April

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1 Wed Folk Open Sing, 7pm in Brooklyn
7 Tue Old-Time Music Jam, 7:30-9:30pm in Brooklyn
10 Fri Martin & Eliza Carthy; 8pm; St. John's Church, Christopher Street
12 Sun Woody Guthrie Brooklyn Hoot; 7 pm at Jalopy
13 Mon FMSNY Board of Directors Meeting, 7:15pm; see p. 5
15 Wed Matt & Deirdre Connolly, 8pm at Sunnyside Singers Club
19 Sun Shanty Sing on Staten Island, 2-5 pm
20 Mon Matthew Byrne, 8pm, Landmark Tavern
21 Tue Old-Time Music Jam, 7:30-9:30pm in Brooklyn
28 Tue Newsletter Mailing; 7pm in Jackson Heights, Queens

May

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**Wednesdays:** Sunnyside Singers Club in Woodside, Queens, 8pm
3 Sun Maritime Music & Song Session; 2pm, South St.Seaport,
5 Tue Old-Time Music Jam, 7:30-9:30pm in Brooklyn
6 Wed Folk Open Sing, 7pm in Brooklyn
11 Mon FMSNY Board of Directors Meeting, 7:15pm; see p. 5
13 Wed Valerie Seal, 8pm at Sunnyside Singers Club
17 Sun Shanty Sing on Staten Island, 2-5 pm
19 Tue Old-Time Music Jam, 7:30-9:30pm in Brooklyn
22-25 Spring Folk Music Weekend, register now, see centerfold.
30 Sat Annie & the Hedonists at Christ Church, Riverdale

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**Martin & Eliza Carthy:**
**Friday, April 10, 8pm**
**St. John's Church, Christopher St**

**Spring Weekend, May 22-25**
reserve now! see flier in centerfold
Irish Traditional Music Session: Every Monday: 8-11pm

Tenor banjo, harmonica and fiddle player Don Meade and friends get together every Monday night for an Irish traditional music session in the back room of this historic Hell’s Kitchen bar/restaurant. Free admission; food and drink are available. Musicians and singers and listeners welcome. At the Landmark Tavern, 626 11th Avenue (on 46th St), Manhattan; co-sponsored with and led by Don Meade; for info 212-247-2562 or www.blarneystar.com/ Guest Performer: Monday, April 20: Matthew Byrne

Sunnyside Singers Club: every Wednesday

Come join us every Wednesday at 8pm for a 3-hour pub style sing-around. All songs are welcome, as are acoustic instruments. Co-sponsored with and held at the Aubergine Cafe, 49-22 Skillman Avenue at the corner of 50th Street in Woodside, Queens. Occasionally there is a featured guest performer for part of the evening. Sandwiches, salads, coffee, tea, wine, and beer are available. Free admission. A voluntary contribution is requested on guest nights. The nearest subway stop is 52nd Street on the #7 Flushing Local. Information: 718-899-1735

Featured Performers: April, 15, Matt & Deirdre Connolly

Old-Time Instrumental Jam: Alt. Tues., Apr. 7 & 21; 7:30-9:30pm

Wanna JAM? Alan Friend will lead an old-time jam from 7:30 to 9:30pm at the Brooklyn Farmacy & Soda Fountain every other Tuesday as indicated. Bring your fiddle, banjo, guitar, etc. and we’ll play old-time music at this small, warm, friendly venue. Acoustic instruments only-- no electric ones. Buy some delicious desserts and socialize while you’re here, as well. The Farmacy is located at 513 Henry St. (at Sackett St.) in Carroll Gardens, Brooklyn. Info: alanfriend_music (at) mindspring.com.

Legends Series concert: Martin & Eliza Carthy; Friday April 10, 8 pm:

Martin Carthy is one of folk music's greatest innovators, one of its best loved, most enthusiastic and, at times, most quietly controversial of figures. His skill, stage presence and natural charm have won him many admirers, not only from within the folk scene, but also far beyond it. His daughter, Eliza, is a truly inventive and innovative singer and fiddle-player, and a gifted musical conceptualist. She is arguably, the most impressive and engaging performer of a generation. Last year, they released a CD together, The Moral of the Elephant.

At St. John's Church, 81 Christopher Street, Manhattan. Contribution: general public, $25; members, $20; fulltime students and children under 15, $15. Since we expect this concert to be a sellout, we recommend booking ahead. You can order online at http://carthy.eventbrite.com (service charge applies) or send a check (made out to FMSNY) to FMSNY, 444 West 54th Street #7, New York NY 10019. Info: (646) 628-4604.

Third Annual Woody Guthrie Brooklyn Hoot Round Robin Songfest Sunday April 12th, 7 pm:

Featuring Don Friedman, Alan Friend, Beth Kotkin, Joel Landy, Anne Price, and Steve Suffet in a concert of Woody's songs, familiar and not-so-familiar, with plenty of opportunities to sing along. Co-sponsored with and at the Jalopy Theatre, 315 Columbia Street, Brooklyn, NY 11231

Jalopy is located in Red Hook, just a few hundred yards from where Woody shipped out when he served in the US Merchant Marine during World War II. Cover $10. Venue information 718-395-3214.

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**Folk Open Sing: Wednesdays, April 1st; & May 6th; 7-10pm**

Join us on the first Wednesday of each month for an open sing. Bring your voice, instruments, friends, neighbors, and children. Drop by for a couple of songs or the whole evening. At the Ethical Culture Society, 53 Prospect Park West, Brooklyn (near 2nd St.). Directions: F or Q train to 7th Ave.; 2/3 train to Grand Army Plaza. Hosted by Ethical Culture Society, Folk Music Society of NY/NYPFMC, Alison Kelley, and Frank Woerner. Info: Frank, 212-533-2139.

**Shanty Sing: Sunday, April 19th; 2-5pm**

We are co-sponsoring the Shanty Sing on the 3rd Sunday of every month. The William Main Doerflinger Memorial Sea Shanty Sessions at the Noble Maritime Collection (to give the official title) are from 2 to 5 pm at the Noble Gallery, Building D, Snug Harbor Cultural Center, 1000 Richmond Terrace, Staten Island, NY. Refreshments are available, including beer and wine for sale.

Snug Harbor is accessible by the S40 bus from the Staten Island Ferry Terminal and by car. For more information about the Noble Collection, go to http://www.noblemaritime.org -- click on "Visitor Information" for directions and a printable map. For further information contact Bob Conroy: RConroy421(at)aol.com or 347-267-9394.

**Newsletter Mailing: Tuesday, April 28th; 7pm**

We need your help to mail out the next Newsletter. Join the important band of volunteers that sticks the stamps and labels, and seals the pages to mail out this newsletter. At the home of Don Wade and Eileen Pentel, 35-41 72nd Street, Jackson Heights (Queens). Right near the “74 St” Station of the #7 line or the “Roosevelt Ave-Jackson Heights” Station of the E, F and R trains. (Cat in residence.) Info: 718-672-6399.

**Maritime Music & Song Session; Sunday, May 3rd; 2-4:30pm**

An open community sing with a lot of singalongs. We are delighted to be going back to South Street, where we have held so many great events over the years. The Seaport is struggling back after Hurricane Sandy, and we are glad to be helping. Note: no sing in April. A freewill offering will be collected to benefit the museum. We will also take up a collection for the health expenses of Don Sineti, Mystic Seaport chanteyman.

Hosted by The New York Packet. Co-sponsored with and at the South Street Seaport, 12 Fulton St, near Fulton St. subway stop on the A, C, J, Z, 2, 3, 4, & 5 lines. Info: 212-957-8386.

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**From the Editor**

I hope that by the time you receive this newsletter, spring will truly be here! Fortunately the music continues. Martin & Eliza Carthy will be performing this month, as will Matt & Dierde Connolly at the Sunnyside Singers Club, and Matthew Byrne at the Landmark Tavern. Both the Sunnyside Singers Club and the Landmark Tavern meet once a week where the participants all have a chance to sing and play. The Folk Open Sing, the Old-time Music Jams, and the Shanty Sing continue. This month we can also enjoy the Woody Guthrie Brooklyn Hoot.

And of course, we have our fabulous Newsletter mailing. Thank you to last month’s volunteers—Don Wade, Eileen Pentel, Marilyn Suffet and Sonja Savig! More help is always welcomed. Don’t miss the next mailing on Tuesday, April 28th. (see above)
Weekend Scholarships Available

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

TO APPLY: Please download an application from the website www.folkmusicny.org or request an application form from the address below. The most important considerations are financial need and interest in folk music. The candidates will be considered and notified by mail.

Please send it in, via mail or e-mail, before April 10, 2015 to:
Marilyn Suffet,
41-05 47th Street,
Sunnyside, NY 11104.

Phone: 718-786-1533; E-mail: ssuffet@nyc.rr.com

To make our weekends available to more members there are several scholarship funds:

George Parker Scholarship - provides one full scholarship per fall or spring weekend to a club member otherwise unable to attend. The fund was established in memoriam by George’s parents, the New York Pinewoods Folk Music Club, and other contributors. George was a young man and a friend of folk music who greatly enjoyed our weekends.

Charles & Ilse Mayer Scholarship Fund - provides one full scholarship for each of the fall, winter, and spring weekends each year. This fund was set up in memoriam by board member Evy and Ilse Mayer in honor of Evy’s father Charles Mayer.

You may make a fully tax-deductible contribution in any amount to any of the funds above by sending a check payable to “Folk Music Society of New York” (noted with the name of the scholarship memorial) to our treasurer, Heather Wood, 444 W. 54 St, #7, NYC, NY 10019 To establish a new named fund in honor of or in memoriam to a loved one, please contact any of our current board members (see list in this newsletter).

The Lil & Lou Appel Scholarship is an independent fund which provides scholarship support for the spring and fall weekends to an individual who has a strong interest in folk music, singing, and/or instrumental playing. This fund was established by a loving group of regulars in memoriam to Lil’s 35+ years of bi-weekly Friday night sings, “a breeding and feeding ground for many of today’s accomplished singers and musicians.” For information, or to contribute, contact Alice Backer at 914-366-0037

TradMaD Camp (Trad Music and Dance Camp)

In celebration of the club’s 50th Anniversary, we’re going back to Pinewoods Camp, where it all started. From August 29 to September 4, 2015, we'll be singing, picking, dancing, jamming, swimming, relaxing -- all the things we love about Pinewoods Camp. Staff list includes Sheila Kay Adams, Anita Best, Eliza Carthy, Andy Cohen, Amy Conley, Bob Dupré, Sue Dupré, Craig Edwards, Grand Picnic, Bennett Hammond, Lorraine Hammond, Scott Higgs, Allen Hopkins, Hubby Jenkins, John Kirk, Jen Larson, Trish Miller, Emily O’Brien, Caroline Paton, Linnea Paton, John Roberts, Jacqueline Schwab, Ryan & Brennish Thomson, Bob Walser, Elissa Weiss, and more

See the flier sent out with the March newsletter and/or check the website: www.tradmadcamp.org. Note that scholarships are available and those wanting financial assistance are encouraged to apply for them.

PRENEWAL

Your membership expiration date is printed on your newsletter mailing label. If you send in your renewal before it expires, you will save wear and tear on Tom, our Membership Chair, and also save the club the cost of mailing you a reminder. Address to send to is on the back cover membership blank.
Topical Listing of Society Events
For details of current events see pages 2-4

Weekends
May 22-25: Spring Folk Music Weekend, REGISTER NOW! see centerfold
Nov. 6-8: Fall Folk Music Weekend

Concerts
*Legends—a series showcasing some great performers in various folk fields
Fri, Apr. 10: *Martin & Eliza Carthy; 8pm; St. John's Church, Christopher St.
Sat, May 30: Annie & the Hedonists at Christ Church, Riverdale
Fri, Sept. 11: Sara Grey and Kieron Means, 8pm at OSA Hall
Fri, Oct. 23: J. Davis & B. Peters, location TBA

TradMaD Camp
Aug. 29-Sept. 4: Six days at Pinewoods Camp, Plymouth, Mass: www.tradmad-camp.org or see flier sent out in March

Workshops and Special Programs
Sun, April 12: Third Annual Woody Guthrie Brooklyn Hoot Round Robin Songfest; 7pm; co-sponsored with and at the Jalopy Theatre
Fri, Sept. 18: Talk Like A Pirate Eve. 7:30pm, at OSA Hall

Sings and Informal Jams
Sun, May 3: Folk & Maritime Song & Music Session, (no April sing); South Street Seaport Museum, 12 Fulton St.; 2-4:30pm.

Folk Open Sing: First Wednesday of each month (Apr.1, May 6, etc.), 7-10 pm; Ethical Culture Society in Park Slope, Brooklyn.
Irish Traditional Music Session: every Monday, 8-11 pm, Landmark Tavern, 11th Avenue and 46th Street; free.
Guest Performer: Monday, April 20: Matthew Byrne

Old-Time Instrumental Jam: every other Tuesday at the Farmacy in Brooklyn: (April 7 & 21, etc.)
Shanty Sing: on the 3rd Sunday, 2-5 pm on Staten Island (April 19, etc.)

Sunnyside Singers Club: every Wednesday, 8-11pm, Aubergine Cafe, Woodside. Guest Performers are: April 15, Matt & Deirdre Connolly; May 13, Valerie Seal; June 10, Hudson River Rose

Business Meetings, etc.
Newsletter Mailing: Tuesday, April 28th, 7pm in Queens -- see p. 3
Board of Directors Meeting: 7:15pm, the second Monday (April 13, May 11, June 8, July 13, etc.), at Cap 21, 18 W 18th St., between 5th & 6th Aves; ask at sixth floor reception for room. Info., call Heather at 212-957-8386

Updated events information (online)
is available on our website at: http://www.folkmusicny.org

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It’s really Spring! What a welcome change.

Toby Fagenson and Jane Babits escaped part of the long, hard winter. They spent the month of January in Australia and New Zealand. Jane says it was an amazing trip and she highly recommends it. So if you’re feeling down with the winter blues, a solution may be to go “down under.” On another note, Jane’s nephew, Lucas, an aspiring actor, is presently a soccer coach at the 92nd Street Y.

Ever the inquiring mind, Ann Green is enrolled in four classes at JASA: (1) Poetry, (2) Acting, (3) Jews and Television Programming, (4) New York City Politics. Since the poetry teacher views songs as poetry (we knew that!) Ann will sing her original song, “Lost in Queens” when the class has its recitation session.

Sheila Ewall writes about the play Lonesome Traveler: I really had a good time and enjoyed it. It made me think of the Folk Music Society of N.Y. and Bernie Klay's weekends. Plus, it brought back good old memories. I recommend it to all.

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

Maritime Sing goes back to South Street!
Sunday May 3rd, 2:00 – 4:30 pm
At the Seaport Museum
12 Fulton Street, Manhattan
Chanteys! Sailor Songs! Forebitters! Choruses Galore!
Come join the voyage with The New York Packet
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Help spread the word!
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 fliers, help us by getting a supply of fliers to put out. Contact Don Wade, <donwade(at)donwade.us>, 718-426-8555 and let us know how many to send you!

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 (at) donwade.us>

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NEW YORK CITY - April

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

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

1  We# Folk Open Sing: 7pm in Brooklyn; see p. 2
3  Fr  Joseph Arthur: Naked Soul; Rubin Museum
7  Tu  Juancho Gerrera: Subrosa; 8 & 10pm
7  Tu  Sy Kusher Jewish Music Ensemble: NY Klezmer Series
7  Tu# Old Time Music Jam: 7:30-9:30pm in Brooklyn; see pp 2-3
10 Fr# Martin & Eliza Carthy: St. John’s Church, Christopher St.; see p. 2
10 Fr  Le Bruit Court Dans La Ville: Robert Browning Assoc.; Rouxlette
11 Sa  The NYC Raging Grannies plus Patricia Shih: Peoples Voice Café
12 Su  Yeats from the Heart with Kevin Crawford, Tony DeMarco and Alisa Rose and others; culturalroadmapp to Ireland’s Wild Atlantic Way; held at Irish Arts Center
12 Su# Woody Guthrie Brooklyn Hoot; cosponsored by Jalopy; see pp 2-3
14 Tu  Brian Glassman’s Klezmer/
14 Tu  Jazz Alliance: New York Klezmer Series
16 Tu “On Your Radar” with John Platt of WFUV 90.7 FM featuring Conrad Hanson, Ari Hest & Chris Poland and Robert Sarazen Blake: MWB; Rockwood Music Hall, 106 Allen St.; 212-477-4135; www.rockwoodmusicall.com
15 We# Matt & Deirdre Connolly:
17 Fr  Toshi Reagon: MWB; Naked Soul
17-19  Brooklyn Folk Festival 2015 – many performers; presented by Down Home Radio Show and Jalopy; held at St. Anns and the Holy Trinity, 157 Montague St., Brooklyn
18 Sa  Greg Klyma: First Acoustics
18 Sa  Ray Korlya: Peoples Voice Café
19 Su# Shanty Sing on Staten Island, 2-5pm; see p. 3
20 Mo# Matthew Byrne: 8pm at the Landmark Tavern; see p. 2
21 Tu# Old –Time Music Jam: 7:30-9:30pm in Brooklyn; see p. 2
23 Th  Anonymous 4: final album release - songs of the American Civil War era; plus special guest Bruce Molsky: Great Hall of Cooper Union; 7:30pm
23 Th  Gilberto Gil – Gilbertos Samba: Town Hall; 8pm
25 Sa  Sally Campbell plus Pat La-Manna: Peoples Voice Café
28 Tu  Susan Leviton: New York Klezmer Series
28 Tu# Newsletter Mailing: 7pm in
**Folk Music Events Calendar - Continued**

Jackson Heights, Queens; see p. 3

30 **Th** Ralph Irizarry and Jimbalye: Subrosa; 8 & 10pm

**NEW YORK CITY — MAY**

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

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

1 **Fr** Faical Ayez, Abu Muhammed and Brother Qawwal: Roulette; 8pm

1 **Fr** Willie Nile: MWB; Naked Soul

2 **Sa** Anne Hills plus Harmonic Insurgence: Peoples Voice Café

3 **Su#** Maritime Music and Song Session: 2pm at South St. Seaport; see p. 3

5 **Tu#** Old Time Music Jam: 7:30-9:30pm in Brooklyn; see p. 2

5 **Tu** Yale Strom’s Hot Pastrami: New York Klezmer Series

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

**LONG ISLAND — APRIL**

16 **Th** Claudia Russell/Bruce Kaplan & Glen Roethel: Hard Luck Café; FMSH; 7:30pm

17 **Fr** Rhiannon Giddens: Landmark on Main Street

17 **Fr** Modern Man: Our Times Coffeehouse

18 **Sa** Fatou Mata Diawara: Landmark on Main Street

19 **Su** “With a little help from our friends” (the Beatles) afternoon benefit for Garden Stage featuring Sloan Wainwright, Glen Roethel, The No Fuss and Feathers Roadshow, The Levins, Josh Joffen, Marci Geller and others: Garden Stage; UUCCN

**LONG ISLAND — MAY**

1 **Fr** Martin Swinger and Matt Nakoa: Garden Stage; UUCCN

2 **Sa** Brother Sun: 1st Sat. Concert; FMSH; 7:30pm

**NEW YORK STATE — APRIL**

2 **Th** Yarn; also Driftwood: Towne Crier

3 **Fr** Girsa: Towne Crier; 8:30pm

4 **Sa** Jesse Lege and Bayou Brew:

4 **Sa** Bobby DeBlasio and friends: Turning Point

4 **Sa** Sloan Wainwright: Towne Crier; 8:30pm

9 **Th** Al Stewart with Dave Nachmanoff: Towne Crier; 7:30pm

9 **Th** Le Bruit Court dans la Ville: House Concert; 7:30pm; for info: banjolady.susan@verizon.net; 914-282-0289

10 **Fr** Catie Curtis: Turning Point; 5pm

10 **Fr** Le Vent du Nord: Towne Crier; 8:30pm

10 **Fr** Garnet Rogers: Caffe Lena

10 **Fr** Brooks Williams: Folkus Project; May Memorial

10 **Fr** Rhonda Vincent And The Rage; Emelin

11 **Sa** Miss Ida Blue: Rosendale Café; 8pm

11 **Sa** Joe Crookston and Mustard’s Retreat – double bill: Walkabout Clearwater Coffeehouse

11 **Sa** Dead on Live – Celebrating 50 years of the Grateful Dead: MWB; Tarrytown Music Hall; 8pm

11 **Sa** Bumper Jacksons: Common Ground Coffeehouse

11 **Sa** Golbo & Wiggins: Towne Crier; 8pm

11 **Sa** Professor Louie and the Crowmatix: Turning Point; 8:30pm

11 **Sa** Easy Ramblers: 2nd Sat. Concert Series; Westcott Community Ctr.; Folkus Project

11 **Sa** Six-Strong Pioneers; Alice Stewart & Melissa Ferrick; Caffe Lena; 8pm

12 **Su** Martín O’Connor Trio (from Ireland): Towne Crier; 7:30pm

16 **Th** Over the Rhine: Towne Crier; 7:30pm

17 **Fr** Martin & Eliza Carthy: Rosendale Café

17 **Fr** Jim Kweskin & Greg Muldau: Caffe Lena

18 **Sa** Chris Barrow: Turning Point; 4pm

18 **Sa** David Bromberg & Larry Campbell & Bela Fleck & Abigail Washburn: MWB; Tarrytown Music Hall

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Folk Music Events Calendar - Continued

18 Sa  Albert Cummings Band: Towne Crier; 8:30pm
18 Sa  Debbie Davies Blues Band: Turning Point; 9pm
18 Sa  Benefit for the Mohawk Community of Kanatsiohareke: Caffe Lena; 2pm
18 Sa  Over the Rhine: Common Ground Coffeehouse
18 Sa  Sloan Wainwright & Cosy Sheridan: Caffe Lena; 8pm
19 Su  Cheryl Wheeler: Turning Point; 4pm
23 Th  Mary Chapin Carpenter: MWB; Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, 30 Second St., Troy; 518-273-0038
23 Th  Kathy Mattea featuring Bill Dooley: Towne Crier; 7:30pm
24 Fr  Robben Ford: Towne Crier; 8:30pm
24 Fr  Chris Brown and the Bookends: Turning Point; 8:30pm
25 Sa  Michael Packer Blues Band: Turning Point; 9pm
25 Sa  Red Dog Run: Rosendale Café; 8pm
26 Su  Red Molly: Turning Point; 4 & 7pm
26 Su  Bruce Molsky: Towne Crier; 7:30pm

NEW YORK STATE — MAY
1 Fr  Marshall Crenshaw: Towne Crier; 8:30pm
1 Fr  Aztec Two-Step: Turning Point; 8pm
2 Sa  Roomful of Blues: Towne Crier; 8:30pm
2 Sa  Suede: Turning Point; 5 & 8pm
3 Su  Charlie Daniels Band: MWB; Tarrytown Music Hall; 7pm
3 Su  “Bob Dylan Subterranean Birthday Bash” with Rob Stoner’s Rolling Thunder Review Revisited: Turning Point; 4pm
7 Th  Robert Cray Band: MWB; Tarrytown Music Hall; 8pm

NEW JERSEY — APRIL
10 Fr  Shawn Colvin w/ guest Rebecca Pronsky: Sanctuary Concerts
10 Fr  Joe Crookston and Owen Danoff: the Minstrel
10 Fr  Dead on Live “all the years combine” (Grateful Dead tribute): MWB; SOPAC; 8pm
11 Sa  Christine Lavin & Don White: Hurdy Gurdy
11 Sa  Tom Rush and friends, including Loretta Hagen: Sanctuary Concerts; limited seating
17 Fr  Craig Bickhardt: Princeton Folk Music Society
17 Fr  The Kennedys with Michael Braunfeld: the Minstrel
24 Fr  Gathering Time with Mara Levine: the Minstrel
25 Sa  Archie Fisher, Jez Lowe and James Keelaghan: Sanctuary Concerts
25 Sa  Vance Gilbert with guest Annika Scillian: Acoustic Café

NEW JERSEY — MAY
1 Fr  Summer Songs Beach Party: the Minstrel
2 Sa  Judy Collins: MWB; SOPAC; 8pm

CONNECTICUT — APRIL
3 Fr  Tartan Terrors: KHCAC; 8pm
4 Sa  Tim Shelton: KHCAC
10 Fr  The Chapin Sisters: Friday Night at All Souls
11 Sa  Archie Fisher, James Keelaghan & Jez Lowe: Sounding Board
11 Sa  Amy Gallatin & Stillwaters: Northwest Park Concert Series
11 Sa  Pete Huttlinger: Roaring Brook Concerts
11 Sa  Tony Memmel: Vanilla Bean
11 Sa  Rhonda Vincent & the Rage: CT Productions; 7:30pm
12 Su  Spuyten Duyvil: Acoustic Celebration; St. Stephens North Hall, Ridgefield; 4pm
12 Su  Gregory Alan Isakov with special guest Jolie Holland: Ridgefield Playhouse
12? Su  John Ford Coley: Bread Box Theater, Willimantic; 4pm
14 Tu  George Winston: KHCAC; 7:30pm
17 Fr  “In Two Minds” Len Graham and Brian O’Haire: Celtic Airs; Wilde Auditorium; U. of Hartford
17 Fr  Soft Parade: the Doors tribute show; KHCAC
18 Sa  Kala Farham: Vanilla Bean; 8p

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18 Sa **Hungrytown**: Sounding Board
18 Sa **Harvey Reid & Joyce Anderson**: Roaring Brook Concerts
19 Su **Louise Goffin**: KHCAC; 7pm
19 Su **Luke Wade**: Ridgefield Playhouse
23 Th **Matthew Byrne**: House Concerts in E. Lyme; SongsatJanes@aol.com
23 Th **Judy Collins**: Ridgefield Playhouse; 8pm
24 Fr **Peter Yarrow**: KHCAC; 8pm
25 Sa **Andrew McKnight**: Vanilla Bean Café; 8pm
25 Sa **Porch Party Mamas**: Northwest Park Concert Series

25 Sa **Ticket to Ride**: Tribute to the Beatles: KHCAC; 8pm
25 Sa **Aztec Two-Step**: Sounding Bd
25 Sa **Double State Troubadours - Lara Herscovitch & Kristen Graves**: Roaring Brook
26 Su **Eric Taylor**: Vanilla Bean Cafè at Pomfret Audubon Ctr.; 7pm
27 Mo **The Waterboys**: Ridgefield Playhouse; 8pm

CONNECTICUT — MAY
2 Sa **Gil Gutierez String Trio**: Northwest Park Concert Series
2 Sa **Tim & Myles Thompson**: Roaring Brook Concerts

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

This list gives more detailed information for locations listed in the chronological Events Calendar. It generally does not include information about locations in the Repeating Events listings. (see p.13 & www.folkmusicny.org/repeating.html.)
Most of the events in the listings are not run by the Club, and the information given is the best available at press time. Additions and corrections to this list are most welcome! Send location info to: Don Wade, 35-41 72nd St., Jackson Heights, NY 11372; E-mail: Don(at)folkmusicny.org. § = Organization with a newsletter which lists area events

AROUND TOWN (The 5 boroughs of NYC)
Blarney Star --see Glucksman Ireland House
Cooper Union, Cooper Square (7 St & 3rd Ave)
Ethical Culture Society (Brooklyn), 53 Prospect Park West, B’klyn 11215 (at 2nd St)
Farmacy, 513 Henry St. (at Sackett St.) in Carroll Gardens, Brooklyn; see p. 2-3.
First Acoustics; First Unitarian Society in Brooklyn: Monroe/Pierrepont Sts., 8pm, www.firstacoustics.org
Folk Open Sing: Ethical Culture Society (Brooklyn), 53 Prospect Park West, B’klyn 11215 (at 2nd St) – see p. 2
Glucksman Ireland House at New York University, 1 Washington Mews (enter on 5th Ave off Washington Square); 8pm 212-998-3950, www.blarneystar.com
Good Coffeehouse at the Old Stone House, 336 Third Street, bet. 4th/5th Avenues, Brooklyn, NY. 718-768-3195; 4:30-6:30pm; www.facebook.com/pages/The-Good-Coffeehouse-at-The-Old-House/155911611133314
Irish Arts Center/An Claidheamh Soluis, 553 W. 51 St, Manhattan; 212-757-3318; classes, wrkshps, concerts, dances, ceilis with dance, music & song. Info: 718-441-9416 (for theatre & classes, call IAC directly); www.inx.net/~mardidom/rchome.htm
Jalopy, 315 Columbia St., Brooklyn; 718.395.3214; www.jalopy.biz/
Landmark Tavern, 626 11th Avenue (on 46th St); co-sponsored with and led by Don Meade; for info 212-247-2562 or http://www.thelandmarktaVERN.org/events.php
Naked Soul; see Rubin Museum of Art
NY Klezmer series, see Stephen Wise Free Synagogue
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.
Rockwood Music Hall, 196 Allen Street New York City 10002; 212-477-4155 (between E. Houston and Stanton take the f and v subway to 2nd Av); 21-and-over. ID is required; www.rockwoodmusichall.com
Roulette, 509 Atlantic Av., Brooklyn; 917-267-0363
Rubin Museum of Art, 150 W. 17th St. NYC; 212-620-5000; www.rmanyc.org
Saint John’s Lutheran Church, 81 Christopher Street, NYC 10014; Subway: Christopher Street on the #1, West 4th Street on others. FMSNY concerts see pages 2-3

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Seaport Museum of New York, foot of Fulton St. at the East River
Shanty Sing: The William Main Doerflinger Memorial Sea Shanty Sessions at the Noble Maritime Collection, 2 to 5 PM, see pages 2-3. For further info, RConroy421@aol.com or 347-267-9394

Stephen Wise Free Synagogue 30 W. 68th St. (bet. Central Park W. and Columbus), NY 10023: The New York Klezmer Series curated by Aaron Alexander, Thru June 11, 2013: $35 full night 4:00 – 5:00pm Kidz Klezmer Band -see website for info; 5:30 – 7:00pm Instrumental Klezmer – Music Workshop $25; 6:00 – 7:00pm Yiddish Dance Class w/Steve Weintraub $15; 7:30 – 8:45pm Concert $15;8:45 - 9:30pm Klezmer Jam Session; www.nyklezmer.com; www.aaronalexander.com/wp

Subrosa, 63 Gansevoort Street, New York, NY 10014; (646) 240-4264
Sunnyside Singers Club; Aubergine Café, 49-22 Skillman Ave., Woodside; www.auberginecafe.com; sings Wednesdays sometimes with featured performer.

Summerstage; Central Park Rumsey Playground, 72nd Street just west of 5th, Manhattan Ave; weeknights at 7:30 or 8:30pm; Sat & Sun at 3pm; free (except for benefits); 212-360-2777; www.summerstage.org

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

WMI-World Music Institute Concerts: (8:00 PM unless indicated) various locations: info: World Music Inst., 4 W. 43rd St., Ste. 404, NYC 10036; www.worldmusicinstitute.org; 212-545-7536

LONG ISLAND
FMSH=Huntington Folk Music Society § (PO Box 290, Huntington Station 11746) 1st Saturday Concerts at the Congregational Church of Huntington, 30 Washington Drive, Centerport (north side of Route 25A at Huntington border); also Hard Luck Café concerts on the 3rd Thursday at the Sky Room of the Cinema Arts Center, 423 Park Ave., Huntington; also monthly (usually the 2nd Sunday) Folk Jams at the Huntington Library from 1 to 5pm. Info: liconcertnotes@optonline.net; http://fmsh.org

Garden Stage Concerts, Open Mic Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Central Nassau (www.uuccn.org) 223 Stewart Ave at NW Corner Nassau Blvd, Garden City 516-248-8855 www.gardenstage.com

Hard Luck Café: 3rd Thursday at the Sky Room of the Cinema Arts Center, 423 Park Ave., Huntington; run by Huntington FMS--see FMSH.

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

LITMA § (Long Island Traditional Music Assn. c/o Liz Levitt, 133 Clifton Ave, Mastic NY 11950). Smithtown events at Smithtown Historical Society’s Brush Barn, 211 Main St (Rte 25 east of Rte 111), Smithtown: Contra dance 2nd Fridays, 8pm (631-369-7854); English Country Dances 3rd Sunday 2pm (631-757-3627); Orchestra rehearsals (516-433-4192). Other Locations: Contra Dance 1st Saturday, 8pm Oct.-June Watermill Community Center (631-725-9321). Shape Note Sing 3rd Sunday, 1pm, Bethany Presbyterian Church, 425 Maplewood Rd., Huntington Station. House Song Circle 2nd Saturday at various locations (631-281-8272). 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); 516-541-1006; www.ourtimescoffeehouse.org/.

UUCCN Coffee House Concerts; Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Central Nassau 223 Stewart Avenue Garden City www.uuccn.org one Friday of the month (mostly first Friday) $15 Admission; www.uuccn.org/

UPSTATE NEW YORK
also look at: The Hudson Valley Calendar: www.hvmusic.com/listing/calentry_list.php
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.borderlinefolkmusicclub.org; $20 FMSNY at members rates
Caffè Lena, 47 Philadelphia St., Saratoga Springs; 518-583-0022; www.caaffelena.org

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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; www.emelin.org
Rosendale Cafe, 434 Main St, Rosendale 12472; 845-658-9048; 9pm cover & min; www.rosendalecafe.com
Susan Sterngold and Mike Resnick’s, 5 Lancaster Dr, Suffern NY (about 30 mi NW of NYC); RSVP banjolady.susan@verizon.net; 914 282 0289
Tarrytown Music Hall, 13 Main St, (at Kaldenberg), Tarrytown; www.tarrytownmusichall.org
Towne Crier Cafe, 379 Main St, Beacon, 845-855-1300; www.townecrier.com; concerts many nights; open mic Tue & Wednesday; reservations suggested
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
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Acoustic Cafe, Our Lady of Mercy Academy, 25 Fremont Rd. Park Ridge, NJ 07656; Sat’s at 8pm, Sun’s at 2pm; acousticcafe@optimum.net; www.cafeacoustic.org/
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, $7 (2nd Fri, open stage); Morristown Unitarian Fellowship, 21 Normandy Heights Rd, Morristown, NJ. (Run by Folk Project §, POB 41, Mendham 07945; 973-335-9489; www.folkproject.org; Sat concert info: 973-335-9489
Princeton Folk Music Soc. § (POB 427, Princeton 08540); usually cncrts 3rd Fri. at Christ Congregation Church, 55 Walnut Lane (across from Princeton HS), Princeton; $20 ($15 NYPFMC members); info: Justin Kodner, 609-799-0944; <info@princetonfolk.org> www.princetonfolk.org
The Sanctuary Concerts, Presbyterian Church, 240 Southern Boulevard, Chatham, NJ; folk concerts twice monthly September-May; info:973-376-4946, boxoffice@sancutaryconcerts.org; www.sanctuaryconcerts.org
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Celtic Airs: Lincoln Theater at the University of Hartford, 200 Bloomfield Ave., West Hartford, 7:30 p.m. Tickets are $25; $10 for UHar students. Information: 860-768-4228 and harttweb.hartford.edu
vanilla Bean Cafe, corner of 44, 169 & 97, Pomfret; 8pm Sat eve’s plus first Fri open mike, 860-928-1562; www.thevanillabeancafe.com; $5-15
Repeating Events

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NYC BLUEGRASS & OLD-TIME

Sundays:
Brooklyn Rod & Gun Club, 59 Kent Ave @ N.10th St., Williamsburg; Old Time Slow Jam 2nd & 4th Sundays, 6-8:30pm www.meetup.com/oldtimeslowjam
Paddy Reilly’s, 519 2 Ave, Manhattan (29 St) 212-686-1210; bluegrass, etc. jam 5-8pm; Sunday (see also Irish and general multi-day listings); www.paddyreillysmusicbar.us/weekly-lineup/
Southern Hospitality, 645 9th Ave at 45th St, Manhattan; Bluegrass Brunch from 12:15 to 3:45 with Fresh Baked Bluegrass
Superfine, 125 Front St. Brooklyn, 718-243-9005; Bluegrass Brunch 11AM-3PM

Mondays:
Instructional Session, Sackett St in Carroll Gardens, Brooklyn, 8-11pm; information: bhs(at)juneapple.org; 415-613-1409
Lowlands Old-Time Jam, Lowlands Bar 543 3rd Ave (at 14 St), BKlyn 11215; Led by Betsey Plum, 8:30pm-1am; www.lowlandsbar.com; www.facebook.com/groups/209473585803954/
Paddy Reilly’s, 519 2 Ave, Manhattan (29 St) 212-686-1210; 2nd & 4th Mon: Slow Bluegrass Jam; 1st, 3rd and occasional 5th Mon: Bluegrass & Beyond Jam, 7:30-11pm www.bluegrassandbeyondnyc.com or www.facebook.com/pages/Bluegrass-Beyond-NYC/142022495825058

Tuesdays:
Brooklyn Farmacy & Soda Fountain, See page 2-3
Manhattan old-time jam, Globe Bar, 158 East 23rd St., (between 3rd Ave. & Lexinton); 8pm until 11 or so. every other Tuesday. Next jams are March 11th, March 25th, April 8th, etc.

Wednesdays:
Randolph Beer (343 Broome St (Bowery & Elizabeth, 212-334-3706); Sheriff’s Bluegrass Jam, 9:30 pm-1:30 am; www.sheriffunclerob.com/news.asp
Jalopy, 315 Columbia St., Brooklyn; “Roots ‘n Ruckus” old-time and blues night 718-395-3214; www.jalopy.biz

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

Saturdays:
Jalopy; 315 Columbia St., Brooklyn; Old Time Open Jam with Harry Bolick; first Saturday of each month; 3-6pm; free; 718-395-3214; www.jalopy.biz
Randolph Beer, 343 Broome St, between the Bowery and Elizabeth St., Manhattan; 212-334-3706; Bluegrass Brunch from 1:30 to 5:30pm with Fresh Baked Bluegrass.
Southern Hospitality, 645 9th Ave at 45th St, Manhattan; Bluegrass Brunch from 12:15 to 3:45 with The Hunts.
Sunnys’, 253 Conover St (between Reed & Beard St) in Red Hook, Brooklyn, 9 PM in the back: band performance followed by Bluegrass and Misc, jam at 10 PM, ‘til LATE. 718-625-8211; www.sunnysredhook.com

NYC GENERAL REPEATING MUSIC:

Jointly:
An Beal Bocht Cafe, 445 W. 238th St, Riverdale (Bronx) bet. Greystone & Waldo Ave; 718-884-7127; Music most days; Sun 4-7pm John Redmond & Friends; Sun 8pm singer-songwriter session; Tue open mic; Fri, Sat Mary Courtney’s Ballad Night 6-8pm; www.anbealbochtcafe.com
BB King’s Blues Club, 237 W. 42nd St, 1-212-997-4144; www.bbkingblues.com various live music all week
The Ear Inn, 326 Spring St; 212-226-9060; Mon’s & Wed’s Orange Bear, 47 Murray St; 212-566-3705; Mon’s at 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; Sun, Bluegrass, Mon, Slow and fast Bluegrass Jams; Wed, open mic, 7pm; Sat Songwriter open mic, 6pm; (see also Irish multi-day listings); http://www.paddyreillysmusicbar.us/weekly-lineup

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Sidewalk Cafe, 94 Ave A (6 St.); 212-473-7373; performers nightly; anti-hoot open mic; Mon’s 7p; www.sidewalkmusic.net

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

Mondays:
Cafe Vivaldi, 32 Jones Street (Off Bleecker St, near Seventh Ave), Greenwich Village, Manhattan; 212-691-7538; various music every night; Mon open mic night; www.caffeivivaldi.com/

Charles Street Synagogue, 53 Charles St (at W. 4 St, 2 bl. N. of Sheridan Sq); American roots music most Mondays w/ Andy Statman & Friends; 8:30pm; $15

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

Sidewalk Cafe, 94 Ave A (6 St.); 212-473-7373; anti-hoot open mic 7pm. www.sidewalkmusic.net

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

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

Wednesdays:

Hungarian House, 213 E. 82 St, betw 2 & 3 Ave; info: 212-289-8203; Balkan dance class. www.nycfolkdance.org

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

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

Shape Note Sing, 7-9:30pm; September-June. St. John’s Lutheran Church, 81 Christopher St. (bet. Bleecker & W. 4th Sts., near 7th Ave. S.), Greenwich Village, Manhattan; July & August: Saint Peter’s Church, Lexington Ave. and E. 54th St, Music Room, 7-9pm; http://nycsacredharp.org

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

Sunnyside Singers Club, see page 2

Thursdays:
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(at)andystatman.org

St. John’s Lutheran Church. 81 Christopher St. Manhattan. 6:30pm potluck, 7:30pm song circle. 2nd Thursday each month.

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

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

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Fri & Sat:
Orchard Cafe, 1064 1st Ave, (SE Corner 58th St.), 212-371-1170, 8pm, http://www.orchardhousecafe.com

Postcrypt Coffeehouse; St.Paul’s Chapel bsmt, Columbia Univ. 116 St & B’way; Fri & Sat - school year only (closed May-Sept. & Dec.-Jan.), 8:30pm; open stage usually 1st Sat (8pm sign-up); free; http://postcrypt.virb.com/

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

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