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15 Fri Joe Jencks, 8pm at OSA, 220 E.23rd St. 😊
16 Sat Chantey Sing at Seamen’s Church Institute, 8pm.
16-17 Traditional Singing Workshop Weekend
17 Sun Sacred Harp Singing at St. Bartholomew’s in Manhattan
22-25 Spring Folk Music Weekend at Kislak Adult Center, Lake Como, PA -- see flyer in centerfold
28 Thu Newsletter Mailing, 7pm in Jackson Heights (Queens)
29 Fri Nightingale concert; 8pm, at OSA, 220 E.23rd St
30 Sat Singing Party in Marine Park, Brooklyn, 6-9pm
30 Sat May Mania Contra Dance with Nightingale; Manhattan

June

2 Tue Sea Music: Danny Spooner+NY Packet; 6pm, South St.
3 Wed Folk Open Sing 7 pm in Brooklyn
7 Sun Green Walking Tour-1:45 & Sing Around-4:30; see p.10
8 Mon FMSNY Exec. Board Meeting; 7:15pm location tba
9 Tue Sea Music: Gabrielle & Robert Bouthillier+NY Packet; 6pm, South St.
13 Sat Old-Time Fiddle Workshop with Cathy Mason-see p.4
13 Sat Old-Time Jam, 2:30pm - reservations required - see p.5
16 Tue Sea Music: Martin & Shan Graebe +NY Packet; 6pm
18 Thu Martin & Shan Graebe workshop on Sabine Baring Gould
19 Fri Annie and the Hedonists, 8pm at OSA, 220 E.23rd St. 😊
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21 Sun Make Music NY; location tba
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Joe Jencks 😊, Friday, May 15, 8pm

Spring Weekend
at Kislak Adult Center. May 22-25--see centerfold
Gospel & Sacred Harp Sing; Sunday, May 3rd; 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 Jessica Feinbloom, 303 W. 66th Street, Manhattan (between West End Ave and Freedom Place), apt. 12FW, ring bell #225; 212-874-5262. Subway: IRT #1 train to “66 St.” or crosstown busses #66 or #57. By car: Henry Hudson Parkway, 79th Street exit. Other info: Isabel, 212-866-2029.

Sea Music Concert; Sunday, May 3rd and Tuesday, June 2nd

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 main Seaport Museum Building, 12 Fulton Street (between South Street and Front Street). Donation, $5 (child, $2), pay at the door.

Sun, May 3, 3pn: Lisa Gutkin. Grammy winning fiddler/composer/singer/songwriter Lisa Gutkin is equally at home with traditional Irish, Scottish, and Klezmer music, Tue, June 2, 6pm: Danny Spooner - from Australia where he has lived over 30 years. Originally from Great Britain where he learned many of his songs while crewing on boats. A rare opportunity to hear an outstanding singer and concertina player.

Folk Open Sing; Wednesdays, May 6th and June 3rd; 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.

Joe Jencks; Friday, May 15th, 8pm 😊

Joe Jencks is an international touring performer and award-winning songwriter. His career is based as much in ministering to the human spirit as it is in the performance of music. Joe has earned wide recognition for his songs about working people, and for his unique merging of musical beauty, social consciousness, and spiritual exploration. Joe is a dual US/Irish citizen living in the US, and merges traditions from both countries in his eclectic and vibrant musical presentation.

Joe’s life-long interest in folk music led him to undergraduate and graduate studies in Vocal Music Performance, Choral Conducting, and Music Education. Like any good craftsman Joe applies the skills of this well-rounded training, using his lush and lyrical voice to enchant, heal, and inspire to action. “He has a remarkable tenor voice that’s capable of great strength and sweetness in the same moment, much as was Phil Ochs’ voice. His guitar is always a dead-on accompaniment to his songs’ intentions.” –Bill Fischer, Victory Music Review

At the office of Organization of Staff Analysts, 220 E. 23rd Street New York., suite 707 (between 2nd and 3rd Ave). (On-street parking is available after 7pm.) Concert Admission $20; Members and Full-time students under 23 admitted free. Tickets available at the door or online at www.folkconcert4.eventbrite.com. Info: 718-672-6399.

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Chantey Sing; Saturday, May 16th; 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

Sacred Harp Singing at St. Bart’s; Sunday, May 17th; 2:30pm

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

Traditional Singing Workshop; May 16 and 17

The Club is sponsoring one of Jerry Epstein’s renowned intensive 2-day workshop in every aspect of traditional singing, voice, style, repertoire, narrative, diction, ornamentation, 10:00 to 4:30 each day. These are not lectures, but voices-on sessions for singers. Strictly limited to 9 participants and advance registration is required. Full weekend is $75 ($80 for non-members). One day registrations are possible but first preference for the spaces goes to full weekend registrations. Further info on the class, call Jerry at (718) 429-3437. Jerry has been leading these workshops for 30 years, everywhere from Pinewoods Camp to Australia, and he can help you do remarkable things in a very short time. To register, call Education Chair Alan Friend: (718) 965-4074, before May 7.

Spring Weekend of Music; Friday-Monday, May 22-25

Enjoy a friendly music-filled weekend at bucolic Camp Kislak. Concerts, workshops, and classes by John Kirk, Trish Miller, Danny Spooner, Val Mindel, and others. Comfortable motel-style rooms; plenty of opportunity for informal jamming and singing, socializing, hiking, swimming (heated outdoor pool), and relaxing. See the workshop descriptions on pages 10 and 11 and the detailed performer descriptions in the flyer in the Centerfold. Send in the coupon or sign up online!

Newsletter Mailing; Thursday, May 28th; 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. (Cats in residence.) info: 718-426-8555

Nightingale Concert; Friday, May 29th, 8pm

Contra Dance, Saturday, May 30, 4-6pm & 8-10:30pm

Over the past decade the three superb musicians who make up Nightingale, Becky Tracy (fiddle), Jeremiah McLane (piano, accordion), and Keith Murphy (guitar, mandolin, foot percussion, vocals), have charmed audiences with their vibrant and imaginative explorations of musical traditions that carry listeners across New England to Quebec, Newfoundland, Ireland, France, and beyond. Nightingale has fashioned a fresh and distinctive sound that is innovative while rooted in Celtic and Northern European folk traditions. From a Newfoundland ballad to a blazing set of Irish reels, from a rollicking Quebecois chanson-a-repondre to a lilting bourree from Central France, their song and tune arrangements find the perfect balance between tradition and innovation.
FMSNY Events Details- Continued

The nightingale bird is a poetic figure that appears in traditional songs from many places including parts of Northern Europe, Canada and the United States.

Concert 8pm at the office of Organization of Staff Analysts, 220 E. 23rd Street New York, 707 (between 2nd and 3rd Ave’s) at 8pm. (On-street parking is available after 7pm.). General Admission $15; Members, $12; children and Full-time students, $6. Tickets available at the door or online at www.nightingale.eventbrite.com (small service charge). Information: 718-672-6399.

Co-sponsored with Country Dance*New York. On May 30th Nightingale will also play for May Mania, a contra dance called by Rick Mohr at The Church of the Village, 201 W. 13th Street, NYC. There will be an afternoon session for experienced dancers from 4-6pm, a Beginners’ workshop from 7:15-8pm, and an Evening dance for all from 8-10:30pm. Dance information: www.cdny.org or 212-459-4080.

Singing Party and Pot-Luck; Sat, May 30th; 6-9 PM
Singing Party and optional Nature Center walk at the home of Gail and Bob Levine-Fried, Marine Park, Brooklyn. Nature-lovers, come at 3 P.M. for a guided walk on flat, 3/4 mi. trail around the Salt Marsh Nature Center (weather permitting) and/or, come at 6 P.M. for the Singing Party at our “house on the Park” (we are directly across the street from Marine Park). Bring instruments; voices and food to share with 4 other people. Beverages will be provided. Weather permitting, we’ll sing and eat outdoors in our garden. Space is limited, so call to RSVP and we’ll coordinate the food and give you the address: 718-338-6123. Please also let us know if you are interested in the Nature Walk. Transp.: Q train to Ave. U, B-3 bus to E. 33rd. St. (10 mins). Car: Exit 11N (Marine Park). Stay on Flatbush Ave. to Ave. U; left on Ave. U to E.34th St. Come around the block to E.33rd St. and park. You’re here!

Intermediate Southern Appalachian Fiddle Workshop
Saturday, June 13, 2009, 11:00am
Upper West Side -- Advance Registration Required

Become a better fiddler and get ready to have fun! This workshop, led by Cathy Mason, will explore the details of southern old-time fiddling. Through the magic of bowing, ornaments, tunings and simple variations, we will move beyond learning the basic tune and focus on teaching the flowing, rhythmic, driving energy that produces that irresistible groove of the southern, old-time sound. Incredibly, this will be done without the use of written music! Participants should have a basic acquaintance with the instrument and know the D, G and A scales. Cathy Mason is an extraordinary fiddler living in New England who plays both old-time and Cajun styles. She plays in several bands and regularly gives fiddle workshops.

You must register in advance, because space is limited. Your registration info & check must be received no later than Saturday, June 6th. If the class is not full by then, it will be canceled. Fee: $22 members of FMSNY, $25 non-members. Send payment by check made out to FMSNY to: Alan Friend, Education Chairman, 440 Fifth Street, Brooklyn, NY 11215 (Be sure to put Street, not Avenue). Include your phone number and/or email. Info: (718) 965-4074 or education@folkmusicny.org.

Old-Time Jam ; Saturday, June 13, 2:30 pm
Upper West Side -- Advance Registration Required

Southern Appalachian old-time jam led by Cathy Mason. This is separate from Cathy’s fiddle workshop above. You can attend either or both. To register, send $5 check made out to FMSNY to Alan Friend as indicated in Fiddle Workshop info above. Include your phone number/email.

The Society’s web page: www.folkmusicny.org
**Topical Listing of Society Events**

**Weekends**

May 22-25: *Spring Weekend of Music* at Kislak Adult Center, Lake Como, PA with John Kirk, Trish Miller, Danny Spooner, Val Mindel, and others; see flyer in centerfold.

October 16-18: **Fall Weekend** at the Nevele Grande (combined with Eisteddfod)

**Series Concerts - Free to members**

- 8pm at OSA 220 E. 23rd Street, suite 707

- **Fri, May 15**  Joe Jencks
- **Fri, June 19:** Annie and the Hedonists
- **Fri, May 29:** Nightingale at OSA, 220 E. 23rd Street, suite 707, 8pm

**Broadway**

- **Fri, May 29:** Nightingale at OSA, 220 E. 23rd Street, suite 707, 8pm

**House Concerts**

- **Sun, Aug 23:** Tom Akstens and Neil Rossi. 2pm in Sparrowbush, NY

**South Street Seaport Sea Music Concerts**

Co-sponsored with the South St. Seaport Museum. Performers with the NY Packet; at the main Seaport Museum Building, 12 Fulton Street (between South Street and Front Street) First Sunday at 3pm in May then each Tuesday at 6pm in June.

- **Sun, May 3:** Lisa Gutkin
- **Tue, June 2:** Danny Spooner
- **Tue, June 9:** Gabrielle & Robert Bouthillier
- **Tue, June 16:** Martin & Shan Graebe
- **Tue, June 30:** Nanne and Ankie and the Hudson Crew

**Special Programs and Workshops**

- **May 16-17:** Traditional Singing Workshop -- see p.3
- **Sun, June 7:** *Green Walking Tour* (1:45) and *Sing Around* (4:30pm); see p.10
- **Sat, June 13:** Old-Time Fiddle Workshop with Cathy Mason - see p.4
- **Thur, June 18:** Martin & Shan Graebe workshop on Sabine Baring Gould
- **Sun, June 21:** Make Music NY; location tba
- **October 16-18:** Eisteddfod Festival of Traditional Music at the Nevele, Ellenville

**Informal Jams and Sings**

- **Sun, May 3:** Gospel & Sacred Harp Sing, 3:30pm in Manhattan
- **Sat, May 30:** Singing Party, 6-9pm in Marine Park, Brooklyn
- **Sat, June 13:** Old-Time Jam, 2:30pm - reservations required - see page 4

**Folk Open Sing:** First Wednesday of each month (May 6, June 3, etc); 7-10 pm; Ethical Culture Society in Brooklyn.

**Sacred Harp Singing** at St. Bartholomew’s in Manhattan, 3rd Sunday Sept-June: May 17, June 21, Sept. 20, etc.

**Chantey Sing** at Seaman’s Church Institute, near South Street Seaport; 8pm, Saturdays: May 16, June 20, July 18 (*note changed June and July dates*).

**Business Meetings, etc.**

- **Newsletter Mailing,** Thursday, May 28, Tues, July 7, 7pm in Queens--see page 4.
- **Executive Board Meeting:** 2nd Monday; May 11, etc.; 7:15pm; at location to be announced; call Joy at 718-575-1906

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**Sunday June 7th:** Green Walking Tour of the Musical East Village, 1:45pm (rain date June 14th) plus Open Mike/Sing Around at the Yippie Café at 4:30pm see details and reservation info on page 10!
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. 54th St., #7, NYC, NY 10019, or from the Office of Charities Registration, N.Y. Dept. of State, 162 Washington Av, Albany, NY 12232.

We have approximately 400 members and run concerts, week-ends, classes, and get-togethers, all with an emphasis on traditional music. The Society is run 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 help support the society and include one subscription to the newsletter (10 issues yearly) and reduced admission to our events. Won’t you join us?

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

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**www.folkmusicny.org**

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At OSA, 220 E. 23 Street, Suite 707
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General admission is $20
OSA & FMSNY members free
Full-time students 22 and under are admitted free.
Tickets can be purchased at the door
or on line at: www.folkconcert4.eventbrite.com.
Information www.folkmusicny.org or 718-672-6399
May is a very busy month. We have our Spring Weekend which still has room—but hurry up and register; see flyer in centerfold. Our series concert features Joe Jencks, and our other concerts include the Sea Music concert with Lisa Gutkin, and Nightingale, which is co-sponsored by Country Dance*NY. There is still room in the Traditional Singing Workshop—you will surprise yourself at what you will accomplish in this workshop. Don’t forget our Gospel and Sacred Harp Sing, Chantey Sing, and the Singing Party at the home of Gail and Bob Levine-Fried.

We need advance registration for two events in June: On June 7, Check out the Green Walking Tour of the East Village followed by an open Mike/sing around. This is a very unique opportunity for us to find out where to “go green” (see page 10). Register now for it and for the Southern Appalachian Fiddle Workshop (see page 4).

Lenore Greenberg has been doing our events calendar listings for many years now, and has been doing a great job. She’s giving up the job as of July. Thank you for all your hard work. Anyone else interested out there?

Thank you to the folks who mailed out the newsletter. They could always use more help. The following volunteers worked at the last mailing: Edith Cartan, Isabel Goldstein, Brenda Peña, Eileen Pentel, Marilyn Suffet, Steve Suffet, Marcus Tieman, and Don Wade. Won’t you join us and help mail out the next newsletter on Thursday, May 28? (See page 3.)

**Weekend Help Wanted**

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 the job of **Weekend Chair** (half scholarship) for the coming Weekend.

**Country Dance and Song Society (CDSS)**

**Folk Music Week, July 25-Aug. 1, 2009**

CDSS has announced their schedule of summer programs; for more information about folk music week and the dates of other weeks, go online to www.cdss.org/fm/, or call 413-268-7426, or write and ask for the camps brochure: CDSS, 132 Main St, PO Box 338, Haydenville, MA 01039-0338

**New Mailing Label**

We are switching our mailing system and you can now login and see your membership information. There should be an ID number printed on your address label (if it is not there, it will be next month) -- use that number and your last name to login on www.fsgw.org/nypfmc. You can also access an interactive directory of members (we will no longer distribute a printed directory).
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Nightingale
Energetic Sophisticated New England Band

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Becky Tracy, Jeremiah McLane, Keith Murphy

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At OSA, 220 E. 23 Street, Suite 707 between 2 & 3 Ave, Manhattan

General admission is $15
FMSNY, CD*NY and OSA members $12
children and full-time students 22 and under, $6
Tickets at the door or on line at: www.nightingale.eventbrite.com.

Information www.folkmusicny.org or 718-672-6399

Co-sponsored by Country Dance*New York
On May 30th Nightingale will play for May Mania, a contra dance at The Church of the Village, 201 W. 13th St. Experienced dancers 4-6pm, Beginners’ workshop 7:15-8pm, Evening dance for all 8-10:30pm. Dance info: www.cdny.org or 212-459-4080.
CALLING ALL PERFORMERS

Make Music, NY will take place on Sunday, June 21, 2009. 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 one site in Manhattan from 2pm to 6pm. We have not yet selected the exact location.

For the slots from 2pm to 6pm, 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 or send the information via e-mail to eileen.pentel@verizon.net. 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 noisy and busy, so quiet songs might be difficult. There will be a simple PA system set-up.

To see learn more about the day in general, you can check their website at www.makemusicny.org.

Application Form—**Please reply by May 15, 2009**

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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**A Green Walking Tour of the Musical East Village,**

**Sunday June 7th 1:45pm (Rain date June 14)**

**Plus Open Mike/Sing Around at the Yippie Café at 4:30**

Join us for a walking tour of the East Village, where Bob Dylan, Woody Guthrie, Pete Seeger, Paul Simon, Arlo Guthrie and others hung out or lived. It will start on First Avenue near 13th Street. The tour features stops at a green bakery, several very cute green retail stores, a community garden, and a green building. This is where almost all the famous musicians of the last 50 years or more spent some time. The tour takes about 2 hours. There will be occasions for people to have a seat/buy a drink etc.

Les Judd, President of Green Boroughs, will conduct the tour, showing us the places which are environmentally conscious and fun to visit. Pre-registration is preferred since he must have a minimum number of people. Normally his tours are $25, but if you tell him that you are with the Folk Music Society of New York or the Pinewoods Folk Music Club, it will cost only $20. If you have any questions you can e-mail Les at Les@greenboroughs.com or call Les at 718-530-5074 by June 5th. You can pay in advance by sending a check to Green Boroughs, c/o Les Judd, 474 West 238th Street, #6i, Bronx, NY 10463 or pay on line at https://www.123signup.com/register?id=zhhpf.

We will end the tour at the Yippie Café at Elizabeth and Houston Street at 4:30, where you can buy coffee or natural juices. They do not sell food. If you do not wish to go on the tour, you can still come to the Yippie Café which will happen rain or shine. More details on this next month.

**Web Helpers 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>
Come and enjoy our weekend. A preliminary list and descriptions of the workshops are below. There will be more surprises on the weekend, and there may be some changes. Note that some of them suggest you bring an instrument, a tape recorder, etc.

Danny Spooner

- **Brave, Bold Boys**—songs about heroes. Learn some of the historic content behind the songs.
- **These Songs Made Australia**—Enjoy and learn about the significance of these songs to the development of Australia.
- **The British Tradition Transported to Australia**—How British tunes and songs were adapted and became Ozy songs.

Trish Miller and John Kirk

- **Old Time String band**—A get-acquainted session for instrumentalists and beginners alike. Join this jam to pick-up some pickin’ points and make music. Songs and tunes will be played with basic chord changes provided. More advanced players will be given a chance to take a break!
- **Clogging, Flatfootin’ & Buckdance**—A performance and how-to workshop teaching the basics of clogging steps, what makes them different from other styles of step dancing and some stylistic differences within the form. We will teach basics, demonstrate the steps, and feature challenging combination steps.
- **Funny Songs & Sing Alongs**—Expand your repertoire, append your song book, or just attend and hear some silly and twisted song writing. Warning: some of this stuff may not be politically correct; but it is all in good fun. Many selections have catchy choruses and plenty of frivolity.
- **North Country Tunes and Songs**—Stories, tunes and songs with a sense of place. Having done programs at camps in the North Country for many years, they have drawn from a vast repertoire of favorite tall tales, funny songs and sing alongs from old timer’s, who all possessed keen ties to local history, and to each other with selections that reflect lifestyles and heritage from in and around the northern wilderness.

Val Mindel

- **Old-time duets**—Learn two to three lesser-known old-time duets, with an emphasis on close harmony and achieving that early-country feel. It will be non-stop singing, and you’ll come away with a handful of good new songs.
- **Duet singing intensive**—Using early country repertory, we’ll move past simply knowing the notes to working on one or two songs, one-on-one, in small groups. An ability to hold a harmony part, either by yourself or with a singing buddy, would be helpful.
- **Mandolin in old-time songs**—(if we get enough Mandolin players—let us know if you are one of them)—Some of the ways the mandolin is used to accompany singing in early-country repertory. This fingers-on-strings class is good for intermediate players who have a fairly easy time learning tunes. Bring tape recorders and a mandolin. I’ll provide word sheets and some music and tab.,
- **Country songs with a hook**—Songs from the 1950s country/honky-tonk repertory are great fun to sing in jams. Some of the best have a hook, a lyric twist that makes them memorable. Learn two or three of them.
For addresses, times, phone numbers, and other details, see the location information on page 15. Repeating events listings start on page 18, following the 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 2-4; 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 information for listing to: Lenore Greenberg, 120 Boerum Place, #1J, Brooklyn, NY 11201; 718-403-0347; listings@folkmusicny.org. DEADLINE is the 12th of the preceeding month.

Around NYC – May

1 Fr  Yiddish & Irish Song w
      Susan McKeown & Lorin Sklamberg: Glucksman Ireland House, NYU, 7pm
1 Fr  Nick Katzman; Blues & Ragtime Guitar: Good CH
1 Fr  Gabrielle Kahane: Joe’s Pub
1 Fr  Aurelia and Eve: Barbes, Brooklyn, 8pm. www.barbes-brooklyn.com
2 Sa  Bev Grant & Dissident Daughters + Friction Farm: Peoples’ Voice
2 Sa  Leroy Thomas & The Zydeco Roadrunners: Connoly’s, 6-8pm
2 Sa  Tribute to Ustad Bismillah Khan: WMI, Symphony Space, 8:30pm
3 Su  Tom Pacheco: Uptown CH
3 Su  Jake Shimabakuro (ukelele): Joe’s Pub, 7:30 & 9:30pm
3 Su  Lisa Gutkin + NY Packet: South St Seaport. See p2-3
3 Su  Vocal Harmony Workshop: Jalopy, 12pm
3 Su* Gospel & Sacred Harp Sing: 3:30pm in Manhattan. See p2-3
3 Su  Clearwater Benefit Concert for Pete Seeger’s 90th Birthday: Madison Sq Garden, 5pm
4 Mo  Poppa Chubby: B.B.King’s, 8pm
5 Tu  South Memphis String Band: Joe’s Pub, 9:30pm
6 We* Folk Open Sing: 7pm in Brooklyn. See p2-3
8 Fr  Paddy Keenan & John Walsh: Blarney Star, 9pm
8 Fr  James Reams & The Barnstormers: Good CH
9 Sa  2nd Annual Tribute to Dave Van Ronk: Peoples’ Voice
9 Sa  Leon Redbone: 1st Unitarian Soc. in Brooklyn, 8pm
9 Sa  Mother-Daughter String Band hse cncrt (Rosie Newton, Abby Newton, Lyn Hardy, Ruth Merenda): 26 W. 89 St.; 8pm; sandilion@aol.com
10 Su  Wretched Refuse String Band: Jalopy, 8 & 10pm
10 Su  Music & Dance from Aboriginal Australia, Papua New Guinea & W. Papua: WMI, Symphony Space, 8pm.
10 Su  Joe Beasley Sacred Harp Sing: BJSing@Prodigy.net
13 We  Ramblin’ Jack Elliot: Highline Ballroom, 8pm
13 We  Steve Forbert: Joe’s Pub, 7pm
14 Th  Mariachi Real de Mexico & The Mariachi Academy of NY: CUNY Graduate Ctr., 7:30pm
15 Fr* Joe Jencks: 8pm, OSA. See p.2
15 Fr  Roomful of Blues: B.B.King’s, 8pm
15 Fr  NYC Georgian Singers; workshop: Seafarer’s, 2-5pm.123 E.15th St. Manhattan
15 Fr  Brooklyn Folk Festival; Jalopy; 7:30 -12:30; many performers
15 Fr  Carolyn Hester & Karla & Amy Blume: Peoples’ Voice
15 Fr  Chantey Sing: Seamen’s Church Inst. 8pm. See p2-3
15 Fr  Brooklyn Folk Festival: Jalopy; 7:30 -12:30; many performers
15 Fr  Traditional Singing Workshop: See p2-3
16 Sa  Sacred Harp Singing: St. Bartholomew’s. See p2-3
17 Su* 2nd Annual Tribute to Dave Van Ronk: Peoples’ Voice
19 Tu  Teada: Joe’s Pub, 7:30pm

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22-25* Spring Folk Music Weekend: See flyer in centerfold
25 Mo Bob Dylan Birthday Tribute; Highway 61 Revisited: B.B.King’s
28 Th* Newsletter Mailing -- see p.4
28 Th Sharon Katz & The Peace Train w guest Pete Seeger: Joe’s Pub, 7:30pm
29 Fr* Nightingale: See p2-3
29 Fr Greta Gertier & Professor Louie: Good CH
29 Fr Spider John Koerner: Jalopy, 9pm
29 Fr The Radiators: B.B.King’s, 8pm
30 Sa* Singing Party: Marine Pk. Bklyn. See p2-3

AROUND NYC – JUNE
1 Mo Marcia Ball: B.B.King’s, 8pm
2 Tu* Danny Spooner: South St. Seaport. 6-8pm. See p.2
3 We* Folk Open Sing: Brooklyn, 7pm. See p2-3
4 Th New Riders of the Purple Sage: B.B.King’s, 8pm
5 Fr American Flyer-Bluegrass: Good CH
7 Su* Green Walking Tour (1:45) & Sing Around (4:30); see p.10

LONG ISLAND – MAY
2 Sa Richie Havens: IMAC
2 Sa Work O’ the Weavers: FMSOH
2 Sa Chad & Jeremy: Jean Rimky Theater at Landmark on MainSt., Port Washington
2 Sa Janis Ian: Boulton Ctr, Bay Shore
3 Su Shape Note Singing: LITMA, Huntington Station, 2pm
5 Tu Marc Cohn: Boulton Ctr., Bay Shore
15 Fr Mad Agnes: Our Times
16 Sa David Bromberg’s Big Band: IMAC, 8pm
16 Sa Bob Westcott’s 1st Annual Spring Fling: FMSOH, Hard Luck Café
23 Sa Bob Dylan Birthday Celebration: Univ. Café, Stony Brook, 7:30pm
24 Su Shape Note Singing: LITMA, Wading River, 2pm
24 Su Instrumental Jam: LITMA, Sea Cliff, 4pm
30 Su Andy Friedman & Other Failures: Last Licks Cafe

LONG ISLAND- JUNE
6 Sa John Gorka: FMSOH

NEW YORK STATE-MAY
1 Fr Janis Ian: Emelin
2 Sa Deb Martin: HVFG, Kingston, 7:30pm
2 Sa The Overtakers: Rosendale Café, 8pm
2 Sa The Refugees: Friends of Music, 8pm
2 Sa Graham Parker: Turning Pt., 6:30pm
3 Su Judy Collins: UPAC, Broadway Theater, Kingston, 7pm
8 Fr Gideon Freudman (Cello Pop): HVFG Friends of Fiddler’s Green, 8pm
8 Fr Debbie Davis Blues Band: Turning Pt., 9pm
8 Fr Woody Mann + The Wiyos: Towne Crier
9 Sa Finn & the Sharks: Turning Pt., 7:30pm
9 Sa Tom Paxton: Walkabout Clearwater CH, 7:30pm
9 Sa Bill Kirchen: Towne Crier
15 Fr Greg Brown: Mainstage, 8:30pm
15 Fr Ramblin’ Jack Elliot: Turning Pt., 8pm
16 Sa Denise Jordan Finley & Daniel Pagden: Unitarian CH, S. Randolph Ave. Poughkeepsie
16 Su Joe D’Urso & Stone Cravan: Turning Pt.
16 Sa Kim Simmonds & Savoy Brown: Towne Crier
16 Sa Roy Book Binder: Rosendale
17 Su Dean Friedman: Turning Pt.
22 Fr Gandalf Murphy & The Slombovian Circus of Dreams: Towne Crier
23 Sa Bill Frisell’s 858 Quartet: Turning Pt., 7:30 & 10pm
23 Sa The Thomas Workman, Rufus

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| Cappadocia, Tani Tabbal Trio: Rosendale Café | 2 Sa Poppa Chubby: Turning Pt., 9pm |
| 24 Su Amy & Leslie: Towne Crier | 30 Sa Darrol Anger & Friends: Towne Crier |
| 25 Mo Linda Russell: Memorial Day Concert, New Windsor Cantonment, Vails Gate, NY. 2pm | 30 Sa The Saturday Night Bluegrass Band; A tribute to Patsy Kline: Rosendale |
| 26 Tu Linda Russell; Songs of the Historic Hudson: Middletown Thrall Library; 11-19 Depot St., 7pm | 31 Su Red Molly: Turning Pt., 4 & 7pm |
| 29 Fr Cosmic American Derelicts: Turning Pt., 9pm | 31 Su All Wood & Stones: Towne Crier. 7:30pm |
| 30 Sa Poppa Chubby: Turning Pt., 7:30 & 10pm | 31 Su Danny Paisley & the Southern Grass: Borderline FMC; 7 Trailside Ct., New City, 2pm |

NEW YORK STATE – JUNE
| Lawrence Juber: Turning Pt., 8pm | The McKrells: Towne Crier |
| 2 Tu John Flynn: The Minstrel | 6 Sa Chris Smither: Hurdy Gurdy |
| 5 Fr The Wiyos: Sounding Board | 6 Fr Tony Zentz: Branford Folk |
| 9 Sa Bill Staines: Branford Folk | 9 Sa Bob Zentz: Branford Folk |
| 15 Fr Barnacle: Vanilla Bean Café | 16 Sa The Portable Folk Festival: Sounding Board |
| 16 Sa Bob Zentz: Branford Folk | 30 Sa The Portable Folk Festival: Sounding Board |
| 17 Su Peter Mulvey: Vanilla Bean Café, 7pm | 30 Sa Atwater-Donnelly: Vanilla Bean Café |

NEW JERSEY – MAY
| Robin & Linda Williams: Bergen CC, Paramus | 1 Fr Robin & Linda Williams: Bergen CC., Paramus |
| 1 Fr Amy Speace & Josh Joffen: The Minstrel | 16 Sa The Portable Folk Festival: Sounding Board |
| 2 Sa The Kennedys w Vickie Rus- sell: Hurdy Gurdy | 30 Sa The Portable Folk Festival: Sounding Board |

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AROUND TOWN (The 5 boroughs of NYC)

BB King’s Blues Club, 237 W. 42nd St, 212-997-4144; www.bbkingblues.com
Blarney Star Productions at Glucksman Ireland House at New York University, 1 Washington Mews (enter 5th Ave off Washington Square); 9pm 212-998-3950, www.blarneystar.com
Carnegie Hall; 881 7th Ave (at 57 St), Manhattan, 212-632-0540
Connolly’s, 121 W. 45th St. (6th Ave. & Broadway); 212-597-5126
Community Church; 40 E. 35 St. (bet Park & Madison) NYC; 212-683-4988 www.ccny.org; used by various organizations. Community Cabaret bi-monthly Fridays (see listing above). ]
CUNY Graduate Center, 365 Fifth Avenue, between 34 & 35 St.
Ethical Culture Society (Brooklyn), 53 Prospect Park West, B’klyn 11215 (at 2nd St)
First Unitarian Congregational Society, Pierrepont St. between Clinton and Monroe Sts, Brooklyn; 718-624-5466
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/coffeeshouse
Jalopy, 315 Columbia St., Brooklyn; 718-395-3214; www.jalopy.biz
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 BJ-Pub@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
Kaye Playhouse; Hunter College, E. 68 St bet Park & Lex Ave; 212-772-4448
Madison Square Garden, 7 Ave & 32 St
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.
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
St. Bartholomew’s Church, 109 East 50th St, Manhattan; NYPFMC Sacred Harp singing on the 3rd Sunday 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; Monthly Chantey Sing 8-11pm; (donation asked). www.woodenshipsmusic.com/nychanty/nychanty.html.
South Street Seaport Museum, foot of Fulton St. at the East River; 212-691-7243, see pg 2
Uptown coffeehouse, Ethical Culture Soc, 4450 Fieldston Rd, Riverdale (Manhattan College Pkwy); Sun 5PM, $15 adult ($13.50 seniors, students; $3 children);
LONG ISLAND

Boulton Center for the Performing Arts; 37 W. Main Street, Bay Shore (631)969-1101; www.boultoncenter.org

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.

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

Landmark Community Center, 232 Main St, Port Washington; 516-767-6444; 8pm performances in their Jeanne Rimsky Theater

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); Contra-dances 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 ex Jul. & Aug., 8pm; $10 ($8 child/student); 516-541-1006; www.ourtimescoffeehouse.org

University Café: Sunday Street Acoustic Concert series; Student Union, Stony Brook University Stony Brook, New York 631-632-6027 www.universitycafe.org; e-mail: gpalaia@notes.cc.sunysb.edu

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; 845-354-4586; www.borderlinefolkmusic.4themax.com; $20


Cranberry Coffeehouse, 183 Riverside Drive, Binghamton, New York 13905; third Saturday, 7:30pm; featured performers plus open mic; www.sitemouse.com/users/cranberry/. e-mail: cranberrycoffeehouse@yahoo.com; phone: Chris, 607-754-9437, or Lee, 607-729-1641

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

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Friends of Music, Victorian Mansion Concerts; Orange County Community College, 115 South Street, Middletown (845) 342-0878 www.friendsofmusic.net; Pot Luck

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. Poughkeepsie; $5, $4 members and seniors — Info 845-849-1775

Kiersted House, Saugerties Historical Society; 119 Main Street, Saugerties 12477; 845-246-9529 or 845-246-0784

Muddy Cup Coffee Shop www.muddycup.com, 66 Partition St, Saugerties, NY 12477; 845-246-5755

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

Towne Crier Cafe, 62 route 22, Pawling 12564; 845-855-1300; www. townecrier.com; reservations suggested; Fri & Sat, 9Pm; Sun-Thur, 8Pm; open mic,$4, 7:30PM (5-7PM sign up); $15-25

Ending 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

Watercolor Café, 2094 Boston Post Road, Larchmont, NY 10538; 914-834-2213 www.watercolorcafe.net; usually Tues, at 8pm

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

Princeton Folk Music Soc. % (POB 427, Princeton 08540); usually cncrts 3rd Fri. at Christ Congregation Church, 55 Walnut Lane (across from Princeton HS), Princeton; info: Justin Kodner, 609-799-0944; <info@princetonfolk.org> www.princetonfolk.org

The Sanctuary Concerts, 240 Southern Boulevard, Chatham, NJ; folk concerts twice monthly September-May; info: 973-376-4946, boxoffice@sanctuaryconcerts.org; www.sanctuaryconcerts.org

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/ Good Folk Cfehse., Rowayton United Meth. Church; Rowayton Av & Pennoyer St.;
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Rowayton; 8pm; 1-203-866-4450 <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.

Temple Shearith Israel, 46 Peaceable Street, Ridgefield, CT 06877; 203-438-6589; http://tsiridgefield.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

Repeating Events

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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; Slow Bluegrass Jam;

Prospect Park jam on the 4th Sunday; 2pm; Prospect Park West and 3rd Street , Brooklyn <liddlefiddle@yahoo.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

Instructional Session, Sackett St in Carroll Gardens, Brooklyn, 8-11pm; information: bhs@juneapple.org; 415-613-1409


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

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

Old Devil Moon Restaurant (Southern cuisine), 511 E.12th St at Ave A;
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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 Third Sat, 6:30pm; http://www.banjojims.com; 1 drink minimum plus cover for performers; www.myspace.com/vincenctrossx

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; www.sunnysredhook.com

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 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/mud

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; $15 212-242-6425 <info@andystatman.org>

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

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

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:
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)

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

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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

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

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

FRI & SAT:
Two Boots, 514 Second St (at 7 Ave)
Park Slope, Brooklyn; shows Fri & Sat 10pm; 718-499-3253; food available; www.twobootsbrooklyn.com

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

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; 1 drink minimum

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

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=10011

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: 212-866-4454.

Munch Cafe & Grill, 71-60 Yellowstone Blvd, Forest Hills (Queens); First and Third Sundays, 3-5 PM; 718-544-
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### Wednesdays:

- **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 Dougherty & Eamon O’Leary
- **Fiddlesticks Pub,** 54-58 Greenwich Ave (bet 6 & 7 Av), 212-463-0516; perf by Morning Star *The Gate,* 321 5th Ave at 3rd St, Brooklyn, 718-768-4329; 8pm session ??

### Thursdays:

- **Doctor Gilbert’s Cafe.** 6115 Broadway. Riverdale, Bronx, NY; 8pm Mary Courtney; 718-548-9621
- **Paddy Reilly’s,** 519 Second Ave. (29th St); Tony DeMarco, 10pm-1; 212-686-1210

### Saturdays:

- **Rosie O’Grady’s,** 52nd and 7th Ave, Gabriel Donohue, 10pm; www.gabriel-donohue.com
- **St. Andrew’s,** 120 W. 44th St.(6 & 7 Av.); live Celtic music 9pm - 1am; 212-840-8413; www.StAndrewsNYC.com

### Long Island Repeating Events

**Multi-day:**

- **Brokerage Club,** 2797 Merrick Rd (off Wantagh Pkwy, exit 6N W), Bellmore; some folk/Acoustic/Blues; 8 or 8:30pm; 21 & over; 516-785-8655 or -9349
- **Cool Beanz Coffeehouse,** 556 North Country Rd, St. James; 631-862-4111; www.saintjamescoolbeanz.com; **Tues** 7:30 pm: open Mike (15-22 year olds); **-Wed** 7:30 pm: open mike & Acoustic L.I. (performer);
- **Fri and Sat** 8:30 pm: performers (mostly acoustic); **Sat** 4-7 pm open mike acoustic

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

**Monthly:**

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

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

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

**Book Review,** 313 New York Ave, Huntington. (**first Tuesday**) 11AM-Toddler Time with Mike Soloway, Free.: 631-271-1442

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

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

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

**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

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

**Mondays:**

- **#Kenn’s open mic;** The Village Lantern, 143 N Wellwood Ave, Lindenhurst
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Tuesdays:
3MB Recording Studios, Morewood Plaza, 975 West Jericho Turnpike, Smithtown; 631-780-6267; acoustic open mic 8pm, <Info@3MBRecording.com>; http://www.3mbrecording.com/
Chowder House, 19 Bellport Rd, Bellport; 516-286-2343. Mostly acoustic, w/ sing-alongs & open mike ]
Field of Dreams, Old Country Road, Bethpage; 516-937-7603. Blues Jam
N’awlins Grill, www.nawlinsgrille.com, 44 Willis Ave, Mineola , (516) 747-8488. Open Mke 8:30p & 10:30p for songwriters; Featured Artist 8 & 10p Info: Dave Isaacs dave@ jackalope-music.com; 516-877-1083]
#Solar Café ,1 First Ave., Brentwood 11717 2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 7 pm

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.thecup-coffeehouse.com
Deepwells Mansion, 497 Route 25a, Saint James; Acoustic Long Island: open mic 8-9pm; featured acoustic singer-songwriter 9-10pm; free; www.acousticlongisland.com
Dunhills, Mineola, 516-248-1281: Buddy Merriam & Back Roads (Bluegrass) every other Wednesday ??
Starbucks Café, 101 W. Park Ave, Long Beach; acoustic & poets open mike; 516-670-9181

Thursdays:
Humni’s, 530 N. Broadway, Amityville; open mike jam; 631-841-1800
Java Coffee Company, 135 Merrick Rd, Merrick; open mike; 516-771-8386
#Strings and Things, Mills Pond House, 660 Route 25A, St James , N.Y. 11780; open mic first and third Thurs; www.stacarts.org/events/show/33
Zen Den Café, 14A Railroad Ave, Babylon; open mike; 631-321-1565
The Cooke’s Inn, 767 New York Ave, Huntington; Open Mic 7:30-10p; 631-424-2181

Fridays:
Border’s Books, Jericho Turnpike, Syosset Island Songwriters Showcase, First Friday 8 p.m. Featured performer followed by an open mic. (www.islandsongwriters.org).
East Enders Coffee Shop, 40 East Main Street, Riverhead; 631-727-2656
Michele Monté www .michelemonte.com followed by Open Mike 8-11p
Paradise Fellowship Coffee House .United Church of Christ, Rte. 112; 631-384-1102

Saturdays:
Java Café, 660 Wellwood Ave, Lindenhurst; live acoustic music; 631-2253-1600

Sundays:
Diamonds, Lindenhurst, 516-957-0001: Sunday afternoon jam sessions sponsored by Bluegrass Club of L.I., 516-289-0330

Upstate NY Repeating Events (Also see www.oldsongs.org)

Multi-day:
Cafe Lena; 45 Phila St, Saratoga Springs 518-583-0022; open nightly; Thurs open mic; www.cafelenacom
Circle of Friends Coffeehouse; St. John’s Hall, 8 Sunnyside (& Bedford) Pleasantville; 8pm ; Sat. concerts, www.songster.org/ Corner Stage, 368 East Main St, Middletown, 845-342-4804; Wed, Open Mic-Acoustic Jam 8 pm -mdnte; Thurs, Blues Jam 10 pm-2 am; Sun:Jazz Jam: 8 pm Eighth Step Coffeehouse; concerts various days at several locations; www.eighthstep.org; 518-434-1703
Mother’s Wine Emporium, RPI, Rensselaer Union, 15th & Sage Ave, Troy; 518-276-8585
Old Songs, Inc, PO Box 466, Voorheesville 12186; 518-765-2815; one Cncrt a month, dance 1st & 3rd Sat, at the Community Arts Center, 37 South Main St, Voorheesville; www.oldsongs.org
St. Johns Folk; St. John’s Hall, 8 Sunnyside (& Bedford) Pleasantville; Folk Circle 2nd Fri + and open mic 2nd Sat.; www.songster.org/

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**Spencertown Academy**, rt 203, between Taconic & Rte 22, Spencertown; “Folk Jam” 2nd Friday; 518-392-3693

**Towne Crier**, 62 Route 22, Pawling; 914-855-1300; open mic Wed 7pm; performers most other nights

**Turning Point**, 368 Piermont Ave, 914-359-1089; performances weekends and other.

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

**Monthly:**

**Pickin’ & Singn’ Gathern’, Inc %, 2137 Pangburn Rd, Duanesburg, NY 12056 <www.pickingandsinging.org>; Singaround meetings on 2nd Sun, Sept.-May, at Old Songs Community arts Center, 37 South Main St, Voorheesville; also Gottagetgon (Memorial Day) and Last Gasp (Labor Day) weekends; 518-961-6708

**Borderline Folk Music Club**, house concerts **Sunday 2pm** at New City Volunteer Ambulance Corps, 200 Congers Road, New City (Rockland County); 845-354-4586; solzl1@optonline.net; www.borderlinefolkmusic4themax.com

**Burnt Hills Coffeehouse**, Burnt Hills United Methodist Church Route 50, Burnt Hills; **Sat**; 518-882-6427

**Cranberry Coffeehouse**, 183 Riverside Drive, Binghamton, New York 13905; **third Saturday**, 7:30pm; featured performers plus open mic; www.sitemouse.com/users/cranberry/; <cranberrycoffeehouse@yahoo.com>; Chris, 607-754-9437, or Lee, 607-729-1641

**Greenwood Grind (Cyber Cafe)**, 91 Windermere Ave, Greenwood Lake, 10925; 845-477-2140; monthly **Sat**. open mic’s; www.thegreenwoodgrind.com

**Hudson Valley Folk Guild**, % concerts and open stage coffeehouses (except July and August), P.O. Box F, Poughkeepsie 12602; www.hudsonvalleyfolkguild.org 845-229-0170

--- Kingston: Open Mic Coffeehouse **First Saturday**, 7:30pm, Unitarian Fellowship Hall, Sawkill Rd, Kingston; 845-340-9462

--- Poughkeepsie Open Mic Coffeehouse: **Third Saturday**, 7:30pm, Unitarian Fellowship Hall, 67 S. Randolph Ave, Poughkeepsie; 845-849-1775

--- Friends of Fiddler’s Green: concerts at Hyde Park United Methodist Church, Rte. 9 and Church St.; 845-483-0650

**St Lukes Church**, RT 100 and 202, Somers, N.Y.; Bluegrass jam **first Friday** at 8pm; Mike Burns, 845-276-2239 <mccueburns@aol.com>

**Lil’s Song Circle**: 8pm on **2nd Fri** at various locations in NY & northern NJ. General info: Jerry Epstein, 201-384-8465.

**Lorien Coffeehouse**: Grafton Inn, Grafton, NY; (12 mi. W. of Troy); 518-658-3422

**North Salem Folk Circle**: St. James Parish Hall, rt 116 & June Rd; hoot **1st Fri**, 8 pm; 845-279-2504, or 845-855-1020

**Pirate Canoe Club**, Poughkeepsie NY; **Third Wed** bluegrass jam: The Hudson Valley Bluegrass Association, <mccueburns@aol.com> 845-276-2239

**Westchester Bluegrass Club** Monthly **Sat** meeting hosted by Mike Burns and Ben Freed: 7 pm: Jam session; 8pm OPEN MIC; 9pm band (914)276-2239. Lake Purdys Clubhouse, 33
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Lake Way, Purdys
Westchester Acoustic Guitar Meetup Group; at various days and locations: http://acoustic.meetup.com/114/
Westchester Sing; once a month meeting in homes. Info: Joan L Goldstein, 914-633-7110
WESPAC Coffee House, Westchester People’s Action Coalition, 255 Martin Luther King Blvd (near E. Post Rd), White Plains; 914-682-0488; 7:30pm; one Fri/month; $7

Monday:
Kirtan (Hindu sing-along-chant); Namaste Yoga, Woodstock, NY <BobLusk@hvc.rr.com>

Tuesday:
Cubbyhole Coffeehouse, 44 Raymond Ave, Poughkeepsie (Near Vassar College); 845-483-7584; www.cubbyholecoffeehouse.com/home.html
Acoustic Open Mic Tue; 8:30pm
Fiddlers’ Tour; Capital District (Albany-Saratoga, NY); an open, acoustic, traditional fiddle tune jam, all ages, all abilities. every Tues 7:30pm.

Pajaso’s, 827 Route 17A, Greenwood Lake (845)477-8595; open mike every Tues, 9pm-1am

Wednesday:
Dunne’s Pub, 15 Shapham Pl (nr Mamaroneck Ave), White Plains, 914-421-1451; Wed session 7pm w/ Brian Conway

New World Home Cooking, 1411 Rt. 212, Saugerties (3.5 miles East of Woodstock), 845-246-0900: Old Time Jam first Wed, 7:30; Celtic sessions other Wed, 7:30; (food available)

Old Songs, Inc, PO Box 466, Voorheesville 12186; 518-765-2815; 1st Wed, Open mic; 2nd Wed, slow Irish , 3rd Wed, Drum circle; 4th Wed, Old-Time Jam at the Community Arts Center, 37 South Main St, Voorheesville www.oldsongs.org

Parting Glass, 40-42 Lake Av, Saratoga Springs, Irish sessions 1st & 3rd Wed; open mic 2nd & 4th Wed; 518 583 1916; www.partingglasspub.com/irishmusic.htm

Friday:
Golding Park Cafe: North Grand Street, Cobleskill; www.goldingparkcafe.com; 518-296-8122 Ireland’s 32:Route 59, Suffern, 7pm Irish session.

Fri & Sat:
Peepeekskill Coffee House, 101 South Division St. Peekskill; 914-739-1287; www.peekskillcoffee.com; Performances Fri & Sat at 8pm, Sun 1pm (open mic, one Sat)

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

Warwick Valley Winery, 114, Little York Road, Warwick, 2-5pm plus special concerts. www.wvwinery.com/unplugged_01.html; (845) 258-4858

Sunday:
Ireland’s 32, Rte 59, Suffern, 845-368-3232; Sun 4pm session w/ Jim Coogan

The Wild Geese Inn, 665 Commerce St (rte.141) Thornwood, 914-747-526; 2nd & 4th Sun session w/ members of Comhaltas Ceoltori Eireann

NEW JERSEY REPEATING EVENTS
(also: www.newjerseybluegrass.com)

Bluegrass & Old Time Music Assn;
cncts 3rd Sun Sept-May, 11-7, M & M Hall, Texas Rd, Old Bridge; 201-583-1602

Coffee & Jam, Grace Church, 2nd & 4th Sts, Jersey City; $5, 1st Fri (?) open mic 7-8, music & poetry 8PM; 201-659-2211

Coffee With Conscience, Springfield Emanuel United Methodist Church, 40 Church Mall, Springfield, NJ; Sat, every other month; $10; 973-376-1695

Common Ground Coffeehouse; First Methodist Ch, 111 Ryerson Ave, Newton (just down past Newton H.S.); 8pm 3rd Sat ea. mo. $8; 973-383-2823East

Brunswick Folk Music Club, sings 3rd Tue; 7:45pm East Brunswick Library; info Ryders Lane (201) 257-5035.
Grasshopper Also, 645 Washington Av, Carlstadt, 201-460-7771; Irish Session Sun 9 or 10pm
Maxwell's, 1039 Washington St., Hoboken 201-507-8900/212-307-7171; www.maxwellsnj.com; 3rd Tues NJ Songwriters in the Round
Mexicali Blues, 1409 Queen Anne Rd., Teaneck; 201-833-0011; www.mexicalibluescafe.com; Tues - Open Blues Jam
Mine St. Coffeehouse; First Reformed Church, Neilson & Bayard St, New Brunswick; Sat 8:30; info: 732-249-7877 (Closed July/August)
Montclair Friends Meetinghouse, 289 Park St, Upper Montclair: Sacred Harp singing 4th Sun; 2-5:30pm; free; www.manhattansing.org/; 973-746-0940
Music at the Mission: West Milford Psby Church 1452 Union Valley Road; Sat's 8pm (open mic first Sat); 973-728-4201, <info@MusicAtTheMission.org>, www.MusicAtTheMission.org
Nassau Inn tap room, Palmer Square, Princeton; Open Stage; Tues; 609-921-3857
Pinelands Cultural Soc.; Albert Hall, rte 9, Waretown; Sat's 8pm; $3; contact Jeanette Lobb, RFD 1, Bx 447, Waretown 08758; 609-693-4188
Princeton Folk Music Soc. (%(POB 427, Princeton 08540); usually cncrts 3rd Fri. at Christ Congregation Church, 55 Walnut Lane (across from Princeton HS); $15; info: Justin Kodner, 609-799-0944; info@princetonfolk.org www.princetonfolk.org
The Sanctuary Concerts, 240 Southern Boulevard, Chatham, NJ; folk concerts twice monthly September-May; info:973-376-4946, boxoffice@sanc
The Lucy Folk Concerts, 240 Southern Boulevard, Chatham, NJ; folk concerts twice monthly September-May; info:973-376-4946, boxoffice@sanc
String & Sings of Bergen Co (c/o Laura Munzer, 504 Broadway, Passaic, NJ 07055; 973-773-9606; (laura.munzer@verizon.net); monthly meetings in private homes
Tommy Fox’s Public House, 32 So. Washington Ave, Bergenfield, 201-384-0900; Irish bands every Sun 5pm on; www.tommyfoxs.com

CONNECTICUT REPEATING EVENTS see also: http://folknotes.org/ for extensive listings in the New Haven/Hartford area

Multi-Day:
Molten Java Music, 102 Greenwood Ave, Bethel, CT; Thursday open mic 8pm; performances Friday and Saturday, 203-739-0313;www.myspace.com/moltenjava

Saturday:
Dulcimer Folk Assn of Central CT (%): informal gathering of varied musicians 1st Sat, 7 pm April thru Sept and 1pm Oct. thru March. at Old Avon Village, 39 E. Main St, Avon; Don Moore, 1-860-242-3003, <DonSawmill@aol.com>; www.dulcimerfolckt.org
Roger Sprung, Hal Wylie & Friends; Folk, Irish, B-G, Trad., 1st Sat. (except July/Aug.) at United Method-odist Coffee House, Newtown (exit 10 I-84); dinner 5-7:30pm, music 8-10:30pm; 203-426-5243; $13

Sunday:
Conn. Valley Harmony; free Sacred Harp sings 2nd Sun, 7-9p at various locations, info: Susan Garber, 203-583-0841
Interlaken Inn, Lakeville; Brunch w/ Paton Family or others, 11am-2pm; 203-435-9878.

Monday:
Griswold Inn, 36 Main St, Essex; Cliff Haslam; 860-767-1776, www.griswoldinn.com
Sugar Cube Cafe, K-Mart Plaza, Shunpike Road, Cromwell; Monday 7 PM featured artist, www.bachtrax.com/
SURVEY OF FESTIVALS
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** Dulcimer festivals – Only a few listed here. Contact: Dulcimer Players News, P. O. Box 278, Signal Mountain, TN 37377. 423-886-3966 <angie@dpnews.com> www.dpnews.com/

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-Aug 7-8 Cowboy Music, Poetry and Stories from working cowboys
-Sep 4-5 Tribute to Grandpa Jones

info: PO Box 500, Mountain View AR 72560, 870-269-3851, www.ozarkfolkcenter.com, <ozarkfolkcenter@arkansas.com>

**CALIFORNIA**
++ Jul 31-Aug 8 LarkCamp Music Celebration – Mendocino Woodlands. Camp Setting. Workshops in music and dance from all over the world. Info: PO Box 1176, Mendocino CA 95460, 707-964-4826, www.larkcamp.com

**COLORADO**
++ Aug 9-16 Rocky Mountain Fiddle Camp Week – YMCA Camp Shady Brook, Outside Denver. Concerts and classes featuring a variety of instruments and styles, jam sessions, contra dances and more. Info: 453 East Wonderview Ave. #194, Estes Park, CO 80517, 303-596-9870, <MFLuther@aol.com> www.rmfiddle.com

**CONNECTICUT**
++ May 28-31 Strawberry Park Bluegrass Festival – Preston. Rhonda Vincent, Dry Branch Fire Squad, Amy Gallatin, Jonathan Edwards, Tracy Grammer, The Kennedys, Red Molly, many more. Info: 42 Pierce Road, Preston CT 06365, 860-886-1944, 888-794-7944, <camp@strawberrypark.net> www.strawberrypark.net.
++ Jun 4-7 Blast from the Bayou Cajun Festival – Strawberry Park, Preston. Geno Delafose, Steve Riley and the Mamou Playboys, Jesse Lege, The Subdudes and more. Info: 42 Pierce Road, Preston CT 06365, 860-886-1944, 888-794-7944, <camp@strawberrypark.net> www.strawberrypark.net.
++ Jun 13-14 Sea Music Festival – Mystic Seaport. Sea music workshops and demonstrations on board ship and around the grounds, Music of the Sea Symposium (Sat. a.m.). Louis Killen, Bob Walser, Bob Webb, Cliff Haslam, Danny Spooner, Jeff Warner, Stuart Frank & Mary Malloy, David Kleiman, Heather Wood, Ellen Cohn, Dick Holdstock & Allan McLeod, Martin & Phillip Hugill, Jerry Bryant, John Roberts, The Clancy Legacy, many more. Info: PO Box 6000, Mystic CT 06355, 860-572-5315, 888-9SEAPORT, <smf@mysticseaport.org> www.mysticseaport.org
++ Jun 19-21 Fairfield County Irish Festival – Music and dance performances and workshops, pipe bands, children’s activities, sporting events, cultural exhibits and more. Location and other details to be announced. Info: 74 Beach Rd., Fairfield, CT 06824, 203-333-4736, <festival22committee@irishfestival.org> www.irishfestival.org

**KANSAS**

**KENTUCKY**
++ Jun 7-13 Appalachian Family Folk Week – Hindman. Traditional Appalachian music, dance, crafts, storytelling and more. Info: Hindman Settlement School, P.O. Box 844, Hindman KY 41822, 606-785-5475, <info@hindmansettlement.org> www.hindmansettlement.org

**MAINE**
++ Jun 19-21, Aug 9-14, Aug 16-21 Maine Fiddle Camp – Montville. Music camp for all ages and levels. Dance music in Scots-Irish, French & Scandinavian traditions as they
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have evolved in Maine. Fiddle, piano, guitar, banjo, bones and accordion classes & workshops with performances, jams, song swaps, dancing, swimming. Info: 116 Pleasant Cove Drive, Woolwich ME 04579, 207-443-5411, <fromtheweb@mainefiddle.org> http://www.mainefiddle.org


MARYLAND

++ Common Ground on the Hill – Westminster. Two weeks of workshops in the traditional arts.  
- Jul 5-10 Traditions Week 1; - Jul 12-17 Traditions Week 2
Wide range of stringed and other folk instruments, Banjo, Dulcimers, Fiddle, Bass & Cello, Mandolin, Guitar, Harmonica, Harp & Autoharp, Whistles & Concertina, Ukulele and more.


MASSACHUSETTS

++ May 22-25, Jun 5-7 Pinewoods Camp Work Weekends – Plymouth. Help tidy up the camp for the summer season. Housing and meals provided. Info: 80 Cornish Field Rd., Plymouth MA 02360, 508-224-4858, <manager@pinewoods.org> www.pinewoods.org

++ Jun 19-21, CDS Boston Centre First Weekend at Pinewoods – Plymouth. Info: P.M.B 282, 1770 Massachusetts Ave., Cambridge, MA 02140, 860-434-0201, <donna@dbandpc.com> www.cds-boston.org , <fac@facone.org> www.facone.org/


++ Jul 2-6 CDS Boston Centre Weekend at Pinewoods – Plymouth. Info: 413-549-5409, <lkruskal@hotmail.com> www.cds-boston.org

++ Jul 6-10 English Scottish Session at Pinewoods – Plymouth. English, Scottish dance, band workshops. Info: 617-864-3410, <jffar@rcn.com> www.cds-boston.org


++ Jul 17-19 Green River Festival – Greenfield. Diverse musical styles and hot-air balloons. Rani Arbo & daisy mayhem, Chris Smith, Richard Shindell, Tracy Grammer, Mark Erelli, Jeffrey Foucalt, Eilen Jewell and more. Info: P. O. Box 898, Greenfield MA 01302, 413-773-5463, <balloon@crocker.com> www.greenriverfestival.com


++ Country Dance and Song Society at Pinewoods – Pinewoods Camp, Plymouth.
- Jul 18-25 Family Week, Leaders: Marney & Owen Morrison
- Jul 18-25 Teachers Training Course, Leader: Betsy Blachly Chapin
- Jul 25-Aug 1 Folk Music Week, Leaders: Anni Fentiman & Dave Webber
- Aug 1-8 American Dance and Music Week, Leader: Lisa Greenleaf
- Aug 1-8 Square Dance Callers Course, Leader: Kathy Anderson
- Aug 8-15 English and American Dance Week, Leader: Carol Ormand
- Aug 15-22 Early Music Week, Leader: Sheila Beardslee
- Aug 22-29 Campers’ Week, Leader: Kathy Talvitie
- Aug 29-Sep 5 English Dance Week, Leader: Brad Foster

Info: CDSS, PO Box 338, Haydenville MA 01039-0338, 413-268-7426, ext. 3, fax: 413-268-
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7471, <camp@cdss.org> www.cdss.org/
++ Aug 8-15 Boston Harbor Scottish Fiddle School – Boston. Classes at all skill levels from Very Beginner to Expert. Info: FACONE, 42 West Foster Street, Melrose MA 02176, 781-662-7475, <fac@facone.org> www.scottishfiddle.org
++ Sep 11-13, 18-20 Pinewoods Camp Work Weeks – Plymouth. Info: 80 Cornish Field Rd., Plymouth MA 02360, 508-224-4858, <manager@pinewoods.org> www.pinewoods.org/FallWork.shtml
++ Sep 26-27 Working Waterfront Festival – Fisherman’s Wharf, New Bedford. Tours of commercial and historic vessels, music, dance, poetry, theater. Performer list unavailable at press time. Info: CEDC, P. O. Box 6553, New Bedford MA 02742-6553, 508-993-8894, <info@workingwaterfrontfestival.org> www.workingwaterfrontfestival.org
++ Oct 10-12 FSSGB Fall Getaway Weekend – Prindle Pond Conference Center, Charlton (new location). Performer list unavailable at press time. Info: 978-264-9710, <fgw@fssgb.org> www.fssgb.org

MICHIGAN
++ Aug 7-9 Great Lakes Folk Festival – East Lansing. A fusion of arts fair, county fair, music festival, living museum and more. Lost Bayou Ramblers, Beyond the Pale, Slide, Gadelle and more. Free Admission. Info: 517-432-4533, <pr@museum.msu.edu> www.greatlakesfolkfest.net

MONTANA
++ Jul 10-12 National Folk Festival (71st Annual) – Butte. Traveling festival of American culture, free to the public. Blues, Gospel, Polka, Cowboy, Bluegrass, Klezmer, Old-Time, Cajun, Mariachi and more. Info: P. O. Box 696, Butte MN 59703, 406-497-6464, <info@nationalfolkfestival.com> www.nationalfolkfestival.com

NEW HAMPSHIRE
++ WUMB 91.9 FM Summer Acoustic Music Weeks – Center Harbor. -Jul 12-18 Workshops in various music and song topics with Cliff Eberhardt, Martin Grosswendt, John Doerschuck, Rolly Brown and more. -Aug 16-22 Workshops in various music and song topics with John Kirk, Trish Miller, Pete & Maura Kennedy, Lorraine & Bennett Hammond, Bob Franke, Brooks Williams and more.
Info: Dick Pleasants, WUMB 91.9 FM, UMass Boston, 100 Morrissey Blvd, Boston MA 02125, 617-287-6901, <dick.pleasants@umb.edu> www.umb.org/samw/
++ Country Dance and Song Society at Ongontz Camp - Lyman. -Aug 1-8 Family Week 1, Leaders: Bettie and Steve Zakon-Anderson -Aug 8-15 Family Week 2, Leaders: Laurie Cumming & John Mayberry
Info: CDSS, PO Box 338, Haydenville MA 01039-0338, 413-268-7426, ext. 3, fax: 413-268-7471, <camp@cdss.org> www.cdss.org

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NEW YORK
++ May 22-24 GottaGetGon – Ballston Spa. Alexander Mitchell Band, Debra Cowan, Del Rey, Jean Rohe With Liam Robinson and more. Info: 518-882-6809, <ggg@capital.net> www.pickingandsinging.org/
++ May 23-24 East Durham Irish Festival – East Durham. Enter the Haggis, Glengarry Boys, Andy Cooney Band, Shilelagh Law, The Elders, Kitty Kelly Band, Jameson’s Revenge Driscoll & Smith, St. James Gate, Barleyjuice and more. Info: P. O. Box 189, East Durham NY 12423, 518-634-2286 <mjqirishcentre@yahoo.com> www.irishvillageusa.com
++ Jun 26-28 Old Songs Festival – Altamont Fairgrounds, Guilderland. Peggy Seeger, Louis Killen, Bill Harley, Josh White, Jr., Christine Lavin, Jez Lowe, Vanaver Caravan, Steve Gillette & Cindy Mangsen, Lissa Schneckenburger Trio, Lou & Peter Berryman, Peter & Mary Alice Amidon, Bua, John Roberts & Tony Barrand, Grooveama, Double Decker String Band, Michael Cooney, many others. Musical portrayal of Henry Hudson’s voyage to the New World, by Nanne & Ankie and the Hudson Crew from Friesland. Info: PO Box 466, Voorheesville NY 12186, 518-765-2815, <oldsongs@oldsongs.org> www.oldsongs.org
++ Ashokan Fiddle and Dance Camp weeks
- Jun 28-Jul 4 Western & Swing Week (Swing, Two-step, waltz and more)
- Jul 19-25 Northern Week (Contra, Square, English, Quebecois, Scandinavian and more)
- Aug 9-15 Southern Week (Square, Clogging, Cajun & Zydeco and more)
Info: Box 49, Saugerties NY 12477, 845-246-2121, www.ashokan.org
++ Jul 12-18 Catskill Irish Arts Week – East Durham. Workshops in folk music, dance song, language and history, concerts and ceilis. Info: PO Box 189, East Durham NY 12423, 518-634-2286, <contact@irishartsweek.com> www.irishvillageusa.com
++ Jul 16-19 Grey Fox Bluegrass Festival – Walsh Farm, Oak Hill. Dry Branch Fire Squad, Ricky Skaggs, Del McCoury Band, Crooked Still, Claire Lynch Band, David Bromberg Quarter, John Kirk & Trish Miller, Footworks, many more. Info: P. O. Box 535, Utica NY 13503, 888-946-8495, <office@greyfoxbluegrass.com> www.greyfoxbluegrass.com
++ Jul 23-26 Falcon Ridge Folk Festival – Dodds Farm, Hillsdale. Janis Ian, Susan Werner, Dan Navarro, Neriss & Katrina Nields, Wild Asparagus, Clayfoot Strutters, Dala, more to be announced. Info: 74 Modley Rd., Sharon CT 06069, 860-364-0366, <info@falconridgefolk.com> www.falconridgefolk.com
++ Aug 28-31 SummerSongs – Ashokan Field Campus, Olivebridge. A summer camp for songwriters. Info: P. O. Box 803 Saugerties NY 12477, 845-750-6871, <info@summersongs.com> www.summersongs.com

NORTH CAROLINA
++ John C. Campbell Folk School – Brasstown. Year-round school of folk arts handcrafts, music and dance, featuring dozens of weeklong classes and workshops and some weekends. A few 2009 music sessions are:
- May 3-9 Beginning Mountain Dulcimer – Betty N. Smith
- May 10-16 Continuing Mountain Dulcimer – Anne Lough
- May 17-23 Continuing Guitar – Jim Lloyd
- May 31-Jun 6 Beginning Hammered Dulcimer – Anne Lough
- Jun 7-13 Native American Flute – Billy Whitefox & Linda Prejeant
- Jun 21-27 Fiddling for Violin Players – J. D. Robinson
- Jun 28 Jul 4 Intermediate Clawhammer Banjo – Bob Buckingham
- Jul 5-10 Continuing Folk Harp – Lorinda Jones
- Jul 26-31 Dulcimer Celebration –Anne Lough, Jeff Sebens, Steve Eulberg,, Karen Muellner
- Jul 26-31 Mountain Dulcimer Building – John Huron
- Aug 23-28 Building a Hammered Dulcimer – Jeff Sebens
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-Aug 30-Sep 5 Beginning Hammered Dulcimer – Anne Lough

Many of the same and similar subjects are covered in other sessions too numerous to list here, throughout the summer and continuing through December. Also featured are classes and workshops in arts, crafts, cooking and nature study. Info: One Folk School Road, Brasstown NC 28902-9063, 800-FOLK-SCH, www.folkschool.org

++ Swannanoa Gathering – Warren Wilson College, Asheville. Weeklong classes/workshops. 2009 highlights include:
- Jul 5-11 Traditional Song Week, Fiddle Week
- Jul 12-18 Celtic Week
- Jul 19-25 Old-Time Week
- Jul 26-Aug 1 Contemporary Folk Week, Guitar Week
- Aug 2-8 Dulcimer Week

Info: PO Box 9000, Asheville NC 28815-9000, 828-298-3434, <gathering@warren-wilson.edu> www.swangathering.com

**PENNSYLVANIA**


++ May 22-24 Folk College – Huntingdon. Simple Gifts, Joel Mabus, Luminescent Orchestrii, Orpheus Supertones, AppalAsian, Cindy Kallet & Grey Larsen and others. Info: P. O. Box 216, Huntingdon, PA 16652, 814-643-6220, <huntingdonarts@comcast.net> www.folkcollege.com


**RHODE ISLAND**

++ Sep 4-6 Rhythm & Roots Festival – Charlestown. Big Sandy & the Fly-Rite Boys, Steve Riley & the Mamou Playboys, Jerry Douglas Band, Magnolia, Asleep at the Wheel, The Duhks, many more. Info: P. O. Box 535, Utica NY 13503, 888-855-6940 <office@rhythmandroots.com> www.rhythmandroots.com

**TEXAS**

++ May 21-Jun 7 Kerrville Folk Festival – Kerrville. Tish Hinojosa, Austin Lounge Lizards, Jack Hardy & David Massengill, The Limeliters, Peter Yarrow, Ellis Paul, Cliff Eberhardt, Joe Jencks, Tom Prasada-Rao, Kevin Connolly, Rhythm Angels, Ron Hynes, many more. Info: PO Box 291466, Kerrville TX 78029, 830-257-3600, <info@kerrville-music.com> www.kerrvillefolkfestival.com

**VERMONT**

++ Jun 11-14 Roots on the River – Bellows Falls. Fred Eaglesmith, Junior Brown, Chris Smither, Jeffrey Foucalt, Red Molly, Sonny Landreth, Broken Blossoms and more. Info: 90 Westminster St., Bellows Falls, VT 05101-1537, 802-463-9595, <ray@vermontfestival.com> www.rootsonthriver.com


++ Jul 12-18 Middlebury Festival on the Green – Middlebury. Woods Tea Company, Beppe
Gambetta, Crooked Still and more. Info: P. O. Box 451, Middlebury VT 05753, 802-462-3555, <midfog@gmail.com> www.festivalonthegreen.com
++ Jul 31-Aug 2 Champlain Valley Folk Festival – Kingsland Bay State Park, Ferrisburgh. Peter & Mary Alice Amidon, The Beaudoin Legacy, Mary Desrosiers, Tim Eriksen, Skip Gorman, Enoch Kent, The MacArthurs, Laura Risk & Jacqueline Schwab, Pat Wictor, Chris Stevens, Crowfoot and more. Info: P. O. Box 3, Ferrisburgh, VT 05456, 877-850-0206, <info@cvfest.org> www.cvfest.org
++ Aug 14-17 Pipers’ Gathering – Killington. Workshops, concerts, demos, more. All kinds of bagpipes. Info: <info@pipersgathering.org> www.pipersgathering.org

WASHINGTON
++ May 22-25 Northwest Folklife Festival – Seattle Center. Huge festival of music, dance and crafts, with hundreds of participants. Info: 305 Harrison St., Seattle WA 98109-4623, 206-684-7300, <folklife@nwfolklife.org> www.nwfolklife.org

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WEST VIRGINIA
++ Country Dance and Song Society at Timber Ridge – near High View. -Aug 16-23 Adult & Family Programs, Leaders: Joel Bluestein, Michal Warshow Info: CDSS, PO Box 338, Haydenville MA 01039-0338, 413-268-7426, ext. 3, fax: 413-268-7471, <camp@cdss.org> www.cdss.org
++ Augusta Heritage Arts Workshops – Elkins. Summer session features theme weeks featuring classes in crafts, dance, music and folklore. 2009 highlights include:
- Jul 5-10 Cajun/Creole Week, Early Country Music Week, Hammered Dulcimer Class
- Jul 12-17 Blues Week, Guitar Week, Hammered Dulcimer Class
- Jul 19-24 Irish/Celtic Week, Hammered Dulcimer Class
- Jul 26-31 Bluegrass Week, Swing Week, Hammered Dulcimer Class
- Aug 2-9 Old-Time Week, Dance Week, Vocal Week
- Oct 25-Nov 1 Old-Time Week, Fiddlers’ Reunion
Info: Davis & Elkins College, 100 Campus Drive, Elkins WV 26241, 304-637-1209, 800-624-3157, <augusta@augustaheritage.com> www.augustaheritage.com

WISCONSIN
++ Aug 28-30 Great River Folk Festival – La Crosse. Performer list unavailable at press time. Info: P. O. Box 1434, LaCrosse WI 54602, 608-784-3033, <grff@juno.com> www.greatriverfolkfest.org

CANADA
++ Aug 5-9 Old-Time Fiddle Championship – Shelburne, ON. Workshops, Concerts, Arts & Crafts, Fiddle Contest. Info: Shelburne Rotary Club, PO Box 27, Shelburne ON L0N 1SO, CANADA, 519-925-8620, <dwestern@smpatico.ca> www.shelburnefiddlecontest.on.ca
++ Aug 14-16 Summerfolk Music & Crafts Festival – Owen Sound, ON. Brian McNeill, Trout Fishing In America, Austin Lounge Lizards, Dan McKinnon, Tanglefoot, Erica Wheeler, Susan Werner, Vance Gilbert, James Keelaghan, Benoit Bourque, Peggy Seeger, Stan Rogers Tribute with Ariel Rogers and more. Info: P. O. Box 521, Owen Sound, ON N4K 5R1 CANADA, 519-371-2995, <gbfs@bmts.com> www.summerfolk.org
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30 Years Ago This Month
compiled by Harvey Binder

Here are some club happenings as reported in the May, 1979 newsletter:

• The club presented, in concert:
  --Lorre Wyatt at Our Lady Of Peace Church
  --Charlie King at the home of Marion Wade
  --Peggy Seeger at the Labor Theatre
• Performers on the Spring weekend were Tom Gibney, Helen Schneyer, and Murray Callahan
• The editor’s column noted the passing of Grant Rogers
• Dan and Vicki Horowitz moved into their new home in Larchmont
• Folk music around town included:
  • EAGLE>Debby McClatchy/Derby Ram, Michael-McCreesh-Campbell, Joe & Antoinette McKenna, Bes’ Friends/Guy Davis/J.W. Mclure/Mad Mountain Dave/Hamstring Quartet,Wretched Refuse, John Roberts, Metropolitan Opry, How To Change A Flat Tire; ARTUROS> Sons Of The Underbrush; FLUSHING LOCAL> Lee Gross & Arthur Spencer, Lighthorse Harry, Ruth Ann Brauser/Rob Ardito, Lynn Hamey/Michael Ponder; GOOD>Jack Hudson, Neil Rossi; NYU>Norman and Nancy Blake with James Bryan; FOCUS II>Leo Kretzler, Margaret MacArthur, Joe Heaney; CENTERFOLD> Paul Kaplan/Linda Williams, Amy Cowell/Abbi Gorn, Bergen County Ramblers, Firewater; CORNELIA STREET>Judy Gorman-Jacobs; COMMUNITY CHURCH> Sweet Honey In The Rock; CAPULETS>Diamonds In The Rough; HEY BROTHER>Karen Hamilton; FOLK CITY>Willow/Judy Gorman-Jacobs; COOPER UNION>Hank Thompson/Central Sheiks.

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

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2nd Annual Westerleigh Folk Festival. Saturday June 20. 11:30am–7:30pm In beautiful Westerleigh Park – Maine & Neil Dow Aves. Staten Island. Folk, blues, Celtic. Wahoo Skiffle Crazies, Louise Luger, Joan Caddell, Stan Jay. Food, crafts, Free Admission. Don’t miss it! e-mail: westfest8@aol.com
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