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**Events Details**

**CHANTEY BLAST PUB SING; Saturday, Jan. 3rd; 1-5 pm in Mystic Connecticut**

Sponsored with the Friends of the Mystic Sea Festival, with the support of FMSNY and other Societies, there will be a special fundraiser for the 30th Annual Mystic Sea Music Festival. It will be held at Frohsinn Hall (aka the German Club), 54 Greenmanville Ave, Mystic, CT. Suggested donation is $15, for reservations call 860-572-5331 or email smf@mysticseaport.org.

**FOLK OPEN SING; Wednesdays, Jan. 7th; and Feb. 4th 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, Folk Music Society of NY/PFMC, Alison Kelley, and Frank Woerner. Info: Frank, 212-533-2139, or Laura, 718-788-7563.

**CHANTEY SING; Saturday, January 10th; 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. small donation. 718-788-7563

**SING BACK THE SUN -- MUSIC FOR THE RENEWAL OF LIFE Sunday, January 11th, 7 PM**

An informal gathering of friends we know and friends we haven’t met yet who enjoy a pint or two and some good pub songs and stories. Good cheer, good drink. Not a concert, all are welcome to participate, bring a song, a poem, a recitation, especially things in which others can participate, songs with choruses are especially welcome. Celebrate the New Year. Probably a lot of English Pub songs will be heard, but all kinds are welcome. Instruments are welcome, and tunes as well as songs will be gladly received. Lift your voices and celebrate warmth of community in the dead of winter.

AT: Freddy’s Backroom, 485 Dean St. at 6th Ave. Brooklyn, NY 11217, 718-622-7035. Admission is free. Further information from Jerry Epstein at 718-429-3437. Co-sponsored with the Park Slope Food Coop --this joint event is an outreach to a wider community. All welcome.

**SACRED HARP SINGING AT ST. BART’S; Sunday, Jan. 18th; 2:30 pm**

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, www.manhattansing.org.

**NEWSLETTER MAILING; Thursday, January 29th; 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

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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. (Cats in residence.) info: 718-426-8555

ROBIN ROBERTS HOUSE CONCERT, Fri., January 30th, 8 pm

Robin Roberts is multi talented, and we will have the opportunity to enjoy her songs of Ireland and England. When she went to Ireland, she collected and recorded the first record for the World Library of Folk and Primitive Music with Alan Lomax and Seamus Ennis. She has sung in France, Carnegie Hall, the Philadelphia Folk Festival; made four records--Irish Street Songs, Love Songs, Fair and Tender Ladies, and The Best of Robin Roberts, and toured the country twice with Jack Langstaff and Happy Traum in Voyages, a program of music, song and poetry. She has appeared in the Revels and done programs for Radio Erin and the BBC. She has also acted under the name of Robin Howard appearing on Broadway in “A Doll’s House”; these are only a few of her many talents and achievements. Seating is limited so register quickly for this house concert to be held at John Ziv’s and Deborah Rubin’s upper West Side home. FMSNY members $12, non-members $15, children and F/T students $6,. Call 212-662-6575. At the home of John Ziv & Deborah Rubin, 243 W. 98th St., apt 6A, near Broadway, Manhattan.

SEA MUSIC CONCERT; Sunday, February 1st; 3pm

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, $5 (child, $2), pay at the door. Feb. 1: Dan Milner’s Irish Pirate Ballads CD release. Dan’s Smithsonian Folkways recording about “pirates, shanghaiers, slavers and smugglers” debuts with the help of The New York Packet and friends from NYC’s Irish music scene

Mar. 1: Joe Stead. Joe visits from England. He is famous there for, among other things, his Valparaiso Round the Horn recording which incorporates a trip from Liverpool to Valparaiso in 1860

GOSPEL & SACRED HARP SING; Sunday, February 1st; 3:30pm

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 Charlotte Ehrman, 225 W 70 St., Manhattan (between B’way/Amsterdam intersection and West End Ave.), apt. 4-C, ring intercom 21 (1-212-724-9316). Subway: IRT 1,2, or 3 train to 72 St. or IND “C” train to 72 St, (longer walk). Other info: Isabel, 212-866-2029.

Blues Guitar Workshop w/ Andy Cohen

Sunday, March 1 (Date tentative, could be Saturday)

The location is the upper West side of Manhattan. The date is tentatively set for Sunday but it could be changed to Saturday depending on the participants --we need to hear from you so we can set up the workshop. If you are interested please contact our Education Chair Alan Friend <a.friend@mindspring.com> now. Questions? Alan's phone is 718-965-4074.

The Society’s web page: www.folkmusicny.org
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 10019 or from the Office of Charities Registration, N.Y. Dept. of State, 162 Washington Av, Albany, NY 12232.

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? 2008 Board of Directors:

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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)

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Topical Listing of Society Events

Weekends

Feb. 6-8: Winter Weekend of Music at Warwick Conference Center
May 22-25: Spring Weekend of Music at Kislak Adult Center, Lake Como, PA with Danny Spooner and others

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

Fri, Feb 27: Andy Cohen
Fri, Mar.13: Magnolia Sisters
Fri, May 15: Joe Jencks
Fri, June 19: Annie and the Hedonists

House Concerts

Fri, Jan. 30: Robin Roberts, 8pm at the Ziv/Rubin’s, upper West Side
Sat, Feb.28: Double Trouble house concert 8 PM in Brooklyn
Fri, Apr.24: Woody Rediscovered workshop with Steve Suffet and Anne Price in South Orange, NJ
Fri, May 29: Nightingale

South Street Seaport Sea Music Concerts

Co-sponsored with the South St. Seaport Museum. Performers with the NY Packet; in the Melville Gallery, 209 Water St. First Sundays at 3pm.

Jan. 4: no concert
Feb. 1: Dan Milner’s Irish Pirate Ballads CD release
Mar. 1: Joe Stead

Special Programs and Workshops

Sun, Mar. 1: Andy Cohen Blues Guitar Workshop---see page 3
Fri, Apr.17 John McCutcheon at Community Church, 8pm, 40 E. 35 St

Informal Jams and Sings

Sat, Jan. 3 Chantey Blast Pub Sing, 1-5pm in Mystic CT
Sun, Jan.11: Sing Back the Sun -- Songs for the Renewal of Life, 7 to 10 pm, at Freddy’s Back Room, off Flatbush Avenue Brooklyn.

Folk Open Sing: First Wednesday of each month (Jan.7, Feb.4, etc); 7-10 pm; Ethical Culture Society in Brooklyn.

Gospel & Sacred Harp Sing: Sunday, February 1, 3:30pm in Manhattan

Sacred Harp Singing at St. Bartholomew’s in Manhattan, 3rd Sunday: Jan.18, Feb.15, etc.

Chantey Sing at Seaman’s Church Institute, South Street Seaport; 8pm, Saturdays: Jan.10, Feb. 7, Mar. 14, April 11, May 16, June 06, July 11.

Business Meetings, etc.

Newsletter Mailing, Thurs, Jan 29, 7pm in Queens--see page 3.

Executive Board Meeting: Sunday Feb. 1, noon; then 2nd Monday; Feb 9, etc.; 7:15pm; at locations to be announced; call Joy at 718-575-1906

Save the date!
Saturday, March 28,2009; 1-10pm
at Little Red School House - Elisabeth Irwin High School
Happy New Year! Start the year with the Chantey Blast Pub Sing in Mystic Connecticut. We will also have the Folk Open Sing, the Chantey Sing, and the Sacred Harp Singing. Ring in the New Year at Freddy’s Back Room with the “Sing Back the Sun—Songs for the Renewal of Life” singing and instrumental party. Finish off the month with Robin Roberts’ house concert—seating is limited so register early. We are planning a blues guitar workshop with the exceptional performer Andy Cohen at the end of February. We need your help in planning the exact date so, if you are interested, please contact Alan Friend at 718-965-4074 now (see page 3).

Don’t forget to send in your registrations for our Winter Weekend of Music at Warwick. The weather may be cold, but the music will be warm as we sit in front of the fireplace and do our jigsaw puzzles. If you haven’t come to a winter weekend yet, you’re in for a treat! See you there!

By the time you get this newsletter, the results will be in from the election of Board members. Thank you to all the hard work the Board members continue to do throughout the past years and the years to come!

Thank you to the folks who mailed out the newsletter. They could always use more help. The following volunteers worked at the last mailing: Isabel Goldstein, Eileen Pentel, Anne Price, Marcus Tieman, and Don Wade. Won’t you join us and help mail out the next newsletter on Thursday, January 29? (See page 2-3.)

Weekend Help Wanted

Full and Partial Scholarships are available in exchange for work done on our folk music weekends (Spring, Fall, and Winter). Contact the Club President, Joy Bennett, 718-575-1906 if you are interested in the job below.

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

Homes For Singing Parties Wanted

Did you ever wish your house was filled with music? With guitars and banjos and voices in harmony? Host your own singing party!!

Contact Connie Schwartz: narnia5000@verizon.Net or (718) 271-8494

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If members buy recordings from Camsco Music via the internet or the toll-free line, 1-800-548-FOLK, and identify themselves as Pinewoods Club members, Camsco will donate 3% of the gross sales price of recording(s) to the Pinewoods Club.

Camsco Music, 145 Hickory Corner Road, East Windsor, NJ 08520; Dick@camscomusic.com

Volunteer Jobs Available; Mindless Work

Does your day job cause a lot of stress because you have to do too much thinking? Come and relax after work at our monthly Pinewoods newsletter mailings where all you have to do is label, staple, and stamp. Info: Isabel, 1-212-866-2029.
Folk Music Society of New York, Inc.
The Pinewoods Folk Music Club
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Jointly and proudly present

Sing Back the Sun

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.

Sunday, January 11, 7:00 pm
Bring voices, instruments, friends, family, good cheer
at Freddy’s Back Room, 485 Dean St.,
near Park Slope, Brooklyn
— Dean St. and Sixth Ave., East side of Flatbush Ave.
(left if coming from Manhattan) —

Free Admission!

All ages welcome •
All songs, tunes, stories welcome

Freddy’s has a choice selection of drink (including Guinness and Bass on draught!), but does not serve food (BYO).

Directions: M, N, R, W trains to Pacific St.; 2, 3 trains to B’ergen St.; 4, 5, Q trains to Atlantic Ave.
Parking is relatively easy on Sunday. See map here: http://www.freddysbackroom.com/directions.htm

Further info: 718-429-3437
Steve Suffet – LOW RENT DISTRICT

A New York native, Steve describes himself as “an old-fashioned folk singer in the People’s Music tradition”, with close on 40 years’ experience and a repertoire accumulated over that time that mixes topical-political folk with songs of America’s industrial heritage and old-time, blues, ragtime, gospel – sometimes unashamedly rewriting his sources as he fancies (very much in the aforementioned tradition, then).

This CD, Steve’s third, has a welcoming (and yes, distinctly “low-rent” – and proud of it!) demeanour, with an unpretentious, no-frills down-home recording that just presents Steve and a bunch of friends performing exclusively for you, right there in your very living-room. Not for Steve the manufactured product of the folk-degree perfectionist or the studio engineer – this is the real deal: folk music as the people’s entertainment, accessible and relevant but also suitably thought-provoking where required. Steve’s own songs subscribe to the Woody Guthrie/Pete Seeger ethos too: they include a rousing tribute to working men and women (Let’s Sing), a topical rewrite of The Blind Fiddler (The Blind Veteran), some perversely self-deprecatory innuendo (High Ballad Man) and a neat little commentary on urban gentrification (the title track). Steve also turns in a handful of adept and authentically realised covers, which include three lesser-known Guthrie songs and Si Kahn’s Aragon Mill.

On this recording Steve’s front-room friends include among the supporting vocalists Anne Price (with whom he’s touring the UK later this month)[October, 2008 -ed], with a handful of other musicians on banjo, fiddle, harmonica and piano at various points (and quite naturally and genially) augmenting Steve’s own plain-styled but effective guitar playing. And the whole gathering (plus audience!) gets to join in on the live bonus cut. The inevitable caveat will be that folkies of a more contemporary predisposition who would revel in (or at least expect to hear) hard-hitting strong language or more overt Bush-bashing rhetoric must look elsewhere - but there's still much to admire and enjoy in Steve’s brand of social and political comment, which belongs unequivocally to what might best be termed the old school of protest-folk, determinedly – and unashamedly – old-fashioned… and timeless in its own way. Ça suffet, indeed, you might say!

Review by David Kidman ( david.kidman@tiscali.co.uk ). From the website of the Black Swan Folk Club; www.blackswanfolkclub.org.uk. Steve’s CDs can be ordered on-line from CD Baby: http://cdbaby.com/all/suffet.

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To give the club credit: go to www.GoodSearch.com.
In the DONATE TO box, type in: “Folk Music” (no quotes); click on VERIFY, Folk Music Society of New York, Inc. should come up
-- proceed with your search.

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: www.folkmusicny.org
Folk Music Event Calendar

For addresses, times, phone numbers, and other details, see the location information on the pages following this listing. Repeating events listings follow this location information. 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 – January

2 Fr Jenni Muldaur: Joe’s Pub, 9:30pm
3 Sa Jon Fromer; Kim Harris: People’s Voice
3 Sa Lucy Wainwright Roche: Joe’s Pub, 7pm
4 Su Joe Crookston: Uptown CH
7 We 40th Anniv. of Woody’s Children w/ Tom Chapin, Christine Lavin, Tom Paxton, Eric Weisberg, Pete Seeger, Peter Yarrow & more: Merkin Hall, 8pm
7 We* Folk Open Sing: 7pm in Bklyn. See p2-3
8 Th The Wiyos: Jalopy, 9pm
9 Fr Graham Parker: Joe’s Pub, 7:30pm
9 Fr 2nd Annual Tribute to John Hartford w The Steam-Powered Water Taxi Boys: Jalopy, 9pm
9 Fr Ernie Hawkins: Good CH
10 Sa Christine Lavin: First Unitarian CS, Bklyn, 8pm
10 Sa Mother Daughter String Band (Lyn Hardy & Abby Newton plus Ruth Ungar Merenda & Rosie Newton): People’s Voice
10 Sa Noche Flamenco: Joe’s Pub, 7p
10 Sa* Chantey Sing: Seamen’s Church Inst. 8pm. See p2-3
10 Sa The Otis Bros.(Pat Conte & Bob Guida): Jalopy, 9pm. Also an exhibit of American Folk Art Instruments. Reception 7-9pm. 718 395-3214
11 Su Joe Beasley Sacred Harp Singing: BJPub@Prodigy.net or 718 793-2848
11 Su* Pub Night: Freddy’s Back Room, Bklyn, 7-10pm. See p.2
11 Su GlobalFest 2009; 13 artists from Around the World: WMI, Public Theatre & Acidoiphilus. Webster Hall, 7pm. globalfest-ny.com

11 Su* The Red Stick Ramblers: Connolly’s, 7-10:30pm
16 Fr Ivan Goff & Jerry O’Sullivan: Blarney Star
16 Fr Alyssa Graham: Joe’s Pub, 8p
16 Fr Tango, Historias Breves: WMI, NYU Skirball Ctr., 8pm
17 Sa John Flynn + Greg Greenway: Peoples’ Voice
17 Sa Peter Stampfel & Friends: Jalopy, 9pm
18 Su Sacred Harp Singing: St. Bartholomew’s. See p2-3
18 Su* Cheryl Wheeler: Joe’s Pub, 7:30pm
22 Th Red Molly: Joe’s Pub, 6:30pm
22 Th Toshi Reagon: Joe’s Pub, 9pm
22 Th Rachel Stone: Triboro;
23 Fr Phoebe Kreutz; Shawn Norton & Kim Rich: Community Cabaret, 7pm
24 Sa Los Pleneros de la 21: WMI, Symphony Space, 8pm
24 Sa Groanbox Boys + Tom Bailey and the Aristocrats (Old Time): Jalopy, 9pm
25 Su Newsletter Mailing--see p. 2-3
30 Fr Beata Palya; Hungarian Folk: Zankel Hall, 8:30pm
30 Fr Ladysmith Black Mambazo: WMI, Town Hall, 8pm
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### Around NYC

Blarney Star Productions at Glucksman Ireland House at New York University, 1 Washington Mews (enter on 5 Ave off Washington Square); 9pm 212-998-3950, www.blarneystar.com

Connolly's, 121 W. 45th St. (6th Ave. & Broadway); 212-597-5126

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

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/coffeeshouse

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

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This list gives more detailed information for locations listed in the chronological Events Listings. It generally does not include information about locations in the Repeating Events listings.

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# = new information or listing; % = Folk Society with a newsletter which lists area events.

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Merkin Hall, 129 W. 67th St just west of B’way, Manhattan; 212-501-3330 (see also WMI) Peoples’ Voice Cafe; Sat 8PM at Community Church of NY, 40 E 35 St (between Park & Madison); info: 212-787-3903, www.peoplesvoicecafe.org; $15 closed June, July, Aug. St. Bartholomew’s Church, 109 East 50th St, Manhattan; NYPFMC 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/ny-chanty.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 Melville Gallery, 213 Water Street, at Fulton Street. 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; various groups. www.symphonyspace.org

Town Hall, 123 W. 43 St, Manhattan, 212-840-2824; Ticketmaster 212-307-7171; used by various groups

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: Skirball Ctr. NYU, 566 LaGuardia Place (Washington Square South); 1-212 992-8484

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.heartheworld.org

Zankel Hall at Carnegie Hall, 57 St & 7 Ave, Manhattan; 212-247-7800

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; 631-425-2925 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); Contrasodances 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 west of Meadowbrook Pkwy, beside water tower); monthly except July & Aug., 8Pm; $10 ($8 child/student); 1516-541-1006; www.ourtimescoffeehouse.org/.

Stony Brook Cafe: at SUNY Stony Brook:: The University Cafe is located in the Stony Brook Union Building. Look for the red awning with the words “University Cafe”; www.universitycafe.org

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 at New City Volunteer Ambulance Corps, 200 Congers Road, New City (Rockland County); and various Rockland Co. locations; 845-
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354-4586; www.borderlinefolkmusic.4themax.com; $20
one Saturday a month.  http://commongroundfusw.wordpress.com
Cranberry Coffeehouse, 183 Riverside Drive, Binghamton, New York 13905; third Saturday,
7:30pm; featured performers plus open mic; www.sitemouse.com/users/cranberry/.  e-
mall: cranberrycoffeehouse@yahoo.com; phone: 607-754-9437, or, 607-729-1641
Hudson Valley Folk Guild; www.hudsonvalleyfolkguild.org
--Kingston. Chapter, Unitarian Congregation Hall, Sawkill Rd, Kingston (near Kingston-
Thruway traffic circle); First Sat, 8pm; $5, under 12=free; 845-340-9462
--Yorktown Chapter Coffeehouse, First Presbyterian Church, Crompton Rd & Rt 132 $5,
$4 members and seniors — Info 914-248-8460
--Poughkeepsie Chapter Coffeehouse, Unitarian Fellowship, S. Randolph Ave. Pough-
keepsie; $5, $4 members and seniors — Info 845-849-1775
--Friends Of Fiddler’s Green Folk Music Concert Series Route 9 & Church Street, Hyde
Mainstage Coffeehouse, Westchester Arts Council, 31 Mamaroneck Ave, White Plains; 8pm;
refreshments avail; 914-949-2913; www.TheMainstage.org; $25+; Shows at Irvington
Town Theatre (914) 591-6602) and The Paramount Centre for the Arts (Peekskill) (914)
739-2333
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; res-
ervations suggested; Fri & Sat, 9Pm; Sun-Thu, 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 Ch’se: Fairlawn Community Center, 10-10 Kipp St, Fairlawn; info:
201-384-1325, adv. tickets 201-791-2225; 1st Sat, 8pm, through May. (run by Hurdy
Gurdy Folk Music Club %); <info@hurdygurdyfolk.org>; www.hurdygurdyfolk.org.)
Minstrel Coffeehouse; Fri, 8:30pm, $5 (2nd Fri, open stage); Morristown Unitarian Fel-
lowship, 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
The Sanctuary Concerts, 240 Southern Boulevard, Chatham, NJ; folk concerts twice monthly
September-May; info:973-376-4946, boxoffice@sanctuaryconcerts.org; www.sanctuary-
concerts.org

CONNECTICUT (Southern New England-WWUH FOLKFONE: 860-768-5000)
Audubon Society, 1361 Main St.(rt.17), Glastonbury: on Fri, 7:30Pm; 860-633-8402, 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/
Carriage Barn at Waveny Park. 681 South Ave. New Canaan., 8pm. 203 972-1895
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

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The Society’s web page: www.folkmusicny.org
Repeating Events

Space limitations force us to print an abridged list this month. A complete list for NYC was printed in November and the remainder was printed last May. A constantly updated complete list is available on the web at: www.folkmusicny.org/repeating.html.

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NYC BLUEGRASS & OLD‑TIME
(also look at www.banjoben.com, www.nycbluegrass.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 multiday listings); 212-686-1210 ]
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
Paddy Reilly’s, 519 2 Ave, Manhattan (29 St) 212-686-1210; Slow Bluegrass Jam; 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
Grisly Pear, 107 MacDougal St. bet Bleecker and 3rd, Uncle Bob’s Bluegrass Jam, 9pm, http://profile.myspace.com/index.cfm?fuseaction=user.viewprofile&friendID=184502766
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/
Vin Rouge; 629 5th Ave (bet 17 & 18 St), Park Slope, Brooklyn: 7:30pm jam; 718-369-4201 www.vinrougebrooklyn.com

Thursdays:
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
Jalopy, 315 Columbia St., Brooklyn; 9:30pm jam 718.395.3214; www.jalopy.biz

Fridays:
Jalopy, 315 Columbia St., Brooklyn; 10pm first Friday bluegrass 718.395.3214; www.jalopy.biz

Saturdays:
Banjo Jim’s, 9th St. and Ave. C; 212-777-0869; Bluegrass Sat 7pm; http://www.banjojims.com; 1 drink minimum plus cover for performers
Grisly Pear, 107 MacDougal St. bet Bleecker and 3rd, 3rd Sat, Sheriff Sessions, American Roots Music, 9pm; www.bigapplebluegrass.com
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.bbkingblues.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, Bluegrass Sat 7pm; http://www.banjojims.com; 1 drink minimum plus cover
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

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performances nightly 7-11pm with Songwriter’s open mike Sun’s

Muddy Cup Café, 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; Mon, Slow Bluegrass Jam; 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, performers nightly; www.antifolk.net

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

Mondays:
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

Sound Fix, 110 Bedford Ave., Williamsburg, Brooklyn. Songfair Open Hoot; 7-11pm (sign up 6:30pm); run by www.jezebelmusic.com

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

Wednesdays:

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.lifecafeny.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

Spike Hill, 184 Bedford Ave, Williamsburg, Brooklyn, 11211; 718-218-9737; Open mic 9pm; www.spikehill.com

Thursdays:
Cas/Hank Hootenanny Jamboree; last Thursday at Buttermilk, 577 5th Ave. (at 16th St.) Brooklyn; 8pm - 1am; 718-788-6297; www.brooklyncountrymusic.com/cashank.html

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>

Freddys, Dean St & Sixth Ave, Brooklyn, 718-622-7035; Open Mic Third Thursday; http://freddysbackroom.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.

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 info (P.O. Box 4542, N.Y.C. 10163; 212-662-1083); 212-724-4978Fri & Sat:

Two Boots, 514 Second St (at 7 Ave) Park Slope, Brooklyn; shows Fri & Sat 10pm; 718-499-3253 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.livingroomy.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:
Banjo Jim’s, 9th St. and Ave. C; 212-777-0869; 2:30pm open mic; http://www.banjojims.com; I drink minimum]

Bitter End, 147 Bleeker Street (between Thompson and LaGuardia) Greenwich Village; 212-673-7030; www.bitterend.com; www.thebitterendjamnyc.com; Open mic every other Sun at 10pm

Brooklyn Lyceum, 227 4th Ave, Brooklyn, 11215: 866-gowanus; Brooklyn Songwriters Exchange, 7pm; $5-10; one Sat each mo chantey sing; www.gowanus.com MORE?listingid=100111

The C-Note 157 Avenue C (10th St.), 212-677-8142; Open Mic for Singer/ Song-
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writers; 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; 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

Kili, 79-81 Hoyt St between State and Atlantic in Brooklyn.

Ponkiesburg Pickin’ Party; www.ponkiesburg.com/home.php, acoustic jam, 4:30-7:30 pm, <bradelinhorn@hotmail.com>

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

Vox Pop. 1022 Cortelyou Road Brooklyn; 718-940-2084  Open mic Suns • 6:30-10p

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 singers circle; First Monday 6:30pm Info Louise Kitt, LWalsh9709@aol.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
Mustang Harry’s, 352 7 Ave. (between 29 & 30 St.); presented by U1 Mor CCE: session 5-8pm; info Maureen Donachie, at ceolagusirince@gmail.com
O’Neills Irish Bar, 729 3rd Ave (nr. 46 St); 7-11pm session; 212-661-3530]
Jack O’Neill’s, 130 Franklin St., Brooklyn, 718-389-3888, info@jackoneills.com; www.jackoneills.com; Session, 8-11pm;

info, Tony Horswill at tony@catandfiddlesessions.com

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

Slainte, 304 Bowery, between Bleeker and Houston; 212-253-7030; 6 pm session; www.baggotinn.com/slainte/ ??.

Trinity Pub, 229 E. 84 St bet 2 & 3 Av, 212-327-4450, 6:30pm session

The Wall, 55 St & Roosevelt Ave, Woodside, Queens, 718-429-9426

Doc Watson’s, 1490 2 Ave (77 St), 212-988-5300; 8:30-11pm session w/ Aonach

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

Mondays:
Mona’s, 224 Ave B bet 13 & 14 St, 11 pm Session, 212-353-3780Paddy Reilly’s Pub, 2nd Ave at 29th St. Traditional singers circle; First Monday 6:30pm Info Louise Kitt, LWalsh9709@aol.com

Spike Hill, 184 Bedford Ave, Williamsburg, Brooklyn, 11211; 718-218-9737; session 8:30pm; www.spikehill.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; 212-684-4244Wednesdays:

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

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

Fiddleston 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-1a; 212-686-1210
Repeating Events - Continued from previous page

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 C-H, 287 Larkfield Rd, East Northport; 631-262-1212; www.lilbitofheaven.com; Christian coffee house Fri & Sat; Open Mic one Thur

Monthly:
Bethpage United Methodist Church, 192 Broadway, Bethpage LI NY Open Mike 9p First Fri Acoustic Showcase, (516) 931-4345 Adm $5 Food & soft drinks avail www.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-Kindergarten with Mike Soloway, Free.: 631 271-1442
Eclectic Cafè, Unitarian Universalist Society of South Suffolk, 28 Brentwood Rd, Bay Shore; second Saturday, September through May, 7:30pm open mic, 8:30pm performer; info: 631-661-1278
Five Towns College, Burr’s Lane, Dix Hills, LI NY room 217; Island Songwriters Showcase www.islandsongwriters.org 631-462-3300; 1st Mon Members Workshop Meeting 7:30-11:30p
Irish American Hall, 297 Willis Ave, Mineola; 516-746-3932 (9:30am-1pm), 1 block North of Jericho Tpke (route 25); Irish-American Society Celler
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”
Our Times Coffeehouse, First United Methodist Ch, 25 Broadway/Rt.110, Amityville (nr. Merrick Rd/Montauk Hwy); first Friday Oct. thru June, 8PM; $6 ($3 child/student); 631-798-0778.
Peacemiths 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/ singalongs & 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@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
Deepwells Mansion, 497 Route 25a, Saint James; Acoustic Long Island: open mic 8-9p; featured singer-songwriter 9-10p; free; www.acousticlongisland.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

Space limitations force us to print an abridged list this month. See note in the heading on page 14
Peoples’ Voice Cafe
at Community Church of New York
40 East 35th Street • New York City
Between Park & Madison Avenues
Saturdays at 8:00pm.
Doors open 7:30.
Jan 3: Jon Fromer + Kim Harris
Jan. 10: “Mothers & Daughters”
Jan. 17: John Flynn + Greg Greenway
Jan. 31: Anne Price + Steve Suffet
Feb. 14: Rod MacDonald
General admission: $15.
Peoples’ Voice Cafe members: $10.
More if you choose, less if you can’t;
TDF accepted; member discounts
Info: 212-787-3903
www.peoplesvoicecafe.org

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Web Maven Wanted
We need help in maintaining a presence on various web sites and/or posting concerts.
If you are interested, contact Don Wade, <donwade@donwade.us>

30 Years Ago This Month
compiled by Harvey Binder

Here are some club happenings as reported in the January, 1979 newsletter:
The club presented, in concert:
• Paul Brown at the home of Jerry Epstein
• Lou Killen at Our Lady Of Peace Church
• Jo Jankowitz at the home of Susan Bady


Folk music around town included: EAGLE>Cranberry Lake, David Jones/Derby Ram, Wretched Refuse, Heather Wood-Royston Wood/Larry Cole, Peter Pickow-Brook Redick-Paul Kaplan, Yankee Rebels, Fr. Charles Coen; ARTUROS>Sons Of The Underbriush; FLUSHING LOCAL>John Guth/Michael Ponder, Lucinda Williams; GOOD>Southern Comfort, Joe Heukerot-Lauren Shapiro, Ken Perlman, Scott Ainsley, Jim Lucas/Sue Trump; FOCUS II>Twelfth Night Revels, Barbara Carns, Joe Heaney, Mike Agranoff; CENTERFOLD> Hal Wylie-Marc Fine-Jim Geoghan, Lee Gross/Marti Wheat, Leona/Paul Kaplan, Lucinda Williams/Peter Janovsky, Josh Joffen/Cathy Stilwell, Firewater/Berh Wesley, Steve & Ruth-David & Cindy, Shelley Papernik/Joe Heukerott; COMMUNITY CHURCH>Bob Zentz, Jean Redpath; CAPULETS>Diamonds In The Rough; CORNELIA St.>Judy Gorman-Jacobs:
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If you are the proud parent of one of the hotlines above, please check the ending date. If you want it renewed, send in your renewal before the 12th of that month to have it continue in the next month.
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(For a sample newsletter, write to the Society office—address at left.)
To join (or to renew) and receive the newsletter regularly, you may join online at http://fmsny.eventbrite.com or mail this to:

FMS membership, c/o Anne Price,
80 Knolls Crescent, #2M,
Bronx, NY 10463; 718-543-4971.

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   (low income is a hardship category for
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   (please state reason: _______________________

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