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Events at a Glance

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- 8 Mon **FMSNY Exec. Board Meeting**; 7:15pm location tba
- 13 Sat **Chantey Sing** at Seamen's Church Institute, 8pm.
- 19 Fri **Jeff Warner**, 8pm, in Forest Hills, Queens
- 21 Sun **Sacred Harp Singing** at St.Bartholomew's in Manhattan
- 21 Sun **Jeff Warner** house concert, 2pm in Sparrowbush, NY

October

- 1 Wed **Folk Open Sing** 7 pm in Brooklyn
- 2 Thur **Newsletter Mailing**, 7pm in Jackson Heights (Queens).
- 5 Sun **Sea Music: tba + NY Packet**; 3pm, South St
- 10 Fri **Bob Malenky** house concert, 8pm upper west side
- 11 Sat **Chantey Sing** at Seamen's Church Institute, 8pm.
- 13 Mon **FMSNY Exec. Board Meeting**; 7:15pm location tba
- 17-19 **Fall Folk Music Weekend** in Ellenville, NY-- see centerfold
- 19 Sun **Sacred Harp Singing** at St.Bartholomew's in Manhattan
- 24 Fri **Svitanya**, vocal workshop 6:30pm; concert 8pm at OSA ☺;
A Daniel Pearl World Music Days Concert

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Fall Folk Music Weekend
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Events Details

FOLK OPEN SING; Wednesdays, Sept. 3rd and Oct. 1st; 7-10 pm

Join us on the first Wednesday of each month for an open sing. Bring your voice, instruments, friends, neighbors, and children. Drop by for a couple of songs or the whole evening. At the Ethical Culture Society, 53 Prospect Park West, Brooklyn (near 2nd St.). Directions: F train to 7th Ave.; Q train to 7th Ave.; 2/3 train to Grand Army Plaza. Hosted by Ethical Culture/Good Coffeehouse, Folk Music Society of NY/PFMC, Alison Kelley, and Frank Woerner. Info: Frank, 212-636-6341, or Laura, 718-788-7563.

CHANTEY SING; Saturdays, September 13th; 8 PM

Come to the Chantey Sing at South St Seaport. Bring instruments, voices and songs. Co-sponsored and hosted by the Seamen's Church Institute at 241 Water St NYC. Directions: A & C trains Broadway/Nassau St., and J, M, Z, 2, 3, 4, 5, Fulton St. Walk down Fulton St and make a left on Water St. small donation requested. 718-788-7563.

JEFF WARNER House Concerts

Friday, September 19th, 8 PM; Forest Hills

Sunday, September 21st, 2 PM; Sparrowbush, NY

With warmth, humor and understated scholarship, Jeff Warner connects 21st century audiences with the music and everyday lives of 19th century people. He presents musical traditions from the Outer Banks fishing villages of North Carolina, to the lumber camps of the Adirondack Mountains and the whaling ports of New England. His songs have "the stamp of authority and real experience" (*Tykes News*, Yorkshire, UK). His songs, rich in local history and a sense of place, bring us the latest news from the distant past. "Firsthand experience, married to complete mastery of traditional [music], and allied to a natural voice and dry, understated humor in the American vein of Missourian Harry Truman and Mississippian Mark Twain." *The Chronicle-Herald*, Halifax, Nova Scotia.

Jeff has toured nationally for the Smithsonian Institution and has recorded for Flying Fish/Rounder and other labels. His 1995 recording *Two Little Boys: More Old Time Songs for Kids*, received a Parents' Choice Award. He is the editor of *Traditional American Folk Songs: From the Anne and Frank Warner Collection*, (Syracuse University Press, 1984), and producer of the 2-CD set *Her Bright Smile Haunts Me Still: The Warner Collection*, (Applesseed).

Friday; 8pm in Forest Hills, Queens. Please email for reservations to FMSNY1@gmail.com (preferred) or call 718-575-1906 (dog in residence).

Sunday: 2 pm at the home of Deborah Rubin and John Ziv, 594 Rte. 97, Sparrowbush, NY. Phone: 212-662-6575 (NYC); 845-858-7890 (Sparrowbush); e-mail: rte97music@earthlink.net. Admission is Free, beverages provided; if driving, please bring chairs or blanket to sit on. If the weather is nice, concert will be outdoors with unlimited seating. If weather is poor, concert will be indoors with maximum about 30 seats so make reservations.

Driving Directions:

From NYC or Long Island: George Washington Bridge to Palisades Parkway (first exit over the bridge) to exit 9W (NYS Thruway/Interstate 87) to exit 16 (Rte 17/Hariman). Rte 17 to exit 121 (Interstate 84 towards Port Jervis) to exit 1 (Port Jervis). At end of exit ramp, turn left and then bear right at light. You are on Rte 6. Take Rte 6 about 1 mile until it turns left at traffic light. Homer's Restaurant is on the right. Go straight on Rtes 42/97. After 3 miles, Rte 42 veers off to right. Stay straight on Rte 97 about 1 more miles, through winding road. We are the second driveway on

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the right after the winding road. Park across the street.

From New Jersey: Interstate 80 to exit 34B (Rte 15 N). Take Rte 15 N about 16 miles north to Rte 206. Continue going straight onto Rte 206. Go another 15 miles to Rte 521 split on right. Take Rte 521 to end, about 6 miles. At light turn left onto Rte 6 and follow directions as above.

By Bus or Train: Please check schedules. Take Shortline/Coach USA bus or NJ Transit train to Pt. Jervis. Call in advance or e-mail to arrange pickup.

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

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

NEWSLETTER MAILING; Thursday, October 2nd; 7 PM

We need your help to mail out the next Newsletter. Join the important band of volunteers that sticks the stamps and labels and staples the pages to mail out this newsletter. At the home of Don Wade and Eileen Pentel, 35-41 72nd Street, Jackson Heights (Queens). Right near the "74 St" Station of the #7 line or the "Roosevelt-Ave-Jackson Heights" Station of the E,F,V, and R trains. (Cats in residence.) info: 718-426-8555.

SEA MUSIC CONCERT; Sunday October 5, 3pm

Members of The New York Packet (Frank Woerner, Bonnie Milner, Deirdre Murtha, Joy Bennett, Alison Kelley, Frank Hendricks, David Jones, Jan Christensen, Dan Milner & Bob Conroy) join featured guests. Co-sponsored with the South Street Seaport Museum. At the Museum's Melville Gallery, 209 Water Street, between Fulton & Beekman. Call 212-691-7610 for directions. Donation, \$5 (child, \$2), pay at the door. October 5 - to be announced.

BOB MALENKY, House Concert, Friday, October 10th, 8 PM

Superb blues guitar player! More details next month. Don't miss this opportunity to hear Bob in an evening of music in a warm, intimate setting. FMSNY members \$12, non-members \$15, children and F/T students \$6, Seniors \$10. Space is limited so reservations are required: call 212-662-6575. At the home of John Ziv & Deborah Rubin, 243 W. 98th St., apt 6A, near Broadway, Manhattan.

Medieval Festival, Sun, Sept. 28

11:30AM – 6PM (Rain: Sunday, October 5th). The Club will have a booth at the Medieval Festival in Fort Tryon Park. This is a great day out for the whole family – see www.whidc.org – as well as an opportunity for the Club; we will be performing music and handing out flyers in an attempt to gain exposure to the public. Stop by and join us. We also need volunteers (in medieval costume.) to staff the booth and/or perform. If you can help, contact Rosalie Friend at 718-965-4074 and discuss the costume.

Memorial Celebration for Woody Kozin Sunday, October 5; 3pm

At the Central Unitarian Church, 156 Forest Ave., Paramus, New Jersey. Bring your instruments and voices. For directions, contact the office at cucparamus.org or 201-262-6300. To RSVP, please call Marilyn Kozin at 561-732-5950. The RSVP is necessary because refreshments will be served; so Marilyn needs to know approximately how many people will be coming

Folk Music Society of NY Information

The Folk Music Society of New York, Inc./NY Pinewoods Folk Music Club was started in 1965 and is a 501(c)(3) non-profit, educational corporation; an affiliate of the Country Dance & Song Society of America; a member of the Folk Alliance; and a member of the NY-NJ Trail Conference. A copy of our annual report is available from our office at 444 W. 54 St, #7, NYC, NY 10119 or from the Office of Charities Registration, N.Y. Dept. of State, 162 Washington Av, Albany, NY 12232..

We have approximately 500 members and run concerts, week-ends, classes, and get-togethers, all with an emphasis on traditional music. The Society is run by all volunteers with a Board of Directors, elected by the membership. The working officers below (members of and elected by the board) welcome your help and suggestions.

Membership fees are listed on the back page; regular memberships include one subscription to the newsletter (10 issues yearly), free admission to our approximately 5 series events, and reduced admission to many events. Won't you join us?

2008 Board of Directors:

Membership: Anne Price, 80 Knolls Cresc, #2M, Bronx, NY 10463; 718-543-4971; membership@folkmusicny.org. [coupon on the back cover.]

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Weekend Coordinator: Joy C. Bennett

Other Board Members: Rosalie Friend, Tom Weir, John Ziv

FOLK FONE, 718-651-1115

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

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

Events Calendar: Lenore Greenberg, 120 Boerum Place, #13, Brooklyn, NY 11201; 718-403-0347; <lenoreg@nyc.rr.com>

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All members are encouraged to submit articles on folk music & related subjects, and book, concert, and record reviews. Preferably **submit articles and ads on disk, CD ROM or via E-mail to Don@donwade.us**. (Pagemaker 6, ASCII or MS-Word format; MAC ASCII format) or else type them. Send articles to the editor; be sure to include your day & evening phone numbers and keep a copy.

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

Newsletter Display Ad Rates

(our Federal ID number is 13-346848):

Full Page \$120; Size: 4-5/8 W x 7-3/4 H

1/2 Page \$60; Size: 4-5/8 W x 3-3/4 H

1/4 Page \$30; Size: 2-1/4 W x 3-3/4 H

1/8 Page \$15; Size: 2-1/4 W x 1-3/4 H

(less 10% for repeating ads paid in advance)

Sizes are actual print size for camera-ready copy and will be reduced if oversized. Preferably **ads should be supplied on disk**, in MS Word, Pagemaker 6 or 7, TIF, PCX, BMP, or WMF format or laid out camera-ready; delivered, and paid before the deadline. The Editor has no facilities for doing art work and ads which are sloppily laid out will be refused! Ads are subject to the approval of the Advertising Committee. Page or position placement cannot be guaranteed.

www.folkmusicny.org

E-Mail: <info@folkmusicny.org> (but it is best to send to individual officers as listed above).

Topical Listing of Society Events

Weekends

- Oct. 17-19: **Fall Weekend of Music** at Honor's Haven Resort, Ellenville, NY
see weekend flyer in centerfold
Feb. 6-8, 2009: **Winter weekend of Music** at Warwick Conference Center

Series Concert - Free to members ☺

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

- Fri, Oct. 24: **Svitanya**: a Daniel Pearl World Music Days concert
Fri, May 8, 2009: **Joe Jencks**
other dates to be announced

House Concerts

- Fri, Sept. 19: **Jeff Warner**, 8pm location tba.
Sun, Sept. 21: **Jeff Warner**, 2pm in Sparrowbush, NY
Fri, Oct. 10: **Bob Malenky house concert**, 8pm at Ziv/Rubin's on the upper west side.
Fri, Dec. 5: **Carrie & Michael Klein**, in Brooklyn

South Street Seaport Sea Music Concerts

Co-sponsored with South St. Seaport Museum. Performers with the **NY Packet**,
In the Melville Gallery, 209 Water St, First Sundays at 3pm starting in October.
Oct. 5: to be announced.

Special Programs and Workshops

- Nov. 14-16: **Eisteddfod-NY**, our Folk Festival in Jackson Heights, Queens.
Nov. 22-23: **Traditional Singing Workshop**; details to be announced
Fri, Dec. 12 **Nowell Sing We Clear**; 7:30pm, All Soul's Church, Lexington Ave, bet 79th and 80th Streets.
Sat, Mar. 28, 2009: **North American Urban Folk Music 1940-1960**: a Celebration & Tribute.

Informal Jams and Sings

- Folk Open Sing**; First Wednesday of each month (July XXX2, Aug. 6, etc); 7-10 pm; Ethical Culture Society in Brooklyn.
Gospel & Sacred Harp Sing: resumes in October, 3pm
Sacred Harp Singing at St. Bartholomew's in Manhattan, 3rd Sunday: Sept. 21, Oct. 19, etc.
Chantey Sing at Seaman's Church Institute, South Street Seaport; 8pm, Saturdays: Sept. 13, Oct. 11, Nov. 15, Dec. 13, Jan. 10.

Business Meetings, etc.

- Newsletter Mailing**, Thursday, October 2, 7pm in Queens--see page 3.
Executive Board Meeting: 2nd Monday; Sept. 8, Oct. 13, Nov. 10, etc.; 7:15pm at locations to be announced; call Joy at 718-575-1906

Our Traditional Music Festival: Eisteddfod-NY

November 14-16, 2008;
www.eisteddfod-ny.org

North American Urban Folk Music 1940-1960:
a Celebration & Tribute.

Saturday, March 28, 2009 -- Save the date!

Weekend Help Wanted

Full and Half Scholarships are available in exchange for administrative work done on our folk music weekends (Spring, Fall, and Winter). These jobs are essential to the success of the weekend so please think about the **Fall weekend now!** Contact the Club President, Joy Bennett, <president@folkmusicny.org>, 718-575-1906 if you are interested in any of the jobs.

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)

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

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

From the Editor

We hope that you had a great summer and are now gearing up for the fall. September will be our Folk Open Sing, a Chantey Sing and the Sacred Harp Sing. Jeff Warner will be performing here in New York—actually Queens and upstate as well. So for those of you who don't want to travel, you can catch him here.

Also check out the Jackson Heights Film and Food Festival, of which we are a supporter. It will be great fun and help get you familiar with Jackson Heights so that when you come to the Eisteddfod-NY Traditional Music Festival in November, you will know just where to go for great food and enjoy the neighborhood as well.

Don't forget to check out the Fall Music Weekend at the Honor's Haven Resort—formerly known as the Fallsview. This is a great time to register. We have a special price for children, so bring your children, grandchildren, nieces and nephew. We will have a special program for them as well. Check next month's newsletter for details. No children? Don't worry—you will enjoy our usual musical weekend fare with a great staff. See the flyer for details.

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

2008 NEW YORK CITY ALL-DAY SING;

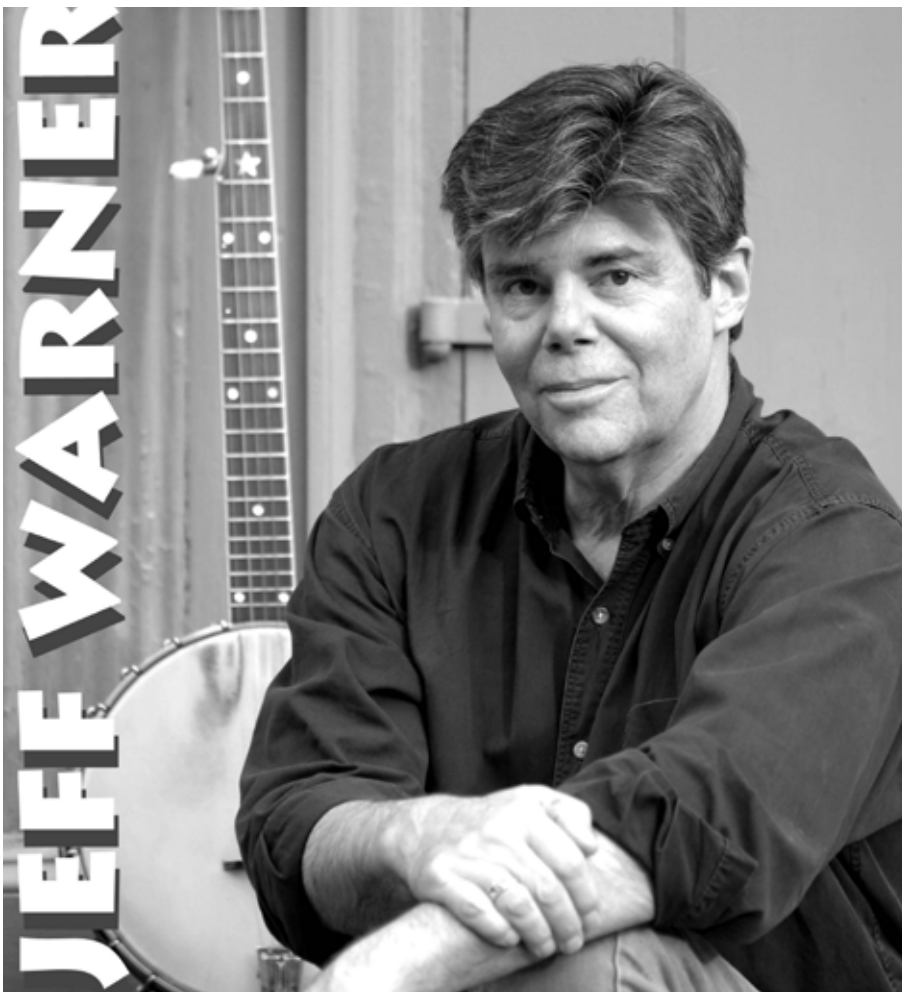
Saturday, Sept. 20th, 9:30am-3:30pm

Come sing Sacred Harp music with others from around the country! At historic Plymouth Church of the Pilgrims, 75 Hicks St., Brooklyn Heights. The All-Day Sing will feature a potluck dinner on the grounds. Books will be available for purchase or loan. Come join in this 250-year old American musical tradition! Contact Aldo Ceresa: tyndalecat@aol.com; 718-757-2952. www.manhattansing.org.

Help Us Search for Cash!

Goodsearch.com will give the club one cent for each time you search the web!

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



House Concerts

Friday, September 19, 8pm

in Forest Hills, Queens

email for reservations to FMSNY1@gmail.com or call 718-575-1906

Sunday, September 21, 2pm

594 Rte 97, Sparrowbush, NY

Info: 212-662-6575 or 845-858-7890

rte97music@earthlink.net



Eisteddfod-NY 2008 has needs!

Our great festival of traditional music comes around for its fifth incarnation in the Big Apple this November 14-16. See the flyer elsewhere in this issue. Our members have been helpful in many ways, and as always we appeal on several fronts.

Housing: We need members to volunteer beds to house performers. Housing in Queens would be especially desirable, but any members who can be helpful would be greatly appreciated. If you can house somebody, we provide you free admission to the festival. Beds are needed for Friday and Saturday night, and in some cases for Sunday night also. You do not need to provide meals. If you have a sofa bed or spare room and can help, please call Rosalie Friend 718- 965-4074 as soon as you can. This is a critical need for the festival.

Volunteers: The festival requires a large crew of capable, friendly, organized people to make the many jobs at the festival actually happen. Volunteering for 6 hours over the course of the weekend also gets you free admission. Jobs come in 57 varieties. We have an ongoing crew, but there are some spaces we very much need to fill. If you would like to know more, please call Rosalie Friend, 718- 965-4074. Both of these contributions will get you an invite to the after festival party. Ain't that a deal?

Contributions: It will come as no surprise that this great festival can only continue if our members and friends will support it financially as well. Contributions last year were exceptional and have kept us afloat. So please consider what you can spare to support the festival, and contact Heather Wood 212-957-8386 about sending a check.

Advertising and Vendors: We need advertisements in the program book, contact Heather Wood 212-957-8386. And vendors to sell crafts or food in the Folk Marketplace, call Rosalie Friend, 718- 965-4074. Is there anyone who would be willing to organize the making and sale of baked goods as a benefit for the club at the festival? Call Rosalie Friend, 718- 965-4074

And **COME:** If the people don't come, there won't be any festival and the performers will get lonely. So please put it on your calendar, November 14-16, and *invite everyone you know*. Seriously, our greatest outreach to new people is the people who already know what a great time it will be. So one of the best things you can do for the festival and the Club is to help bring in people who don't know it is happening but would love it if they did. You all know some of those, right? If you want us to send you some flyers to put up or give out, please call Don Wade, 718-426-8555.

See page 9 for more details and information about ordering discounted advance tickets. (Day and/or concert tickets are also available.)

Volunteer Jobs Available; Mindless Work

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

Special Offer

Camsco Music (Dick Greenhaus):

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

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

The Folk Music Society of NY, Inc. presents:



Festival of Traditional Music

Eisteddfod — NY

November 14-16, 2008

at The Renaissance Charter School,
35-59 81st St., Jackson Heights, Queens, New York City

Atl-Tlachinolli, Tony Barrand, Basket Landing, Norris Bennett, Ralph Bodington, Colleen Cleveland, Pat Conte, Discanto, Craig Edwards, David Jones, Dónal Maguire, Dan Milner, Barry O'Neill, John Roberts, George Ward, Dave Webber & Anni Fentiman, Toby Weinberg, Heather Wood, Wreck Room String Band, and others

A fabulous, family-friendly gathering of musicians and singers, with lots of audience participation. Concerts, workshops, jamming, open mic, ballad swap, shanty sing, Festival Marketplace, and much more. The performers, local, national, and international, are steeped in their respective traditions.

Schedule Outline (*tentative*)

Eisteddfod-NY will offer a variety of workshops that range from “mini-concerts” to illustrated panel discussions to hands-on demonstrations and participatory singarounds. Bring your instruments and voices!

Friday 14 November: Concert, 7:30pm - 10:30pm

Saturday 15 November:

Workshops, panels, demonstrations, open stage, jamming - 10am - 6pm

Family Concert, 12:30 - 1:30pm

Concert, 7:30 pm - 10:30pm

Sunday 16 November:

Workshops, Gospel Sing, panels, demos, open stage, jamming-- 10am- 2

Concert, 2:15 pm - 5:15 pm

Info: www.eisteddfod-ny.org or (718) 965-4074

**All festival advance members price: \$50 available at FMS events
or online: <http://eisteddfod-members.eventbrite.com/>**

Free admission for volunteers, vendors & those providing housing,
Contact (718) 965-4074

3rd Annual Jackson Heights Food and Film Festival

Food Film Fun.

(www.jhfff.org)

The Jackson Heights Film Festival (JHFFF) brings the different cultures in this incredibly diverse community together through food and film. The JHFFF has three components – **the Taste** (September 13th), **the Film** (September 18-20) and **the Kid's Fest** (September 21).

The Taste of Jackson Heights—Saturday, September 13, noon to 4 PM. at the Garden School Courtyard at 79th Street between 34th Avenue and Northern Blvd.

The entrance to the Taste is free and sample dishes will cost \$1, \$2 or \$3.

- Residents and visitors alike can taste cuisine from almost twenty-five of Jackson Heights's best restaurants—all while enjoying the music of the Jim Hirschman jazz trio. The Taste will also feature a kid and family-friendly art project - compliments of the Y Gallery as well as an art exhibit by the Jackson Heights Art Club.

The Film Festival will begin on **Thursday evening, September 18th and run through Saturday, September 20th** at the Bollywood Eagle Theater at 73rd Street and Broadway in Jackson Heights. Admission to the film screenings are \$10.

- The film portion part of the festival brings award-winning local, regional and international film shorts, feature length films and documentaries. Each of the films showcased speak to not only the diverse cultures in the community, but reinforces how the diversity of Jackson Heights makes it such a great place to be. And just in case you want to share your opinion about the films with your fellow community members, discussions with producers, directors and actors follow the screenings.

The Kids Fest will be held on **Sunday, September 21st**. A live music performance will take place at the 78th Street play street (between 34th Avenue and Northern Blvd.) after the films. Admission to the Kid's Film Festival is \$10 for kids of all ages. Kids under 10 are free.

- Often, the youth are overlooked when it comes to arts festivals. Not so in this case. The community youth are encouraged to participate in this festival through the Kid's Film Festival. The kid-friendly films include top animated and non-animated shorts curated for kids and their families

This festival is a great way to see what Jackson Heights has to offer and also to participate in its economic growth and cultural development. What better way to end the summer than with live music, captivating films, great food from neighborhood eateries and a fabulous space to enjoy it all.

The Jackson Heights Film and Food Festival is a program of the non-profit organization the Community Journal of Jackson Heights. Please contact Bryan Pufolkes for more information at communityjournal@gmail.com or visit the website at www.jhfff.org. FMSNY is one of the supporting organizations of these events.

The Folk Music Society's web page:

www.folkmusicny.org

The Folk Process

by Ruth Lipman



Toby Fagenson and Jane Babits have been married for a quarter of a century. They celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary on June 26th. The happy couple met 26 years ago at a club winter weekend at Solway House.

Gert Gershowitz has another great-grandson. Noah Benjamin Sprung was born on May 24th. Noah is named for his great-grandpa Abe through his Hebrew name, Avi Yakov. The proud parents are Aimée and Eric Sprung and the delighted grandparents are Lynne and Jim Sprung. Meanwhile, Benjamin's big brother, Alex (now three years old), recently made the move to a big boy bed and then graciously ceded his crib to the new arrival.

Bert and Joy Held write, "Bert and Joy Held have dusted off their words-and-music partnership in the service of Yiddish and Ladino song. They conducted two lecture/sing-alongs on "Stories of Yiddish Hit Songs" at the Assisted Living Facility, Kittay House, in the Bronx in June and August and are scheduled to teach an 8-session course, "Popular Yiddish Song" at New York City's Workmen's Circle (October, '08-January '09). In July, Bert did a Yiddish song workshop at Circle Lodge, Hopewell Junction, N.Y. He also has a Yiddish and Ladino workshop scheduled for the upcoming Campers' Week at CDSS/Pinewoods Camp."

Neil & Kathy Cohen will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary in September. Their sons, Michael and Daniel are taking them to Costa Rica to celebrate.

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

Folk Music Events Calendar

For addresses, times, phone numbers, and other details, **see the location information on pages following the repeating events.** *Repeating events listings follow this list. Updated repeating events may be viewed at www.folkmusicny.org.* The events with an asterisk (*) are run by the club and more information is on pages 2-3; other events in the listings below are not run by the Club, and the information given is the best available at press time. Everyone is encouraged to send complete information for listing to: Lenore Greenberg, 120 Boerum Place, #1J, Brooklyn, NY 11201; 718-403-0347; E-mail: lenoreg@nyc.rr.com. DEADLINE is the 12th of the preceeding month.

Around NYC – September

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| 3 | We* | Folk Open Sing in Brooklyn: 7pm. See p2-3 | 14 | Su | Location) |
| 4 | Th | Conversation with Joan Baez: 92 nd St. Y, 8pm | | | Harmony on the Hudson; Family Music Festival w Harry Chapin, The Ebony Hillbillies & Lisa Loeb: Robt. Wagner Pk., 1-6pm |
| 12 | Fr | Steve Forbert: Joe's Pub, 7 & 9:30pm | 19 | Fr | Community Cabaret w Dave Lippman, Joan Wile & Rachel Stone: Community Church |
| 12 | Fr | Old Time & Bluegrass Jambo-ree: Ethical Culture Soc., Bklyn, 8pm | 19 | Fr | The Dublin City Ramblers: Woodhaven House, 63-98 Woodhaven Blvd, Rego Park. 718 894-5400 |
| 13 | Sa* | Chantey Sing; 8pm --see p.2 | 19 | Fr* | Jeff Warner: See p2-3 |
| 13 | Sa | Old Time & Bluegrass Jambo-ree: Ethical Culture Soc., Bklyn, 12:30 -10pm. | 20 | Sa | All Day Singing (Sacred Harp): Plymouth Church, 75 Hicks St, |
| 13 | Sa | Carl Schwartz Musical Celebration: Peoples' Voice (New | | | |

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- Bklyn; 9:30am-3:30pm; <sacred-harpnyc@gmail.com>
- 20 Sa **Tom Pacheco; David Laibman:** Peoples' Voice
- 21 Su **Julie Fowlis:** Joe's Pub, 9:30pm
- 21 Su **T Broussard & the Zydeco Steppers:** Connolly's, 7:30pm
- 27 Sa **Toby Fagenson, Peter Pasco, Chris Lowe:** Peoples' Voice
- 28 Su **Medieval Festival:** Fort Tryon Park, 11:30-6pm
- Around NYC – October**
- 1 We* **Folk Open Sing in Brooklyn:** 7pm. See p2-3
- 2 Th* **Newsletter mailing:** See p.3
- 3 Fr **Brett Ratliff & Clark Mtn. String Band:** Good CH
- 4 Sa **Ebony Hillbillies:** Peoples' V.
- 5 Su* **Sea Music Concert:** 3pm. See p2-3
- 5 Su **The Folk Brothers (Jack Hardy & David Massengill):** Uptown
- Long Island – September**
- 12 Fr **Sloan Wainwright:** UCCCN,
- 19 Fr **Joe Crookston:** Our Times SH
- 20 Sa **Friction Farm – Dee Harris:** FMSOH. Hard Luck Café
- Long Island – October**
- 4 Sa **Little Toby Walker:** FMSOH
- New York State – September**
- 5 Fr **Dennis Gruenling & Jump Time-Tribute to Little Walter:** Towne Crier, 9pm
- 6 Sa **Professor Louie & the Crowmatix:** Turning Pt., 9pm
- 6 Sa **Patti Rothberg:** Towne C, 9pm
- 11 Th **Cantrip:** Turning Pt., 8pm
- 12 Fr **Chris Smither:** Towne C., 9pm
- 14 Su **Magpie:** Borderline FMC; Steve Shapiro's house, 7 Trailside Ct. New City. 2pm
- 14 Su **Uncle Wade:** Turning Pt., 7pm
- 14 Su **Tannahill Weavers:** Towne Crier, 8pm
- 19 Fr **Solas:** Towne Crier, 9pm
- 20 Sa **Debbie Davis Blues Band:** Towne Crier, 9pm
- 21 Su* **Jeff Warner:** Sparrowbush, NY, see p.2-3
- 27 Sa **Bill Miller + Steve Kirkman:** Towne Crier, 9pm
- 27 Sa **Jesse Lege & Bayou Brew:** Rosendale Café, 8pm
- 27 Sa **Great Lake Swimmers:** Common Ground CH, 8pm
- New York State – October**
- 2 Th **Abigail Washburn & Bela Fleck w the Sparrow Quartet:** Towne Crier, 8pm
- 4 Sa **Eilen Jewel Band:** Towne Crier, 9pm
- 4 Sa **David Bromberg:** Mainstage, Irvington Town Hall, 8pm
- 4 Su **James Cotton Blues Band:** Turning Pt, 7:30 & 10pm
- 5 Su **Susan Werner:** Friends of Music, 3pm
- 5 Su **Kingston Bluegrass Festival:** In the Roundout, Kingston. 2-6pm
- 10 Fr **Danny Kalb Trio:** Towne Crier, 9pm
- New Jersey – September**
- 5 Fr **Bill Staines:** Minstrel CH
- 5 Fr **Steve Earle & Allison Moorer:** Outpost CH, 8pm
- 19 Fr **Magpie:** Minstrel CH
- 26 Fr **Andrew Dunn & Zoe Mulford:** Minstrel CH
- New Jersey – October**
- 3 Fr **Siobian Quinn & Michael Bowers:** Minstrel CH
- 5 Su **Memorial Celebration for Woody Kozin:** Central Unitarian Church, 156 Forest Av, Paramus; 3pm Please RSVP to Marilyn Kozin, 561-732-5950
- Connecticut – September**
- 6 Sa **TBA:** Sounding Board
- 6 Sa **Lissa Schneckenberger Band:** Vanilla Bean Café
- 12 Fr **Rani Arbo & daisy mayhem:** U. of Hartford. 7:30pm
- 13 Sa **The Kennedys:** Sounding Bd
- 13 Sa **Cliff Haslam & The Ancient Mariners:** Branford Folk CH
- 13 Sa **Marc Von Em:** Roots Music
- 13 Sa **Atwater-Donnelly:** Vanilla Bean Café
- 20 Sa **Bill Staines:** Sounding Board
- 20 Sa **Kevin Briody:** Vanilla Bean
- 20 Sa **Jez Lowe & The Bad Pennies:** U. of Hartford
- 27 Sa **Modern Man:** Sounding Board
- 27 Sa **Last Fair Deal:** Vanilla Bean
- Connecticut – October**
- 4 Sa **Pendragon:** Sounding Board

Repeating Events

Space limitations force this to be a *severely abridged* selected list -- see the full list printed in the May issue. Also a constantly updated complete list is available on the web at: www.folkmusicny.org/repeating.html. Many places change schedules for the summer--you should always call and check. **Additions and Corrections to these lists are most welcome!** Send to: Don Wade, 35-41 72nd St, Jackson Heights, NY 11372; E-mail: DonWade@donwade.us

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

NYC BLUEGRASS & OLD-TIME

(also look at www.banjoben.com and <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/newyorkcityoldtime/>)

Sundays:

Kili, 79-81 Hoyt St between State and Atlantic in Brooklyn. Ponkiesburg Pickin' Party; www.ponkiesburg.com/home.php, acoustic jam, 4-7 PM, <bradelinhorn@hotmail.com>

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

Paddy Reilly's, 519 2 Ave, Manhattan (29 St) 212-686-1210; bluegrass jam 5-8pm; Sunday (see also Irish and general multi-day listings); 212-686-1210; www.bigapplebluegrass.com]

#Prospect Park jam on the 4th Sunday; 2pm; Prospect Park West and 3rd Street, Brooklyn <liddlefiddle@yahoo.com>
Superfine, 125 Front St. Brooklyn, 718-243-9005; Bluegrass Brunch 11AM-3PM

Mondays:

The Parkside Lounge, 317 Houston St (bet Ave's B & C); 212-673-6270 9pm-mdnt; various acoustic jams. Bands, etc. tending toward old-time/bluegrass; www.parksidelounge.com

Iona, 180 Grand Street (between Bedford and Driggs), Williamsburg, Brooklyn; 2nd & 4th Mon; 7:30 - 10pm: The Moonshiners String Band; www.myspace.com/themoonshinersny.

Paddy Reilly's, 519 2 Ave, Manhattan (29 St) 212-686-1210; Slow Bluegrass Jam; 169 Bar, 169 E. Broadway (Canal, Essex & Rutgers) 212-437-8866; Country Jam 8:30-11:30

Wednesdays:

Angel Band Jam, Vin Rouge, 5th Avenue bet. 17 & 18 St, Brooklyn; info, Bill Duke, 917-859-5397

#Grisly Pear, 107 MacDougal St. bet Bleeker and 3rd, Uncle Bob's Bluegrass Jam, 9pm, www.bigapplebluegrass.com

Old Devil Moon Restaurant (Southern cuisine), 511 E.12th St at Ave A; 1212-475-4357; 8 pm every Wed: Wahoo String Band (Harry Bolick, Brian Slattery, Joe Dejarnette); no cover; www.bolick.net/wahoo/

Vin Rouge; 629 5th Ave (bet 17 & 18 St), Park Slope, Brooklyn: 7:30pm jam; 718-369-4201 www.vinrougebrooklyn.com

Thursdays:

Freddys, Dean St & Sixth Ave, Brooklyn, 718-622-7035; Old-Time Jam, 9-12pm first Thursday; Kings County Opry third Thursday; www.freddysbackroom.com
Hungarian House, 213 E. 82 St, betw 2 & 3 Ave; second Thurs Oct-June, square and Contra Dance party, 8-11 pm; www.Nycbarndance.com

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

Fridays:

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

Saturdays:

Banjo Jim's, 9th St. and Ave. C; 212-777-0869; Bluegrass Sat 7pm; <http://www.banjojims.com>; 1 drink minimum plus cover for performers

Grisly Pear, 107 MacDougal St. bet Bleeker and 3rd, 3rd Sat, Sheriff Sessions, American Roots Music, 9pm; www.bigapplebluegrass.com

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

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

NYC GENERAL REPEATING MUSIC:

multi-day:

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

Banjo Jim's, 9th St. and Ave. C; 212-777-0869; various kinds of live music Tuesday through Saturday; Open mic Sun 2pm, Irish session Tue 10pm, Bluegrass Sat 7pm; <http://www.banjojims.com>; 1 drink minimum plus cover for performers

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

C Note, 157 Ave C (10 St); 212-677-8142

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performances nightly 7-11pm with Songwriter's open mike Sun's
The Ear Inn, 326 Spring St; 212-226-9060;
Mon's & Wed's

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

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

Paddy Reilly's, 519 2 Ave, Manhattan (29 St)
212-686-1210; nightly music 9:30pm;
Mon, Slow Bluegrass Jam; Sat Songwriter
Folk/Rock & Country, 7pm; (see also
Irish multi-day listings); Yellowbarber@
aol.com; 212-686-1210

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

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

Mondays:

The Lounge at TRIAD, 158 W. 72 St, 212-
362-2590; open mic 7-9pm Open House
Coffee House; Advent Lutheran Church,
93 St. & B'way; 212-874-3423; 7:30-9-
:30PM

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

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

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 212-989-9319

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

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

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

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

Thursdays:

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

cashank.html]

Freddys, Dean St & Sixth Ave, Brooklyn,
718-622-7035; Open Mic Third Thurs-
day; <http://freddysbackroom.com>Un-
known Pub, 355 Prospect Av, Park Slope,
Bklyn; Open Mic 8pm; 718-788-9140
Workmen's Circle Chorus, 45 E 33 St;
6-8pm; (Yiddish music) Info: 212-889-
6800.

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

Fridays:

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

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

Fri & Sat:

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

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

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

Sundays:

Banjo Jim's, 9th St. and Ave. C; 212-777-
0869; 2:30pm open mic; <http://www.banjojims.com>; 1 drink minimum]

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

The C-Note 157 Avenue C (10th St.), 212-
677-8142; Open Mic for Singer/ Song-
writers; 5? to 9- Sign up starts at 5pm
Klezmer Sundays at Tonic: 1:30 & 3 pm;
Tonic, 107 Norfolk St; 212-358-7503;
\$10; food & drink available; <www.tonic107.com>

Munch Cafe & Grill, 71-60 Yellowstone
Blvd, Forest Hills (Queens); First and
Third Sundays, 3-5 PM; 718-544-0075;
www.munchcafeandgrill.com

New York Folk Music Meet-Up, one Sunday
a month, 3pm at various locations;
<http://folk.meetup.com/47/?gclid=5j4>; info:
tsachs@sachsinsights.com

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

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- Pickin' Party; www.ponkiesburg.com/home.php, acoustic jam, 4:30-7:30 pm, <bradelinhorn@hotmail.com>
- Three Jolly Pigeons, 6802 3rd Ave, Brooklyn., Open Mic last Sun, 8pm.
- Vox Pop. 1022 Cortelyou Road Brooklyn; 718-940-2084 Open mic Sundays • 6:30-10 pm
- NYC IRISH MUSIC:** Open Sessions (free) & repeating music --see also: www.murphguide.com/tradsession.htm
- Multi-day:**
- An Beal Bocht Cafe, 445 W. 238th St, Riverdale (Bronx) bet. Greystone & Waldo Ave; Fri & Sat trad Irish music; 718-884-7127; Sun 4-7pm session w/ John Redmond; www.anbealbochtcafe.com
- Paddy Reilly's, 519 2 Ave, Manhattan (29 St) 212-686-1210; nightly music 9:30pm; Thurs Session w/ Tony DeMarco; & Eamonn O'Leary, 10pm; Yellowbarber@aol.com; 212-686-1210 Traditional singers circle; First Monday 6:30pm Info Louise Kitt, louise.kitt@hotmail.com
- The Catalpa, 119 E. 233rd St, Woodlawn, Bronx; 718-324-1781 Sun session; Wed, Eamonn O'Reilly & Matt Mancuso
- Sundays:**
- Ceol; 191 Smith St. (at Warren), Brooklyn; session, 5-8pm; 347-643-9911
- Maggie Mae's, 41-15 Queens Blvd, Sunnyside, Queens, 718-433-3067; 6pm Mustang Harry's, 352 7 Ave. (between 29 & 30 St.); presented by Ull Mor CCE: session 5-8pm; info Maureen Donachie, at ceolagusrinca@gmail.com
- O'Neills Irish Bar, 729 3rd Ave (nr. 46 St); 7-11pm session; 212-661-3530]
- Jack O'Neill's, 130 Franklin St., Brooklyn, 718-389-3888, info@jackoneills.com; www.jackoneills.com; Session, 8-11pm; info, Tony Horswill at tony@catandfiddlesessions.com
- New York Irish Center Hall, 10-40 Jackson Ave Long Island City, Queens, Maureen: 718 / 440-2616 or ullmor@comhalthas.net www.newyorkirishcenter.org; Ceili third Sunday, 8-mdnte
- Trinity Pub, 229 E. 84 St bet 2 & 3 Av, 212-327-4450, 6:30pm session
- The Wall, 55 St & Roosevelt Ave, Woodside, Queens, 718-429-9426
- Doc Watson's, 1490 2 Ave (77 St), 212-988-5300; 8:30-11pm session w/ Aonach
- Yeats Tavern, 42-24 Bell Blvd, Bayside, Queens; 6pm session; 718-225-0652
- Mondays:**
- Mona's, 224 Ave B bet 13 & 14 St, 11 pm Session, 212-353-3780 Paddy Reilly's Pub, 2nd Ave at 29th St. Traditional singers circle; First Monday 6:30pm Info Louise Kitt, LWalsh9709@aol.com
- Spike Hill, 184 Bedford Ave, Williamsburg, Brooklyn, 11211; 718-218-9737; session 8:30pm; www.spikehill.com
- Swift's, 34 E. 4 St 212-260-3600; performance 8:15pm; Tuesdays:
- Banjo Jim's, 9th St. and Ave. C; 212-777-0869; session 10PM; <http://www.banjojims.com>; 1 drink minimum
- Jack Dempsey's Pub, 61 2nd Ave (bet 3 & 4 St); session: 8pm; 212-388-0662; www.DempseysPub.com
- Swifts Hibernian Lounge, 34 E. 4th St (bet Bowery & Lafayette), 212-260-3600; 8:30p session; www.SwiftBarNYC.com
- O'Reilly's, 56 W.31 St bet 6th & B'way, 9pm session; 212-684-4244 Wednesdays:
- Ceol; 191 Smith St. (at Warren), Brooklyn; 8:30-11pm; 347-643-9911
- The Scratcher, 209 E. 5th St (bet 2 Ave & Bowery), 212-477-0030; session 11pm w/ Fiona Dougherty & Eamon O'Leary
- Thursdays:**
- Doctor Gilbert's Cafe. 6115 Broadway. Riverdale, Bronx, NY; 8pm Mary Courtney; 718-548-9621
- Paddy Reilly's, 519 Second Ave. (29th St); Tony DeMarco, 10pm-1am; 212-686-1210
- Saturdays:**
- Rosie O'Grady's, 52nd and 7th Ave, Gabriel Donohue, 0p; www.gabrieldonohue.com
- St. Andrew's, 120 W. 44th St. (6 & 7 Av.); live Celtic music 9pm - 1am; 212-840-8413; www.StAndrewsNYC.com

LONG ISLAND REPEATING EVENTS

Multi-day:

- Brokerage Club, 2797 Merrick Rd (off Wantagh Pkwy, exit 6N W), Bellmore; some folk/Acoustic/Blues; 8 or 8:30pm; 21 & over; 516-785-8655 or -9349
- Cool Bean Coffeehouse, 556 North Country Rd, St. James; 631-862-4111; www.saintjamescoolbeanz.com/; Tues 7:30 pm: open Mike (15-22 year olds); -Wed 7:30 pm: open mike & Acoustic L.I. (performer); Fri and Sat 8:30 pm: performers (mostly acoustic); Sat 4-7 pm open mike acoustic
- American Legion Hall, 115 Southern Pkwy, Plainview; 516-938-1519a. Mid-Island Irish-American Club Ceili 1st Sat.
- Bethpage United Methodist Church, 192 Broadway, Bethpage; Open Mike 9p First Fri Acoustic Showcase, (516) 931-4345

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Folk Calendar Listings Info

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#=new information or listing

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

AROUND TOWN (The 5 boroughs of NYC); FOLKPHONE: (718) 651-1115

Community Cabaret; 40 E. 35 St. (bet Park & Madison) NYC; Bi-monthly Fridays, 7pm-9:30pm (doors open 6:30pm); turkey wraps, cheese/crackers/fruit, desserts, wine, beverages avail; Tickets: \$7 in advance at www.rachelstonemusic.com & from performers; \$15 at door or \$10 for members, seniors, students, disabled. Info: 718-472-0102; www.rachelstonemusic.com

Community Church; 40 E. 35 St. (bet Park & Madison) NYC; 212-683-4988 www.ccn.org; used by various organizations. Community Cabaret bi-monthly Fridays (see listing above).]

Ethical Culture Society (Brooklyn), 53 Prospect Park West, B'klyn 11215 (at 2nd St)

Ethical Culture Society (NYC), 2 West 64th Street at Central Park West New York, NY 10023; 212-874-5210

Good Coffeehouse Music Parlor; Ethical Culture Society, 53 Prospect Park West, B'klyn 11215 (at 2nd St); 718-768-2972; Fridays, 8pm; \$10+. www.bsec.org/events/coffeehouse/
Joe Beasley Sacred Harp Singing; 2nd Sun at St.Paul's Church, 199 Carroll St (cr. Clinton), Brooklyn; 2pm followed by Pot-Luck supper. 718-793-2848 or BJPub@Prodigy.net; www.manhattansing.org/

Jalopy, 315 Columbia St., Brooklyn; 718.395.3214; www.jalopy.biz/

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

92nd St Y; Ninety Second Street Y, 1395 Lexington Ave (at 92nd Street); 212-996-1100; \$25
Parkside Lounge, 317 E Houston (at Attorney); bluegrass Hosted by the Orrin Star Duo + guests; 9pm-midnight; workshops, 1:30pm Sat/Sun, info: <<http://flatpick.com/ostar/Pages/workshopinfo.html>>; 212-673-6270 www.parksidelounge.com
Peoples' Voice Cafe; Sat 8PM at 40 East 35th Street, Manhattan (between Park & Madison Avenues); info: 212-787-3903, www.peoplesvoicecafe.org; \$15 (reduced rates for seniors) St. Bartholomew's Church, 109 East 50th St, Manhattan; NYPFMC Sacred Harp singing on the 3rd Sunday of each month through June, 2:30 to 5:30pm. www.manhattansing.org/ -- see pages 2-3

Seamen's Church Institute, 241 Water St (north of Fulton St), 2nd floor, Manhattan; Monthly Chantey Sing 8-11pm; (donation asked). www.woodenshipsmusic.com/nychanty/nychanty.html.
Symphony Space; 95 St & Bway, Manhattan; 212-864-5400; various groups. www.symphonyspace.org

Uptown coffeehouse, Ethical Culture Soc, 4450 Fieldston Rd, Riverdale (Manhattan College Pkwy); Sun 5PM, \$15 adult (\$13.50 seniors, students; \$3 children); 718-885-2955; www.uptowncoffeehouse.org.

LONG ISLAND

FMOH=Huntington Folk Music Society % (PO Box 290, Huntington Station 11746) Hard Luck Cafe 1st Sat and concerts 3rd Sat each month at The Congregational Church of Huntington, 30 Washington Drive, Centerport (north side of Route 25A at Huntington border). An open mike at 7:30PM precedes each concert at 8:30PM; 1631-425-2925 or 1631-661-1278; <http://fmshny.org/>

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

LITMA % (LI Traditional Music Assn., P.O. Box 991, Smithtown, N.Y. 11787). Music Jams last Sunday, 4-6pm in Smithtown at the Meirs House, 631-864-4601. Other Smithtown events at Smithtown Historical Society Brush Barn, 211 Main St (Rte 25 east of Rte 111),

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- Smithtown: Community contra dances 8pm 2nd and 4th Fridays (631-369-7854); English Country Dance Beginner Workshop usually 1st Sunday 2pm (631- 673-5177); English Country Dance usually 3rd Sunday 2pm (631-757-3627); Orchestra rehearsals (516-433-4192); Music workshops and slow jams (631-427-7542); Concerts occasional 3rd Saturday 8pm (preceded by 6pm pot-luck) (631-757-5980); Annual Fiddle, Dance and Song Festival in August (631-864-4601). Other locations: Contra dances 8pm 1st Friday Christ Church, 61 East Main St., Oyster Bay (631-864-4601); Contradances 8pm 1st Saturday Watermill Community Center (631-725-9321); Sacred Harp Sing 1pm 2nd Sunday Huntington Station and 4th Sunday in Wading River (631-325-8272); House Song Circle 2nd Saturday (631-581-5063). Info about events or LITMA: www.LITMA.org
- Our Times Coffeehouse, Ethical Humanist Society, 38 Old Country Rd, Garden City (2 mi west of Meadowbrook Pkwy, beside water tower); monthly except July & Aug., 8Pm; \$10 (\$8 child/student); 1516-541-1006; www.ourtimescoffeehouse.org/.
- 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); 516 248-8855; \$15 Admission; www.uuccn.org/
- UPSTATE NEW YORK (note: 845 is the new area code for all 914 but Westchester.) also look at: The Hudson Valley Calendar: www.HVmusic.com/cgi-bin/getevent.pl?bydate=yes&fordays=12
- Borderline Folk Music Club; house concerts in various Rockland Co. locations; 845-354-4586; www.borderlinefolkmusic.4themax.com; \$20
- Common Ground CoffeeHouse, 25 Old Jackson Ave. Hastings-on-Hudson; 914 478-2710. one Saturday a month. <http://commongroundfusw.wordpress.com>
- Fiddle & Dance News is a bi-monthly dance & music calendar for the Mid-Hudson region; \$6 to 987 Rte. 28A, West Hurley 12491; 845-338-2996.
- Folk Times is a bi-monthly listing of events in the Albany area: \$10 to Addie & Olin Boyle, 969 Co.Rt.10, Corinth 12822; 518-696-2221; www.folktimes.com
- Friends Of Fiddler's Green Folk Music Concert Series Route 9 & Church Street, Hyde Park, www.hudsonvalleyfolkguild.org; 845-483-0650.
- Mainstage Coffeehouse, Westchester Arts Council, 31 Mamaroneck Ave, White Plains; 8Pm; refreshments avail; 914-949-2913; www.TheMainstage.org; \$25+; Shows at Irvington Town Theatre (914) 591-6602) and The Paramount Centre for the Arts (Peekskill) (914) 739-2333
- Rosendale Cafe, 434 Main St, Rosendale 12472; 845-658-9048; 9pm cover & min; www.rosendalecafe.com Turning Point, 468 Piermont Ave., Piermont, Rockland County (off rte 9W south of Nyack); (845) 359-1089; food avail; www.piermont-ny.com/turning
- NEW JERSEY
- Hurdy Gurdy Folk Music C'hse: Fairlawn Community Center, 10-10 Kipp St, Fairlawn; info: 201-384-1325, adv. tickets 201-791-2225; 1st Sat, 8pm, through May. (run by Hurdy Gurdy Folk Music Club %); <info@hurdygurdyfolk.org>; www.hurdygurdyfolk.org.) Lil's Song Circle: 8pm on 2nd Fri at various locations in NY & northern NJ. General info: Jerry Epstein, 201-384-8465.
- Minstrel Coffeehouse; Fri, 8:30pm, \$5 (2nd Fri, open stage); Morristown Unitarian Fellowship, 21 Normandy Heights Rd, Morristown, NJ. (Run by Folk Project %, POB 41, Mendham 07945; 973-335-9489; www.folkproject.org; Sat concert info: 973-335-9489
- Outpost in the "Burbs" Coffeehouse The Unitarian Church of Montclair or the Montclair High School Auditorium; twice monthly; 8:30pm; 973-744-6560; www.outpostintheburbs.org
- CONNECTICUT (Southern New England-WWUH FOLKPHONE: 860-768-5000)
- Branford Folk Music Society, First Cong. Ch, 1009 Main St, Branford, 8pm; 1-203-488-7715, <branfordfolk@yahoo.com>, <http://folknotes.org/branfordfolk/>
- Roots Music Coffeehouse- In the Common Ground Annex dance studio; 345 Main St. Danbury. <http://www.rootsmusiccoffeehouse.com>; 203 417-9607
- Sounding Board C.H., Universalist Church of West Hartford, 433 Fern St., West Hartford CT; Sat's, 8pm, \$10, (closed July & August) info: Brent Hall, 460 Wallingford Rd, Cheshire, CT 06410; 203-272-8404; <http://folknotes.org>.
- Univ. of Hartford - (W)Wilde Auditorium or (M)Millard Auditorium, 200 Bloomfield Ave. (Rt. 189), W. Hartford; Fridays 7:30; 1-860-768-4228 or 1-800-274-8587
- Vanilla Bean Café, corner of 44, 169 & 97, Pomfret; 8pm Sat eve's plus first Fri open mike, 860-928-1562; www.thevanillabeancafe.com; \$5-15

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30 Years Ago This Month

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

The club presented, in concert:

- Roy Harris at the home of Jerry Epstein
- Elaine Silver at the home of Peter Debin
- Jim Douglas and Tom Callinan at the home of Peter Debin
- A singing party was held at the home of Eileen Pentel
- South African singer and musician Joseph Marais was eulogized by Dan Horowitz
- New members included Heather Wood
- Folk music around town included: **GOOD**>Dick Wilson and Karen Graybeal, Fiction Brothers, Art Freedman & Alan Kaufman; **CENTERFOLD**>John Guth/Zonna, Suzy Kaufman/Josh Joffen, Ruth Ann Brauser/Scott Pagan, Just Us/Shelley Papernik, Lori Holland/Mary Grace, Peter Janovsky/Judy Gorman-Jacobs, Amy Cowell/Lee Gross; **SEAPORT**>X-Seamans Institute; **FOLK CITY**>Buzzy Linhart, Jim Eaves/Juggernaut; **EAGLE**>Vin Garbutt, Lisa Null and Bill Shute/Clanjamfrey, Fly-By-Night String Band, Fiction Brothers, Papa John Kolstadt, Chenango, Kate Charles & Jeff Woodring; **CAPULET'S**>Diamonds In The Rough, Roger Sprung-Hal Wylie; **CORNELIA STREET CAFÉ**>Norman Savitt, Carolyne Mas, Jeff Gold, Lili Anel TAMA COUNTY FAIR>Yankee Rebels/Wretched Refuse; **FLUSHING LOCAL**>John Guth, Buckwheat and Lazoo, Jim Lucas/Susan Trump; **O'LUNNEY'S**>Raintree; **ARTURO'S**>Sons Of The Underbrush; **LINCOLN CENTER**>DeDanann, Bergerfolk; **ALTERNATIVE CENTER**>Fly-By-Night String Band; **SWISS CHALET**>Outa Hand String Band; **FOLKLORE CENTER**> Kenny Hall; **BELLS OF HELL**>Louie Setzer; **CARNEGIE HALL**>New Lost City Ramblers/Pete Seeger/Roscoe Holcomb/Elizabeth Cotten/Highwoods String Band

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