Center**, Queens Public Library; 102-09 Northern Blvd, Corona; monthly open mic nights, 7:30pm; 5 min. each for poets, singers, dancers, writers, playwrights, storytellers (any bands must be acoustic); free

**Old Stone Coffeehouse**, 336 3rd St between 4th & 5th Ave., in J.J. Byrne Park, Park Slope, Brooklyn. Third Thursdays, 8pm; 917-541-7076; stammers@stammers.com

**Unknown Pub**, 355 Prospect Av, Park Slope, Bklyn; Open Mic 8pm; 718-788-9140

**Workmen’s Circle Chorus**, 45 E 33 St; 6-8pm; (Yiddish music) Info: 212-889-6800.

**Yippie Museum Café**, 9 Bleecker St (near Bowery, 6 and F train stops); free music, 8-10pm; www.singfreedon.org, joellandy@yahoo.com, 917-279-3141

**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

**New York Caledonian Club %**: Ceilidh, First Fri, call for infoo (PO Box 4542, NYC 10163; 212-724-4978)

**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 www.cc.columbia.edu/~cryp/

**Saturdays:**

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

**Twenty-two Below** “The Non-smoking Cabaret”; Gustavus Adolphus Lutheran Ch, 155 E.22 St, 212-228-0750 or 212-674-0739; 9pm

**Sundays:**

**Baggot Inn**, 82 West Third St bet Sullivan & Thompson, 212-477-0621; 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.thebitterendjannyc.com; Open mic every other Sun at 10pm

**The C-Note** 157 Avenue C (10th St.), 212-677-8142; Open Mic for Singer/ Songwriters; 5? 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: 212-886-4454.

**Klezmer Sundays at Tonic**: 1:30 & 3 pm; Tonic, 107 Norfolk St; 212-358-7503; $10; food & drink available; <www.tonic107.com>

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

**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

**Shape Note Sing**: St. Bartholomew’s Church in Manhattan, enter 109 East 50th, between Lexington and Park Avenues, Room 33 (3rd fl); 3rd Sundays through June, 2:30-6 pm.: 212-750-8977

**Three Jolly Pigeons**, 6802 3rd Ave, Brooklyn., Open Mic last Sun, 8pm.

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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.

For a listing of Dance events, see the September 2002 issue. Most of the events in
the listings are not run by the Club, and the information given is the best available at press
time. Additions and corrections to this list are most welcome! Send location info to:
Don Wade, 35-41 72nd St, Jackson Heights, NY 11372; E-Mail: Don@donwade.us.
#=new information or listing; % = Folk Society with a newsletter which lists area events.

AROUND TOWN (The 5 boroughs of NYC); FOLKFONE: (718) 651-1115
BB King’s Blues Club, 237 W. 42nd St, 212-997-4144; www.bbkingsblues.com
Blarney Star Productions at Glucksman Ireland House at New York University, 1 Washington
Mews (enter on 5th Ave off Washington Sq); 9pm 212-998-3950, www.blarneystar.com
Connolly’s. 121 W. 45th St; .212 597-5126
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
Irish Arts Center/An Claidheamh Soluis, 553 W. 51 St, Manhattan; 212-757-3318; classes,
wrkshps, concerts, dances, ceilís with dance, music & song. Info: 718-441-9416 (for
theatre & classes, call IAC directly); www.inx.net/~mardidom/rchome.htm
Joe Beasley Sacred Harp Singing: 2nd Sun at St.Paul’s Church, 199 Carroll St (cr. Clinton),
Brooklyn; 2pm followed by Pot-Luck supper. 718-793-2848 or BJPub@Prodigy.net;
www.manhattansing.org/
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)
Richmond Town 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  for
information
St. Baratolomew’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. www.manhattansing.org/
— see pages 2-3
Seamen’s Church Institute, 241 Water St (north of Fulton St), 2nd floor, Manhattan; Monthly
Chantey Sing 8-11pm; (donation asked). www.woodenshipsmusic.com/nychanty/
nychanty.html.
Skirball Ctr. NYU, 566 LaGuardia Place (Washington Square South); 1-212 992-8484;
www.skirballcenter.nyu.edu/
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
Symphony Space; 95 St & Bway, Manhattan; 212-864-5400; www.symphonyspace.org
Town Hall, 123 W. 43 St, Manhattan, 212-840-2824; Ticketmaster 212-307-7171
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..
WMF-World Music Institute Concerts: (8:00 PM unless indicated) various locations:
Skirball Ctr. NYU, 566 LaGuardia Place (Washington Square South); 1-212 992-8484;
Symphony Space; 2537 Bway (at 95th St), Manhattan; 212-864-5400; Town Hall, 123
W. 43 St, Manhattan, 212-840-2824; Zankel Hall at Carnegie Hall, 57 St & 7th Ave,
Manhattan; 212-247-7800; info: World Music Inst., 49 W.27 St 10001, 212-545-7536;
www.heartheworld.org
Yippie Museum Café, 9 Bleecker St (near Bowery, 6 and F train stops)

The Society’s web page: http://www.folkmusicny.org

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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://fmshny.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.

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); Annual Fiddle, Dance and Song Festival in August (631-864-4601). Other locations: Contra dances 8pm 1st Friday Christ Church, 61 East Main St., Oyster Bay (631-864-4601); Contradances 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

UPSTATE NEW YORK (also look at: The Hudson Valley Calendar: www.HVmusic.com/cgi-bin/getevent.pl?bydate=yes&fordays=12)

Emelin Theater; Library La, Mamaroneck, 10543; 8:30Pm; 914-698-0098; $16-32
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
Friends of Music: Victorian Mansion 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, 25; www.Mainstage.org; $25+; Shows at Irvington Town Theatre (914) 591-6602 and The Paramount Centre for the Arts (Peekskill) (914) 739-2333
Rosedale 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-May

NEW JERSEY
Hurdy Gurdy Folk Music C’hse: 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@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 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 Princeton Folk Music Soc. % (POB 427, Princeton 08540); usually concerts 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

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You are invited to attend
The Folk Project
Backstage Festival
May 9, 10, 11

Featuring Cheryl Wheeler, Bob Franke, Straight Drive.
Caller: Peter Blue Dance Band: The Avant Gardeners

In the largest environmental education camp in NJ with a 110 acre lake. Spend a May weekend in the Kittatinny Mountains, near the Delaware Water Gap

It’s called the Backstage Festival to describe an intimate festival experience. Concert seating is within 50 feet of the performers – leave your binoculars home. Performers are on site full time (Cheryl Wheeler Saturday all day). You can meet, eat with, (maybe) jam with, the performers – no golf carts whizzling by. All events are inside, but there’s a wide porch to hang out on, and acres of open space. And the space stays open – attendance is limited to 250 including staff. To see what it’s like, check the web site for prize-winning photos of our Fall 2007 Festival.

There will be 3 concerts, 5 dances, and more than 30 workshops. We have a tradition of highlighting our own members. FP performers are Peter Fischman and Deb O’Hanlon, Ken Galipeau, Sonas, Frank (Sole) and Hank (Nerenberg). Workshops are participatory, and include Songwriting with Bob Franke, Magic of the Moment with Cheryl Wheeler, instrument-specific techniques with Straight Drive and others, English dance, contra dance quirks, gospel, a host of outdoor activities with the camp staff, children’s activities, nature activities, and more. And you can just “hang out” – read a good book, check out the lake, jam, take a walk, do something that feels good, whatever that is, all weekend.

NY Pinewoods/Folk Music Society of New York members can register at Folk Project member rates – a $20.00 discount.

For more information on The Folk Project Backstage Festival including performer details, a complete schedule, brochure, registration forms, fees, day passes, and discounts, check out our website at http://festival.folkproject.org.

You can register online, download the registration form, or contact Registrar John Sarney by mail for information – send a self-addressed stamped envelope to FPF Registrar, 62 Harrison Ave., Montclair, NJ 07042. By phone – (973) 509-1014.

CONNECTICUT (Southern New England- WWUH FOLKFONE: 860-768-5000)
Branford Folk Music Society, FIrst Cong. Ch, 1009 Main St, Branford, 8pm; 1-203-488-7715, <branfordfolk@yahoo.com>, http://folknotes.org/branfordfolk/ [12-03-sounding]
Good Folk Cfehse., Rowayton United Meth. Church; Rowayton Av & Pennoyer St.;
Rowayton; 8pm; 203-866-4450; goodfolk@yahoo.com, www.goodfolkcoffeehouse.com
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.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, 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

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Here are some club happenings as reported in the April, 1978 newsletter:

• The club presented, in concert:
  The Boys Of The Lough at the Ethical Culture Society Auditorium
  Harry Tuft at Our Lady Of Peace Church
  Jeff Warner and Jeff Davis at Metropolitan Duane Hall
  Alistair Anderson at the Focus

• New members included Eileen Pentel, Elliott Charles Shapiro, and Beverly Leffers

• A singing party was held at the home of the Gershowitzes.

• Folk music around town included:
  FOCUS2> Debby McClatchy, Pete Kairo, Lorre Wyatt;
  RAINBOW> Hugh O’Doherty;
  FLUSHING LOCAL> Larry Cole/Mary Grace, Bob Rodriguez/Jo Ellen Patchelbel, Pat Logan/Elliot Semel Jazz Ensemble;
  EAGLE> Elaine Silver, Wretched Refuse, Delaware Water Gap, Hank Sapoznick, High Lonesome, Fly By Night String Band;
  ARTURO’S> Richard Pinkston/James Nigro, Sons Of The Underbrush;
  NYU> J. D. Crowe;
  CAPULET’S> Diamonds In The Rough;
  POSTCRYPT> Corkie & Carolann Hawley;
  CENTERFOLD> Andy Polon/Anne Weiss, Bes’ Friends/Daniel Conley, Muse/Lee Gross, Gregory Griscuolo/Ken Laufer;
  FOLKLORE CENTER> X Seamen’s Institute;
  GOOD> Andy Polon, David Jones & Charles O’Hegarty, Peter Janovsky;
  CARNEGIE HALL> Mary O’Hara;
  BOB RODRIGUEZ’ HOME> Elaine Silver.

30 Years Ago This Month
compiled by Harvey Binder

PEOPLES’ VOICE
Our 29th Season
Peoples’ Voice Cafe
at the Workmen’s Circle
45 E. 33rd St., New York City
between Park & Madison Avenues
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