

New York Pinewoods Folk Music Club



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NYPFMC Events at a Glance

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- 10 Fri **Judy Cook House Concert**, 8pm in Manhattan
- 13 Mon **NYPFMC Exec. Board Meeting** 7:15pm at the club office, 450 7th Ave, #972 (34-35 St), info 1-718-575-1906
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- 18 Sat **Chantey Sing** at Seamen's Church Institute, 8pm
- 19 Sun **Gospel & Sacred Harp Sing**, 3pm: in Manhattan
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- 23 Thur **Riverdale Sing**, 7:30-10pm, Riverdale Prsby. Church
- 26 Sun **Sunnyside Song Circle**: 2pm, All Saints Church

October

- 2 Sat **Alison McMorland and Geordie McIntyre Ballad Workshop**; 8PM in Manhattan
- 3 Sun **Sea Music Concert: Alison McMorland and Geordie McIntyre + NY Packet**; 3pm South Street Seaport Gallery
- 5 Tue **Newsletter Mailing**; at Club office, 450 7th Ave, #972, 7 pm
- 6 Wed **Folk Open Sing**; Ethical Culture Soc., Brooklyn, 7pm
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Note changed date (was 10/21)
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The Club's Web Page: www.folkmusicny.org

Folk-Fone: 1-212-563-4099.

Events Details

JUDY COOK House Concert; Friday, September 10th; 8pm

Judy Cook presents splendid unaccompanied ballads and songs from a huge and varied Anglo/American repertoire. Powerful variants of British ballads dovetail effortlessly with American narratives and sprinklings of whimsical pieces and spiritual anthems. Her presentation and delivery are a great example to any singer, and combine with her joy of singing to delight all listeners. Judy began performing professionally in the early 1990s. Her first recording of unaccompanied traditional songs and ballads, *If You Sing Songs*, was released in 1998, the same year as her first singing tours. This was followed two years later by *Far From the Lowlands*. She has quickly come to be well respected as a singer and propagator of the old songs, on both sides of the Atlantic.

General admission: \$13, NY Pinewoods members: \$10. Reservations suggested, space is limited. For information or reservations, please call Evy Mayer at (718) 549-1344 (after 11 AM.) At the home of Mei-Mei Hammer, 7 W. 96th St #3C (nearest corner is Central Pk W.)

7th Annual PARK SLOPE BLUEGRASS/OLD-TIME JAMBOREE, Sept. 17-18

Friday night at 8PM (admission \$10, \$6 kids):

Bluegrass concert by James Reams & The Barnstormers (Mark Farrell, Carl Hayano and Mickey Maguire) play traditional bluegrass music with an old-time edge. They have two critically acclaimed albums and a couple of nominations by the International Bluegrass Music Association (Emerging Artist of the Year and Recorded Event of the Year in 2003).

Saturday's 12:30 to 10:00pm (admission \$3)

12:30 - 1:40 – **Workshops**: Bluegrass Harmony Singing – Bob Green; Old-Time Banjo – Marc Horowitz; Guitar Maintenance & Repair – Bob Jones; Harmonica – Trip Henderson (bring an A diatonic harp).

1:50 - 3:00 – **Workshops**: Fiddle – Bill Christophersen; Introduction to Mandolin – Dave Howard; Songs of the Old South – Alan Friend; Fingerpicking Guitar Styles – Texas Leroy

12:30 - 6:00 (and beyond) - **Jamming**

5:00 - 6:00 – What's for **Dinner**, Grandpa? (Vittles in the sunroom)

6:00 - 10:15 - **Concert** (note: order subject to change)

6:00-6:35 *John & Ellen Wright* are faculty members at Northwestern University who play and sing old-time music around the country.

6:40-7:15 *Major Contay and the Canebrake Rattlers*: (Pat Conte, Bill Dillof, Tom Legenhausen and Mark Farrell) is a legendary NY stringband channeling old-time songs and dance music of the rural South from rare sound recordings

7:20-7:35 Presentation of Brown Jug Award

7:40-8:15 *Rafe Steffanini*: Originally from Italy, his love for American old-time music was what first brought him to these shores; he is one of the most respected interpreters of fiddle music from the South

8:20-8:55 *Southern Schoolhouse Rascals*: (Gil Sayre, Ambrose Verdibello, Dave Howard, Ray Alden and Pat Plankey), a group of multi-instrumentalists with lifetimes of experience in the culture, history and music of the American South, who play an exciting, rousing set of music

9:00-9:35 *Wild Bill Jones*: (fiddler Bill Christophersen and multi-instrumentalists Rhys and Christina Jones) their sound draws on a range of old-time influences from Arthur Smith to Chirps Smith to Hobart Smith to Smith's Garage Fiddle Band

9:40-10:15 *Orpheus Supertones* (Walt Koken, Clare Milliner, Kellie Allen and Pete Peterson) each with a long history and vast knowledge of old-time music; collectively, they are a band not to be missed

The Jamboree and the Good Coffeehouse concerts are held at the Brooklyn Society for

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Ethical Culture Meeting House, 53 Prospect Park West at 2nd Street in Park Slope, Brooklyn. Further information may be obtained by contacting the Good Coffeehouse Music Parlor at 718-768-2972 or by emailing info@jamesreams.com. Additional information is also available at www.jamesreams.com and www.bsec.org. Directions: Q train to 7th Av station in Brooklyn; F train to 7th Av; 2 or 3 train to Grand Army Plaza; B69 bus to 2nd St; B75 bus to 9th St and Prospect Park West; B41 or B71 bus to Grand Army Plaza; B67 bus to 7th Av and 2nd St. The Jamboree is sponsored by Warren Lewis Realty, with additional sponsorship by the The Clay Pot, the Liberty Heights Tap Room in Red Hook, the Brooklyn Society for Ethical Culture, J. D'Addario & Co., Naidre's eat drink smile on 7th Av, the Park Slope Civic Council, HelloBrooklyn.com, and the NY Pinewoods Folk Music Club.

CHANTEY SING; Saturday, September 18, 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. A small donation is requested. For Information call 1-718-788-7563.

GOSPEL & SACRED HARP SING; Sunday, September 19th; 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 Bonnie Burgess, 124 W. 93rd St., apt. 6F (between Columbus and Amsterdam Ave), Manhattan; 212-865-4517. (Allergic folks note: 2 cats in residence.) Subways: IRT 1,2, or 3 train to 96th St. (back of train if going uptown; use 93 St exit), or IND "C" train to 96 St. Please note that there are often many street fairs in Manhattan at this time. If possible use subway or allow extra time for driving. Other info: Isabel, 212-866-2029.

SACRED HARP SINGING AT ST. BART'S; Sunday, September 19th ; 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 gospel singing. Beginners welcome! Books available for loan or purchase. Contributions collected; free parking available. Food and fellowship following. Info: Gail Harper 1-212-750-8977.

RIVERDALE SING; Thursday, September 23rd; 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..

SUNNYSIDE SONG CIRCLE; Sunday, September 26th; 2-6 pm

All acoustic musical styles welcome, traditional and contemporary. 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 non-alcoholic beverages to share are also welcome. For information, Joel Landy at 1-718-937-2240.

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Folk Fone: 1-212-563-4099**

**ALISON MCMORLAND AND GEORDIE MCINTYRE
BALLAD WORKSHOP; Saturday, October 2nd, 8pm**

These wonderful performers from Scotland will present a workshop “Ballads of the Supernatural and ways in which they are significant as the narrative heart of the Scots singing tradition”. In addition to being fine and expressive singers, Alison plays banjo and Geordie plays guitar.

Born in Renfrewshire, Scotland of Ayrshire/Irish stock, Alison’s family was highly musical. She lived in Cornwall and then for many years in Yorkshire, where exploring the folk cultures of these locales helped sharpen and define her Scottish identity. Her active work in the traditional and related arts has been extensive, innovative and significant, embracing radio and television broadcasting, theatre, publishing, numerous recordings, field collecting and community arts.

A Glaswegian of Highland and Irish descent, Geordie’s lifetime involvement in song, ballad and poetry is reflected in his singing, collecting and songwriting. His early years as a radio and television technician and later as a Modern Studies teacher, coupled with his passion for the outdoors have fueled and complemented his central interest in folk music. He has an extensive repertoire and has sung at clubs and festivals in most corners of Britain and Ireland and more recently in the USA. Admission is \$15; To register contact Alan Friend at (718) 965-4074 or <alanfriend_music@hotmail.com> ASAP. Hurry, space is limited!

SEA MUSIC CONCERTS; Sunday, October 3rd, 3-5 pm

On the First Sunday of each month members of The New York Packet (Frank Woerner, Bonnie Milner, Mark Maniak, Joy Bennett, Alison Kelley, Maggie Bye, Frank Hendricks, David Jones, 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. Latest details at <http://pages.prodigy.net/folkmusic/thenewyorkpacket.htm> Donation is \$5 (children, \$2), pay at the door.

October 3 - Alison McMorland and Geordie McIntyre + NY Packet; (see performer information in previous listing)

NEWSLETTER MAILING; Tuesday October 5th; 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

FOLK OPEN SING; Wednesdays, October 6th; 7pm

Join us on the first Wednesday of each month for an open sing. Bring your voice, instruments, friends, neighbors, and children. 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.

E-Mail?

Dear members: E mail is a great way for us to get in touch with you, and for you to get in touch with us. Many of you have given us your e-mail addresses, but many have not. If you would like to be on the club’s e-mail address list, please send a message to nypinewood@aol.com. Also, if you think you gave us your e mail address but you haven’t gotten any messages, maybe it was illegible or we got it wrong for some reason. If so, send it to us again on line. E-mail addresses of board members are also listed in this newsletter. Let us hear from you.

Topical Listing of Club Events

South Street Seaport Sea Music Concerts

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

Sun, Oct.3 Alison McMorland and Geordie McIntyre + NY Packet
Sun, Nov.7 tba

Special Events

Sept. 17-18: Park Slope Bluegrass/Old-Time Jamboree (co-sponsor)

Jan. 28-30: Peoples' Music Network Winter Gathering (co-sponsored with PMN)

House Concerts and Special Programs

Sept.10 Fri Judy Cook House Concert at Mei-Mei Hammer's.

Oct. 2 Sat Ballad Workshop with Alison McMorland and Geordie McIntyre

Series Concerts - Free to Members ☺

Oct. 16 Sat Washboard Slim and the Blue Lights, 8pm at Advent Church.

Nov. 13 Sat Ye Mariners All, 8pm at Advent Church.

Dec. 3 Fri Eletfa (Hungarian), 8pm at Advent Church.

Weekends

Oct 22-24: Fall Folk Music Weekend at Camp Freedman, Falls Village, CT with "Major" Pat Conte, Drew Smith, Troublesome Creek, Dan Pearl (caller), Double Trouble--see flyer in centerfold

Feb. 4-6,2005: Winter Folk Music Weekend at Warwick Conference Center

May 27-30,2005 Spring Folk Music Weekend at Camp Kislak, PA

Informal Jams and Sings

Folk Open Sing; First Wednesday of each month: (Sept 1, Oct 3, etc); 7-10:30 pm at the Ethical Culture Society in Brooklyn.

Gospel & Sacred Harp Sing: Sunday, September 19

Riverdale Sing; in Riverdale, the Bronx:Thursdays: Sept, 23, Oct. 28, Nov. 18, (no sing December & January).

Sunnyside Song Circle:All Saints Church, 2-6pm Sundays:Sept.26, Oct.31, Dec.19.

Sacred Harp Singing at St. Bartholomew's, 3rd Sunday, 2:30pm, (Sept 19, Oct.17, etc)

Chantey Sing at Seamen's Church Institute, South Street Seaport; usually 2nd or 3rd Saturday, 8pm: Sept. 18, Oct.23, Nov.13, Dec.11, Jan.15.

Business, Meetings, etc.

Newsletter Mailing, Tuesday, Sept 7, 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. (Sept. 13, Oct.11, etc.) Info:1-718-575-1906

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New York Pinewoods 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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<aepriec@aol.com.org>. [Membership coupon on the back cover.]

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Secretary: Alice Backer

Weekend Coordinator: Joy C. Bennett

Other Board Members: David Jones, Don Wade

FOLK FONE, 1-212-563-4099

A recording of folk events in NYC (changed weekly). Send last minute listings to: Folk Fone, Folk Music Society, 450 7th Ave, #972, NYC, NY 10123 (Alyssa Becker, Mark Maniak, Don Wade)

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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 August & December). Views expressed in signed articles represent those of the author and not necessarily those of the club.

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WWW [.folkmusicny.org](http://folkmusicny.org)

E-Mail: info@folkmusicny.org (but it is best to send to individual officers as listed on the left).

N.Y. Pinewoods Weekend Camp Survey

We'd like your input on our weekend camps. Camp Isabella Freedman is raising its rates, and we're looking at other options. Please rank the items below in order of how important they are to you when deciding to come to camp. (primary reason = 1, secondary reason = 2, etc., not important = blank)

Please return to Heather Wood, 444 W 54 St #7, NYC 10019
or fill out the web form at www.folkmusicny.org/survey.html

Accommodations

Activities (pool, etc.)

Close to NYC

Cost

Distance between activities

Food

Jamming

Performers

Sense of community

Singing

Other

Which performers would you like to have?

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Housing: must have single must have private bath

would take dormitory-style bunk beds if much cheaper

Other comments:

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Name (optional)

regular weekend attendee been on one or two weekends

never been on a weekend

The Folk Process

by Ruth Lipman



KEN SEVITSKY recently went on a ten-day trip to London and Edinburgh with his brother and mother to celebrate their mother's 80th birthday. They mainly went sightseeing and saw the beautiful Scottish highlands. Also, they heard some Scottish and Celtic music on the highlands tour. The trip was really great. Happy birthday MRS. SEVITSKY!

SHEILA EWALL spent the fourth of July at a folk dance weekend led by Sasha Gottlieb at the Fallsview Hotel in Ellenville, NY and then spent additional time at the nearby Nevele Grande West Hotel. Her niece, MARNI SCHLESINGER, worked as a para-legal for a law firm in Bayside, Queens and is now an intern at the Brooklyn District Attorney's office.

In July, HARVEY CORT and I were part of an Elder-hostel group that attended a three-week French language immersion course at the University of Quebec at Trois Rivieres. It was a wonderful experience.

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

30 Years Ago This Month

compiled by Harvey Binder

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

•The club presented, in concert, Pete Seeger at the South Street Seaport, and Lou and Sally Killen at Duane Hall.

•Folk music around town included: **PIT**>Suzanna Kaufman/Mary Grace, Scott Fagen, Abe & Malka, Bergerfolk, Tom Falick/Pat Kelly **FOCUS**>Alistair Anderson-Neil Wayne/Marrowbones, Bev Grant & The Human Condition, Allan Block, Steven Lee, Andy Cohen, George Cavanaugh, Joan Sprung/Wally Macnow, Bob Crawford, Sweet Papa Stovepipe **SOUTH ST SEAPORT**>Oscar Brand/X-Seamen's Institute/Flange and Tube String Band, Larry Sparks & The Lonesome Ramblers, Roberts & Barrand, Doris Abrahams, Pennywhistlers, Terry & Maggi Roche **CLEARWATER FEST IN STATEN ISLAND**>Pete Seeger/Rev Kirkpatrick/Estelle Wade **LINCOLN CENTER**>Glenn Yarbrough & The Limelites **UNIVERSALIST CHURCH**>Canarsie 5 **CO-OP**>Roy Bookbinder & Fats Kaplin, Karl Finger, R.David Jones/Donna DiChristopher **BASEMENT**>Mike Agranoff **NY CHILDREN'S FOLKLIFE FEST**>Bill Vanaver & Livia Drapkin/Michael Cooney/Tony & Irene Saletan/The Dildines/Wretched Refuse

From the Editor

Eileen Pentel



We hope you have had a wonderful summer and are ready for our fall events, one of which is our fall weekend. It's not too early to register. People come for the performers, to see old friends, meet new ones, and have a weekend full of music. We need your help in regard to our weekends. If you could fill out the survey in this issue, you will be helping us in planning future weekends, especially in regard to accommodations.

September starts off with a house concert by Judy Cook and continues with the Park Slope Bluegrass/Old-Time Jamboree. There are the Chantey, Riverdale, and Gospel &

Weekend Help Wanted

Full and Partial 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 and are usually assigned far in advance so please think about the **Fall** 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.) Some jobs are done on all weekends and others are only on specific weekends--the jobs are marked Spring (S), Fall (F), and Winter (W).

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) (S,F,W)

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) (S,F)

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) (S,F,W)

Waiters: (3-4) Set & clear tables, serve meals. (full scholarships) (F)

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

Lifeguard (certified): Works during the day. (full scholarship) (F,S)

Weekend Scholarships Available

Applications are now being accepted to the **Fall** weekend for the George Parker Scholarship, the Mayer Scholarship and the Lil Appel 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 **September 11th** to:

Marie Mularczyk
52-07 Leith Place
Little Neck, NY 11362
1-718-631-8505

OR Alice Backer
18 Trailhead Lane
Tarrytown, NY 10591
1-914-366-0037

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Sacred Harp Sings, the Sacred Harp Singing, and the Sunnyside Song Circle. What better way to start the fall than singing!!

Thank you to the volunteers who help to put out the newsletter each month and ensure that you get the word about what's going on in the club and in events throughout the city. They could always use more help. For the July-August Newsletter thank you to: *Herb Feuerlicht, Isabel Goldstein, Fran Levine, Brenda Peña, Anne Price, Marcus Tieman, and Don Wade* who delivered the pages from the printer. Won't you join us on Tuesday October 5th and help mail out the next newsletter? (See page 4).

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.

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 2-4; other events in the listings below are not run by the Club, and the information given is the best available at press time. Everyone is encouraged to send complete information for listing to: Lenore Greenberg, 120 Boerum Place, #1J, Brooklyn, NY 11201; 718-403-0347; E-mail: lenoreg@nyc.rr.com. DEADLINE: the 12th of the preceding month (no August or December issue).

Around NYC — September

- 9 We **Bluegrass Allstars:** Village Bistro; 13 Carmine St., 9pm. 212 206-9777
- 10 Fr* **Judy Cook** Hse Concert - See p2
- 11 Sa **SONia and friends:** Peoples' Voice
- 12 Su **New York World Festival:** Summerstage, Central Park. 1 & 3pm
- 12 Su **Joe Beasley Sacred Harp Sing**
- 13 Mo **The Gerard Ederly Ensemble; Musicians for Harmony:** Merkin Hall, 7pm.
- 17 Fr* **James Reams & The Barnstormers:** Good CH. 8-10pm; see p.2
- 18 Sa **Masters of Indian Music:** WMI; Symphony Space. 8pm
- 18 Sa* **Park Slope Old-Time & Bluegrass Jamboree:** Workshops and Evening concert. 12:30-10pm Good CH- see p.2
- 19 Su* **Gospel & Sacred Harp Sing** in Manhattan; see p.3
- 19 Su* **Sacred Harp at St. Bart's;** see p.3
- 19 Su **New York World Festival:** Summerstage, Central Park. 1 & 3pm
- 23 Th* **Riverdale Open Sing:** see p.3
- 24 Fr **Jerry O'Sullivan:** Blarney Star
- 26 Su* **Sunnyside Song Circle:** see p.3

Around NYC — October

- 1 Fr **Fado of Portugal:** WMI; Symphony Space. 8pm
- 2 Sa* **Alison McMorland & Geordie McIntyre** Ballad Workshop in Manhattan; see p.4
- 2 Sa **Gajamukha: Dances of India:** WMI; Symphony Space. 8pm
- 2 Sa **Lara & Yael Percussion Duo w/ Jennifer Starr + The Prince Myshkins:** Peoples' Voice
- 3 Su* **Sea Music Concert: Alison McMorland & Geordie McIntyre + NY Packet:** South

- 3 Su **Street Seaport, 3pm; see p.4**
- Family Music Festival; Cherish the Ladies, Dar Williams, Women of the Calabash, Tom Chapin:** Robt. Wagner Pk. Battery Pk City. 12-6:30pm
- 5 Tu* **Newsletter Mailing:** see p.4
- 6 We* **Folk Open Sing** in Brooklyn: see p.4
- 8 Fr **African-Indian Sufi Music & Dance:** WMI; Symphony Space.
- 9 Sa **Master of Indian Music:** WMI; Town Hall, 8pm
- 9 Sa **Amy Fix + Joe Jencks:** Peoples' Voice

Long Island — September

- 18 Sa **Seth Davis & Scott MacDonald:** Hardluck Café - FMSOH
- 18 Sa **Ottmar Liebert + Luna Negra** (Flamenco Guitarist) IMAC. 9pm
- 18 Sa **Tin Whistle Workshop:** LITMA. 631 261-8842

Long Island — October

- 1 Fr **Roger McGuinn:** IMAC, 9pm
- 2 Sa **Tom Rush:** FMSOH

New York State — September

- 8 Su **Cantrip:** Turning Point, 7:30pm
- 11 Sa **Teada:** Town Crier
- 11 Sa **Sandy Lomax, Steve Rust, Vinnie Martucci, Gene Randolph Quartet:** Rosendale
- 17 Fr **Mary Flower:** Rosendale Cafe
- 18 Sa **Free Folk: Perry Robinson, Ed Schuller, Jeremy Steig:** Rosendale Cafe
- 18-19 **Oktoberfest 2004:** Bear Mountain St. Pk. 845 786-2731
- 19 Su **Terence Martin & Sloan Wainwright:** Turning Pt. 7:30 & 10pm
- 25 Sa **John Stewart:** Town Crier

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25 Sa **Steve Gorn & Benj Werthiemer:** Rosendale Cafe
25-26 **Oktoberfest 2004:** Bear Mountain St. Pk. 845 786-2731

New York State — October

1 Fr **Fairport Convention:** Towne Crier
9 Sa **The Strawbs:** Towne Crier

New Jersey — September

10 Fr **Marshall Crenshaw:** Outpost
10 Fr **Garnet Rogers:** Princeton
11 Sa **Aztec Two-Step:** Sanctuary Concerts
11 Sa **Work o' the Weavers:** Hurdy Gurdy
17 Fr **Modern Man:** Minstrel CH
24 Fr **Lisa Moscatiello & Rosie Shipley:** Minstrel CH
25 Sa **Suzzy & Maggie Roche + Felix McTeigue:** Sanctuary Concerts

New Jersey — October

1 Fr **The Short Sisters:** Minstrel CH
1 Fr **Eliza Gilkyson:** Outpost CH
2 Sa **Mad Agnes:** Hurdy Gurdy

Connecticut — September

11 Sa **Greg Brown w Rachel Davis & Kevin Briody:** Zoofolk

11 Sa **Alix Olsen:** Acoustic Café
11 Sa **Too Blue:** Sounding Board
11 Sa **Paul Rishell & Annie Raines:** Vanilla Bean Café
11 Sa **Hot Soup:** Branford FMS
12 Su **Modern Man:** Acoustic Café
17 Fr **Aztec Two Step:** Acoustic Café
18 Sa **Mark Erelli:** Vanilla Bean
18 Sa **Suede:** Acoustic Café, 6 & 8:30pm
18 Sa **Atwater/Donnelly:** Sounding Board
19 Su **Darden Smith:** Acoustic Cafe
25 Sa **Jake Armerding:** Vanilla Bean
25 Sa **Lara Herscovitch:** Acoustic
25 Sa **Mike Agranoff:** Sounding Brd
26 Su **Catie Curtis:** Acoustic Café
30 Th **Notes for Votes:** A Celebration of Folk Radio and Your Right to Vote - Cheney Hall, Manchester CT: Roaring Brook

Connecticut — October

1 Fr **The Nields:** Acoustic Café
2 Sa **Four Shillings Short:** Sounding
2 Sa **The Roadbirds:** Roaring Brook
8 Fr **Karen Grenier:** Acoustic Café
9 Sa **Group Therapy:** Acoustic Cafe

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**, repeating events are only listed on a space available basis each month. 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:

Smithwick's Pub, 191 Smith St (bet. Warren & Baltic), Brooklyn, Picking Party 4-7pm; <http://www.ponkiesburg.com/home.php>

Paddy Reilly's, 519 2 Ave, Manhattan (29 St) 212-686-1210; bluegrass jam 4-7pm; old time music jam, Sunday after the bluegrass jam, 9-12; Yellowbarber@aol.com (see also Irish multi-day listings); 212-686-1210; <http://www.bigapplebluegrass.com>

Mondays:

The Parksie Lounge, 317 Houston St (bet Ave's B & C); 212-673-6270; 9pm-mdnt; 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; 11 -

hosted by Bklyn Browngrass (City Grass, last Mon)

Tuesdays:

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

Muldoon's Pub, 3rd Ave, bet. 43rd & 44th St, Manhattan; old time jam every Tues 9-12; Yellowbarber@aol.com

Wednesdays:

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

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

Thursdays:

Freddys, Dean St & Sixth Ave, Brooklyn, 718-622-7035; Old-Time Jam, 8-11pm

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first Thursday; <http://members.aol.com/freddysbrooklyn>

Old Devil Moon Restaurant (Southern cuisine), 511 E.12th St at Ave A; 1212-475-4357; 8 pm; *The Parkside Lounge*, 317 Houston St (bet Ave's B & C); 212-673-6270; 3rd Thurs; Big Apple'achia.

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:

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

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 signup at 7pm; 212-396-9521; <http://www.sunmusiccompany.com>

South Street Seaport: Sea Music Concerts in the Summer, 6-8pm in the Gallery, Water St, at Beekman, 1 block north of Fulton St. See pages 2-3 for more information

Wednesdays:

NYPFMC Folk Open Sing, 1st Wed; 6:30pm; Ethical Culture Society, 53 Prospect Park

West, Brooklyn (near 2nd St)— see p 2-4
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

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

Fri & Sat:

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

Saturdays:

Seamen's Church Institute, 241 Water St (north of Fulton St.), 2nd floor, Manhattan; Monthly Chanty Sing; 8-11pm; see p.2-3; info: Becker, 212-748-8675 <www.eclipse.net/~gwb>

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

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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 >

Joe Beasley *Sacred Harp Singing*: 2nd Sun at St. Paul's Church, 199 Carroll St (cr. Clinton), Brooklyn; 718-793-2848; 2pm followed by Pot-Luck supper.

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+; **Thurs** 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, old time music jam, **Sunday** after the bluegrass jam, 9 - 12; Yellowbarber@aol.com; 212-686-1210

Rocky Sullivan's, 129 Lexington Av(bet 28 & 29 St), 212-725-3871; **Fri**, 6pm session w/ MatMancuso; & 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;

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;

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\$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 Grille*, www.nawlinsgrille.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> 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

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 in Calendar locations list.

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.cafelella.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

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, Duanesburg, 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,

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< 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

Weekly Fiddle N' Folk Jam; noon-1pm Skybox Gallery (340-0878) 36B North Front Street, Kingston NY for the winter In the summer, or when the weather is good meet on the lawn of the Senate House in Kingston, NY, 1 block away, info Bob Lusk, 845-338-8587, < BobLusk@hvc.rr.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

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.wvwinery.com/unplugged_01.html; (845) 258-4858

Sunday:

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

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

NEW JERSEY REPEATING EVENTS

(also try [http://](http://www.newjerseybluegrass.com)

www.newjerseybluegrass.com)

Bluegrass & Old Time Music Assn; cnrcrts 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 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. Washington 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 open 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/robc_nhm/acoustic.html >;

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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, 11am-2pm; 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 Coffeehouse, 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 Coffeehouse, 158 Main St, Thomaston; open mic once a month, 7pm, 1-203-729-3080, <hubcap@netzero.com>, [www.thomastonoperahouse.org#Michael Bryan's Irish Pub at Wake Robin Inn](http://www.thomastonoperahouse.org#MichaelBryan'sIrishPubatWakeRobinInn) 106 Sharon Rd (Rte. 41) Lakeville, CT 06039; Friday night concerts; 860-435-2000; http://www.wakerobininn.com/irish_pub.html

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

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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

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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 May 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

Battery Park City: Robert F Wagner Park at the South End near the Battery; Rockefeller Park at the North End (enter at Chambers St). 212 267-9700 Family events: <http://www.bpcparks.org/bpcp/events/events.php>

#Blarney Star Productions at Glucksman Ireland House at New York University, 1 Washington Mews - enter on Fifth Avenue just north of Washington Square; 1-212-998-3950; monthly Irish shows, 9pm, \$15; www.blarneystar.com

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.

Merkin Hall, 129 W. 67th St just west of B'way, Manhattan (see also WMI)

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)

Seamen's Church Institute, 241 Water St (north of Fulton St), 2nd floor, Manhattan; Monthly Chantey Sing 8-11pm; (donation asked). <http://www.woodshippmusic.com/nychanty/nychanty.html>.

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Summerstage; Central Park Rumsey Playground, 72nd Street just west of 5th, Manhattan Ave; weeknights at 7:30 or 8:30pm; Sat & Sun at 3pm; free (except for benefits); 1-212-360-2777; www.summerstage.org

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

Wagner Park – See Battery Park City

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; info: World Music Inst., 49 W.27 St 10001, 1-212-545-7536; <http://www.heartheworld.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; 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 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>

UPSTATE NEW YORK also look at: *The Hudson Valley Calendar*: <http://www.HVmusic.com/cgi-bin/getevent.pl?bydate=yes&fordays=12>

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.

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

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

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

Hurdy Gurdy Folk Music C'hs; 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 cnerts 3rd Fri. at Christ Congregation Church, 55 Walnut Lane (across from Princeton HS); \$15 (\$10 NYPFMC memb); info: Justin Kodner, 1-609-799-0944; www.princetonol.com/groups/pfms

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Sacred Harp Sing, 2nd Sun at Carol Werba's, 185 Glen Rd, Woodcliff Lake; call to confirm 201-391-2713

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.

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

Acoustic Cafe, 2926 Fairfield Ave, Bridgeport, 06605; Tuesdays open mic; 1-203-355-3655, www.acousticcafe.com

BFMS Coffeehouse, Branford Folk Music Society, First Cong. Ch, 1009 Main St, Branford, 8pm; 1-203-488-7715, <branfordfolk@yahoo.com>, http://folknotes.org/branfordfolk/

Roaring Brook Concerts; Roaring Brook Nature Cent, 70 Gracey Rd, Canton; Sat's, 7:30pm; Open Mike one Wed, 7:30pm (open thru April); 1-860-693-0263, www.roaringbrook.org

Sounding Board C.H., Universalist Church of West Hartford, 433 Fern St., West Hartford CT; Sat's, 8pm, \$10, (closed July & August) info: Brent Hall, 460 Wallingford Rd, Cheshire, CT 06410; 203-272-8404; http://folknotes.org.

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

ZooFolk: Beardsley Zoo, 1875 Noble Ave, Bridgeport, CT 06610; 1-203-394-6565; www.beardsleyzoo.org; monthly concert series, Sat 6:45pm \$20, 1-800-594-TIXX,.

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