

New York Pinewoods Folk Music Club

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*NYPFMC Events at a Glance***March**

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Events Details

FOLK OPEN SING; Wednesdays, March 3rd; April 7th; 7pm

Join us on the first Wednesday of each month for an open sing. Bring your voice, instruments, friends, neighbors, children and a snack to share. At the Ethical Culture Society, 53 Prospect Park West (basement), Brooklyn (near 2nd St.). Directions: F train to 7th Ave.; Q train to 7th Ave.; 2/3 train to Grand Army Plaza. Hosted by Ethical Culture/Good Coffeehouse, Pinewoods Folk Music Club, Alison Kelley, and Frank Woerner. For info: Alison Kelley, 1-718-636-6341.

QUICKSTEP; Saturday, March 6th; 8 PM ☺

Lively fiddle tunes, folksongs and fancy footwork are featured in a concert from **John Kirk, Trish Miller, Mac Benford and Ed Lowman**. This versatile stringband from Upstate New York plays old-time music with twin fiddles, banjo, guitar, mandolin and bass. Dance is a regular part of their show, from step-dance to hambone. They have developed a diverse repertoire of original and old-time music rooted in the North Country. Some selections are sentimental, others are humorous and some are toe-tappin' barn burners.

John Kirk is best known for his great voice, and has always made his living as a musician. He calls dances, fiddles, and also plays mandolin, banjo and guitar. Several of his songs connect to the Adirondacks and North Country living. The Dixie Chicks recorded his song, *Long Road*. John teaches music at Bennington College in Vermont and is a dynamic emcee, clogger and jokester.

Trish Miller has been teaching and performing Appalachian clogging since 1981, and toured with the Green Grass Cloggers, from Asheville, NC. Trish calls square dances and plays banjo, lap dulcimer and guitar. She teaches banjo at Skidmore College, directs the dance stage at several festivals and gives workshops on North American folk dance in schools.

Mac Benford plays old-time banjo, sings and has been a mover and shaker in the revival of stringband music in America for over 30 years. He was a founding member of the Highwoods Stringband and the Backwoods Band, and now plays in a dynamic Ithaca, NY group called Up South. Mac and John were in the band The Woodshed Allstars, for over a decade. Mac is a treasure trove of sweet old tunes and songs, and has inspired many people to play old-time music.

Ed Lowman is a multi-instrumentalist and singer. Old-time and Cajun fiddling, bass, guitar, mandolin and carpentry are his trades. In addition to working with John and Trish since 1984, Ed has appeared with several groups including the St. Regis Stringband. He is known for his authentic rendering of early country songs, and yodeling like Jimmy Rogers.

At the Advent Lutheran Church, Broadway at 93rd St, Manhattan. FREE to NYPFMC members; \$18 general public; \$15 CD*NY members; \$10 seniors and full-time students; \$6 children under 12. For info: 1-718-549-1344 (after 11 AM.)

SEA MUSIC CONCERTS; Sundays, March 7 & April 4; 3-5 pm

First Sunday Sea Music Concerts at South Street Seaport Museum, Fulton Street and the East River. Members of The New York Packet (Frank Woerner, Bonnie Milner, Deirdre Murtha, Mark Maniak, Joy Bennett, Alison Kelley, Maggie Bye, Frank Hendricks, Al Cuenin, Jan Christensen, Dan Milner & Bob Conroy) join featured guests. Co-sponsored with the South Street Seaport Museum. At the Museum Gallery, 209 Water Street between Fulton & Beekman. Call 1-212-691-7610 for directions and to confirm location. Latest details at <http://pages.prodigy.net/folkmusic/thenewyorkpacket.htm> Donation is \$4 (children, \$2), pay at the door.

Mar. 7: **Dan Milner & Bob Conroy**. Bob and Dan sing the songs of Irish immigrants, Liverpool Irish seamen and 19th Century New York Irish concert saloon performers.

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Ireland's Sunday Tribune newspaper called their singing "passionate" and Hibernia magazine termed their recent CD "an unmatched overview of Irish America." (Banjo and guitar.)

April 4 - **Cliff Haslam**. From Lancashire, England. His big, expressive voice and huge repertoire are known all over the Northeast. A regular at Mystic Seaport festivals, Cliff has led a weekly session at the Griswold Inn in Essex, CT, one of America's oldest hostels, for over 25 years. A rare opportunity to hear this exceptional singer in New York City. (12-string guitar)

SUNNYSIDE SONG CIRCLE; Sunday, March 14th; 2-6 pm

Bring voices, instruments, and songs to share. At the All Saints Church, 43-12 46th Street in Sunnyside, Queens. Half a block north of Queens Boulevard; No. 7 Flushing Line train to 46th-Bliss \$2 contribution requested. Snacks and beverages to share are also welcome, but no alcohol, please. For information, Joel Landy at 1-718-937-2240.

RIVERDALE SING; Thursday, March 18th; 7:30-10 pm

Bring instruments, voices, and songs to share. At the Riverdale Presbyterian Church, 4765 Henry Hudson Parkway (between 246-249 Streets, west side of parkway). Go down the driveway to the double red doors off the parking area. The sing is in the auditorium. On site parking for the first 18 cars. Donation is \$3. Info: 1-718-549-1344 after 11 AM..

SACRED HARP SINGING AT ST. BART'S; Sunday, March 21st 2:30pm

Co-sponsored and hosted by St. Bartholomew's Church in Manhattan, on the 3rd Sunday of each month through June, 2:30 to 5pm, 109 East 50th St. We continue the colonial American tradition of lively (high-volume, up-tempo) four-part, unaccompanied gospel singing. Shaped notes, indicating fa-so-la intervals, make sight-reading easy. Instruction provided; beginners welcome! Sacred Harp hymnals available for loan or purchase. No fee; contributions collected. Free parking (Distinctive Parking, 51 St bet. Lex. & 3rd Av; ticket is good until midnight)! Info: Gail Harper 1-212-750-8977.

CHANTEY SING; Saturday, March 27th; 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 24 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. For Information call 1-718-788-7563.

GOSPEL & SACRED HARP SING; Sunday, March 28th; 3PM

Join us for singing gospel, plus songs from the Sacred Harp book. This is 4-part harmony sung from written music, so you should be able to carry a tune; sight-singing helpful but not required. Bring **food** for a potluck supper (host is supplying drinks). At the home of Lenore Greenberg, 120 Boerum Place, #1J, Brooklyn (718-403-0347). Subways: "F" or "G" train to Bergen St. (rear of train from Manhattan or Queens). Do not cross Smith Street; walk one block on Bergen to Boerum. Or #2, 3, or 4 to Borough Hall; walk south on Court St. around 8 blocks; turn left on Dean. Other info: Isabel, 1-212-866-2029.

NEWSLETTER MAILING; Wednesday, March 31st; 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 Club office, 450 7th Ave. (between 34 & 35 St.), rm 972. Info: 1-718-426-8555

New York Pinewood Folk Music Club

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 450 7th Ave, #972, NYC, NY 10123, or from the Office of Charities Registration, N. Y. Dept. of State, 162 Washington Av, Albany, NY 12232.

We have approximately 700 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 of this newsletter. Regular memberships include one subscription to the newsletter (11 issues yearly), free admission to our approximately 5 series events, and reduced admission to many events. Won't you join us?

2004 Board of Directors:

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Send calendar or listings info directly to the appropriate person below (no charge for listing):

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Newsletters are sent by first class mail to members on or about the first of each month (except Aug.). Views expressed in signed articles represent those of the author and not necessarily those of the club.

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(less 10% for repeating ads paid in advance)

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WWW Home Page:

<http://www.folkmusicny.org>

E-Mail: nypinewood@aol.com (best to send to individual officers as listed on the left).

Topical Listing of Club Events

Series Concerts - Free to Members ☺

- Mar. 6 Sat **Quickstep**, 8 pm at Advent Church
Apr. 16 Fri **John Roberts & Tony Barrand**, 8 pm at Advent Church
May 7 Fri **Sheila Kay Adams**

South Street Seaport Sea Music Concerts

in the Museum Gallery, 209 Water Street; First Sunday , 3-5pm

- Mar. 7 Sun **Bob Conroy & Dan Milner + NY Packet**
Apr. 4 Sun **Cliff Haslam + NY Packet**
May 2 Sun **Don Sinetti + NY Packet**

Special Events

- Aug. 13-15: **Eisteddfod-NY**, A Festival of Traditional Music: Polytech, Bklyn.
Jan. 28-30,2005: **Peoples' Music Network Winter Gathering** (co-sponsored with PMN)

House Concerts

- Apr. 30 Fri **Sara Grey**, 8pm, at Joy Bennett's, Queens

Weekends

- May 28-31 **Spring Folk Music Weekend** at Camp Freedman, Falls Village, CT
with Andy Cohen, Larkin Bryant, Peter Stix (dance caller), and others
Oct 22-24 **Fall Folk Music Weekend** at Camp Freedman, Falls Village, CT
Feb. 4-6,2005: **Winter Folk Music Weekend** at Warwick Conference Center

Informal Jams and Sings

- Folk Open Sing**; First Wednesday of each month: (Mar.3, Apr.7, etc); 7-10:30 pm at the Ethical Culture Society in Brooklyn.
Gospel & Sacred Harp Sing: Sunday, March 28 in Brooklyn
Riverdale Sing; in Riverdale, the Bronx: Thursdays: March 18, April 15, May 20, June 17 (no sing July and August) .
Sunnyside Song Circle: Sunday, March 14; 2-6 pm All Saints Church, Sunnyside, Queens; call Joel Landy, 1-718-937-2240..
Sacred Harp Singing at St. Bartholomew's, 3rd Sunday, 2:30pm (Mar.21, Apr.18)
Chantey Sing at Seamen's Church Institute, South Street Seaport; usually 2nd or 3rd Saturday, 8pm (Mar.27; April 17; May 15; etc.)

Business, Meetings, etc.

- Newsletter Mailing**, Wednesday, March 31, 7pm, at the Club office, 450 7th Ave. (between 34 and 35 St.), room #972. Information: 1-718-426-8555
Executive Board Meeting: 7:15 pm, 2nd Monday at the Club office, 450 7th Ave., room 972. (March 8, April 12, etc.) Info:1-718-575-1906

The Club's Web Page: www.folkmusicny.org

Folk-Fone: 1-212-563-4099

Note: Recently we have been having trouble with folk phone, and the club's phone system. If you call and find them out of order, please call Don Wade, 1-718-426-8555 so we know it's out of order. Thanks.

From the Editor

Eileen Pentel



We hope by the time you get this newsletter that warm weather will be upon us. Whether the weather is warm or cold, we know that you will enjoy this month's concerts and "sings". "Quickstep" will sing and play on March 6th, and the Sea Music Concert will be held the next day, March 7th. There will also be the Sunnyside Song Circle, the Riverdale Sing, the Sacred Harp Sing, the Chantey Sing and the Gospel & Sacred Harp Sing.

Most important of all will be our Newsletter mailing. Come and join our intrepid crew, under the able guidance of Isabel Goldstein, and send the April newsletter on its way. Thank you to last month's newsletter mailers: *Isabel Goldstein, Suzanne Gottlieb, Anne Price, and Don Wade* who also delivered the pages from the printer. Won't you join us on Wednesday, March 31st and help mail out the next newsletter? (See page 3 for details.)

INTERMEDIATE FIDDLE WORKSHOP

Saturday, May 8th, 2004

taught by Alice Backer

Here is a great opportunity to add a few tunes and styles to your fiddle repertoire. Join Alice Backer, from CrossStitch, the Cameron Ensemble, and formerly of the Risky Business Bluegrass Band, who will teach the class. Three tunes will be taught --- one in Old-Timey style, one in Bluegrass style, and one in French Canadian style. The only prerequisite for the class is "SOME" fiddle or violin experience. The class will run from 10:30 A.M. until 1:00 P.M. at the home of Toni Field, 411 West End Ave #2A (at the corner of W. 80th St) in Manhattan. The cost of the workshop is \$20 for Pinewoods members and \$25 for non-members. All students must pre-register. Send a check made out to: Alice Backer. Her address is 18 Trailhead Lane, Tarrytown, New York. 10591

Feel free to contact Alice for further information at alicebacker@optonline.net or (914) 366-0037.

Club FUN(d) RAISER

One of our favorite people, OSCAR BRAND, has kindly donated a signed copy of his legendary "Book of Party Songs". It's an attractive large-format lie-flat illustrated volume that includes 52 classic racy songs, with lively commentary by Oscar. There are many favorites — "Seven Old Ladies Locked in the Lavat'ry"; "No Hips at All"; "The Money Rolls In"; "Bell Bottomed Trousers"; "Hang Too Low"; "The Hermit"; "Indian Maid"; "Roll Your Leg Over"; "Sweet Violets"; and on and on, songs your mother may have known but probably didn't teach you. Many are anonymous, and some are by "folks" like Kipling, Ogden Nash, Ben Franklin, and William O. Douglas.

I have the copy, and there will be a "Sol-Bay" auction, starting at \$50, with all the money going to the Club. When this item appears, send your bid (\$50 or more) to me at solweber@juno.com or by snail mail at 25-14 37 St, Astoria, NY 11103 (include your phone number). All bidders will be notified about competing bids and encouraged to raise their own bids. I'll complete the auction when the frantic bidding subsides, so don't delay. Acquire this fun book, and help this worthy cause!!

—Sol Weber

Sending us a check?

Please be sure to make it out to our official corporate name: Folk Music Society of New York, Inc, or just FMSNY. The bank doesn't like checks made out to Pinewoods. Thanks.

SPRING FOLK MUSIC WEEKEND

May 28-31, 2004

at Camp Isabella Freedman, Falls Village, CT

Featuring: Andy Cohen, Larkin Bryant, Peter Stix , and others

Rates (per person):	Fri-Mon		Fri-Sun	
(2 in a room)	A rooms	B rooms	A rooms	B rooms
Adults (non-members)	\$330	305	270	245
Adults (members)*	\$300	275	240	215
Single rooms (non-members)	518	473	428	383
Single rooms (members)*	473	428	382	338
Children sharing with 2 adults (regardless of room)				
age 7-17	\$186		141	
age 2-6	\$148		113	
younger	no charge			

SINGLE ROOMS: There are a limited number of single rooms. Availability of single rooms is not guaranteed and they are processed on a first-come, first-served basis.

"A" rooms have private bath: Weinberg, Scheuer, May, & Pine

"B" rooms, shared bath: Cedar, Daisy, Kaufman, Elm, Maple, & Great Blue Heron.

*members prices if registered before May 9th

Information? 1718-575-1906 (A full weekend flyer will be sent out in April)

Send this form with a Stamped, Self-Addressed Envelope and check payable to FMSNY to: Joy C. Bennett, 111-39 76 Road, Forest Hills, NY 11375

Note: payment in full is required with registration. All but \$10 is refundable until May 15th. All but \$45 is refundable until May 27; no refunds after that date

Here is my full payment for the 2004 SPRING Weekend

_____ adults, at \$_____ each ; _____ children, age _____, at \$_____ ea.

3 days, 2 days; "A" rooms, "B" rooms

Name _____ Phone day (_____) _____

Address _____ eve (_____) _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

E-Mail address: _____

Other Names in Party: (please list ages for each child)

Requested room or roommate? _____

I don't eat beef. I don't eat poultry. I don't eat fish.

I will be driving from _____
at _____ AM/PM and can take _____ additional passengers.

I need a ride, from _____, if possible.

Do not include my phone number in the address list

I want to apply for a waiter scholarship. (Send a \$25 deposit; it will be returned to you at the weekend if you are chosen. You will be contacted to let you know.)

The Folk Process

by Ruth Lipman



BERNIE STOLLS writes: Lots of goodies for the Stolls family. In January, Bernie accepted the position as Director of the LITMA Contradance Orchestra. BERNIE and MYRNA are celebrating the engagement of their son, ERIC, to SHARON BALKMAN of Massachusetts. An August wedding is planned. Their daughter, AMY, who holds the position of Literary Specialist for the National Endowment of the Arts is having her novel published by the firm of Farrar, Straus & Giroux.

HARVEY CORT and I went on a seven-day cruise to the western Caribbean in January. It was great!

JANE BABITS and TOBY FAGENSON recently went on their annual sojourn to Key West, Florida where they enjoy informal playing and singing with Key West musicians.

SHEILA EWALL reports a number of coincidences: ISABEL GOLDSTEIN was graduated from high school with Sheila's cousin, JULES HOLLANDER. PETE AGRAMONTE used to be a neighbor of Sheila's cousin, MARTIN EWALL. Martin's daughter, GAIL, who lives in the state of Washington, likes folk music. Sheila has also corrected an error I made in an earlier column: Sheila's former high school classmates, JEFFREY HORNE and MARSHA DAVISON HORNE are not related to the KOSSOY sisters. They are MADDY DELEON's brother and sister-in-law, a piece of information that Maddy and Sheila discovered while they were conversing at a Kossoy Sisters concert.

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

BEN MANDEL

Pinewoods Folk Music Club founding member, Ben Mandel, passed away on December 12th. Ben was a multitalented musician and artist. He had a wealth of knowledge of traditional songs and tunes. He sang the old songs with sensitivity, accompanying himself on mountain dulcimer and guitar. He loved the old tunes, too ... the slow airs and lively dance tunes he so beautifully played on the mouthharp and pennywhistle.

Many of us remember the good times we had at singing parties and house concerts. Ben and his wife, Molly, hosted in the basement and backyard of their house in Queens. In the last few years, when Ben was no longer able to attend club weekends at Camp Freedman or Folk Music Week at Pinewoods Camp, we would visit him. We'd sit around and reminisce about the good old days, read the "30 Years Ago This Month" column in the club newsletter, and most of all, play and sing the old songs he loved so well. He'd sing traditional songs, songs he'd learned at the orphanage he lived in as a boy, and sometimes delight us with one of the pop songs of his day such as *My Blue Heaven*. He may have gotten a little forgetful but he'd remember the words to the old songs and never missed a note of them on the mouthharp.

Ben always encouraged people to develop their musical abilities. In the folk tradition, we learned from him; he passed down the songs and tunes from his generation to ours. Ben was a dear friend, a mentor who inspired us with his deep love of traditional music.

-Estelle Henrich & Bernie Stolls

Folk-Fone: 1-212-563-4099

Call for last minute updates; a recorded listing of folk music events in NYC

Presents a Series Concert

QUICKSTEP



Trish Miller & John Kirk. (Not shown: Mac Benford & Ed Lowman)

SATURDAY, MARCH 6TH - AT 8 PM **ADVENT LUTHERAN CHURCH**

Broadway at 93rd Street, NYC

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FREE TO MEMBERS

General public: \$18, CD*NY Members \$15; Seniors/Students \$10; Children \$6.

Information: (718) 549-1344 (after 11 AM)

30 Years Ago This Month

compiled by Harvey Binder

Here are some club happenings as reported in the March , 1974 newsletter:

- Singing parties were held at the homes of the Wades and Wayne Hollingsworth.
- The club presented, in concert, Bob Coltman at Our Lady Of Peace Church.
- Ed Trickett performed in a house concert at the home of Wayne Hollingsworth.

Folk music around town included: **Evergreen Theatre**> Virgil Young and the Youngins **The Whale**> Bob Cohen-Alan Corby, Gina Dunlap-Dan Milner, Toby Fagenson **Folklore Center**> Doris Abrahams, Frankie Armstrong, Ken Hall **Focus**> Judy Drosd-Fred Gee, Michael Cooney, Debby McClatchy, George Hall & Kip Sullivan, Zenska Pesna, Mark Osin, Ken Hall & Will Sprites **Washington Square Methodist Church**>Lorre Wyatt/Estelle Wade/Steve Caccavo/Pat Gordon./Joe Heaney/Bill Vanaver/Delaware Water Gap/Wretched Refuse/Debby McClatchy/Mark Gilston/Eye-to-Eye String Band **Philharmonic Hall**> Harry Chapin, Clancy Brothers & Lou Killen **Carnegie Hall**> Pete Seeger-Arlo Guthrie **Rainbow**> Toby Fagenson **Earth**>Bobby Calander, Jim Zimmerman, Hatch & Flaherty, Delaware Water Gap **Museum of Natural History**> Ron Daas **Basement**> Gail Willbourne/Jim Zimmerman, Victor Paul/Fred Gee, John Guth/Mark Osin, Hatch & Flaherty **Pit**> Edwin Freelan, Bill Walters **BAM**> Roosevelt Sykes, John Lee Hooker/Bill Chinnock Blues Band **Max's Kansas City**> Bill Jeffcott **AYH**> Wally Macnow **74 Below**> Debby McClatchy**Z**>Irish Night, Kip Sullivan/Gene Wilkins**Felt Forum**> Lynn Anderson/David Bromberg**Crypt**> Alan Friend, Marion Wade **Museum Of American Folk Art**> Frank Warner **Stuyvesant HS**> Canarsie Five **Rosebud**> Mark Gilston

Triboro

It is always a pleasure to be able to take home and replay at will favorite songs by favorite performers.

Welcome to the debut CD entitled, "Triboro", by TRIBORO, a skillful trio made up of New York Pinewoods' members Don Friedman (Brooklyn), Evy Mayer (Bronx), and Phyllis Elkind (Manhattan). The CD presents an eclectic and tasteful selection of songs ranging from Carter family, old timey and country to 20's pop and contemporary gems. The arrangements are clear and uncluttered with great vocal harmonies and often have imaginative and playful surprise endings. The occasional addition of bass(Marco Brehm) to Don's dynamic lead guitar (with guitar and ukulele support from Phyllis and Evy, respectively) adds energy and variety to the instrumental mix.

Outstanding ensemble numbers are: Irving Berlin's intricate and endearingly silly, "I'll See You In Cuba", led with a lovely lilt by Phyllis; Bobby Charles', "Tennessee Blues"; and the Everly Brothers', "Sleepless Nights". Additional wonderful songs in TRIBORO'S repertoire are: "Early", poignantly led by Don; "Blue Kentucky Girl", led by Evy, and "Rose of San Antone", led by Phyllis. For fans of humorous songs, Evy, whose voice is crooner smooth and mellow, provides, among others, "Good Enough for Now" and "My Little Grass Shack in Kealakekua, Hawaii", with appropriate deadpan delivery.

Each of these performers is dedicated to letting the song shine, and talented in expressing the core emotion in every lyric. "Triboro" provides a delightful selection of songs, lovingly performed, and would be a wonderful addition to anyone's CD library.

-Review by Robbie Wedeen

The Club's web page: <http://www.folkmusicny.org>

Weekend Help Wanted

Full and Partial Scholarships are available in exchange for work done on our folk music weekends (Spring, Fall, and Winter). Some of these essential jobs are assigned far in advance so please think about the **Spring** weekend now! Contact the Club President, Joy Bennett, 1718-575-1906 if you are interested in any of the jobs below. Jobs are filled at the Exec. Board meeting 2-4 months preceding each weekend. All jobs are done on Spring and Fall weekends and only those marked (WW) are done on Winter Weekends.

Weekend Chair: A management job with responsibility for the performance of all of the other jobs. On the weekend is the club's contact with the manager of the facility we are using. (half scholarship) (WW)

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

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

Waiters: (4-5) Set & clear tables, serve meals. (full scholarships)

Baby-sitter: (Depends on need.) Cares for smaller children, particularly during evening concerts. (full Scholarship)

Lifeguard (certified): Works during the day - Camp Freedman only. (full scholarship)

Folk Music Events Calendar

For addresses, times, phone numbers, and other details, **see the location information following this and the repeating events.** (NYC events are in Manhattan unless otherwise indicated.) *A listing of repeating events, by day, are found on the pages following these chronological listings.* The events with an asterisk (*) are run by the club and more information is on pages 2-3; other events in the listings below are not run by the Club, and the information given is the best available at press time. Everyone is encouraged to send complete information for listing to: Lenore Greenberg, 120 Boerum Place, #1J, Brooklyn, NY 11201; 1-718-403-0347; E-mail: lenoreg@nyc.rr.com. DEADLINE: the 12th of the **preceding** month.

Around NYC — March

3 We* **Folk Open Sing in Brooklyn:** 7pm. See p2-3

6 Sa **Qawwali Music of Pakistan:** WMI; Symphony Space, 8pm

6 Sa **Dan Milner & Bob Conroy:** Richmondtown; 7:30 & 9:30pm

6 Sa* **Quickstep:** Advent Church, 8pm. See p2-3

6 Sa **Jessica Owen, Scott Moore, Joe Rathbone:** Postcrypt CH

7 Su **The Lost Bayou Ramblers:** LeBelle Epoque. 212 254-6463

7 Su* **Sea Music Concert w Bob Conroy & Dan Milner + NY Packet:** South St. See p2-3

7 Su **Tom Pacheco:** Uptown CH

12 Fr **Fiesta Mexicana:** WMI, Town Hall, 8pm

12 Fr **World Music; Blend of African, American & Hungarian:** Good CH

12 Fr **Irish Fever:** Richmondtown

12 Fr **The Karen Casey Band:** Blarney Star, 9pm

13 Sa **Irish Fever:** Richmondtown

13 Sa **Eric Levine; The Disabled in Action Singers:** Peoples' Voice

13 Sa **Irish Nights w Altan:** WMI, Symphony Space, 8pm

14 Su* **Sunnyside Song circle** — see p. 2 or 3

14 Su **Sounds of Korea:** CTMD; Family program at 1pm; concert at 5pm. Symphony Space. 212 864-5400.

14 Su **Joe Beasley Sacred Harp Sing**

18 Th* **Riverdale Sing:** Riverdale Prsbys Church, 7:30-10pm. See p2-3

20 Sa **Water Sign:** Richmondtown, 7:30 & 9pm

20 Sa **Jennie Litt & David Alpher + Left Field:** Peoples' Voice

20 Sa **Little Toby Walker:** BB Kings

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 21 Su* **Sacred Harp Singing:** St. Barthomew's Ch, 2:30p. See p3
 26 Fr **Music of Scotland; Battlefield Band:** WMI, Symphony Space,
 26 Fr **Burning Barn + Bruce Markow:** Good CH
 26 Fr **Laurie MacAllister; Eliot Bronson:** Postcrypt
 26 Fr **Revels Pub sing -** see ad p. 22
 27 Sa **Tim Robinson; Songwriters in the Round:** Postcrypt
 27 Sa* **Chantey Sing:** Seamen's Church Institute, 8pm. See p2-3
 27 Sa **Johnson Girls:** Richmondtown, 7:30 & 9pm
 27 Sa **Ray Korona Band:** Peoples' Voice
 28 Su* **Gospel & Sacred Harp Sing:** Brooklyn, 3pm. See p2-3
 31 We* **Newsletter Mailing —** see p. 3

Around NYC — April
 2 Fr **Masters of Indian Music:** WMI, Symphony Space, 8pm
 2 Fr **Cillian and Niall Vallely:** Blarney Star, 9pm
 3 Sa **Masters of Indian Music:** WMI, Symphony Space, 8pm
 3 Sa **Ken Ashley; Teddy Goldstein; Edie Carey:** Postcrypt
 3 Sa **Barefoot Boys:** Richmondtown, 7:30 & 9pm
 3 Sa **Heather Lev + Just Harmony:** Peoples' Voice
 4 Su* **Sea Music Concert w Clif Haslam + NY Packet:** South St. Seaport. See p2-3
 7 We* **Folk Open Sing in Brooklyn:** 7pm. See p2-3
 9 Fr **Tina Vero; Chip Robertson; Brooke Fox:** Postcrypt
 10 Sa **Point Cross:** Richmondtown, 7:30 & 9pm

Long Island — March
 5 Fr **Willow, Women's A Cappella Chorus:** Peacesmiths
 6 Sa **Robbie O'Connell Band:** FMSOH; 1st Saturday Series
 11 Th **Mary Black:** IMAC, 9pm
 12 Fr **John Mayall & The Bluesbreakers:** IMAC
 13 Sa **Colin Grant-Adams:** Big Grey
 13 Sa **The Lonesome Traveler:** 2p Lynbrook Library 56 Eldert Street, Lynbrook
 19 Fr **Aztec Two-Step:** Our times

20 Sa **Franklin Taggart:** FMSOH, Hard Luck Café
 21 Su **Little Toby Walker:** 3pm Shelter Rock Public Library
 21 Su **Buddy Merriam Back Roads Trio,** East Meadow Library
 21 Su **The Lonesome Traveler:** 2p South Huntington Library, 2 Melville Road, Huntington Sta
 24 We **Nassau CC Folk Festival w Oscar Brand, Battlefield Band & more:**Nassau CC; Garden City. 8pm 516 572—7148
 25 Th **Nassau CC Folk Festival w Richard Shindell, Lucy Kaplansky & more:** Nassau CC.
 25 Th **Little Toby Walker:** 7:30-8:30p North Babylon Public Library, 815 Deer Park Ave, North Babylon LI NY 631-669-3432
 26 Fr **Nassau CC Folk Festival w Peter & Bethany Yarrow, Little Toby Walker & more:** Nassau CC

Long Island — April
 3 Sa **Small Potatoes:** FMSOH; First Saturday Series
 10 Sa **Callanish:** Big Grey

New York State — March
 6 Sa **California Guitar Trio:** Towne Crier
 6 Sa **Ken & Julie:** Warwick Valley Winery. 2-5pm.
 12 Fr **Banjo Blowout w Bill Keith, Tony Trischka, Eddie & Martha Adcock:** Emelin Th
 12 Fr **The Clancy Tradition:** Towne
 13 Sa **Jesse Winchester w Kenny White:** Towne Crier
 13 Sa **Troy Carrier*Dicki-Du* & The Zydeco Crew:** SouthSide Social Club; Hastings-on-Hudson. 113 Southside. 914 478-4060
 13 Sa **Modern Man/Motherlode:** Walkabout Clearwater
 14 Su **John Mayall & The Bluesbreakers:** Towne Crier
 14 Su **Susan Werner:** Turning Poin
 15 Mo **John Mayall & the Bluesbreakers:** Turning Point, 7 & 9:30pm
 19 Fr **Melanie:** Turning Point, 7:30pm
 20 Sa **Melanie:** Turning Point, 6:30pm
 20 Sa **Debbie Davies Blues Band:** Turning Point, 10pm

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- 21 Su **Al Stewart:** Towne Crier
 - 24 We **The Bobs:** Turning Pt, 7:30pm
 - 27 Sa **Luther "Guitar Junior"**
Johnson & the Magic Rockers:
Towne Crier
 - 28 Su **The Subdudes:** Towne Crier
- New York State — **April**
- 4 Su **Bill Miller:** Towne Crier
 - 8 Th **Paul Geremia:** Turning Pt, 8pm
 - 10 Sa **Lucky Peterson:** Towne Crier
 - 10 Sa **Guy Davis/Kim & Reggie**
Harris: Walkabout Clearwater

New Jersey — **March**

- 5 Fr **Scott Ainslie:** Minstrel CH
- 6 Sa **Woods Tea Co.:** Hurdy Gurdy
- 12 Fr **Jeffrey Gaines:** Outpost CH
- 13 Sa **Michael Smith:** Watchung Arts,
Sanctuary Concert, 8pm
- 19 Fr **Garland Jeffreys:** Outpost CH
- 19 Fr **Bryan Bowers:** Princeton FMS
- 26 Fr **Small Potatoes:** Minstrel CH
- 26 Fr **The Bobs:** Watchung Arts,
Sanctuary Concert, 8pm
- 27 Sa **String Fever:** Watchung Arts

New Jersey — **April**

- 2 Fr **Aztec Two Step:** Outpost CH
- 3 Sa **Tommy Makem:** Hurdy Gurdy
- 10 Sa **1st Annual Bluegrass Festival:**
Watchung Arts, Sanctuary
Concert, 8pm

Connecticut — **March**

- 5 Fr **Tom Paxton:** U. of Hartford,
7:30pm (W)
- 5 Fr **Dervish:** U. of Hartford,
7:30pm (M)
- 5 Fr **The Nervous System &**
Meredith DiMenna's The

- 6 Sa **Saucers:** Acoustic Café
- 6 Sa **Stacy Phillips & Paul Howard:**
Sounding Board
- 6 Sa **Don Sineti & Chris Morgan:**
Roaring Brook
- 6 Sa **Debbie Davis Blues Band:**
Acoustic Café
- 6 Sa **Pierce Pettis:** Vanilla Bean
- 6 Sa **Joint Chiefs:** Audubon CH
- 7 Su **The Zambonis:** Acoustic Café
- 12 Fr **Brook Williams & Kenny**
White: U. of Hartford
- 13 Sa **Erica Wheeler:** Vanilla Bean
- 13 Sa **Walt Michael:** Sounding Board
- 13 Sa **Christina Abbott:** Acoustic
Café
- 13 Sa **Harvey Reid:** Roaring Brook
- 18 Th **Peter Prince & Ryan**
Monhtebleu: Acoustic Café
9pm
- 19 Fr **Mad Agnes:** U. of Hartford
- 20 Sa **Hunter Moore:** Vanilla Bean
- 20 Sa **Anne Marie Menta:** Acoustic
Café
- 20 Sa **Joel Mabus:** Sounding Board
- 26 Fr **The Nields:** Acoustic Café
- 26 Fr **Jonathan Edwards:** U. of
Hartford
- 27 Sa **Atwater/Donnelly:** Vanilla Bean
- 27 Sa **Small Potatoes:** Good CH
- 27 Sa **Eliza Gilkyson:** Roaring Brook
- 27 Sa **Sloan Wainwright:** Acoustic
Café

Connecticut — **April**

- 3 Sa **The Portable Folk Festival:**
Sounding Board
- 10 Sa **Matt Hiamovitz:** Acoustic Café
- 10 Sa **The Kennedys:** Sounding Board

Weekend Scholarships Available

Applications are now being accepted to the **Spring** weekend for the George Parker Scholarship, and the Mayer Scholarship. These funds provide full 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 tell us in a letter why you feel you qualify for a scholarship; the most important considerations are financial need and interest in folk music. The candidates will be considered and notified by mail.

Please send your letter by **April 30** to:

Marie Mularczyk
52-07 Leith Place
Little Neck, NY 11362
1718-631-8505

OR

Alice Backer
18 Trailhead Lane
Tarrytown, NY 10591
1914-366-0037

Repeating Events

Note: all are subject to change; it is wise to call and check. (Locations listed in the Events Calendar are usually **not** included below.). SAVE THIS LIST. Space limitations may force it to be abridged in some future months. Additions and Corrections to this list are most welcome! Send all location information to: Don Wade, 35-41 72nd St, Jackson Heights, NY 11372; Phone: 1-718-426-8555; E-Mail: WadeD@ncc.edu

NYC BLUEGRASS & OLD-TIMEY (also try <http://www.banjoben.com>)

Sundays:

Brazen Head Pub, 228 Atlantic Ave, Brooklyn, 4pm; <http://www.ponkiesburg.com/home.php>

Paddy Reilly's, 519 2 Ave, Manhattan (29 St) 212-686-1210; bluegrass jam w/ Tom Hanway 4-7pm; (see also Irish multi-day listings); 212-686-1210; <http://www.bigapplebluegrass.com>

Rising Café, 186 5th Ave, (at Sackett Street) Park Slope, Brooklyn, 718-622-5072; once a month old-time jam, 9pm

Mondays:

The Parkside Lounge, 317 Houston St (bet Ave's B & C); 212-673-6270; 9pm-mdntue; bands/leaders rotate between John Herald, Big Apple'achia, Orrin Star, Mary Olive Smith.

The Stinger Club, 241 Grand St between Driggs Ave and Roebling St, Williamsburg, Brooklyn; 718-218-6662; hosted by Bklyn Browngrass (City Grass, last Mon)

Tuesdays:

Clinton Grille, 637 Tenth Ave (46 St) 212-315-4690; Groovelily, 8pm (212-245-2063)

Wednesdays:

Carpo's, Bleecker St & MacDougal St; 212-353-2889; Minetta Creek Bluegrass Band, 9pm.

Hogs & Heffers, 95 St & 1st Ave, 212-722-8635; Country Music; **Good Timers** w/ Uncle Bob every other Wed at 9

Baggot Inn, 82 West Third St bet Sullivan & Thompson, Uncle Bob's Bluegrass Jam w/ Tom Hanway, 9pm, <http://www.bigapplebluegrass.com>

Thursdays:

Freddys, Dean St & Sixth Ave, Brooklyn, 718-622-7035; Old-Time Jam, 8-11pm first Thursday; <http://members.aol.com/freddysbrooklyn>

Old Devil Moon Restaurant (Southern cuisine), 511 E.12th St at Ave A; 212-475-4357; 8pm; *The Parkside Lounge*, 317 Houston St (bet Ave's B & C); 212-673-6270; 3rd Thurs; Big Apple'achia.

Rising Café, 186 5th Ave, (at Sackett Street) Park Slope, Brooklyn, 718-622-5072; Country Blues for City Folk

Fridays:

Sonny's in Red Hook, Bklyn, see next item

Saturdays:

Sunny's, 253 Conover St (between Reed & Beard St) Red Hook, Brooklyn, Second Sat. Kate & Lou Band; 8:30pm; < www.kateandlou.com

NYC GENERAL Repeating Music: multi-day:

Brazen Head, 228 Atlantic ave (Boerum Pl & Court St), Brooklyn; 718-488-0430; various live music all week

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

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

Sidewalk Cafe, 94 Ave A (6 St.); 212-473-7373; Antihoot Mon's @ 7:30, performers nightly

Mondays:

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

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

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

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

Sun Music Co; Traditional Open Stage First Monday (see location info below)

Tuesdays:

Sun Music Co; 340 E. 71st St. (just West of 1st Ave.); Open Mike 7:30-11 sign up at 7pm; 212-396-9521; <http://www.sunmusiccompany.com>

Wednesdays:

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

Cornelia Street Cafe, 29 Cornelia Street, Greenwich Village. The Songwriter's Beat, an acoustic night for songwriters hosted by Valerie Ghent, 3rd Wed. www.songwritersbeat.com, www.corneliastreetcafe.com, or 212-989-

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Thursdays:

New York Caledonian Club §: Pipes & Drums of the NY Scottish, rehearsals every Thurs, Chanters at 6; pipes at 7, info 212-724-4978; (PO Box 4542, NYC 10163-4542; 212-662-1083)

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

Charles Street Synagogue, 53 Charles St (at W. 4 St, 2 bl. N. of Sheridan Sq); music of the Jewish Mystics most Thursdays w/ **Andy Statman & Friends**; 8:30pm; \$10; 212-242-6425 < info@andystatman.org >

Langston Hughes Community Library & Cultural Center, Queens Public Library; 102-09 Northern Blvd, Corona; 718-651-1100; monthly open mic nights, 7:30pm; 5 min. each for poets, singers, dancers, writers, playwrights, storytellers (any bands must be acoustic); free

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

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

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

Fridays:

Hungarian House, 213 E. 82 St, betw 2 & 3 Ave; Bulgarian Singing Classes w/ Pepa Koutcheva; 6:30-7:30pm; free. info: 212-289-8203 < www.cnct.com/~ginbirch/dfd >

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

Postcrypt Coffeehouse; St. Paul's Chapel bsmnt, Columbia Univ. 116 St & B'way; Fri & Sat - school year only (closed May-Sept. & Dec.-Jan.), 9pm, free; 212-854-1953; < postcrypt@columbia.edu > <http://www.cc.columbia.edu/~crypt/>

Fri & Sat:

Two Boots, 514 Second St (at 7 Ave) Park Slope, Brooklyn; shows Fri & Sat 10pm; 718-499-3253

Saturdays:

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

Sundays:

Centerfold Coffeehouse; Church of St's Paul & Andrew, 263 W. 86 St, Manhattan (West End Av); Open mic/poetry reading at 5:45pm; info: Mary Grace, 212-866-4454.

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

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

NYC IRISH MUSIC: Open Sessions (free) & repeating music: (see also www.inx.net/~mardidom/rcnycal.htm)

Multi-day:

An Beal Bocht Cafe, 445 W. 238th St, Riverdale (Bronx) bet. Greystone & Waldo Ave); **Fri & Sat** trad Irish music; 718-884-7127

Kate Kearney's, 251 E. 50 St (2 & 3 Ave), 212-935-2045 ; **Sat** Irish Music 8:30pm w/Andy McGann, Donie Carroll +; **Thur** session w/ Don Meade, 8:30pm;

Paddy Reilly's. 519 2 Ave, Manhattan (29 St) 212-686-1210; **nightly** music 9:30pm; **Mon**, Joanie Madden & Carl Corcoran; **Tues**, 10pm Session w/Patrick Ourceau & John Dillon; **Thurs** Session w/ Tony Demarc; & Eamonn O'Leary, 10:30pm-1am; **Sunday** bluegrass jam 3-7pm; 212-686-1210

Rocky Sullivan's, 129 Lexington Av(bet 28 & 29 St), 212-725-3871; **Fri**, 6pm session w/ MatMancusc; & Annmarie Acosta; **Sat**, 7pm Joe “Banjo” Burke & Tom Dunne; **Mon** 9-12pm session

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

Sundays:

Cannons, 106 St; session with Linda Hickman & Patrick Ourceau

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

Thady Con's Bar & Rest., 915 2nd Ave (bet 48 & 49 St); Session 5-8pm w/John Redmond & Chris Layer; 212-688-9700

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

Doc Watson's, 1490 2 Ave (77 St), 212-988-5300; 8:30pm session w/Niall O'Leary

Maggie Mae's, 41-15 Queens Blvd, Sunnyside, Queens, 718-433-3067; 6pm The Tain

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

Mondays:

Baggot Inn, 82 West Third St bet Sullivan & Thompson, 8:30-11pm

Mona's, 224 Ave B bet 13 & 14 St, Session w/ Patrick Ourceau & Eamon O'Leary, 212-353-3780

Swift's, 34 E. 4 St; performance 8:15pm;

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The Coach House, 59-21 Roosevelt Ave,
Woodside, Queens, 718-424-5640 ??

Tuesdays:

Jack Dempsey's Pub, 61 2nd Ave (bet 3 & 4
St); session: 8pm; 212-388-0662

Swifts Hibernian Lounge, 34 E. 4th St (bet
Bowery & Lafayette), 212-260-3600; 9pm
session w/ Marie Reilly, John Redmond,
Eamon O'Leary, Chris Layer

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

Sparky's Ale House, 481 Court St, Brooklyn,
718-624-5516; every other Tue, 9pm
session w/ Matt Darriau

Wednesdays:

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 w/Arbro
Doughty +

Saturdays:

O'Neills Irish Bar, 729 3rd Ave (nr. 46 St);
9pm session; 212-661-3530

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

Monthly:

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.

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

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.

Tuesdays:

Chowder House, 19 Bellport Rd, Bellport;
516-286-2343. Mostly acoustic, w/ sing-
alongs & open mike #N'awlins Grill,
www.nawlinstrille.com, 44 Willis Ave,
Mineola ,(516) 747-8488 Featured Artist
+ host performers Dave Isaacs &
Jackalope Junction; Open Mke 8:30p &
10:30p for songwriters Jackalope Junction
8p; Featured Artist 10p Kitchen open all
night. Info: Dave Isaacs dave@
jackalopemusic.com 516-877-1083]

Field of Dreams, Old Country Road,
Bethpage; 516-937-7603. Blues Jam

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; 516-826-9533

Dunhills, Mineola, 516-248-1281: Buddy
Merriam & Back Roads (Bluegrass) every
other Wednesday ?? *Northport Library*,
151 Laurel Avenue, Northport: 2nd Wed
Northport Arts Coalition
www.northportarts.org, 631-261-6930 in
community room free!

Starbucks Cafe, 101 W. Park Ave, Long
Beach; acoustic & poets open mike; 516-
670-9181

Thursdays:

Hunni's, 530 N. Broadway, Amityville; open
mike jam; 631-841-1800

Java Coffee Company, 135 Merrick Rd,
Merrick; open mike; 516-771-8386

Zen Den Cafe, 14A Railroad Ace, Babylon;
open mike; 631-321-1565

Fridays:

#East Enders Coffee Shop, 40 East Main
Street, Riverhead; 631-727-2656 Michele
Monté [http://www .michelemonte. com](http://www.michelemonte.com)
followed by Open Mike 8-11p *Paradise
Fellowship Coffee House* United Church of
Christ, Rte. 112 North to 25 East, 631-
384-1102

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

Saturdays:

Java Cafe, 660 Wellwood Ave, Lindenhurst;
live acoustic music; 631-2253-1600

Sundays:

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

Upstate NY Repeating Events

Multi-day:

The Art Gallery, 14 Route 212, Mt. Tremper;
Music & Poetry presented by Woodstock
Acoustic Music and Poetry Society. Open
mike nights Fri and Sat. Singer/
songwriter Brother Hood host/featured
artist at all shows. Adm free. 845-679-
4362

Cafe Lena; 45 Phila St, Saratoga Springs
518-583-0022; open nightly; Thurs open
mic; www.cafelena.com

Cliffhanger Cafe: Main Street, Keene Valley;
Fridays, 518-576-2009

Eighth Step Coffeehouse; Cohoes Music Hall;
Wed's, concerts some Fri; 518-434-1703

Mother's Wine Emporium, RPI, Rensselaer
Union, 15th & Sage Ave, Troy;
518-276-8585

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Old Songs, Inc., PO Box 197, Guilderland 12084; 518-765-2815; one Cncrt a month, dance 1st & 3rd Sat, at St. Marks Comm. Center, Guilderland

Rumours, 641 McLean Av, Yonkers; 914-969-7436; live Irish music wknd's + session some Sun's

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

Monthly:

Pickin' & Singn' Gathern', Inc %, 2137 Pangburn Rd, Duaneburg, NY 12056 < www.caffelena.com/psg > ; Singaround meetings on 2nd Sun, Sept.-May, at location tba in Albany area; also Gottagetgon (Memorial Day) and Last Gasp (Labor Day) weekends; 518-961-6708

Borderline Coffeehouse, PO Box 167, Tallman 10982, monthly cncrts at Green Meadow Sch, rt.45 & Hungry Hollow Rd, Spring Valley; 8:30PM; 845-422-9176

Cadillac Ranch Steakhouse, next to the Super 8 Motel in New Paltz; open mic on last Sunday; Contact Jeff Anzevino, Hudson Valley Bluegrass Association (845) 691-6784.

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

Lorien Coffeehouse; Grafton Inn, Grafton, NY; (starts 3/31/2001); 518-658-3422

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

Westchester Sing: once a month meeting in homes. Info: Joan L Goldstein, 914-633-7110

Tuesday:

Pajaso 's, 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

Thursday:

Weekly Fiddle N' Folk Jam; noon-1pm Abram's Music Store, 302 Wall St, Kingston; info Bob Lusk, 845-338-8587, < boblusk@aol.com >

Friday:

Golding Park Cafe: North Grand Street, Cobleskill; www.goldingparkcafe.com; 518-296-8122

Ireland's 32:Route 59, Suffern, 7pm Irish session.

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

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

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

Fri & Sat:

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

Saturday:

Burnt Hills Coffeehouse; bi-weekly; 518-882-6427

Halfmoon Coffeehouse, Old Dutch Reformed Ch, 42 North B'way, Tarrytown; 4th Sat

Sat & Sun:

Warwick Valley Winery, 114, Little York Road, Warwick, 2-5pm plus special concerts. http://www.vvwinery.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 try http://www.

newjerseybluegrass.com)

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

Coffee & Jam, Grace Church, 2nd & Erie 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; 973-383-2823

East 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

Montclair Friends Meetinghouse, 289 Park St, Upper Montclair: Sacred Harp singing 4th Sun ea month 2-5:30pm; free; 973-746-0940

Nassau Inn tap room, Palmer Square, Princeton; Open Stage; Tues; 609-921-3857

Stony Brook Friends of Old-Time Music; Mannion's Pub & Restaurant, 150 West Main Street, Somerville, NJ. Open jam

Repeating Events - Continued from previous page

1st & 3rd Tuesday at 7:45pm

<jim@mazotas.com>;

www.donegone.net/sbfotm

Strings & 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. Washing-

ton Ave, Bergenfield, 201-384-0900; Sun

7:30-10:30, Dominick Rooney & Linda

Hickman

Connecticut Repeating Events

Multi-Day:

Molten Java Music, 102 Greenwood Ave,

Bethel, CT; Thursday 7:30-9:30; Friday

opem mic 8pm; Saturday 7:15-11pm;

Sunday jazz, b-g, blues, gospel, 1-5pm;

1-203-739-0313;

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.dulcimerfolkct.org

Greater New Haven Acoustic Music Society;

House Concerts, 203-421-0021 16 Sperry

Rd. Madison, CT 06443; First Saturday

each month <[http://revco.med.yale.edu/](http://revco.med.yale.edu/robch_nhm/acoustic.html)

robch_nhm/acoustic.html>;

Roger Sprung, Hal Wylie & Friends; Folk,

Irish, B-G, Trad., 1st Sat. at United

Methodist Coffee House, Newton (exit 10

I-84); dinner 5-7:30pm, music 8-10:30pm

Sunday:

Conn. Valley Harmony; free Sacred Harp

sings 2nd Sun, 7-9pm at various locations,

info: Susan Garber, 203-583-0841

Interlaken Inn, Lakeville; Brunch w/ Paton

Family or others, 11a-2p; 203-435-9878.

Monday:

Griswold Inn, 36 Main St, Essex; Cliff

Haslam; 860-767-1776,

www.griswoldinn.com

Tuesday:

Griswold Inn, (see Monday); Don Sineti &

"Finest Kind," 8-11pm

Wednesday:

The Lighthouse Cafe, 63 Whitfield St,

Guilford. Acoustic open mic Wed 7-

11:30pm; 203-458-3555,

www.lighthousecafe.info

Thursday:

New Haven Gaelic Club; Venice Place, East

Haven. Jams Thurs at 8; info: John

O'Donovan; 1-203-281-3563.

Friday:

Performance Coffeeshouse, Milford Fine Arts

Council, Center for the Arts, 40 Railroad

Ave South (in former RR station)

Milford; Last Friday, 8pm; 203-878-6647;

www.milfordarts.org.

Thomaston Opera Coffeeshouse, 158 Main St,

Thomaston; open mic once a month, 7pm,

1-203-729-3080, <hubcap@netzero.

com>, www.thomastonoperahouse.org

Pennsylvania Repeating Events

Sunday:

Pocono Bluegrass & Folk Society; first Sunday

jam at Elks Lodge in East Stroudsburg; \$3

adm, prizes, food; 570-421-8760 or 670-

992-2259

Folk Calendar Listings Info

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

% = Folk Society with a newsletter which lists area events.

Space requirements force this info to be AN ABRIDGED LIST. For a complete listing of locations not in the calendar and out of town repeating events, see the January issue. For a listing of Dance events, also see the January issue. Most of the events in the listings are not run by the Club, and the information given is the best available at press time. Additions and Corrections to this list are most welcome! Send all location information to: Don Wade, 35-41 72nd St, Jackson Heights, NY 11372; Phone: 1-718-426-8555; E-Mail: WadeD@ncc.edu

AROUND TOWN (The 5 boroughs of NYC); FOLKPHONE: 1-212-563-4099

Advent Lutheran Church, 2504 Broadway (at 93 St); 8 pm; NYPFMC concerts, see p.2

BB King's Blues Club, 237 W. 42nd St, 1-212-997-4144; www.bbkingblues.com

Blarney Star Productions at Washington Square Methodist Church, 135 W.4th St (bet. 6 Ave &

MacDougal) monthly Irish shows, 9pm, \$15; 1-212-420-0950, www.blarneystar.com

CTMAD: Center for Traditional Music & Dance, 200 Church St, rm. 303; NYC 10013; 1-

212-571-1555; concerts & programs at many locations; www.ctmd.org.

Calendar Listings information Continued from previous page

- Good Coffeehouse; Ethical Culture Society, 53 Prospect Park West, B'klyn 11215 (at 2nd St); 1-718-768-2972; (closed 6/18/99 thru Aug.) various Fridays, 8pm; \$8 (\$7 adv tkts at Soundtrack, 119 7th Ave).
- Joe Beasley *Sacred Harp Singing*: 2nd Sun at St. Paul's Church, 199 Carroll St (cr. Clinton), Brooklyn; 1-718-793-2848; 2pm followed by Pot-Luck supper.
- La Belle Epoque Restaurant, 827 B'way (bet 12 & 13 St just south of Union Sq.); Zydeco; dance/concerts: 6pm wkshps, 7:30-11pm music; \$15adm; table seating for dining only, table reservations 1-212-254-6436; info: 1-212-685-7597 or <zydecolaura@hotmail.com>
- Peoples' Voice Cafe; Sat 8PM at Workman's Circle, 45 E. 33 St (between Park & Madison); info: 1-212-787-3903, www.peoplesvoicecafe.org; \$10 (reduced rates for seniors)
- Postcrypt Coffeehouse; St. Paul's Chapel bsmt, Columbia Univ. 116 St & B'way; Fri's & Sat's during school year only (closed May-Sept. & Dec.-Jan.), 9pm, free; 1-212-854-1953; <postcrypt@columbia.edu>; http://www.columbia.edu/cu/postcrypt/coffeehouse/
- Richmondton Restoration (at the tavern), Staten Island Historical Society, 441 Clarke Ave, Staten Island; 7:30 & 9 Pm; Series of 4 Concerts @ \$44; (\$37 SIHS members); Single Concert @ \$12; (\$10 SIHS members); Free parking. 15-minute drive from all bridges to Staten Island. Take bus S 74 from the Staten Island Ferry.; Beer, wine and hot apple cider are available. Info: www.historicrichmondton.org or call 718 351-1611 x 280 for information or to make reservations. (Dinner available next door at M. Bennett Refreshments, 1-718-983-6715)
- Riverdale Presbyterian Church, 4765 Henry Hudson Parkway (between 246-249 Streets, west side of parkway) NYPFMC open sing — see listing on p.2-3.
- St. Bartholomew's Church, 109 East 50th St, Manhattan; NYPFMC Sacred Harp singing on the 3rd Sunday of each month through June, 2:30 to 5:30pm — see pages 2-3
- Seamen's Church Institute, 241 Water St (north of Fulton St), 2nd floor, Manhattan; Monthly Chantey Sing 8-11pm; (donation asked). http://www.woodenshipsmusic.com/nychanty/nychanty.html.
- South Street Seaport Museum, foot of Fulton St. at the East River in the Beekman Annex, 219 Water Street, at Beekman, 1 block north of Fulton St and the East River. Sea Music, First Sunday; 3pm 1-212-691-7243, see page 2
- Symphony Space; 95 St & Bway, Manhattan; 1-212-864-5400; various groups. www.symphonyspace.org
- Town Hall, 123 W. 43 St, Manhattan, 1-212-840-2824; Ticketmaster 1-212-307-7171; used by various groups
- Uptown coffeehouse, Ethical Culture Soc, 4450 Fieldston Rd, Riverdale (Manhattan College Pkwy); Sun 7PM, Sun 7PM, \$15 adult (\$13.50 seniors, students; \$3 children); 1-718-885-2955; http://www.uptowncoffeehouse.org.. kerner@csam.com 03/03]
- WMI-World Music Institute Concerts: (8:00 PM unless indicated) various locations: Symphony Space; 2537 Bway (at 95th St), Manhattan; 1-212-864-5400; Town Hall, 123 W. 43 St, Manhattan, 1-212-840-2824
- Irish Seisiuns, and repeating Music: separate listings precede the location info. Dance information follows the location information pages.
- NYPFMC FOLKPHONE**: 1-212-563-4099.
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- LONG ISLAND**
- Big Grey Concerts, Searing-Roslyn United Meth.Ch, 134 I.U.Willets Rd, Albertson; 8pm; 1516-883-1352; \$10, \$8 senior, \$4 child
- FMSOH =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; www.exxtra.com/fmsh
- 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; 1-516-549-9666; www.imactheater.org
- LITMA % (LI Trad. Music Assn., P.O. Box 991, Smithtown, N.Y. 11787). Smithtown events at Smithtown Historical Society Brush Barn, 211 Main St (Rte 25 east of rte 111), Smithtown. Concerts 3rd Sat 8pm (preceded by 6pm pot-luck) (1631-757-5980); Community contra dances 8pm 2nd and 4th Fridays (1631-369-7854); English Country Dance 3rd

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Sun 2pm (1631- 673 5177); Clog dance workshops 10:30 am 3rd Sat (1631-744-4265); Ceili/Set dance 12:30 pm 1st and 3rd Sat (1631-422-7854); Orchestra rehearsals (1-516-433-4192); Music workshops and slow jams (1631-427-7542); Tin whistle workshops 1st and 3rd Sat (1631-261-8842); Annual Fiddle, Dance and Song Festival in August. Other locations: Contra dances 8pm 1st Fri American Legion Post in Plainview (1-516-922-5922); Contradances 8pm 1st Sat Watermill Community Center (1-631-283-0554); Sacred Harp Sing 1pm 3rd Sun in Wading River (1631-325-8272); House Song Circle 2nd Sat (1-631-581-5063). Info about LITMA: 1631-427-7542, <http://www.LITMA.org>
Nassau Community College Folk Festival, Student Union; Garden City; free concert 8-12pm + daytime workshops; info: Phyllis Kurland, 1516-572-7148
Our Times Coffeehouse, Ethical Humanist Society, 38 Old Country Rd, Garden City (2 mi west of Meadowbrook Pkwy, beside water tower); monthly except July & Aug., 8Pm; \$10 (\$8 child/student); 1516-541-1006; <http://www.ourtimescoffeehouse.org/>.

Long Island Repeating Events are in the repeating events section.

UPSTATE NEW YORK (note: 845 is the new area code for all 914 but Westchester.

also look at: *The Hudson Valley Calendar*: <http://www.HVmusic.com/cgi-bin/getevent.pl?bydate=yes&fordays=12>
Emelin Theater; Library La, Mamaroneck, 10543; 8:30Pm; 914-698-0098; \$16-32
Towne Crier Cafe, 62 route 22, Pawling 12564; 845-855-1300; www.townecrier.com; reservations suggested; Fri & Sat, 9Pm; Sun-Thur, 8Pm; open mic, \$4, 7:30PM (5-7PM sign up); \$15-25
Turning Point, 468 Piermont Ave., Piermont, Rockland County (off rte 9W south of Nyack); (845) 359-1089; food avail; www.piermont-ny.com/turning
Walkabout Clearwater Coffeehouse; 8PM, Harvey School, Katonah, rte 22, 1 mi S of rte 35 (adv. tickets c/o 30E Hillside Terrace, White Plains, NY 10601; 914-242-0374); usually 2nd Sat. 8 PM \$10-15; refreshments
Warwick Valley Winery, 114, Little York Road, Warwick, Uncorked And Unplugged In The Orchard Concerts; Sat & Sun, 2-5pm plus special concerts. http://www.vvwinery.com/unplugged_01.html; (845) 258-4858

NEW JERSEY (Folk Project/FMSNNJ/Hurdy Gurdy Folk Phone: 973-822-1313)

Hurdy Gurdy Folk Music C' hse; Central Unitarian Church, 156 Forest Ave, Paramus 07652 (Forest Av exit on Rt. 4); info: 201-447-2716, adv. tickets 201-791-2225; 1st Sat, 8pm, through May. (run by Hurdy Gurdy Folk Music Club %; 201-871-7949; < info@hurdygurdyfolk.org >; www.hurdygurdyfolk.org.)
Minstrel Coffeehouse; Fri, 8:30pm, \$5 (2nd Fri, open stage); Morris Parks County Parks Cultural Ctr., 300 Mendham Rd (Rte 24), Morristown, NJ. (Run by Folk Project %, POB 41, Mendham 07945; 973-335-9489; <http://www.folkproject.org>; Sat concert info: 973-335-9489
Outpost in the "Burbs" Coffeehouse (singles & couples over 20) First Congregational Church, 40 S. Fullerton Ave, Montclair 07042 (enter rear of building); twice monthly; 9pm; Steve or Rich, 973-744-6560; www.outpostintheburbs.org
Princeton Folk Music Soc. % (POB 427, Princeton 08540); usually ncrts 3rd Fri. at Christ Congregation Church, 55 Walnut Lane (across from Princeton HS), Princeton; \$15 (\$10 NYPFMC memb); info: Justin Kodner, 1-609-799-0944; www.princetonol.com/groups/pfms
Sanctuary Concerts, Some Sat's, 8pm at Union Village Methodist Church, 1130 Mountain Avenue Berkeley Heights, 1-973-376-4946; www.sanctuaryconcerts.org
Traditional Musicline, a monthly listing of events in this area; PO Box 10598, New Brunswick, NJ 08906; 908-699-0665.
Watchung Arts Center, 18 Stirling Road, Watchung, 1-908-753-0190; folk & Blues series, 4th Sat, 7pm; comedy 3rd Sat; Jazz various Fri's; www.watchungarts.org

CONNECTICUT (Southern New England-WWUH FOLKFONE: 860-768-5000)

Acoustic Cafe, 2926 Fairfield Ave, Bridgeport, 06605; Tuesdays open mic; 1-203-355-3655, www.acousticcafe.com
Audubon Society, 1361 Main St. (rt.17), Glastonbury; on Fri, 7:30Pm; 860-633-8402, www.ctaudubon.org/centers/glastonbury/glastonbury.htm.
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, info: Brent Hall, 460 Wallingford Rd, Cheshire, CT 06410; 203-272-8404; <http://folknotes.org>.

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(Rt. 189), W. Hartford; Fridays 7:30; 1-860-768-4228 or 1-800-274-8587

Vanilla Bean Café, corner of 44, 169 & 97, Pomfret; 8pm Sat eve's plus first Fri open mike,
860-928-1562; www.thevanillabeancafe.com; \$5-15

PENNSYLVANIA {not in the listings}

(Phila Folk Phones: 215-732-9992; 215-34BLUES)

Philadelphia Folk Song Society, 7113 Emlen St, Phila, Pa 19119; 215-247-1300. § Contact them
for general Penna info as well as their monthly concerts (NYPFMC recip. adm).

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If you are the proud parent of one of the hotlines above, please check the ending date. If you want it renewed, send in your renewal before the 12th of that month to have it continue in the next month—we do not send out renewal notices. []



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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

(For a sample newsletter, write to the Club office—address at left.)

To join (or to renew) and receive the newsletter regularly, mail this to:

**FMC membership, c/o Anne Price,
80 Knolls Crescent, #2M,
Bronx, NY 10463; 1718-543-4971.**

*(MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO:
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Yearly Dues:

- \$35 individual; \$50 family/dual;
 \$20 full-time student/low income
(please state reason: _____)

Two Year dues:

- \$65 individual;
 \$95 family/dual (one household).

Memberships above include newsletter, free admission to our regular events series and reduced admission to many other events.

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 \$43 family/dual

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- I wish to be a supporting member, my check includes an additional \$ _____ over regular dues. (Additional contributions are tax deductible, as permitted by law.)

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Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ ZIP _____

Telephone (_____) _____

E-Mail: _____

For family memberships, please list the names of others in the same household not listed above:

adults: _____

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I want to help:

- with the newsletter; with mailings;
 post flyers around my neighborhood or on my school or company bulletin board.
 other _____