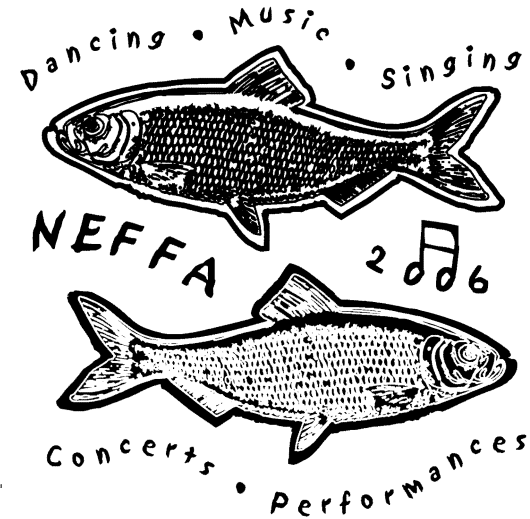


SIXTY-SECOND ANNUAL

# NEW ENGLAND FOLK FESTIVAL



APRIL 21 - 23, 2006

NATICK HIGH SCHOOL  
Natick, Massachusetts

Friday, April 21, one session

Doors open 6:00 pm • Program 7:00 pm - 11:30 pm

Saturday, April 22, two sessions

Doors open 9:30 am

Session One: Program 10:00 am - 5:30 pm

Session Two: Program 4:00 pm - 11:30 pm

Sunday, April 23, one session

Doors open 9:30 am • Program 10:00 am - 6:00 pm

**Ye Mariners All** Sea songs and Chanteys Contact: John Roberts: anglo@nycap.rr.com, 518-370-4166 (eve) Members: John Roberts, John Rockwell, Larry Young  
• Sea Songs Sunday 1:00pm Music Room [E]

**Zdravets** Traditional music from Bulgaria (and neighboring countries) for dancing and listening. Contact: zdravets@forsyths.org, www.zdravets.com or Martha Forsyth: zdravets@forsyths.org Members: Chaya Bromberg, Dean Brown, Dick Forsyth, Martha Forsyth, Pat Iverson, Ralph Iverson, Kristin Lewis, David Skidmore, Tev Stevig, Patrick Yacono, Janet Yeracaris  
• Mostly from Bulgaria Sunday 1:45pm, Lyric Room [E]  
• Bulgarian Dance Party Sunday 3:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Zikukim** Zikukim (Hebrew for "fireworks") is a semi-professional Israeli dance troupe dedicated to performing original choreographies interpreting traditional Israeli styles Contact: Becca Rausch: rausch879@yahoo.com Members: Eviatar Aron, Aaron Beckman, Dave Beckman, Micah Brosbe, Eran Caspi, Julia Feldman, Bert Fern, Debra Grumet Hager, Joan Hantman, Jason Holt, Ruth Leah Kahan, David Karger, Alexis Maharam, Nadene Moll, Gil Preuss, Becca Rausch, Rachel Segaloff, Dara Meltzer Urim, Abby Wolf.  
• Dance Performances Saturday 7:30pm, Auditorium [E]

**Zornitsa** Bulgarian men's singing group based in Boston. Contact: Ira Gessel: gessel@brandeis.edu, 781-648-6887 (eve) Members: Dean Brown, Dick Forsyth, Ira Gessel, Henry Goldberg, Ralph Iverson, Ray Rosenstock, Tatiana Sarbinska, Patrick Yacono, Jonathan Young  
• Bulgarian Concert Sunday 12:15pm, Music Room [E]



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**Waking Up Tillie** Old time (mostly Southern) music; tunes and singing Contact: Pete Peterson: pete@wakinguptillie.com, 610-749-2564 (eve), <http://wakinguptillie.com> Members: Kellie Allen, Randy Johnson, Pete Peterson, Mike Resnick, Drew Smith, Susan Sterngold, Peter Szego, Robbie Wedeen

- Charlie Pool Music Saturday 10:15pm, Natick Room [P]

**The West Gallery Quire** We perform the music of the English "West Gallery" tradition. Contact: [www.laymusic.org/wg.html](http://www.laymusic.org/wg.html) or Bruce Randall: melismata@hotmail.com, 978-373-5852 (eve) Members: Art Anger, Victoria Bolles, Douglas Bond, Laura Conrad, Leslie Fuller, Barney Gage, James Greaney, Jim Harper, Nina Harper, Alta Hodges, Anne Kazlauskas, Suzanne Mrozak, Arlene Nichols, Norm Nichols, Betsy Opitz, Nancy Parr, George Pomfret, Bruce Randall, Nancy Reid, Bruce Reynolds, Christine Reynolds, Bonnie Rogers, Deb Ross, Richard Schmeidler, John Sheehan, Julie Smith, Stuart Soloway, Sarah Thompson, Michal Truelsen, Paul Ukleja, Lief Wheeler, Pace Willisson, Kim Winters, Barbara Worley, Jody Wormhoudt

- West Gallery Music Saturday 1:00pm, Small Hall [GM]

**West Newton Ceili Band** Traditional Irish music for listening and dancing Contact: Bruce Rosen: bruce\_L\_rosen@yahoo.com, 617-965-0542 (eve) Members: Scott Boag, Pan Chan, Robin Kynoch, Connie Patten, Bruce Rosen, Nathan Weston

- Irish Music Concert Saturday 6:00pm, North Star Room [E]

**Westerly Morris** Traditional English Morris Dancing primarily from the Cotswold region of England. We dance Bampton, Adderbury, Bledington, Litchfield, Fieldtown, and Headington. Kit Colors: Yellow and green and white Contact: <http://members.cox.net/terrycran> or Terry Crandall: terrycran@cox.net, 401-596-2146 (eve) Members: Terry Crandall, Norm Dudziak, Wally Fenn, Kurt Hansen, Andy Howell, Rick Larson, Allen Lawton, Peter Leibert, John Morris, Everett Munrow, Ian Patton, Scott Patton, Dan Spano, George Utter, Hal Walker

- Morris and Sword Dance Saturday 2:00pm, Courtyard [E]

**The White Cockade** Scottish and contra Dance music for all occasions, weddings, concerts Contact: Sylvia Miskoe: smiskoe@aol.com, 603-225-6546 (eve) Members: R.P. Hale, Cal Howard, Ralph Jones, Sylvia Miskoe, Vince O'Donnell

- Scottish Dancing Saturday 7:30pm, Lower Hall [DM]

**White Squall** Contra dance band from Rhode Island, house band for Brown contra dance and Greater Providence contra dance Contact: Andrew Grover: Andrew\_Grover@hotmail.com, 401-781-6612 (eve) Members: Andrew Grover, Alice Pace, Ned Quist

- Family Contra Dance Saturday 10:00am, Auditorium [DF]

**Woodchucks' Revenge** Traditional and contemporary folk trio - from Cowboy to Celtic. Contact: [www.enkd.com/woodchucks/index.html](http://www.enkd.com/woodchucks/index.html) or Kristina & Peter Cady: petecady@sover.net, 802-483-6345 or -6322 (eve) Members: Kristina & Peter Cady, Sandy Morse

- Cowboys and Outlaws Saturday 10:00am, Music Room [E]
- New England Fireside Saturday 2:00pm, North Star Room [E]

**Woods Hole Folk Orchestra** Dance music: New England Contra / Square, International Folk, English country Contact: Ellie Armstrong: bluefish@cape.com, 508-548-6661 (eve) Members: John Alden, Ellie Armstrong, Rich Armstrong, Richard Gregory-Allen, Jim Mavor Jr., Jim Mavor, Jim Shaw, Katharine Woodwell

- Folk Dance Medley Friday 10:00pm, Auditorium [NX]

**Woodwork** 4 voices + 22 instruments = (acoustic original + Celtic + 60s +blues) Contact: Dan Dick: dandick@comcast.net, 508-653-9421 Members: Dan Dick, Brett Frechette, Dennis Pearne, Christopher Rowan, Dick Scobie

- Justice & Love Songs Saturday 11:45am, Music Room [E]

**Yardsale** Yardsale is a dance band with tight and driving melodies on fiddle and button accordion from two players with feet deep in the Irish tradition. Accompanied by creative and rhythmic guitar, Yardsale lifts your feet and eases your mind. Contact: Brendan Taaffe: brendan@brendantaaffe.com, 802-770-0857 (eve) Members: Roger Kahle, Chris Stevens, Brendan Taaffe

- Alternating Contras Saturday 12:00noon, Main Hall [DM]

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# LETTER

## FROM THE PRESIDENT

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Welcome to the 62nd annual New England Folk Festival. Thank you for coming to enjoy whichever activities attract you from our offerings of vocal and instrumental music, performance and participatory dance, admiring and purchasing crafts and folk products, as well eating and socializing in the cafeteria.

If you are new to the Festival, you are especially welcome. The grid indicates which programs are for beginners or families. You can find a participatory dance to join at your experience level, enjoy concerts, storytelling or dance performances, or join singing, jamming or discussion sessions. You can also visit the Crafts Room, Folk Bazaar and Cafeteria. The essence of the "Folk Tradition" that we are a part of is that most of our programs are for the whole community of folks who come. While each event is not for everyone, there are dozens of activities that will suit anyone interested in folk traditions. Feel free to ask questions of all the people you see with organizers' badges, and for that matter, most other Festival attendees. We folkies tend to be the friendly sort and love to share our knowledge and enthusiasm about what goes on here.

This is an exciting and challenging time for NEFFA. Because of changes the city has made in the use of the building, Natick High School no longer offers adequate space for the number of dances we would like to run at our Festival. Regrettably, because we have enjoyed N.H.S. and value the support we have had from many city employees, we have spent the last year searching for a suitable new site. This process has cost us considerable time and money. Your volunteer organizers have gladly given our time, and now we need you to give the

financial support to pay for this effort, by joining and making tax deductible donations to the New England Folk Festival, Inc., the organization that runs the Festival. Though approximately seven thousand people come to the Festival, and thousands more attend our dances, only a few hundred are currently members. For \$20 per individual, or \$38 per family, you would receive our newsletter and discounts on admission, but most of all, you get the satisfaction of supporting an organization that is dedicated to promoting the traditions that you love. Admission fees may not cover all our expenses, and we don't wish to raise prices much, as that would exclude some people from coming.

The high school has redefined the use of the large Lower Hall that we have loved as a dance space. As a substitute space, we have rented a large frame tent with a dance floor to use as an overflow hall. As this is somewhat of an experiment, we ask for your help as we make this creative solution to our space problem work.

Our performers, organizers, artists and staff are all volunteers. This magical weekend happens because of the dedication of well over a thousand committed workers. Once again, if you would like to join the volunteers in the year-long preparation for the Festival, or to work during it, please provide your name and contact information on an evaluation form and we will be in touch. There is a delightful sense of accomplishment at being part of a real-life "Brigadoon," transforming an ordinary high school to a buzzing, joyous folk festival for one magical weekend.

Happy NEFFA,  
Maureen Carey, President

**Topf Youth Professional Ensemble** Boston city youth who study and perform multiple dance styles. Contact: [www.topfcenter.org](http://www.topfcenter.org) or Gina Hancher: [ghancher@topfcenter.org](mailto:ghancher@topfcenter.org) Members: Tianna Bohannon, Alexandra Brumberg, Kamal Drakes, Ayanna Duncan, Lucas Encarnacao, Anna Frappalo, Priscilla Gomez, Vanessa Brown Gomez, Gina Hancher, Crystalyn Mitchell Haynes, Abby Kazlousky, Toi Matthews, Akanni McIntosh, Akila McIntosh, Imani Patterson, Emily Prado, Priscilla Roque, Jeung Soon Takeda, Tatyana Torres, Kara Undag, Kyle Undag, Annalies Van Even  
• Children's Dance Performances Saturday 2:00pm, Auditorium [EF]

**Traditional Chinese Dance Troupe of American Chinese Art Society** It is founded with the purposes of advancing Chinese culture and strengthening cultural exchange between Chinese and American communities. Contact: [www.acas-ne.com](http://www.acas-ne.com) or Jade Lin: 617-332-5376 (eve), 111 Truman Rd.; Newton MA 02459 Members: Gabi Barmettler, Kathy Bi, Elizabeth Chen, Emily Chen, Erin Chen, Sarah Chen, Stephanie Chen, Stephanie Cheng, Jessica Chu, Jennifer Cui, Angel Jin, Ke Ke, Tiffany Lam, Carolyn Le, Briana Lee, Jennifer Lee, Melissa Lewis, Aniti Li, Grace Lin, Jade Lin, Stephanie Lu, Anthia Mo, Mallory Shan, Elizabeth Shih, Ying-Ying Shiue, Veronica Stracqualusi, Amy Tsao, Alison Wong, Danica Yang, Lynette Yang, Stephanie Yang, Camilla Yu, Helen Zhao, Jennifer Zhou, Wendy Zhou  
• Dance Performances Saturday 6:00pm, Auditorium [E]

**Triveni Dancers** Indian Dance performing group Contact: [www.trivenidance.org](http://www.trivenidance.org) or Neena Gulati: [neenagulati@webtv.net](mailto:neenagulati@webtv.net), 617-232-5485 (day) Members:  
• Children's Dance Performances Saturday 2:00pm, Auditorium [EF]

**Trouz Bras** Trouz Bras means "Big Noise" in the Celtic language of Brittany Contact: [www.trouzas.com](http://www.trouzas.com) or Ray Price: [keltikdancer@gmail.com](mailto:keltikdancer@gmail.com), [www.geocities.com/signaltonoisradio/dance](http://www.geocities.com/signaltonoisradio/dance) Members: Sally Beckham, Mance Grady, Barry Hall, Ray Price, Brian Rost  
• Dances of Brittany Saturday 11:00am, Lower Hall [DM]

**Turgay Ertürk & Friends** Turkish village music from Anatolia, Balkans and Caucasus played on saz. Contact: Turgay Ertürk: [turgay\\_erturk@hotmail.com](mailto:turgay_erturk@hotmail.com), 978-459-0601 (eve) Members: Turgay Ertürk, Jonathan Finger, Henry Goldberg, Donna Hill, Tev Stevig  
• Turkish Folk Music Saturday 2:00pm, Music Room [E]

**Two Fiddles** Fiddle music for New England barn and square dances Contact: [www.laufman.org](http://www.laufman.org) or Dudley Laufman: [laufman@totalnetnh.net](mailto:laufman@totalnetnh.net), [www.laufman.org](http://www.laufman.org) Members: Dudley Laufman, Jacqueline Laufman  
• Old Time NE Barn Dance Saturday 12:00noon, Auditorium [DF]

**Two for the Show** Folk, swing, country, blues, originals featuring guitar, bass, vocals. Contact: [www.ellenschmidt.com/24tshow.html](http://www.ellenschmidt.com/24tshow.html) or Ellen Schmidt: [eschmidt01742@yahoo.com](mailto:eschmidt01742@yahoo.com), 978-369-8090 (eve) Members: Jake Kensinger, Ellen Schmidt  
• Sing and Swing Saturday 8:15pm, Music Room [E]

**Vineyard Swordfish** Vineyard Swordfish is from Martha's Vineyard. We perform traditional longsword dances with variations of our own choreography. Dances: Sworby, Helmsley, Bampton Weavers, and Happy Jack, a dance of our own creation with figures borrowed from a traditional dance and performed to a Hurdy Gurdy. Kit Colors: Purple, white, black Contact: Kansas Brew: [kbrew@earthlink.net](mailto:kbrew@earthlink.net), 508-693-9287 (eve) Members: Sandi Atwood, Barbara Blair, Kansas Brew, Donovan Drummey, Jan Elliot, Ron Geering, Dinny Montrowl, Linda Nelson, Laura Opie, Craig Saunders, Judy Savage, Janusz Sulanowski, Diane Sylvia  
• Morris and Sword Dance Saturday 12:00noon, Courtyard [E]

**VT Women's Round Sing** No information provided. Contact: Louise Brill: [dance@together.net](mailto:dance@together.net), 802-633-3226 (eve) Members: Rosemary Bonett, Louise Brill, Jocelyn Burrell, Mary Donnelly, Careyana Harben, Cynthia Keith, Melanie Pudvah, Alice Silverman, Gudrun Ullmann-Hawk, Dainah Wereley, RoseMary Wereley  
• Let's Sing Rounds Friday 8:30pm, Lyric Room [GM]

**Wake the Neighbors** High-octane not-so-traditional contradance music Contact: [www.waketheneighbors.com](http://www.waketheneighbors.com) or Jim DiCarlo: Members: John Côté, Jim DiCarlo, Jessie Gagne-Hall, Alfred Lund, Anthony Shostak  
• Woman's Prerogative Contradance Sunday 10:00am, Lower Hall [DM]

# EVENT CODES

**Sucaria** Sucaria (Hebrew for "sweets") is Boston's only family-oriented Israeli dance troupe which is dedicated to connecting people (and especially children) to Jewish culture through dance. Contact: Becca Rausch: rausch879@yahoo.com Members: Ina Bachman-Sapirstein, Hannah Dale, Richard Dale, Alisa Feldman, Ben Feldman, Julia Feldman, Maya Feldman, Bert Fern, Hannah Furgang, Nadav Furgang, Sam Furgang, Alexander Kahan, Halle Kahan, Peter Kahan, Ruth Leah Kahan, David Karger, Elijah Karger, Ezra Karger, Gabriel Karger, Cheryl Kelly, Christopher Kelly, Kevin Kelly, Patrick Kelly, Alan Klevan, Andrew Klevan, Bryna Klevan, Marcus Klevan, Rachel Klevan, Alexis Maharam, Cherie Maharam, Molly Mamon, Jeremy Musher, Josh Musher, Yoni Musher, Beth Polasky, Gil Preuss, Sara Preuss, Shoshi Preuss, Becca Rausch, Debbie Rausch, Rachel Rausch, Bonnie Rubenstein, Danielle Rubenstein, Sivahn Sapirstein, Ari Shoham, Barbara Shoham, Tali Shoham, Maya Warburg, Tali Warburg, Tamar Warburg

- Dance Performances Sunday 1:30pm, Main Hall [E]

**Sue West & Friends** Friends who love to sing the old ballads. Contact: Sue West: overbywe@naine.rr.com, 207-363-7308 (eve) Members: Judy Cook, Carly Gewirz, Suzanne Mrozak, Ruth Perry, John Roberts, Merle Roseler, Ben West, Charlie West, Sue West, Heather Wood

- Water Ballads Friday 9:30pm, Music Room [E]

**Suzanne Mrozak & Friends** Focus on traditional and tradition-based songs of North America and the British Isles. Contact: Suzanne Mrozak: suzanne@smrozak.com, 617-327-1068 (eve) Members: Suzanne Mrozak & Friends

- Play It Again Sunday 11:00am North Star Room [E]

**THMF** Traditional and modern songs, with voices and instruments. Contact: Peter Hamlin: peter\_h@verizon.net Members: Celeste Frey, Daniel Frey, Peter Hamlin, Kathy Moore, Richard Taylor

- Old and New Saturday 6:00pm, Music Room [E]

**Three Cats and a Dog** A trio of musicians (on fiddle, guitar, bass, mandola, banjo, accordion, & vocals) who perform a lively and eclectic mix of songs & fiddle tunes, in a variety of styles including Bluegrass & blues, Celtic & country, jazz & old time acoustic music. Happy to do concerts, but just as happy playing tunes for dances. Contact: www.threecatsandadog.com or Richard Gregory-Allen: richard@threecatsandadog.com, 508-564-0110 (eve) Members: John Alden, Richard Gregory-Allen, Jim Shaw

- Eclectic Energy Saturday 10:00pm, Small Hall [E]

**Three Quarter Time** Three Quarter Time is an instrumental trio that plays traditional and folk waltz tunes. We have led an "open-to-all-instruments" participant waltz jam at NEFFA each year since 2001. Contact: Bob Alessio: AlessioBob@aol.com, 978-808-5494 (eve) Members: Bob Alessio, Karl Goedecke, Kathleen Lamoureux, Michael Pavan

- Waltz Jam Saturday 12:00noon, Small Hall [GM]

**Ti' Acadie** Traditional and tradition-based original dance music and songs Contact: Pam Weeks: pweeks@me.galink.net, 207-225-2117 (eve) Members: Jim Joseph, Bill Olson, Pam Weeks

- Pardon Our French Saturday 8:00pm, North Star Room [E]

**Tierra del Sol** Mexican dance performance Contact: Raquel Jacobson-Peregrino: raquij@yahoo.com, 617-327-5362 (eve) Members: Anna DePerna, Raquel Jacobson-Peregrino, Andres Molina, Melissa Paz, James Peregrino

- Dance Performances Saturday 7:30pm, Auditorium [E]

**Tim FitzPatrick and Amy Basse** Fiddle/Guitar Duo Contact: tim@timfitzpatrick.net, www.timfitzpatrick.net or Tim FitzPatrick: tim@timfitzpatrick.net, www.timfitzpatrick.net Members: Amy Basse, Tim FitzPatrick

- The Grass is Greener Saturday 11:30am, Lyric Room [E]

**Tom Pixton & Friends** International music Members: Barbara Pixton, Tom Pixton, Julia Poirier. Contact: Tom Pixton: tom@pixton.org, www.pixton.org

- Romanian Remembered Saturday 12:45pm Lower Hall [DM]

**Tongue-in-Cheek Storytellers** This trio tells trad-based, contemporary stories for grown-up audiences. Contact: www.media.mit.edu/~brooks/tic.html or Bruce Marcus: 781-321-9972 (eve), 46 Columbia St., Malden MA 02148 Members: Kevin Brooks, Bruce Marcus, Laura Packer

- Stories for Big Folk Saturday 5:00pm, Lyric Room [E]

## TYPE OF EVENT

### [E] Entertainment

Concerts, performances, and other events in which watching or listening is the primary focus.

### [P] Presentations

Events which focus on demonstrating a particular skill, or presenting educational material (as in a lecture or demonstration).

### [G] Group participation

As determined by the event leader, this applies in particular to *non-dance* events, such as participatory singing, jam sessions, discussions, and many family events.

### [T] Teaching featured

Events in which teaching a particular skill is the primary focus (i.e., "how-to" workshops).

### [D] Participatory dancing

Dance events in which walk-throughs and prompting are provided by a leader.

### [N] No teaching provided

Participatory dance events in which no instruction or walk-throughs are provided.

### [C] Chat/Discussion

Events in which the audience joins the presenter in discussing a topic of mutual interest.

## LEVEL OF EVENT

(intended level of experience or ability, especially for participatory dance and teaching events)

### [F] Family Event

Participatory events especially geared to families and others who enjoy being with children.

### [B] Beginner Level

No experience assumed.

### [M] Mixed Level

Some experience, or a variety of experience levels assumed.

### [X] Experienced Level

Much experience assumed.

# FESTIVAL NOTES

**Please wear only clean, non-marking shoes** which have not been worn outside (such as clean sneakers or soft-soled dance shoes) in the Main Hall, Lower Hall and Auditorium Stage.

**There is no on-street parking associated with the Festival** -- avoid frustration by parking at the **TJX parking lot** off Rt. 30 in Natick. Shuttle buses run regularly between all the satellite parking lots and the high school throughout the weekend. See maps for parking locations.

**Park at your own risk.** The New England Folk Festival Association, its agents, servants and employees do not assume any liability for any damage, theft or other loss to your vehicle or your property that occurs as a result of parking your vehicle in any of the lots that are designated for Festival use. Neither overnight parking nor camping is permitted on school grounds or in any of the lots used for Festival Parking. Observe the designated NEFFA parking signs.

**NEFFA will not be making announcements about towing.**

**Access Guides** for attendees with disabilities are available in the Lobby and at the Hospitality Table. The Guides include wheelchair accessibility information, and information about ASL and ALD services, etc. **Large print grids** are available in the Lobby and at the Hospitality Table. Please contact Hospitality if you need assistance with access to a program or activity.

**Children must be supervised** by a parent or guardian **at all times.** Events coded **F** are designed for you and your

children to participate in together. However, any Festival Committee member who finds a small child alone will bring him/her to the Hospitality Table to await his/her parent. Parents may report small children who are missing to the Hospitality Table. The New England Folk Festival Association, its agents, servants and employees do not assume any liability for any injuries to a child sustained as a result of parent or guardian's failure to adequately supervise a child at the Festival.

**Questions?** Can't find the Auditorium Stage? Lost your ticket? Need a ride? Want to leave a message for a friend? Ask for help at the **Hospitality Table**, or stop one of the Festival Committee members who are wearing special "**ASK ME**" badges. Probably no one person can answer all your questions, but we'll help you find the right place to ask.

**NEFFA encourages all dancers to exercise care in their dancing.** The New England Folk Festival Association, its agents, servants and employees do not assume any liability for any injuries that may be sustained due to the condition of the halls or the dancing.

NEFFA maintains a **Lost & Found** at the **Hospitality Table.** Before you leave the Festival, check at the Hospitality Table to report belongings you have mislaid. The item may already be there. If not, and it is found at the close of the Festival, it will be mailed to you, if we have your name and address. If you discover after you leave the Festival that you have lost something, you may call (508) 229-2854 to see if the item was found, or visit the Lost and Found page at the NEFFA website to report your missing item. Items not claimed by July first will be donated to charity, if appropriate.

**Scrambled Six** A teenage rapper team Members: Corrine Boet-Whitaker, Alyssa Browne, Ruthann Callen, Mia Friedman, Alice Kaufman, Rose Kaufman, Ariela Knight, Leah Sakala, Deanna Snow Kit Colors: Black pants, multi-colored socks and shirts. Contact: Tom Kruskal: kruskalt@comcast.net, 136 Lincoln Rd.; Sudbury MA 01776

• Morris Dancing Sunday 12:00 noon Courtyard [E]

**Seanmas** Music of the British Isles on harp and concertina Contact: Allison Aldrich: animatera@worldpath.net, 603-847-9639 (eve) Members: Allison Aldrich, Melanie Everard

• Ireland and Beyond Saturday 8:00pm, Lyric Room [E]

**Seven Times Salt** Specializing in English music of the 16th and 17th centuries Contact: www.seventimesalt.com or Karen Burciaga: karen@seventimesalt.com Members: Karen Burciaga, Daniel Meyers, Josh Schreiber, Matthew Wright

• English for Everyone Friday 7:00pm, Main Hall [DB]

**Shining Moon** International folk music, specializing in the Balkans. Contact: Dean Brown: ddeanbrown@comcast.net, 617-926-7971 (eve) Members: Dean Brown, Colin Ferguson, Heather Lee, Dana Sussman, David Traugot, Brian Wilson, Patrick Yacono

• Brilliant Moon Dance Sunday 11:00am Main Hall [TM]  
• Moonlight Dancing Sunday 4:30pm Lower Hall [NM]

**Sidekicks** Traditional Anglo-American folk songs, and original and contemporary songs in that tradition Contact: <http://members.aol.com/sidekix999> or Bob Clayton: songuitar@starpower.net, 8401 Cedar St.; Silver Spring MD 20910 Members: Bob Clayton, Pete Kraemer

• Best of the West Sunday 11:30am, Lyric Room [E]

**Sleepy Hollow Morris** Northwest morris from the northwest (of Vermont) Kit Colors: Black and green checked jumpers with purple and green quilt squares and white blouses (ladies). Men wearing vests. Contact: Marti Sterin: samrah@verizon.net Members: Moshe Braner, Tina Christensen, Paula Kelley, Martha Kent, Diane Leyden, Val Medve, Larry Rice, Mona Richardson, Marti Sterin, Vicki Wheeler

• Morris Dance Saturday 9:00am, Courtyard [E]

**Snowbelt Morris and Rapper** The best (and only) morris team in western New York. Kit Colors: Blue, white, silver, and black Contact: [www.snowbeltmorris.org](http://www.snowbeltmorris.org) or Bethany Comegys: rosiebeth1884@yahoo.com, 585-436-2422 (eve) Members: Chris Bracken, Tod Burtchell, Joe Clark, Bethany Comegys, Pat Donaldson, Kathy Gisser, Laura Waterstripe

• Morris and Sword Dance Saturday 4:00pm, Courtyard [E]

**Sol Weber & Friends** Leads singing (rounds, gospel, misc.), solo or with jolly talented friends. Contact: Sol Weber: solweber@juno.com, 718-278-4389 (eve) Members: Jan Maier, Evy Mayer, Murray Spiegel, Randi Spiegel, Sol Weber

• Elegant Rounds Saturday 8:00pm, Small Hall [G]  
• Rounds Jam Sunday 1:00pm, Small Hall [G]

**Ståmbandet** Scandinavian vocal ensemble with fifteen singers Contact: [www.stambandet.org](http://www.stambandet.org) or Gunnar Sievert: gasievert@comcast.net Members: Bisse Bowman, Maria Ericsson, Fredrik Hesselvik, Karin Holst, Chantal Holy, Eva Keppelman, Peter Keppelman, Christina Krouk, Annette Kóvamees, Allen LeVines, Andrea O'Connell, Gunnar Sievert, Elin Sjursen

• Nordic Voices Saturday 1:00pm, Lyric Room [E]  
• Nordic Song & Dance Saturday 4:15pm, Auditorium [NM]

**Stephens & LaMarca** Songs old and new, featuring strong vocal harmonies and guitar. Contact: Mary LaMarca: lamarcam@mail.nih.gov, 301-588-7472 (eve) Members: Mary LaMarca, George Stephens

• Acoustic & Eclectic Saturday 7:00pm, North Star Room [E]

**Strathspey & Reel Society of NH** Scottish music orchestra Contact: [www.srsnh.org](http://www.srsnh.org) or Sylvia Miskoe: smiskoe@aol.com, 603-225-6546 (eve) Members: David Amundsen, Linda Amundsen, Louise Bevin, Jim Birch, Katie Botsford, Cheryl Burrows, Len Buswell, Susan Christie-Woodward, Bruce Cobb, Rob Drugan, Kylee Drugan-Eppich, Tim Drugan-Eppich, Connie Eppich, Marilyn Goodrich, Ralph Hannan, Nancy Hurrell, Sandy LaFleur, Tracy LaFleur, Alicia Lekas, Ed Los, Peggy Martin, Barbara McOwen, Paul Milde, Sylvia Miskoe, Judy Pierce, George Randall, Marie Rawlings, Rob Reed, Christopher Rees, Deidre Rees, Marjory Swope, Marianne Taylor, Kathy Thompson, Jeannie VanOrder, Betsy Woodman, Frank Woodward

• Scottish Concert Sunday 3:00pm, Small Hall [E]

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- Go With the Flow Friday 7:00pm, Lower Hall [DM]

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- Joyful English Dance Saturday 8:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Rocking Horse People** We play the music of the Beatles, as fresh today as it was last millennia. Contact: Gene Albert: [gene.albert@comcast.net](mailto:gene.albert@comcast.net), 978-256-4699 (eve) Members: Gene Albert, Catherine Boger, Peter Buchak, Jackie Damsky, Avi Fagan, Jonathan Fagan, Lynne Frey, Eva Hulme, Tina Tietz, Emily Troll, Phoebe Troll, Victor Troll, Adam Williams, Nell Wright

- Beatles Sing Along Saturday 3:00pm, Small Hall [GF]

**Roroslaget** Gammaldans music from the Roros district of Norway: rorospols, ringlender, vals, hoppvals. Roroslaget is a string band of fiddles, guitar, and bass, playing in the Brekken style. Contact: Brian Wilson: [baab@comcast.net](mailto:baab@comcast.net), 781-643-7581 (eve) Members: Katie DeWolf, Jonathan Gilbert, Donna Slonim, Laura Stern, Brian Wilson

- Dance Round Roros Saturday 8:15pm, Lower Hall [NM]

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- Morris and Sword Dance Sunday 11:00am, Courtyard [E]

**Royal Scottish Country Dance Society, Boston Branch** Longwise or square sets, country dances to music-reels, jigs, and strathspeys. Contact: [www.rscdsboston.org](http://www.rscdsboston.org) or Andrew Smith: [arossman@earthlink.net](mailto:arossman@earthlink.net) Members: Betty Allen, Sharon Rose Alterman, Melissa Bennett, Laura Billmers, Matt Billmers, Alex Bowers, Heather Day, Christine Gallagher, Roger Gilbert, Howard Lasnik, Roberta Lasnik, Bob Littlehale, Diane Lockhart, Juri Miyamai, Cal Perham, Matt Petrie, Lance Ramshaw, August Reinig, Marcie Rowland, Bob Schecter, Andrew Smith, Karen Sollins, Bart Wright, Loren Wright

- Dance Performances Sunday 1:30pm, Main Hall [E]

**Rum and Onions** A large contra dance band from Princeton NJ noted for their musical and costume surprises. Contact: Susie Lorand: [SRL@princeton.edu](mailto:SRL@princeton.edu), 609-252-0248 (eve) Members: Dorothy Amsden, Daniel Beerbohm, Michael Bell, Loretta Brooks, Tim Cresson, Ilene Dube, Bob Dupre, Steve Epstein, Sarah Gowan, Barbara Greenberg, Ross Harriss, Doug Healy, Lenora Kandiner, David Keifer, Judy Kleppel, Larry Koplik, Susie Lorand, John MacDonald, Jane McCarty, Bob Mills, Cecily Mills, Imogen Mills, Janet Mills, Robert Mills, Pat Palmer, Paul Prestopino, Bill Quern, Allan Rubin, Ellen Ruck, Frank Ruck, David Rupp, Ellen Smith, Pete Soloway, Judith Stern, Mike Sutton, Kathy Talvitie, Roberta Truscello, Barbara Simpson Vadnais, John Vadnais, Amy Zakar

- Rum & Onions XXVI Contras & Squares Saturday 7:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

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- A Folk Song Harvest: 40 Years of Folk Song Collecting Saturday 3:00pm, Music Room [E]

**Scandinavian Tunes and Songs** We are a group who play music from Scandinavia Contact: Gretchen Tanzer: [romeytanzer@comcast.net](mailto:romeytanzer@comcast.net), 508-255-9022 (eve) Members: Marianne Cygnel, Janet Gage, Gretchen Tanzer

- Scandi Tunes + Songs Sunday 3:00pm, Natick Room [E]

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**Raise the Roof** Fun, energetic string band music for contras and squares. Contact:  
www.princetonol.com/groups/pcd/ref/raise.htm or Kathy Talvitie: ktalvitie@comcast.net, 215-572-  
6165 (eve) Members: Mathew Clark, Pete Soloway, Judi Stellar, Kathy Talvitie  
• Equal Turn Squares & Contras Saturday 9:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

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• Balkan Gypsy Dance Saturday 10:45pm, Lower Hall [NM]

**Red Herring Morris** Mixed Cotswold & Border morris side. Kit Colors: Yellow & red vests; red herring  
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• Morris and Sword Dance Saturday 2:00pm, Courtyard [E]

**The Reiner Family Band** Traditional old time, Celtic, bluegrass, Cajun string band tunes. Contact:  
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• Reiner Family Live! Saturday 5:00pm, Natick Room [E]

**Revels Circle of Song** Touring ensemble of Revels, Inc. Contact: circleofsong@revels.org,  
www.revels.org or Kay Dunlap: circleofsong@revels.org, 508-655-1556 (eve) Members: Cindy Bencal,  
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• Will Be Traditional Saturday 9:00pm, Music Room [G]

**Ring O' Bells Morris** Specializing in Ascot and Illmington Kit Colors: Blue vests, black knickers, straw  
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**Riptide Morris** Mixed group of experienced dancers, performing Raglan and other traditions Kit  
Colors: Royal blue baldricks, hankies & sticks, white shirts, black pants, bowlers Contact: Vonnie Carts-  
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**The Rising Sun** Hard-driving New England dance band with Celtic overtones Contact: Randy Miller:  
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• Beginner's Dance Saturday 1:00pm, Auditorium [DB]



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- Croatian Dance Party Saturday 9:00pm, Lower Hall [NM]

**Panharmonium** International folk dance band performing old and new favorites with spirit. Contact: Eugene Goldwater: egoldwater@oit.umass.edu, 413-549-6748 (eve) Members: Sabina Braunthal, Barbara Freed, Eugene Goldwater, Ken Harstine, Bob Huss, Dinah Kudatsky, Janice Moulton, Christopher Stoney, Sandy Ward

- International Folkdance Party Saturday 3:30pm, Lower Hall [NM]

**Pinewoods Band** The Pinewoods Band plays for international folkdance events at festivals and dance camps. Contact: Tom Pixton: tom@pixton.org, www.pixton.org Members: Ralph Iverson, Barbara Pixton, Tom Pixton, Julia Poirier, Patrick Yacono

- Romanian Dance Party Saturday 10:00pm, Lower Hall [NM]

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www.pinewoods-morris.org or Frank Attanasio: bagman@pinewoods-morris.org, 603-878-4332 (eve) Members: Frank Attanasio, Jamie Beaton, Jerry Callen, Jeremy Carter-Gordon, Adam Cole-Mullen, David Conant, Bill Cronin, Steve Dyer, Jan Elliott, David Fleischmann-Rose, Shag Graetz, Dan Groher, Peter Kruskal, Tom Kruskal, Joe Kynoch, Dave Overbeck, Tim Radford, Doug Reiner, Steve Roderick, Brad Saylor, Natty Smith, Geoff Thompson

- Morris and Sword Dance Sunday 9:00am, Courtyard [E]

**Planet Banjo** Old-time tunes and songs with banjo, fiddle and guitar Contact: http://planetbanjo.com or Kathleen Fletcher: Kathy@PlanetBanjo.com, 781-641-1618 (eve) Members: Kathleen Fletcher, Jon Gersh

- Southern Sing-A-Long Saturday 12:15pm, Chorus Room [GB]

**Please and Thank You String Band** Fiddle, mando, and guitar trio that plays for dances Contact: Dave Howard: davehoward@snet.net or Bill Walach: billw@javanet.com, 860-872-1529 (eve) Members: Dave Howard, Bill Walach, Will Welling

- Singing Squares Swinging Contrás Sunday 12:00noon, Main Hall [DM]

**Pleasures of the Town** English country dance band. Contact: Doug Creighton: dedodoug@verizon.net, 413-772-3787 (eve) Members: Doug Creighton, Joyce Crouch

- English Ec core Sunday 3:30pm, Auditorium [DM]

**Pocket Flyers** A teenage rapper sword team Members: Kevin Aderer, Abby Browse, Libby Chamberlin, Amanda Holmes, Elana Knight, Meghan Murray, Kate Potter Kit Colors: Black with Blue sashes and embroidery. Contact: Tom Kruskal: kruskalt@comcast.net, 136 Lincoln Rd.; Sudbury MA 01776

- Morris Dancing Sunday 12:00 noon Courtyard [E]

**Pokingbrook Morris** Joint morris side active since 1974 in the Capital District of New York State Kit Colors: White, green baldricks & medallion, red crushers, straw hats Contact http://home.nycap.rr.com/pkb or Ruth Olmsted: rolmsted@excelsior.edu, 518-209-1568 (eve) Members: Anne Ashmead, David Barnert, Bill Bracken, Chrisant Bracken, Chris Brooks, Joyce Cockerham, Linda Delfs, Laurie Dickson, Lawrence Eger, Fred Elfenbein, Donna Griffith, Bob Hughes, Ruth Olmsted, Jeff Ostertag, Bev Seimberg, Larry Syzdek, Marilee Urbanczyk, Doug Van Auken, Bob Weissberg, Julia Wittner

- Morris and Sword Dance Sunday 1:00pm, Courtyard [E]

**The Polymorphous String Band** The Polymorphous String Band plays a variety of traditional and contemporary New England, Southern, Old Time, Cape Breton, French Canadian, and Celtic music for contra and square dances, festivals, concerts, and other events.

Contact: w.jonweinberg.com/polyband.html or Jon Weinberg: jon@jonweinberg.com, 978-365-3883 (eve) Members: Don Davis, Evy Dueck, Dick Hyland, Jon Weinberg

- Family Dance Saturday 11:00am, Auditorium [DF]

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- Morris and Sword Dance Saturday 1:00pm, Courtyard [E]

**Northeast Extension** English Country Dance trio spanning three states and nine instruments Contact: Carol Compton: carol@bitdance.com, 603-756-4178 (eve) Members: Carol Compton, Jonathan Gilbert, Susie Lorand

- English Extravaganza Saturday 2:30pm, Main Hall [DM]

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- Sacred Harp Singing Sunday 10:00am, Auditorium [GM]
- New Tunebook Singing Sunday 4:00pm, North Star Room [GB]

**Not For Joes** Welsh Border Morris with an attitude, we don't need no steenkin' hankies Kit Colors: Black hats, shirts and pants with multicolored ribbons on tabard Contact: http://notforjoes.org or Tim Groome: timg@cea.org, 860-887-5631 (eve) Members: Walter Ansel, Lee Boltz, Matthew Buck, Ian Coble-Groome, Jim DeCosta, Tim Groome, Kurt Hansen, Guy Hermann, Andy Jackson, Mark Newall, Daniel Spurr, Hal Walker

- Morris Dance Saturday 10:00am, Courtyard [E]

**Not Your Typical Bard** Storyteller to grown-up people Contact: Ralph Edward Chadis: ChadisR@comcast.net Members: Ralph Edward Chadis

- Grown Heart Stories Friday 7:30pm, Lyric Room [E]

**Notorious** Lively fiddle music, blues, and songs for dancing and listening. Contact: Larry Unger: larry@larryunger.net, 781-259-4484 (eve) Members: Eden MacAdam-Somer, Larry Unger

- Amazing Fiddle Show Saturday 7:30pm, Music Room [E]
- Gypsy Fiddle Workshop Saturday 9:00pm North Star Room [TM]
- Waltztime Sunday 11:00am Lower Hall, [NM]

**Old New England** Contra Dance Band. Weddings, concerts, etc. Contact: Bob McQuillen: 603-924-9805 (eve), 27 Granite St.; Peterborough NH 03458 Members: Bob McQuillen, Jane Orzechowski, Deanna Stiles

- Three's a Charm Contras Saturday 10:00am, Lower Hall [DM]
- New Tunes from Bob's 12th Tune Book Saturday 5:45pm, Lyric Room [E]

**Orion Longsword** Orion Longsword performs traditional and composed English-style longsword dances, with an American flavor. Kit Colors: Black and red jackets, white pants Contact: Judy Erickson: ericks5112@aol.com Members: Karen Axelrod, John Browne, Liza Carter, Sandy Davis, Judy Erickson, Jim Ialeggio, Sue Jick, Sukey Krause, Deborah Kruskal, Tom Kruskal, Lily Leahy, Marcy Morgenbesser, Al Murray, Chris O'Brien, Kristine O'Brien, Robin Rogers-Browne, Ray Schneider, Laura Swanson

- Morris and Sword Dance Sunday 10:00am, Courtyard [E]
- Dance Performances Sunday 1:30pm, Main Hall [E]

**Orion Longsword (Junior)** Traditional and composed dances in the style of English longsword, incorporating American music and dance elements, such as jazz and Appalachian stepping Kit Colors: Black and red jackets, white pants Contact: Judy Erickson: ericks5112@aol.com Members: Sonja Boet-Whitaker, Alyssa Browne, Jeremy Carter-Gordon, Peter Kruskal, Sylvie Lam, Megan Murray, Erika Roderick, Natty Smith, Gillian Stewart

- Dance Performances Sunday 1:30pm, Main Hall [E]

**Monique Legaré International Dance Company** Perform dances from 15 countries in Europe and North America Contact: [www.moniqueandmorley.com](http://www.moniqueandmorley.com) or Monique Legaré: [dance@moniqueandmorley.com](mailto:dance@moniqueandmorley.com), 215-659-0917 (eve) Members: Ann Bies, Nina Edelman, Alexandra Kozak, Halya Kozak, Peter Kozak, Monique Legaré, Dr. Morley Leyton, Marianne Miserandino, Cliff Rainey, Chris Taylor

- Dance Performances Saturday 6:00pm, Auditorium [E]

**The Mother Zwiefacher Orchestra** Play zwiefachers for dancing Contact: Steve Epstein: [epsteins@dejazzd.com](mailto:epsteins@dejazzd.com), 717-336-0219 (eve) Members: Ann Bies, Steve Epstein, Rachel Hall, Peggy Leiby, Jo Anne Rocke, Jim Speer, Helene Zisook

- Zwiefachers Saturday 10:00am, Main Hall [DM]

**Muddy River Morris** We are a women's ritual Morris team, established in 1975, performing primarily Fieldtown, Ducklington and a handful of other fun dances. Kit Colors: Whites with purple vest, unicorn emblem and green socks Contact: Carol Wilson-Braun: [cjwilson-braun@juno.com](mailto:cjwilson-braun@juno.com), 617-924-1525 (eve) Members: Mies Boet-Whitaker, Liora O'Donnell Goldensher, Stephanie Jack, JJ Jones, Cynthia Manthei, Cathy Mason, Barbara Moloney, Julie Mullen, Trina Novak, Liz Reisberg, Annette Sassi, Hannah Schneider, Janet Scudder, Gillian Stewart, Nancy Stillman, Kathi Tighe, Carol Wilson-Braun

- Morris Dance Saturday 11:00am, Courtyard [E]

**Mulberry Morris** Mulberry Morris is children's and teen's Morris Team from Brookline, MA Kit Colors: White, Green Contact: [www.mulberrymorris.org](http://www.mulberrymorris.org) or Emily Williams: [charmily2000@aol.com](mailto:charmily2000@aol.com), 617-332-1427 (eve) Members: Amaya Abadia-Manthei, Maite Abadia-Manthei, Lynne Beasley, Rose Frstrom, Olivia Hamilton, Virginia Jay, Kip Jones, Ariel Kramer, Alyssa Kullberg, Caitlin Kullberg, Brendan Larabee, Catherine Martlin, Elizabeth McCreless, Jack McCreless, Isha Mehra, Julia Parker, Callista Perry, Sarah Riley, Katy Ruderman, Sally Ruderman, Tess Ruderman, Katy Ten-Hove, Lizzy Ten-Hove, Taylor Tracy, Jaya Tripathi, Jesse Tripathi, Aldan White, Bill White, Liam White, Emily Williams, Katherine Womack, Caroline Wooten

- Children's Dance Performances Saturday 2:00pm, Auditorium [EF]
- Morris and Sword Dance Sunday 10:00am, Courtyard [E]

**Nat Hewitt & Friends** High-energy contra dance band Contact: Nat Hewitt: [nat@nathewitt.com](mailto:nat@nathewitt.com), 603-847-3067 (eve) Members: Marco Brehm, Liza Constable, Nat Hewitt, Marko Packard

- Role-Free Contras Friday 9:00pm, Main Hall [DM]
- Contra Medley Saturday 5:30pm Main Hall [NX]

**N.E. Hammered Dulcimer Teachers** No information provided. Contact: David Neiman: [dulcimusic.productions@verizon.net](mailto:dulcimusic.productions@verizon.net), 617-876-2996 (eve) Members: Seth Austen, Barbara Levine, Sally McKnight, Sam Moffat, David Neiman, Jon Weinberg, Beverly Woods

- Dulcimer Workshop Sunday 3:45pm, Natick Room [P]

**New Haven Morris and Sword** New Haven performs Cotswold Morris from Sherborne, Fieldtown, Ducklington and its own "Elm City" style, as well as Rapper and Longsword. Kit Colors: White shirts and trousers, reversible Burgundy/Striped vests, multi-colored armbands with rosettes Contact: <http://pages.cthome.net/morrisbells> or David Sacco: [brewer-sacco@att.net](mailto:brewer-sacco@att.net) Members: Eleanor Anderson, Becky Bartlett, Amy Brewer, Dorothy Cameron, Elizabeth Cameron, Susan Gobel, Katie Henderson, Rob Homer, Gary Johnson, David Lindsay, Paul McGuire, Jaron Raspe, David Sacco, Carol Skalko, George Thompson, Jean Webb, Ada Wilson

- Morris and Sword Dance Saturday 5:00pm, Courtyard [E]

**New Moon Sword** New York City teen rapper team Kit Colors: Dark Blue shirts, black pants, silver stars and sashes. Contact: <http://newmoonsword.tripod.com> or Emma May Gorin: [emmamay@rcn.com](mailto:emmamay@rcn.com), 212-242-7131 (eve) Members: Hannah Bary, Emma Conroy, Moira Flanagan, Emma May Gorin, Erika King, Amelia Mason, Sara Katherine Tolbert

- Morris and Sword Dance Sunday 9:00am, Courtyard [E]
- Morris and Sword Dance Sunday 11:00am, Courtyard [E]

**The New New Orleans Jazz Band** Seven piece band, or smaller groups, playing traditional jazz, 1900-1930. Contact: Larry Zuk: 978-369-6668 (eve), 189 Prairie St., Concord MA 01742 Members: Eva Balazs, Frank Batcnelor, Bill Flaherty, Richard Malcolm, Andy Moore, Bob Tuffley, Larry Zuk

- New Orleans 1906 Saturday 5:00pm, Small Hall [E]

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# CRAFTS ROOM

## DEMONSTRATIONS

### SATURDAY

- 11:00 am**  
**Decorating Fabric Curves and Angles**  
 Dina Flockhart
- 1:00 pm**  
**Violins and Hide Glue**  
 David Golber
- 2:00 pm**  
**Weaving**  
 Beth Parkes
- 3:00 pm**  
**The Irish Pipes**  
 Patrick Murray
- 4:00 pm**  
**Papercutting: A Reflection of Culture**  
 Leslie Miller
- 5:00 pm**  
**Drawing an Arch**  
 Alan Carruth

### SUNDAY

- 11:00 am**  
**Choosing Tonewoods for Guitars**  
 Rick Davis
- 1:00 pm**  
**The Concertina Demystified**  
 Doug Creighton
- 2:00 pm**  
**Making Kids' Simple Sandals**  
 Sharon Raymond
- 3:00 pm**  
**Selecting a Guitar**  
 Thomas Knatt



**Lorraine & Bennett Hammond** American traditional music; fingerstyle guitar, Appalachian dulcimer, vocals. Shanachie artists. Contact: <http://GreatAcoustics.org> or Lorraine Hammond: 617-232-1045 (eve), 146 High St.; Brookline MA 02445 Members: Bennett Hammond, Lorraine Hammond  
 • American Traditions Friday 7:30pm, Music Room [E]

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 Contact: Glenn Scott: [Glenn.scott2@comcast.net](mailto:Glenn.scott2@comcast.net), 781-784-5603 (eve) Members: Mike Herr, Glenn Scott  
 • Autoharp Quirkshop Sunday 1:45pm, Chorus Room [E]

**Ludo Mlado** Boston based Bulgarian Folk Dance Group Contact: Petar Petrov: [pip\\_iv@yahoo.com](mailto:pip_iv@yahoo.com), 617-840-2362 (eve) Members: Bojan, Borislav, Eleonora, Yana Haralanova, Julia Kamenov, Tedi Mara, Maggie Marinova, Marieta Mircheva, Tcvetelina Mitova, Petar Petrov, Neville Pierre, Nevena Radoynovska, Bill Snow, Stoil Stoyanov, Neli Tihoynova, Verina Wieloch  
 • Dance Performances Saturday 7:30pm, Auditorium [E]

**M.A.S.S. F.I.L.C.** Filk is the folk music of science fiction and fantasy Contact: [www.massfilc.org](http://www.massfilc.org) or 781-646-3118 Members: Joe Kesselman, Ellen Kranzer, Bob Leigh, Mabel Liang, Lois Mangan, Paul Mangan, Gary McGath, Jean Rossner, Hillary Sherwood  
 • Sci-Fi & Fantasy Songs Saturday 12:15pm, Lyric Room [GB]

**MacDougal Street Rent Party** Songs that arouse people to think, sing, and take action! Contact: <http://msrp.home.att.net> or Steve Suffet: [suffet@att.net](mailto:suffet@att.net), 718-786-1533 (eve) Members: Joel Landy, Eric Levine, Takako Nagumo, Anne Price, Steve Suffet, Gina Tlamsa  
 • Kids Sing Freedom! Sunday 10:00am, Natick Room [GF]  
 • Songs of Struggle Sunday 3:00pm, North Star Room [GM]

**Maple Leaf Morris** Maple Leaf Morris is a group of young women, mostly in high school, performing Morris and Sword dances from various regions in England, and occasionally elsewhere in the world. Kit Colors: White shirts, black pants, red shoes, and assorted autumn colored ribbons Contact: <http://engineering.dartmouth.edu/~cgl/youthmorris/gmm.html> or Barbara DeFelice: [barbara.defelice@dartmouth.edu](mailto:barbara.defelice@dartmouth.edu), 566 Sanborn Rd.; Thetford Center VT 05075 or Jane Finlay: [Lindner.Finlay@valley.net](mailto:Lindner.Finlay@valley.net) Members: Rosie Cleland, Barbara DeFelice, Helen Doyle, Alison Fanning, Jane Finlay, Anna Ghezzi, Marisa Hebb, Eleanor Johnstone, Lisa Keegan, Hannah Lindner-Finlay, Rachel Lynch, Ann McCosker, Hayden Mulligan, Ida Nininger, Nancy Nininger, Sophia Orzechowski, Julia Perez, Kim Rheinlander, Fon Rommayes, Claire Sheldon, Annlla Schults, Elizabeth Waste, Ania White  
 • Morris and Sword Dance Sunday 12:00noon, Courtyard [E]

**Matt Fichtenbaum & Friends** Swedish traditional music for dancing Contact: Matt Fichtenbaum: [mattfic@rcn.com](mailto:mattfic@rcn.com), 978-256-8546 (eve) Members: Matt Fichtenbaum, Rachel Fichtenbaum, Jane Orzechowski, Bruce Sagan  
 • Swedish Couple Dance Saturday 9:45pm, Auditorium [NM]

**Midnight Rapper** Midnight Rapper dances in the Monadnock region, around the winter solstice & occasionally in the spring. Kit Colors: Black breeches, white shirts, purple sashes, white knee socks, black shoes Contact: Kris Arnold: [arnoldkll@fcgnetworks.net](mailto:arnoldkll@fcgnetworks.net), 603-876-4460 (eve) Members: Kris Arnold, Andy Chapman, Carol Compton, Melanie Everard, Dawn Garrett-Larsen, Jay Garrett-Larsen, Jean Winter  
 • Morris and Sword Dance Saturday 4:00pm, Courtyard [E]

**Mike MacNinch & Friends** No information provided. Contact: Tom Pixton: [tom@pixton.org](mailto:tom@pixton.org), [www.pixton.org](http://www.pixton.org) Members: Mike MacNinch, Tom Pixton, Matt Szostak  
 • Bourees for All Saturday 6:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Millstone River Morris** Performing in the tradition of "Princeton-under-Construction" since 1982 Kit Colors: Orange, yellow and green braided baldrics Contact: [www.princetonol.com/groups/pcd/mrm](http://www.princetonol.com/groups/pcd/mrm) or Curtis Hoberman: [curtishoberman@verizon.net](mailto:curtishoberman@verizon.net), 609-452-9373 (eve) Members: Lisa Banwell, Tom Banwell, Dunbar Birnie, Bob Dupre, Roger Geach, Curtis Hoberman, Amy Livingston, Susie Lorand, Rowan Lupton, Rose Meyers, Cecily Mills, Imogen Mills, Robert Mills, Fred Salzman, Erin Schreyer, Louise Senior, Jamie Watson  
 • Morris Dance Saturday 10:00am, Courtyard [E]

**Joanie's Cronies** We play for Joan Hantman at NEFFA Contact: Ralph Iverson:  
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• Beautiful Balkan Saturday 12:00 noon Lower Hall [TM]

**Jovial Beggars** English country dance band Contact: Peggy Leiby: pleiby@phillydance.com,  
215-643-4397 (eve) Members: Rachel Hall, Peggy Leiby, Jo Anne Rocke, Helene Zisook  
• ECDelightful English Country Dance Sunday 10:00am, Main Hall [DM]

**Kapela** Kapela plays Polish dance music for dancing in the New England area  
Contact: Barbara Pixton: barbara@pixton.org, 617-734-5215 (eve)  
• Polish in Three Quarter Time Saturday 5:00pm Auditorium Stage [TM]

**Kathy Westra & Friends** Experienced singers with well-seasoned voices Contact: Kathy Westra:  
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• Remembering Helen Schneyer Sunday 11:30am, Music Room [E]

**Kol Dodi** Kol Dodi is a group of singers and instrumentalists from the Seacoast area of New Hampshire  
and Maine that is dedicated to learning and sharing songs that relate to Jewish tradition, practice, and  
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• Twice Is Nice Sunday 4:00pm, Lyric Room [E]

**Krakowiak Polish Dancers of Boston, Inc.** Polish adult performing group Contact:  
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• Dance Performances Saturday 6:00pm, Auditorium [E]  
• Dance Performances Saturday 7:30pm, Auditorium [E]

**Ladies of the Rolling Pin** Exuberant and definitely unique, women's Border Morris Dance Team  
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• Morris and Sword Dance Saturday 1:00pm, Courtyard [E]

**Latvian Children's Folk Dance Group of Boston** The Boston Latvian Children's Folk Dance Group of  
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• Children's Dance Performances Saturday 2:00pm, Auditorium [EF]

**Lithuanian Folk Dance Group of Boston - Sambūris** Lithuanian adult performing group  
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• Dance Performances Saturday 6:00pm, Auditorium [E]

**Lithuanian School of Boston Boston Lithuanian School Dance Group** ages 5 through 15, grades K  
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**Liza & the Swing Thing** Contact: Liza Constable: liza@lizaconstable.com, 603-847-3067 (eve)  
Members: Marco Brehm, Liza Constable, Nat Hewitt, Marko Packard  
• Swing Dance Friday 10:00pm, Lower Hall [NM]

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- Dance Performances Saturday 7:30pm, Auditorium [E]

**Hijaz** International Folk Dance Band Contact: Carrie Crompton: [barolk@sbcglobal.net](mailto:barolk@sbcglobal.net), 860-742-1035 Members: Carrie Crompton, Karen Howard, David Schonfeld, Debby Szajnberg

- Armenian Dances Saturday 4:30pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Hop Brook Morris** Morris and Sword team of 10-14 year olds. Kit Colors: Black pants, white shirts, teal/purple baldrics Contact: Tom Kruskal: [kruskalt@comcast.net](mailto:kruskalt@comcast.net), 136 Lincoln Rd.; Sudbury MA 01776 Members: Adam Cole-Mullen, Rebecca Groher, Maggie Klureza, Hanna Pratt, Hannah Shealy, Katrina Truebenbach, Dylan Whittlesey, Rowan Yelton

- Morris and Sword Dance Sunday 11:00am, Courtyard [E]

**ImproVox** ImproVox performs and leads workshops in improvisational acapella playfulness. Contact: Martin Swinger: [MrtinSwngnr@aol.com](mailto:MrtinSwngnr@aol.com), 207-626-0165 (eve) Members: Ellen Bowman, Deb Hensley, Kathy Slack, Martin Swinger, Fred White

- Improvised Singing Sunday 3:15pm, Lyric Room [GB]

**Innerstate String Band** String band music from the Southern mountains Contact: Len Katz:

- [janlen2@juno.com](mailto:janlen2@juno.com), 781-284-1027 (eve) Members: Bob Atumuller, Keith Harvey, Len Katz, Bill Quern
- Old Time Music Jam Saturday 10:00am, Small Hall [GM]

**International Music Club** Learning and performing music for international folk dance. Contact: Paula Rosenstock: [raypaula@earthlink.net](mailto:raypaula@earthlink.net) Members: Bonnie Armstrong, Martina Aurian-Blajeni, John Bassett, Cory Bishop, Suzanne Costanza, Nora Daoud, Joel Gonzales, Beverly Greenspan, Ivar Hegstad, Tomas Kafka, Detlev Koepke, Sonia Lipson, Sharon McBride, Paul Milde, Brad O'Neill, Cathy O'Neill, Ben Pasamanick, Vivian Petersen, Barbara Pixton, Alex Ran, Charlie Rapport, Tom Roberts, Paula Rosenstock, Ray Rosenstock, Yaron Shragai, Julie Sussman, Sandy Theodorou, Elaine Winic, Ruth Winters

- International Music Jam Saturday 2:00pm, Small Hall [GM]

**Italian Folk Tune Jammers** A group of Boston area traditional folk musicians will lead a participatory jam of classical Italian folk tunes. Contact: Bob Alessio: [AlessioBob@aol.com](mailto:AlessioBob@aol.com), 978-808-5494 (eve) Members: Bob Alessio, Al Armenti, Kathleen Lamoureux, Norm Nichols, Ernie Paolini, Jim Ventola

- Italian Melodies Sunday 10:00am, Music Room [GM]

**Italian Village Music and Dance** Instruction for traditional Italian village dance accompanied by traditional instruments. Contact: Celest DiPietropaolo: [mdicocco@erols.com](mailto:mdicocco@erols.com) Members: Marie DiCocco, AnnaMaria Rosina DiPietropaolo, Celest DiPietropaolo

- Italian Dance Workshop Saturday 1:30pm, Lower Hall [TB]

**Jack in the Green Morris** Jack in the Green dances in Keene, NH, & the Monadnock region, mostly in the spring. Traditions: Bledington & Bessels-Leigh. Kit Colors: Forest green breeches, mint green shirts, white knee socks, black shoes Contact: Kris Arnold: [arnoldkll@fcgnetworks.net](mailto:arnoldkll@fcgnetworks.net), 603-876-4460 (eve) Members: Kris Arnold, Craig Brandon, Ron Branga, Tom Buttrick, Carol Compton, Kirk Dale, Paul Davis, Jay Garrett-Larsen, Jim McCann, Brian McMaster, Lucius Parshall, Al Stoops

- Morris and Sword Dance Saturday 12:00 noon Courtyard [E]

**Jaded Mandolin** Teen ensemble playing traditional and contemporary bluegrass. Contact:

- [www.jadedmandolin.com](http://www.jadedmandolin.com) or Eric McDonald: [ericmcdnld@yahoo.com](mailto:ericmcdnld@yahoo.com), 781-648-5579
- Members: Eric McDonald, Molly Pinto-Madigan, Adrian Rigopoulos, Michael Vitale
- New Old Music Sunday 12:00noon, Natick Room [EF]

**Jimmyjo & the Jumbol'ayuhs** Maine's premier (and only!) Cajun dance band! Contact:

- [www.jimmyjo.net](http://www.jimmyjo.net) or Pam Weeks: [pweeks@megalink.net](mailto:pweeks@megalink.net), 207-225-2117 (eve) Members: Keith Garavoy, Elna Joseph, Jim Joseph, Bill Olson, Pam Weeks
- Open Cajun Dance Friday 9:00pm, Auditorium [DM]

**Joanie, Neal & Ann** Traditional songs and tunes of Britain and U.S.; bagpipes, fiddle, concertinas & guitar. Contact: Joanie Bronfman: 617-739-0548 (eve) Members: Joanie Bronfman, Neal MacMillan, Ann Schunior

- Traditional Songs & Tunes Saturday 4:00pm, North Star Room [E]

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**Half Moon Sword** Half Moon Sword is an all-women's team that performs both rapper and long sword and hosts the annual Sword Ale in New York. Kit Colors: Black, white, red Contact: info@halfmoonsword.org, www.halfmoonsword.org or Susan Wallach: halfmoonsword@yahoo.com Members: Margaret Bary, Deirdre Bialo-Padin, Liza Bruna, Chris Carpenter, Madeline Chang, Ellen Conroy, Allison Day, Michael Gorin, Sarah Henry, Kathy Heatt, Joan Scire, Susan Wallach

- Morris and Sword Dance Saturday 1:00pm, Courtyard [E]

**Handsome Molly** Handsome Molly recreates English molly dancing, an East Anglian mid-winter tradition, with a decided American twist. Kit Colors: Black kit with painted faces; molly wears gaudy skirt and apron. Contact: www.HandsomeMolly.com or Mary Zikos: maryzikos@yahoo.com Members: Amanda Barbour, Martin Barbour, Nancy Barbour, Bob Dupre, Sue Dupre, Eileen Hayes, Aline Johnson, Naju Johnson, Debbi Kanter, Lynda Lee, Carol MacAdam, Rose Meyers, Erin Schrayner

- Morris and Sword Dance Saturday 12:00noon, Courtyard [E]

**Hansen-Keohane Irish Step Dancers** Dancers of all ages performing traditional Irish step dances and ceilis Contact: www.hansenkeohane.com or Alanna Maida: alanna.maida@rcn.com, 781-461-9770 (eve) Members: Ciara Byrne, Briann Concannon, Emily Connolly, Nicole Coughlin, Ashleigh Costello, Courtney Costello, Keri Hastings, Shane Heffernan, Ciara Kennedy, Christine Kenney, Kathleen Lally, Meghan Lally, Shannon Leiner, Karen Lundy, Julie McColgan, Deirdre McLaughlin, Tess McLean, Kathleen O'Hara, Katherine O'Malley, Brian Roffey, Tricia Staunton, Gina Toupin.

- Dance Performances Sunday 1:30pm, Main Hall [E]

**Ha'Penny Morris** We are a woman's morris team from the greater Boston area that dances in the style of both oddington and ascot. Kit Colors: Royal blue, golden yellow Contact: www.hapenny.org or Katy Burns: ktb2@comcast.net, 617-776-3560 (eve) Members: Sharon Rose Alterman, Katy Burns, Helga Burre, Karen Clarke, Christine Davenport, Margaret Dimock, Ellen Gallant, Lilo Harpur, Tami Kaplan, Marcia Landa, Joli Olivetti, Edmund Robinson, Lauren Schiller, Kirsten Smith, David Stryker

- Morris Dance Saturday 9:00am, Courtyard [E]

**Harrisville Morris Women** Harrisville Morris Women dance in the Fieldtown and other traditions Kit Colors: Fuschia, white and black Contact: Dawn Garrett-Larsen; garrettlarsen@verizon.net; http://users.primushost.com/~cjl/pages/hmw/team/index.html or Allison Aldrich: animatera@worldpath.net, 603-847-9639 (eve) Members: Allison Aldrich, Lynn Arnold, Carol Compton, Isabella Diemand, Jennifer Diemand, Melanie Everard, Elizabeth Field, Dawn Garrett-Larsen, Kayti Gilbert, Lauren Hakala, Linda MacGillvary, Anne Thomas, Val VanMeier, Kim Wallach, Jean Winter

- Morris Dance Saturday 10:00am, Courtyard [E]

**Hart's Brook Garland** Women's garland dance team Kit Colors: White, purple sashes, calico vests Contact: www.geocities.com/lewisburgdance/HartsBrookGarlandWomen.html or Martha Zorn: mzmorn@schoolph.umass.edu Members: Linda Babcock, Ann Barber, Laurie Dickson, Cathy Keough, Virginia Keough, Donna Moret, Susan Pfefferle, Ijod Shroeder, Mary Jo Stanley, Sarah Strong, Catherine Wanat, Eleanor Warnock, Christina Wasch, Laura Wildman-Hanlon, Carol Young, Martha Zorn

- Morris and Sword Dance Sunday 12:00noon, Courtyard [E]

**Heartwood Morris** Mixed Cotswold-style Morris dancing Kit Colors: Forest green, cranberry, rose, gray Contact: www.rso.cornell.edu/morris or Peter Hoover: prh4@cornell.edu, 607-255-9454 (day) Members: Buddha Buck, Joe Clark, Andy Cove, Steve Daughettee, Peter Hoover, Andrew Marcus, Kaaren Remley, Julie Schult, June Schult, Pete Schult, Leah Solla, Nanci Trapani, Laura Waterstripe

- Morris Dance Saturday 11:00am, Courtyard [E]

**Heathen Creek** Heathen Creek is what happens when contra meets gen-x. Contact: www.heathencreek.com or Mark Koyama: little\_mtn@hotmail.com, 413-863-5086 (eve) Members: Pete Johannsen, Mark Koyama, Maia Rutman

- Perfect Fit Contras Saturday 6:00pm, Lower Hall [DM]

**Henry Goldberg & Friends** No information provided. Contact: Henry Goldberg: hbg@theworld.com, 2 Cutting St.; Winchester MA 01890 Members: Janice Darling, Colin Ferguson, Henry Goldberg, Ralph Iverson, Julie Kingman, Heather Lee, Ksenija Marinkovic, Julia Poirier, Paula Rosenstock, Ray Rosenstock, Tatiana Sarbinska, Matt Shear, Patrick Yacono, Jonathan Young, Mari Young

- Balkan Choral Sing Friday 9:30pm, Small Hall [GM]

**Henry, Larkin, White** Lively traditional dance music with a yen to push the boundaries. Contact: Shirley White: shirlzw@excite.com, 413-522-9573 (eve) Members: Linda Henry, Amy Larkin, Shirley White

- Waltzing Friday 11:00pm, Lower Hall [NM]
- Contras for Larry Jennings Saturday 4:30pm, Lower Hall [DM]

The following is an alphabetical listing by title of many of the events being offered at this year's festival. Only those events for which the title is NOT self-explanatory are included here. See page 5 for the Code Explanation.

**1890s Couple Dances** Saturday 9:00pm, Auditorium [TM] A dance workshop teaching couple dances of the 1890s, based on instructions in period dance manuals. This was a period when many new steps were being invented for traditional dances such as the Schottische, Waltz, Galop, and Polka. These variations are compatible with folk dance versions but are not part of the standard folk repertoire.

**Absolute Bodhrán** Saturday 7:00pm, Chorus Room [P] Here's your opportunity to learn about any aspect of this percussion instrument known as "the heart beat of Irish music" -- whether it concerns playing your drum or caring for it. Mance has long been recognized as a Master Player of this instrument and this year celebrates 30 years of his playing and making the bodhrán.

**Acadian Gumbo** Saturday 10:45am, Lyric Room [E] We celebrate the musical traditions from "kitchen dances", Gange Halls and "pig pickin's" from Shediac, New Brunswick to Lafayette, Louisiana.

**Autoharp Quirkshop** Sunday 1:45pm, Chorus Room [E] Remember your second grade teacher, strumming away on "Red River Valley"? Throwing caution to the wind, Mike Herr and Glenn Scott venture into an autoharp world she never could have imagined.

**Bandana Dances - Tips for One Night Stand Success** Friday 9:30pm, Chorus Room [C] Discussion for callers. Suggestions for teaching and calling the infamous hay bale gig, one night stand or bandana dance. Bring your favorite dance for a repertoire swap!

**Blue Parrot Concert** Sunday 11:00am, Natick Room [E] Blue Parrot performs dance tunes and airs from the French, Celtic and American traditions. Whether playing an O'Carolan harp tune or a French bouree, the trio captures the beauty and vitality of the music they love to play.

**Bound For Glory** Friday 7:30pm, Small Hall [E] Woody Guthrie's "Bound for Glory" - tribute in narrative and song - is an all-ages presentation which encourages audience participation. Come and learn more about Woody's life and experience his wonderful songs!

**Bouzouki Workshop** Saturday 8:00pm, Chorus Room [CM] Bring us your bouzoukis, your citterns, your mandolas and octave mandolins, your huddled masses yearning to hear big twangy-jangly things. Or just show up and hear a multiplayer discussion of these instruments we love to play.

**Brilliant Moon Dance** Sunday 11:00am, Main Hall [TM] Slow and beautiful Balkan and international dances, with quick teaching by Louise Brill, and music by Shining Moon.

**Callers & Dance Tunes** Saturday 11:00am, North Star Room [CM] This is an interactive workshop for contra callers: How to pick the right kind of tunes for contra dancing; how styles of music affect the dance feel; and how to communicate with musicians.

**Can This Work In My Classroom?** Saturday 2:00pm, Chorus Room [C] For teachers who love to dance but are wondering if it'll work in their own classrooms: a chance to pick the brain of an experienced classroom dance leader on real-life issues: clear teaching techniques, student attitudes, adolescents, ESL, special needs, boy-girl stuff, and anything else participants bring up.

**Charlie Poole Music** Saturday 10:15pm, Natick Room [P] Sony/Columbia recently released a boxed set of Poole's music, originally recorded in 1926-30. We'll re-create Poole's sound, show how fiddle, banjo and guitar fit together, discuss and demonstrate other string bands of that time.

**Chords with Melody** Saturday 5:00pm, Chorus Room [TM] One hand, two tasks: chords and melody played simultaneously. Methods for thinking on the fingerboard. Some theory, some technique. Songs played and methods explained: hymns, ballads, rags, rock tunes. Different styles incorporate similar approaches....For guitarists.

**CMN Family Songswap** Saturday 4:00pm, Natick Room [GF] Join some members of The Children's Music Network to share songs, learn more about CMN and celebrate the power of music to create a better world. All ages welcome!

**Coaching / Mentoring** Sunday 10:00am, North Star Room [C] What methods work best for guiding and encouraging newer callers? How can musicians include and coach less skilled players? What ways have you found to mentor up and coming folks in your dance community?

**Contras for Larry Jennings** Saturday 4:30pm, Lower Hall [DM] Larry Jennings, long-time NEFFA activist, died in June, 2005. We'll do some dances in his memory and honor.

**Contras From Scratch** Sunday 11:00am, Auditorium [TB] Using easy dances, workshop will focus on teaching basic figures and phrasing them to the music.

**Contra Percussion** Saturday 10:45am, Chorus Room [TM] Bring your doumbek, djembe, or other hand drum to this class, and learn rhythms for jigs and reels that make contra dancers scream (in a good way.) You may want to take notes, as many rhythms will be taught.

**Dances from Szekelyfold (Transylvania)** Friday 9:00pm, Lower Hall [DM] Szekelyfold is a picturesque area in the Eastern Carpathians, South-Eastern Transylvania, inhabited by Szekely-Hungarians. We will teach authentic dances from this region, which are vigorous, flirtatious, and joyful.

**Dance 'Round Røros** Saturday 8:15pm, Lower Hall [NM] Dances from around the Røros region of Norway -- mostly reinlander, waltz, polka, snoa, and of course Rørosols.

**Eclectic Energy** Saturday 10:00pm, Small Hall [E] A trio of musicians performing a lively mix of songs and fiddle tunes.

**Festival Orchestra Contrás & Squares** Friday 10:00pm, Saturday 1:00pm, Sunday 4:00pm, Main Hall [DM] These sessions have become a true NEFFA tradition! Contra and square dancing to the music of a Contra dance band consisting of many Festival participants -- open to all! If you'd like to join the band, there is no need to pre-register. Just show up with instrument in hand, and play! Conductors and lead musicians will be picking tunes from The Portland Collection and the New England Fiddler's Repertoire, both of which will be available to the Orchestra.

**Fiddle Styles** Saturday 4:15pm, Chorus Room [TM] Different regions and ethnic groups have wonderfully different fiddle styles, with different tunes, bowings, ornaments, variations, etc. We'll cover tunes from several major regional and ethnic styles across North America. Bring your fiddle and broaden your horizons! Handouts provided.

**Folk Dance Medley** Friday 10:00pm, Auditorium [NX] A medley of folk dances, done (as in the contra dance medley) one after another, with no breaks in-between.

**Four Corners Morris** Mixed, children, mostly Cotswold, beginning longsword Kit Colors: Black shoes, yellow socks, blue knee pants, white shirt with many ribbons. Contact: Erica Brinton: 802-649-1714 (eve), 31 Hazen St.; Norwich VT 05055 Members: Lowell Barrows, Andy Behrens, Emma Behrens, Eva Behrens, Rebecca Behrens, Erica Brinton, Sharon Lee Groblicki, Janos Groszek, Marcia Groszek, Corlan Johnson, Timothy Odell, Nicki Perez, Dorothy Wallace, Bonna Wieler

- Morris Dance Saturday 11:00am, Courtyard [E]

**The Four States Quartet** Elegant music for dances, weddings, and corporate events in southern New England. Contact: Andrew Woodruff: awwoodruff@comcast.net, 203-744-6588 (eve) Members: Marco Brehm, Amy Cann, Norb Spencer, Andrew Woodruff

- Elegant Waltzes Saturday 7:00pm, Lower Hall [NM]

**G.B.L.C.P.P.S.** Greater Boston Ladarke Chorale & Plinky-Plink Society Contact: Janet Yeracaris: jkty@yyci.com, 617-244-5927 (eve) Members: Colin Ferguson, Henry Goldberg, Ralph Iverson, Barbara Pixton, Tom Pixton, Julia Poirier, Matt Shear, David Skidmore, Patrick Yacono, Janet Yeracaris

- Ladarke Sing-Along Saturday 11:00am, Small Hall [GM]

**Gammaldansbandet** Old-time Scandinavian dance Music (waltz, polka, shottish, hambo, etc.) Contact: <http://trillian.mit.edu/~jc> or John Chambers: jc@trillian.mit.edu, 781-647-1813 (eve) Members: Christine Anderson, John Chambers, Marianne Cygnel, Shelley Drowns, Barney Gage, Janet Gage, Nancy Kalinski, Deyne Meadow, Paul Milde

- Gammaldans Sunday 12:00 noon Lower Hall [NM]

**Germantown Country Dancers** English country dances: Elegant and energetic, Colonial to 21st Century! Contact: [www.germantowncountrydancers.org/demo.html](http://www.germantowncountrydancers.org/demo.html) or Joanna Reiner: jreiner@aol.com, 215-925-3902 (eve) Members: Kay Baker, Rich Baker, Josh Burdick, Scott Higgs, Peggy Leiby, Tom Maher, Peter Ogle, Hans Peters, Fran Poodry, David Porter, Joanna Reiner, Sam Rotenberg, Sandy Rotenberg, Tanya Rotenberg, Ted Rudofker, Melissa Running, Jennifer Rusche, Steve Rusche, Melissa Shaner, Joe Simko, Ronnie Snader, Wes Steenson, Andrew Snyder, Leslie Talon, Rachel Winslow

- Dance Performances Saturday 6:00pm, Auditorium [E]

**Gogofski Trio** Gutsy Macedonian dance music, on the floor with the dancers. Contact: [www.dgviolins.com](http://www.dgviolins.com) or David Golber: dgolber@aol.com, 617-661-3670 (eve) Members: Melinda Fields, David Golber, Henry Goldberg

- Gutsy Macedonian Friday 8:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Great Meadows Morris and Sword** A large teenage morris and rapper sword team Kit Colors: Black pants, white shirt, blue baldrics Members: Kevin Aderer, Corinne Boet-Whitaker, Sonja Boet-Whitaker, Alyssa Browne, Abby Browse, Owen Callen, Ruthann Callen, Jeremy Carter-Gordon, Libby Chamberlin, Vanessa Conlon, Lindsay Culbert-Olds, Matthew Diamond-Jones, Nathaniel Diamond-Jones, David Estes, Mia Friedman, Heather Gladstone, Sarah Hebert-Johnson, Amanda Holmes, Noah Hurwitz, Elliot Isen, Nathaniel Jack, Alice Kaufman, Rose Kaufman, Ariela Knight, Elana Knight, Peter Kruskal, Tom Kruskal, Sylvie Lam, Meghan Murray, Laura Olivier, Nathan Paine, Kate Potter, Molly Roderick, Leah Sakala, Gemma Smith, Kristen Smith, Natty Smith, Deanna Snow, Gillian Stewart, Emily Troll, Jeremy Van Cleave Contact: Tom Kruskal: kruskalt@comcast.net, 136 Lincoln Rd.; Sudbury MA 01776

- Morris Dancing Saturday 4:00pm Courtyard [E]

**Green Mountain Morris** Teenage boys dance troupe performing English Morris dances, Romanian Calusarii, and Portuguese stick dances. Kit Colors: Red, black, white Contact: <http://thayer.dartmouth.edu/~cgl/youthmorris/gmm.html> or Chris Levey: c.levey@dartmouth.edu, 566 Sanborn Rd.; Thetford Center VT 05075 Members: Keegan Dufty, Peter Ferguson, Tim Greenfield, Chris Levey, Thomas McCosker, Richard Olsen, Karl Schults, Jahn White, Zach Zerphy

- Children's Dance Performances Saturday 2:00pm, Auditorium [EF]
- Morris and Sword Dance Saturday 3:00pm, Courtyard [E]

**Greenwich Morris Men** Greenwich Morris Men have been delighting audiences in New York over 20 years with their Morris and Sword dances. Kit Colors: Green and yellow baldricks Contact: [www.cdn.org/ritual/gmm.html](http://www.cdn.org/ritual/gmm.html) or Tom Toomey: twt202@earthlink.net, 917-991-0597 (day) Members: David Conroy, Peter Dunleavy, Jerry Epstein, Paul Friedman, Alan Friend, Gio Gaynor, Ephraim Kohn, Art Munisteri, David Simonoff, Tom Toomey

- Morris and Sword Dance Sunday 1:00pm, Courtyard [E]



**Divi Zheni** Women's chorus singing Bulgarian songs under Tatiana Sarbinska's direction Contact: Liz Levin: eal@tneworld.com, 64 Churchill Av.; Arlington MA 02476 Members: Bonnie Armstrong, Freedom Baird, Janet Baker, Katy Burns, Suzanne Costanza, Barbara Gottfried, Kate Jellinghaus, Christiane Karam, Liz Levin, Barbara Pixton, Julia Poirier, Paula Rosenstock, Tatiana Sarbinska, Dori Smith, Debra Strick, Julie Sussman, Rachel Sussman, Vera Tishel, Liz Tyler, Elaine Winic, Mari Young  
• Bulgarian Songs Saturday 4:00pm, Music Room [E]

**The Dixie Butterhounds** Hot Southern dance music with fiddle and banjo  
Contact: www.w.dixiebutterhounds.com or Jon Gersh: jon@planetbanjo.com, 781-641-1618 (eve)  
Members: Paul Boyd, Jon Gersh, George Touchstone, Larry Unger, Mark Wholley  
• Contra Connections Friday 8:00pm, Lower Hall [DM]

**The Drones Club** Music on drone instruments (bagpipes, hurdy-gurdy) from France and other cultures  
Contact: Tomas Kafka: 781-321-7948 (eve), 35 Columbia St.; Malden MA 02148  
Members: Suzanne Costanza, Tomas Kafka  
• French Music Jam Sunday 2:00pm, Small Hall [GM]

**einstein's little homunculus** Radical traditional music for dancing; funny original songs for listening.  
Contact: booking@elh.org or Rob Rudin: rob@elh.org, 617-852-6909 Members: Tich Cownie, Paul Crook, Sue Lindsay, Carol Laliberté-DeLorenzo, Rob Rudin  
• Modern Classics/Contras & Squares Saturday 2:30pm, Lower Hall [DM]  
• Concert with elh Saturday 9:00pm, Small Hall [E]

**FiddleKicks Cloggers** FiddleKicks performs Appalachian clogging and other styles of percussive dance  
Contact: info@fiddlekicks.com, www.fiddlekicks.com or Peggy Leiby: pleiby@phillydance.com, 215-643-4397 (eve) Members: Susan Anderson, Sharon Charles, Sarah Gowan, Meg Hawkins, Eileen Hayes, Annsley Hillman, Donna Hunt, Peggy Leiby, Chloe Maher, Clare Maher, Pat McGrath, Bill Quern, Joanna Reirner, Emily Strong, Kathy Talvitie  
• Dance Performances Saturday 6:00pm, Auditorium [E]

**Firelech Jewish Musical Theater** "Firelech". Jewish folk dances, songs, skits Contact: www.firelech.com or Ana Kravets: anakravets@hotmail.com, 617-332-2733 (eve) Members: Lira Alaev, George Bordianu, Polina Deitch, Alexandra Demba, Ilya Demba, Vadim Dribinsky, Olga Faibushevich, M. Gerlovin, Liliana Glik, Zalman Kamerman, Irine Knyazhitskaya, Victoria Kovalenko, Ana Kravets, Yevgenia Kravets, Michael Lenn, Dara Meltzer, Sofya Nadelstein, Michael Nikitenko, Leonid Ostrovsky, Genady Pelikhov, Svetlana Zaretskaya  
• Dance Performances Sunday 1:30pm, Main Hall [E]

**Fishken & Groves** Traditional duet harmony, folk, country, old-time, contemporary Contact: www.fishkenandgroves.com or David Fishken: fishken@verizon.net, 978-692-0350 (eve)  
Members: David Fishken, Ellen Groves  
• Cowboy Song History Saturday 6:00pm, Natick Room [E]  
• Sing Along! Saturday 8:45pm, Natick Room [GB]

**Folk Song Society of Greater Boston** The F.S.S.G.B. has been in existence for several decades. I'm sure it is well-known to all of you. Contact: info@fssgb.org, www.fssgb.org or Lori Fassman: 978-264-9710 (eve), 978-621-5814 (day) Members: Nancy Crowther, Don Duncan, Lori Fassman, Glenn Ketterle, Suzanne Mrozak, Dan O'Brien, Judy Predmore, Richard Taylor  
• Folk Songs for All Saturday 7:00pm, Small Hall [GM]

**Folk Song Society of Greater Boston**, Bound for Glory Contact: www.ellenschmidt.com/24tshow.html or Ellen Schmidt: eschmidt01742@yahoo.com, 978-369-8090 (eve) Members: Alice Aronow, Saul Aronow, Paul Beck, Betsy Binstock, Judith Christianson, Roger Cleghorn, Eddie Dee, Izzy Doveburd, Alison Freeman, Ann Glick, Mel Green, Pepper Greene, Alan Hamilton, Elaine Hawley, Dorothea Juno-Johnston, Jake Kensinger, Hall Kirkham, Cate Levin, Marilyn Levin, Liz Lewis, Ralph Madsen, Suzanne Mrozak, Aidan Pavao, Conor Pavao, Steve Pavao, Abbey Perreault, Jaclyn Perreault, Ruth Perry, Cincy Primett, Gary Rand, Howie Rashba, Ellen Salisbury, Allan Schmidt  
• Bound for Glory Friday 7:30pm, Small Hall [E]

**Forgas Hungarian Folk Dance** Contact: http://people.brandeis.edu/~gessel/forgas or Gabor Balazsi: szekelyke@excite.com Members: Erika Balazsi, Gabor Balazsi, Chrissie Brown, Sue Flint, Lisa Geller, Fred Hirsch, Charlie Rapport, Steve Rauch, Tom Roby, Clare Stanley. Dances from Szekelyfold (Transylvania) Friday 9:00pm, Lower Hall [DM]  
• Dance Performances Saturday 6:00pm, Auditorium [E]

**Gammaldans** Sunday 12:00noon, Lower Hall [NM] Old-time Scandinavian couple dances: hambo, polka, shottish, waltz, polska, mazurka.

**Get A Drum Ride** Sunday 2:15pm, Natick Room [GF] At this all-ages, Drumming About You hoot, everyone plays together on Bob Bloom's huge and beautiful array of drums and percussion instruments. Feel free to bring any drum or percussion instrument that you love and your dancing hands. We're gonna rock, roll, samba, and swing.

**Gigs from HELL** Saturday 10:00pm, North Star Room [C] Callers and Musicians: Regale us with your unfortunately true tales of good gigs gone bad, and bad gigs gone worse. Spectators are permitted to laugh at your misfortune. As always, a chintzy prize will be awarded by audience acclaim.

**The Grand Canal** Saturday 11:00am, Natick Room [G] Songs from and about the Erie Canal, ranging from authentic work songs to music-hall ditties describing life and work on this historic waterway. Many choruses, group participation

**Grown Heart Stories** Friday 7:30pm, Lyric Room [E] Enjoy stories about friendship, achievement, and growing up, perhaps some love, with a good tall tale thrown in for fun. These are by a grown up for grown ups, or young adults. Children haven't been around long enough. So warm up your memories, and prepare to have both the ticklish and the scarred parts of your heart's memories attended to.

**Gutsy Macedonian** Friday 8:00pm, Main Hall [DM] Dave Skidmore will briefly teach a few simple dances. The Gogofski Trio plays on the floor, to the dancers, at the dancers. The Trio moves with you.

**Gypsy Contras** Sunday 3:30pm, Lower Hall [DM] Amazingly, gypsies have only been in the contra figure repertoire for 25 or 30 years, but they've become so accepted that they are treated by most dancers as old standards. This session offers contras that include the gypsy figure in a variety of different (and all fun!) ways.

**Gypsy Fiddle Workshop** Saturday 9:00pm, North Star Room [TM] Learn exciting Romani tunes, special fiddling techniques, and some fancy tricks!

**Hands-on Guitar!** Saturday 3:30pm, Chorus Room [TM] We know where we are on the fingerboard when we can see the 'big picture' - three shapes that do it all!

**Hardanger Fiddle** Sunday 2:00pm, North Star Room [E] A concert combining traditional Norwegian fiddle tunes with the stories that belong with the tunes.

**Hawk-Hound-Lady Fair** Saturday 1:15pm, Music Room [E] Old and new songs of ocean, meadow, marsh and field. Lovers, hunters, adventurers, sprites & magicians abound in ballads from America and the Celtic Isles. Cece Borjeson & Ruth George reprise tunes from "Hearts in Harmony", and their newly released Cd "Perennials".

**Heroes of the Blues** Saturday 10:45pm, North Star Room [E] Pete has played the music of John Hurt, Leadbelly, and Son House for over forty years. Long a member of Sidekicks, Pete steps out solo to celebrate these three wellsprings of traditional blues, on 6-, 12-, and resonator guitars.

**Histories, Mysteries** Saturday 1:15pm, North Star Room [E] Songs from American and British tradition tell of historical events, or were influential in history itself, sometimes in mysterious ways. We present a favorite few of those songs.

**Hurdy Gurdy etc.** Saturday 10:00am, Chorus Room [E] Medieval, renaissance, traditional, and original songs and tunes, played on hurdy gurdy and other instruments.

**Irish Music Concert** Saturday 10:00pm, Music Room [E] One of New England's best Irish/Scots fiddlers, one of Dublin Ireland's best folksingers, and one of Boston's best Irish-style flute players in concert together to bring you real Irish Traditional music from real Irish traditional musicians. You'll have to imagine the Guinness, but they'll supply the magic.

**Irish Flute Workshop** Sunday 11:30am, Chorus Room [TM] If you can play whistle, even a bit, you can learn how to play the Irish Flute. Bring a six-hole style flute in "D" and learn embouchure, fingerings, ornaments, and "a loffy chune". Expect magic.

**Just guitar no words** Sunday 1:45pm, Music Room [E] From the Profound to the Silly: A concert of guitar instrumentals in various styles where the lyrics are absent, but stories and impressions come through anyway. Folk, classical, country, rags, blues, rock, and TV theme songs.

**Jug Playing 101** Saturday 1:00pm, Chorus Room [TB] After I demonstrate what this expressive, recyclable, and FUN instrument can do--blues, jazz, classical, and more--I'll start you playing your own jug bass lines and solos. Jugs (2-liter soda bottles) will be provided.

**Kids Sing Freedom!** Sunday 10:00am, Natick Room [GF] Songs of peace and freedom and friendship for children and grown-ups. Lots of singing, moving, and clapping. Even some hand holding and swaying!

**Ladarke Sing-Along** Saturday 11:00am, Small Hall [GM] Join in singing this fabulous Croatian choral work, arranged by Emil Cossetto. We will review the score and vocal parts briefly, but anyone can enjoy the final product. Come to sing, play an instrument, or just to listen!

**Life At Sea: A Voyage in Song** Saturday 7:00pm, Natick Room [GF] Take off from the island of Nantucket on a whaling voyage to the Pacific whaling grounds. Join in on the chanteys and forebitters the whalers sang. Bring your voice!!!

**Long Steel Rail** Sunday 2:30pm, Chorus Room [E] Songs about the American railroad -- from its building in the 19th century, through years of journeys, wrecks, robberies, hoboes, etc., to its current decline and nostalgic reminiscence. Lots of choruses and audience involvement.

**Malvina Reynolds** Saturday 10:00pm, Chorus Room [GF] Songs of Malvina Reynolds are just as relevant today as they were when written years ago. This workshop will have many singalongs, protest songs, and children's songs, and will include information on Malvina's life and work.

**Mbira Music from Zimbabwe** Saturday 2:30pm Lyric Room [EF] Folk and traditional music of the Shona people of Zimbabwe. This music has been used for more than 1500 years as an offering and appeasement of ancestors.

**Merle Travis Guitar** Sunday 4:00pm, Chorus Room [TM] Merle Travis is, by all accounts, one of the most influential American folk guitarists. His tune, "The Nine Pound Hammer", illustrates the elements of the Travis style. This participatory workshop will teach these elements in both easy and authentic forms. Guitar, thumbpick, and capo necessary. Handout will be provided.

**Mid-East Drumming** Sunday 10:45am, Chorus Room [TB] Spend an hour learning to play Middle Eastern rhythms on the darabukka/doumbek (the hour-glass shaped drum). We will be practicing a variety of rhythms and techniques especially as used for folk dancing. Bring your own drums! We have some extras to use for practice.

**Modern Classics/Contras & Squares** Saturday 2:30pm, Lower Hall [DM] Contras and squares written in the early years of the modern contra dance revival (1970s & 1980s.)

**Mom & Me Go Latin** Saturday 12:30pm, Music Room [E] Come South of the Border with Ellen Schmidt, Wendy Santis and friends who will perform Latin American folk and popular tunes, originals and American folk classics! Singing along is encouraged!  
**Ireland and Beyond** Saturday 8:00pm, Lyric Room [E] Music of the British Isles and beyond, featuring harp and concertina, voice and recorder.

**Charm City Rapper** Charm City Rapper performs English rapper dancing, as well as a variety of step dance styles from England and North America. Rapper sword dance is an English tradition that likely originated with the miners using their work implements ("sweat scrapers"- doesn't that sound inviting?) to dance with. The swords are flexible steel blades. 5-6 people dance together to a fast jig step, doing flips, leaps, and figures. Kit Colors: Blue vest, white shirt and black pants Contact: www.charmcityrapper.tk or Diane Shaw 410-366-0082; dshaw402@yahoo.com Members: Karen Besser, Carl Friedman, Michael Friedman, Jack Hemler, Kappy Laning, Sharon McKinley, Laura Robertson, Anne Schaffer, Diane Shaw, Robin Wilson

- Dance Performances Saturday 7:30pm, Auditorium [E]
- Morris and Sword Dance Sunday 9:00am, Courtyard [E]

**Children's Music Network (New England Region)** Creating positive change for children on Earth through music. Contact: www.cmnonline.org or Amy Conley: amy@amyconley.com, 603-249-9560 Participating Members: Amy Conley, Louise Doud, Anne-Marie Forer, Fran Friedman, Nancy Hershatter, Sandy Pliskin, Terri Roben, Kim Wallach

- CMN Family Songswap Saturday 4:00pm, Natick Room [GF]

**Chinese Folk Art Workshop** The Chinese Folk Art Workshop is a non-profit organization based in the Boston area. The Workshop aims to promote interaction with and understanding of Chinese culture in the community. Its members range in age from 10 to 17 and they perform a variety of traditional Chinese folk arts. The President's Volunteer Service Award has certified the Chinese Folk Art Workshop as a youth organization. Contact: www.folkartboston.org or Kun Chang: kunchang@aol.com, 781-608-3971 (day) Members: Josh Chang, Michael Chang, Emily Chen, Victoria Chen, Arthur Chin, Derrick Choi, Eric Hi, Eric Hsiao, Emily Hsieh, Cassie Huang, Fred Huang, Bryan Kao, Amber Luan, Carolyn Tang, Justin Wong, Jeremy Wong, Tamara Yang, Alex Yin, Stephanie Yin. Coach: Kun Chang

- Children's Dance Performances Saturday 2:00pm, Auditorium [EF]

**Collage Dance Ensemble** "The always dynamic Collage offer its trademark fusion of folk and contemporary dance" - Boston Globe Contact: www.collageusa.org or Ahmet Lüleci: ahmet@rcn.com, 617-795-2468 (eve) Members: Bikem Akten, Kate Angle, Tugba Bagci, Olga Borowitz, Ann Cox, Vadim Dribinsky, Bulut Ersavas, Pelin Ersavas, Basak Karbeyaz, Ahmet Lüleci, Isaac Niederman, Omur Ozcan, Sahin Ozgur, Mine Ulusoy, Rediun Vold, Volkan Vural, Emine Yilmaz, Metin Yilmaz, Elisa van Dam Lüleci

- Dance Performances Sunday 1:30pm, Main Hall [E]

**Commonwealth Morris** Kit Colors: Whites with green braces; green, purple and yellow arm ribbons. Contact: www.commonwealthmorris.com or Jeremy Kessler: squire@commonwealthmorris.com Members: Nelson Caldwell, Allyn Dimock, Steve Dyer, Jack Janssen, Cammy Kaynor, Jeremy Kessler, Alec Leon, Rick Mohr, Chris O'Brien, Bill Schultz, Sean Smith, Andrew Southcott, David Titus, David Wald

- Morris and Sword Dance Saturday 5:00pm, Courtyard [E]

**Commonwealth Vintage Dancers** CVD performs and teaches ballroom dances of the 19th and early 20th century. Contact: michael@vintagedancers.org, www.VintageDancers.org or Michael Bergman: eclectic@mit.edu, 617-230-9572 (cell) (day) Members: Hannah Roberts Artuso, Ken Baclawski, Michael Bergman, Ben Bishop, Katy Bishop, Idy Coddington, Terry Crumb, Jeff Keller, Antonia Pugliese, Barbara Pugliese, Patri J. Pugliese, Gail Steketee

- 1890s Couple Dances Saturday 9:00pm, Auditorium [TM]

**Country Dance Society, Boston Centre** English country dancing throughout the year; occasional display dance classes/workshops. Contact: www.cds-boston.org or Helene Cornelius: 781-643-3415 (eve), 30 High Haith Rd.; Arlington MA 02476 Members: Frank Attanasio, Julian Cole, Helene Cornelius, Jennifer Davis, Barbara Finney, George A. Fogg, Terry Gaffney, Karen Gendron, Diane Gonzalez, Rich Jackson, Lynn Jacobs, Ralph Jones, Tom Kruskal, John Lam, Andrea Larson, Veronica McClure, Linda Nelson, Christine Robb, John Schneider

- Dance Performances Sunday 1:30pm, Main Hall [E]

**Dance Revelasian** Dance Revelasian is the premier Chinese dance group in Boston. Contact: www.dancerevelasian.com or Grace Chan: k\_k@charter.net Members: Lihua Bai, Grace Chan, Alice Chang, Joyce Chang, Crystal Chao, Emily Chao, Gloria Chao, Connie Cheng, Yuqiao Huang, Kristen Leung, Jessica Lin, Christine Look, Jennifer Look, Jason Pan, Jay Po, Sean Po, David Schaffner, Joyce Sun.

- Children's Dance Performances Saturday 2:00pm, Auditorium [EF]
- Dance Performances Saturday 6:00pm, Auditorium [E]
- Dance Performances Saturday 7:30pm, Auditorium [E]

**Boston Scottish Fiddle Club** BSFC is a non-profit organization dedicated to the Scottish music tradition Contact: www.bsfc.org or Judith Wong: wongja@charter.net, 978-456-9916 (eve) Members: Jim Denman, Mike Falkoff, Karl Geodecke, Richard Goldhammer, Bob Jennings, Anne Kaufman, Ann Lambertus, Phyllis Lindsay, Willa MacAllen, Terry O'Hagan, Dorothy Rifai, Judith Wong

- Scottish Tra velogue Saturday 10:00pm, Lyric Room [E]

**Boston Spelemanslag** The Boston Spelemanslag plays traditional dance music from Telemark, Norway. Contact: Gretchen Tanzer: romeytanzer@comcast.net, 508-255-9022 (eve) Members: Arna Desser, Janet Gage, Ginny Lee, Neal MacMillan, Tony Morris, Sarah Nagell, Gretchen Tanzer, Toby Weinberg, Brian Wilson

- Telespringer Dance Friday 8:00pm, Auditorium [NM]

**Brooklyn Swing Ensemble** Swing and spunky contra music with a mix of tunes you might have heard at a Brighton Beach bar mitzvah Contact: Marco Brehm: meb89@columbia.edu, 201-653-8769 (eve) Members: Marco Brehm, Danny Elias, Marnen Laibow-Koser, Sam Zygmuntowicz

- Contra Medley Sunday 1:00pm Main Hall [NX]
- Great Memories Contrabass Sunday 2:00pm Lower Hall [DM]

**Bubble Rapper** Rapper Team Kit Colors: Black pants, black tops with multi-colored (usually purple or green) bubble-wrap sashes Contact: Emily Williams: charmily2000@aol.com, 617-332-1427 (eve) Members: Kip Jones, Ariel Kramer, Brendan Larabee, Elizabeth McCreless, Jack McCreless, Katie Miller, Callista Perry, Katy Ruderman, Sally Ruderman, Tess Ruderman, Taylor Tracy, Emily Williams, Katherine Womack, Caroline Wooten

- Children's Dance Performance Saturday 2:00pm Auditorium [E]
- Morris and Sword Dance Sunday 10:00am, Courtyard [E]

**Buzzard's Bayou** Cape Cod's hot new Cajun/Zydeco band Contact: www.buzzardsbayou.com or Amy Larkin: amy.larkin@verizon.net, 508-563-6934 (eve) Members: Glenway Fripp, Amy Larkin, Jonathan Larkin, Mark VanBork, Derm Whittaker

- Cajun/Zydeco Dance Saturday 10:30pm, Auditorium [NM]

**Cal Howard & Friends** From International to Contra....Cal & Friends can do it all!  
Cal Howard: caldance@gis.net, 781-272-0396 (eve)

- Scotch Quadrilles Sunday 1:30pm Auditorium Stage [DM]

**Calliope** Gleeful and elegant contra/English/vintage "salon orchestra" Contact: Amy Cann: acann@putneyschool.org, 802-387-2359 (eve) Members: Marco Brehm, Amy Cann, Bruce Randall, Norb Spencer, Shirley White, Andy Woodruff

- Rod's Quads Saturday 3:30pm, Main Hall [DM]
- 1890's Cot.ple Dances Saturday 9:00pm Auditorium Stage [TM]

**Cambridge Folk Orchestra** Folk dance music for festivals, parties, workshops, weddings, weekends. Contact: http://ftp-swiss.ai.mit.edu/~jaffer/CFO.html or Cal Howard: caldance@gis.net, 781-272-0396 (eve) Members: Dean Brown, John Chambers, Cal Howard, Ralph Iverson, Aubrey Jaffer, Carol Kycia, Jack Martin, Bill Possi, David Skidmore, Patrick Yacono

- Folk Dance Party Friday 10:45pm, Auditorium [NM]
- Family Folk Dance Saturday 3:30pm, Auditorium [DF]

**Candyrapper** Teenage rapper sword team Kit Colors: Black pants, maroon shirts, silver sash Contact: www.pixton.org/candyrapper or Tom Kruskal: kruskalt@comcast.net, 136 Lincoln Rd., Sudbury MA 01776 Members: Sonja Boet-Whittaker, Lindsay Colbert-Olds, Sarah Hebert-Johnson, Sylvie Lam, Gemma Smith, Natty Smith, Gillian Stewart, Jeremy Van Cleave

- Morris and Sword Dance Saturday 2:00pm, Courtyard [E]

**Cece Borjeson & Ruth George** American/Celtic traditional & contemporary folk; harmonies, humor & history. Contact: Cece Borjeson: cece.borjeson@fdi-group.com, 860-665-7149 (eve) Members: Cece Borjeson, Ruth George

- Hawk-Hound-Lady Fair Saturday 1:15pm, Music Room [E]

**Charles River Rapper** Charles River Rapper performs English rapper dancing which originated in Newcastle. We perform both traditional and newly choreographed dances. Kit Colors: Black, silver Contact: Hannah Schneider: hhavaschneider@hotmail.com Members: Margaret Keller Dimock, Jonathan Gilbert, Jennie Hango, Nancy Knight, Margot Leonard, Liz Lewis, Peggy Marcus, Otavia Propper, Hannah Schneider, Kyla Tornheim

- Morris and Sword Dance Sunday 10:00am, Courtyard [E]

**Moonlight Dancing** Sunday 4:30pm, Lower Hall [NM] Balkan and International folkdancing with Shining Moon.

**Mountain Dulcimer Workshop** Saturday 11:30am, Chorus Room [TM] For players of any level and anyone interested in learning about the mountain dulcimer. Participants will learn about playing styles and also play some tunes together.

**New England Fireside** Saturday 2:00pm, North Star Room [E] Songs for singing around the stove or fireplace when there's a snowstorm outside. Some ballads, some love songs, some funny songs, lots of sing-alongs.

**New Old Music** Sunday 12:00noon, Natick Room [EF] JADED MANDOLIN is a teen ensemble playing traditional, contemporary, and original bluegrass. The players come from diverse musical backgrounds, with training and influences from classical, folk, and world music traditions. Anchored by Vitale's lyrical, lively fiddle and McDonald's rhythmic, raucous guitar and mando, the band's sound is celebratory and energetic. The guys take turns with Pinto-Madigan's exquisite, rich voice on lead vocals. Spot on three and four part harmonies add depth and character to the fun. Their repertoire includes original tunes, traditional songs like "Darling Corey" and "Cluck Old Hen," and contemporary numbers by Dave Carter, Woody Guthrie, Kristin Sweetland, and others.

**New Tunebook Singing** Sunday 4:00pm, North Star Room [GB] Sing from a new tunebook, The Norumbega Harmony. We have rescued wonderful songs from the New England singing school tradition and added some new ones, all in the style of The Sacred Harp and other shape note books. Four part harmony.

**Nordic Voices** Saturday 1:00pm, Lyric Room [E] Ståmbandet sings vocal music from Scandinavia: medieval ballads, traditional dance music and more from Sweden, Norway, Iceland and Finland.

**Nordic Song & Dance** Saturday 4:15pm, Auditorium [NM] Dance waltzes, polskas and hambos to the a cappella harmonies of Ståmbandet, the Scandinavian vocal ensemble.

**O'Carolan Tunes** Friday 7:30pm, Chorus Room [GM] Learn about 18th c. Irish harper, Turlough O'Carolan and play his wonderful tunes. All instruments welcome.

**Old and New** Saturday 6:00pm, Music Room [E] Traditional and modern songs, often with instrumental accompaniment and with choruses.

**Old Time NE Barn Dance** Saturday 12:00noon, Auditorium [DF] New England barn dances are the folk dances of America...Virginia Reel, Paul Jones, Portland Fancy, Rye Waltz, square dances, Polka Contry, Hunting the Fox.

**One Week in Havana** Friday 10:30pm, Music Room [E] Flamenco inspired, english language guitar based soulful grooves.

**Pardon Our French** Saturday 8:00pm, North Star Room [E] Ti' Acadie, means "a little Acadia" We play tunes and sing songs from Maine and the Canadian Maritimes (Acadia), Quebec, Southwest Louisiana (Cajun country), and \*other places\*. None of the members grew up speaking French, but in this concert we play and sing a LOT of North American French music. We LOVE it!

**Parlor Song Swap** Saturday 10:00am, Lyric Room [GF] Parlor songs were fun songs, usually with singable choruses, for the whole family, sung at home (in the parlor) or after church. Sing along with Stephen Foster, Hattie Nevada, Henry Clay Work, others. Bring songs to share or just join in. Hear songs from Hattie's 1890's unpublished works.

**Parodies, Pair o' Dose** Sunday 2:30pm, Lyric Room [E] Parodies, filks, and other substitutions of new words to familiar tunes.

**Play it Again** Sunday 11:00am, North Star Room [E] Over the years, collectors of traditional folk music have discovered many versions of the same song. We will sing at least two versions (if not more) of some of our favorite songs - those that bear listening to more than once!

**Polish in 3/4 Time** Saturday 5:00pm, Auditorium [TM] a selection of Polish folk dances in 3/4 time-some of which will be in waltz time. If time allows, I will end with a beautiful traditional/folk (no figure) Polish waltz. (This is NOT meant to be a waltz workshop. I will just quickly review the waltz step, as needed)

**Pols Workshop for Musicians** Saturday 5:00pm, North Star Room [TM] A hands on workshop for fiddlers on playing Norwegian Pols dance music.

**Rod's Quads** Saturday 3:30pm, Main Hall [DM] Giant 8-couple squares by the late Rod Linnell, a Maine caller and friend of Ralph Page.

**Role-Free Contras** Friday 9:00pm, Main Hall [DM] Gender role-free contra dancing is fun for anyone who wants to enjoy dancing from a new perspective. You choose to dance either the traditional gent's role or the lady's role, regardless of your gender. Colorful armbands indicate who's who on the dance floor.

**Rural Rebirth** Saturday 3:00pm, North Star Room [E] Pumpkin Hill Singers presents a program of original folk songs that have sprung from the stories of the people of the NE Kingdom of Vermont. These songs are the stories of the hearty people who settled this land & made it their own.

**Sacred Harp Singing** Sunday 10:00am, Auditorium [GM] Join us for shape-note singing from the Sacred Harp in the traditional hollow square.

**Science of Music** Sunday 10:00am, Chorus Room [C] The lecture/demo takes a look at some principles of physiology, physics, and math underlying music

**Sci-Fi & Fantasy Songs** Saturday 12:15pm, Lyric Room [GB] M.A.S.S. F.I.L.C. is dedicated to the preservation and furtherance of folk music, the folk music of science fiction and fantasy and related subjects (cats, computers, fandom, science, etc.). We hold monthly meetings / sings (no dues!) in members' homes in eastern Mass. and southern NH. We welcome new members.

**Scotch Quadrilles** Sunday 1:30pm, Auditorium [DM] An unusual set of nineteenth-century quadrilles featuring wildly shifting reels and Scottish footwork.

**Seated Square Dances** Sunday 12:00noon, Small Hall [DB] We'll be square dancing while seated in chairs or on the floor. How is that possible? Come and see! Everyone is welcome, but persons who do not ordinarily dance due to limited mobility or other concerns may find this session particularly enjoyable.

**Secret Life of Plants** Saturday 10:00am, Natick Room [EF] Once there were stories in every leaf and flower. Come hear ancient myths and children's rhymes, teaching stories and fairy tales from Europe, Asia and the Americas of the green world and it's magic.

**Seljefloyte Workshop** Saturday 2:45pm, Chorus Room [TB] An introduction to the Norwegian willow flute.

**Sing & Dance Together!** Sunday 11:45am, Auditorium [TF] Simple, delightful songs and dances for kids (even little kids) and adults. Come out and play!

**Songs from A Little House** Sunday 10:00am, Lyric Room [EF] Songs and tunes of "Little House on the Prairie": pioneer days, adventure in the frontier country, and childhood in early America.

**Spring Into Action** Saturday 3:15pm, Natick Room [EF] With interactive songs, stories, poems, fingerplays, participatory movement and simple sign language, Jackson will celebrate the wonders of spring and the cycle of seasons.

**Assabet Ramblers** Plays mostly old-time style southern dance tunes and songs, with occasional forays into the New England and English Country tune repertoire. Contact: Fred Wersan: fwersan@mak.com, 978-369-3141 (eve) Members: Kathy Fletcher, Susan Lehotsky, Richard Mungo, Bob Phillips, Mike Roguska, Fred Wersan

- Seated Square Dances Sunday 12:00noon, Small Hall [DB]

**B.A.D.** Contra Dance Band Contact: David Titus: titus.home@verizon.net, 26 Livermore Rd., Belmont MA 02478 Members: Amy Larkin, Bruce Rosen, David Titus

- GOOD Contras Sunday 1:30pm, Lower Hall [DM]

**Banbury Cross Morris** Children's Morris Team Kit Colors: Yellow, Green, White Contact: www.banburycrossmorris.org or Naomi Lev: naomilev@aol.com, 617-965-2775 Members: Heena Belvin, Christine Davenport, Ian Day, Alice Fristrom, Peter Hall, Joanna Lichtin, Nigel Little, Eleanor McSherry, Rick Powell, Ashwin Skelly, Kirsten Smith, Gillian Stewart, Kira Teare-Thomas, Michael Wagner, Becky Wright

- Morris and Sword Dance Sunday 1:00pm, Courtyard [E]

**Barbara and Friends** International folk dance music; accordion, piano, bass Contact: Barbara Pixton: barbara@pixton.org, 617-734-5215 (eve) Members: Isaac Allen, Robert Penny, Barbara Pixton, Tom Pixton

- Waltz/Elegant Couple Dance Sunday 4:00pm Auditorium Stage [NM]

**Barb's Band** International Music Contact: Barbara Pixton: barbara@pixton.org, 617-734-5215 (eve) Members: Suzanne Costanza, Barbara Pixton, Julia Poirier, Paula Rosenstock, Ray Rosenstock, Elaine Winic

- Endless International Friday 7:00pm, Auditorium [DB]

**Bassett St. Hounds** Syracuse, NY's exuberant Bassett Street Hounds enrich and enlarge the Morris tradition with original dances in the Border style. Kit Colors: Calico rags, mostly blue, white & yellow Contact: <http://bassett-street-hounds.org> or Sue Galbraith: sgalbraith@taitem.com Members: Dan Clark, Heidi Flint, Sue Galbraith, Fred Henson, Kate Henson, Peter Hoover, Maria Hosmer-Briggs, Karin Howe, Tom Keays, Aaron Marcus, Mike Miller, Heather Root, Julie Schult, Pete Schult, Laurel Sharp, Paul Sherman, David Smukler, Sam Smukler, Laura Waterstripe

- Morris and Sword Dance Saturday 5:00pm, Courtyard [E]

**Beside the Point** A teenage rapper sword team Kit Colors: Black pants, white shirts, orange sashes & ties Contact: Tom Kruskal: kruskalt@comcast.net, 136 Lincoln Rd.; Sudbury MA 01776 Members: Owen Callen, Jeremy Carter-Gordon, Vanessa Conlon, Nathaniel Jack, Nathaniel Diamond-Jones, Nathan Paine

- Morris and Sword Dance Saturday 3:00pm, Courtyard [E]

**The Black Jokers** Morris dance team Kit Colors: Red, white, gold, black Contact: [www.mit.edu/people/ijs/blackjokers.html](http://www.mit.edu/people/ijs/blackjokers.html) or Jeff Howry: twincedar@rcn.com Members: Jacob Bloom, Mark Dulcey, Steve Dyer, Bill Ehman, Leo Feinstein, George A. Fogg, Ron Geering, Jeff Howry, Jeff Keller, Howard Lasnik, Rick Lincoln, John Morris, Mark Rosenblum, Ishmael Stefanov-Wagner, Jonathan Stutts, Bill White

- Morris Dance Saturday 9:00am, Courtyard [E]

**The Blue Parrot** Blue Parrot performs a lively combination of traditional music from France, the British Isles and the U.S. on banjo, guitars, mandolin and flute. Contact: Linda Abrams: lindabrams@yahoo.com, 781-647-0672 (eve) Members: Linda Abrams, Rob Huffman, Bob Phillips

- Blue Parrot Concert Sunday 11:00am, Natick Room [E]

**Bob Clayton & Jennifer Woods** Jennifer Woods is a strong-voiced singer with an ear for a good song. Bob Clayton is a multi-instrumentalist, vocalist, and songwriter. Together, they make memorable music. Contact: Bob Clayton: songuitar@starpower.net, 8401 Cedar St.; Silver Spring MD 20910 Members: Bob Clayton, Jennifer Woods

- Histories, Mysteries Saturday 1:15pm North Star Room [E]

**Bob Blue's Musical Friends** Members may include Jackson Gillman, Martha Leader, Dean Stevens, Kim Wallach and other friends of the late Bob Blue - a cherished, gifted, and beloved songwriter.

- Bob Blue's Musical Friends Saturday 1:45pm, Natick Room [E]

# PERFORMERS

## (GROUPS)

The following is a listing of groups performing this year at NEFFA. They are listed alphabetically. Contact information is included, and events in which the performers are participating. See "Event Codes" for the coding explanation.

### **4 of a Kind** Acadian Scots-Irish dance and song featuring fiddler Leo leBlanc

Contact: Mark Evans: mevans@frc.mass.edu, 508-634-0462 (eve)

Members: Mark Evans, Paul Luria, Dennis Poitras, Leo leBlanc

- Acadian Gumbo Saturday 10:45am, Lyric Room [E]

**Academy of Serbian Folk Dancing** Serbian dance performance troupe started in 1985. Travelled in US, Canada, and Europe and won Kiwanis Festival in Toronto (2000, 2001, 2003). Artistic Director: Miroslav Marcetic Contact: Miroslav Marcetic: miroslav.marcetic@sympatico.ca, www.marcetic.com Members: Aleksandar Boljanac, Aleksandra Damjan, Aleksandar Dikic, Vanja Djordjevic, Aleksandra Gavrilovic, Marija Ginic, Mihajlo Ilic, Katarina Jovicic, Jelena Kacanski, Danijela Kaludjerovic, Jelena Kovacevic, Ina Lecic, Ivana Markovic, Nikola Markovic, Stefan Markovic, Mirko Miljevic, Kristina Miljkovic, Milan Milosevic, Marijana Miric, Vladimir Mistic, Nela Motic, Nikola Obradovic, Aleksandra Orbovic, Justine Orbovic, Irena Pejicic, Stefan Perovic, Marija Prica, Teodora Prpa, Andrijana Rados, Milica Rados, Aleksandra Savic, Ivona Simsic, Dejan Spanovic, Predrag Spanovic, Bojana Sparavalo, Bogdan Stankovic, Aleksandar Tisma, Nikola Tripic, Aleksandar Trivanovic, Danijela Trivanovic, Natasa Trpeski, Filip Zubac.

- Dance Performances Saturday 7:30pm, Auditorium [E]

**American Chinese Art Society Dance Studio** The studio will stress on the fundamentals as well as combination movements of classical ballet, traditional Chinese classical and folk dances Contact: www.acas-ne.com or Jade Lin: 617-332-5376 (eve), 111 Truman Rd.; Newton MA 02459 Members: Celina Chan, Sarah Chen, Stephanie Chen, Jessica Hau, Tiffany Lam, Briana Lee, Lilian Lee, Vivian Lee, Amy Li, Grace Lin, Alice Lu, Lily Ma, Anne Mok, Elizabeth Shih, Vivian Simmons, Veronica Stracqualursi, Alice Tao, Meghan Tao, Youyou Wu, Stephanie Yang, Jennifer Zhou, Wendy Zhou

- Dance Performances Saturday 7:30pm, Auditorium [E]

**Amy, Carol & Roberta** Contadance music with French Canadian, Irish and Cape Breton emphasis

Contact: Carol Bittenson: carol@bittenson.net, 781-275-3413 (eve)

Members: Carol Bittenson, Amy Larkin, Roberta Sutter

- Gypsy Contras Sunday 3:30pm, Lower Hall [DM]

**Animaterra Women's Chorus** Animaterra is a women's chorus that celebrates music of the world.

Contact: animaterra@worldpath.net, www.animaterra.8m.com or Allison Aldrich:

animaterra@worldpath.net, 603-847-9639 (eve) Members: Allison Aldritch, Karen Almdale, Carol Ames,

Helen Anglo, Sarah Antel, Rose Aylmer-Lape, Sandie Barber, Heather Bower, Kathy Bruce, Suzanne Butcher, Deborah Butler, Kelly Butler, Carmen Carignan, Peri Chickering, Leigh Corrette, Deborah Ford, Margaret Foxweldon, Jen Fritz, Liz Gasser, Vivian Gentes, Susan Ginsburg, Connie Glover, Jane Hall, Georgianna Hamilton, Andi Johnson, Carolyn Jones, Risa Keene, Barbara Klie, Deborah Konietzko, Amy Lafond, Rhondalyn LeClair, Rilda/Buttsy Letourneau, Megan Lyons, Linda McCracken, Diane Meagher, Donna Moxley, Kali Nikias, Carol Packwood, Kathy Polifrone, Amy Proctor, Debra Redfield, Judy Reed, Liz Roloff, Jeanne Sable, Kris Snowman-Shelle, Susie Steele, Mikki Stitham, Lori-Ann Tessier, Amy Thacker, Tracy Thompson, Barbara Wilson, Lynne Wolf, Jan Yardley, Wendy Rezzonico

- Sing for Joy Sunday 10:45am, Lyric Room [GM]

**Apple Crisp** Contra Dance Band Contact: <http://applecrispcontra.com> or Avi Fagan: neffa-

info@applecrispcontra.com, 617-744-1308 (eve) Members: Avi Fagan, Jonathan Fagan, David Neiman

- Contras From Scratch Sunday 11:00am, Auditorium [TB]

**Telespringar Dance** Friday 8:00pm, Auditorium [NM] The Boston Spelemannslag plays Norwegian Telespringar and Telegangar dance music with traditional Hardanger fiddles.

**Thanks to the Gene—A Tribute to Gene Hubert** Saturday 12:00noon Main Hall [DM] This session will honor the late Gene Hubert, the "king of flow", who passed away in March 6, 2006. He was a caller, dance organizer, musician, prolific choreographer of contra, square, and circle dances. But his first love was simply dancing.

**Tinwhistle 4 Dummies** Saturday 9:00pm, Chorus Room [TB] Traditional Irish fingerdancing! The world's favorite instrument since the paleolithic is nearly impossible to master but \*easy\* to learn. Bring a six-hole key of "D" whistle and learn scales, a couple of simple ornaments and a tune, in authentic Irish style.

**Tunewriting Workshop** Saturday 6:00pm, Chorus Room [GM] We will discuss what makes a good dance tune and then write 1 or 2.

**Turkish Folk Music** Saturday 2:00pm, Music Room [E] Turkish village music from Anatolia, Balkans and Caucasus played on saz. We play Turkish folk music from previous Ottoman territories Crimea, Hungary, Balkans, Caucasus and Kerkuk (Iraq).

**Twice Is Nice** Sunday 4:00pm, Lyric Room [E] Doubles intrigue us, both in song titles and in arrangements. We will share some Jewish songs in Hebrew, Ladino, Yiddish, and English that are doubles: two settings of the same lyrics, or the same words repeated in the song title.

**Vocal Harmony Improv.** Saturday 1:45pm, Lyric Room [TM] If you can carry a tune, you can learn to sing your own harmonies by ear! No music theory -- just learn how to listen to a song and create your own harmonies "on the fly." Sit back and let your ears do the work -- it's loads of fun!

**West Gallery Music** Saturday 1:00pm, Small Hall [GM] Sing and play the music from English rural village churches, from the time of Thomas Hardy, Jane Austen, and King George III. For all voices and melody instruments.

**Where's Your Drum?** Sunday 1:30pm, Natick Room [TX] This workshop offers skills for creating music on hand drums from the "cone family": djembe, conga, and ashiko. Through the use of the oral tradition, you'll learn how to: play basic sounds of the instruments; invent rhythms; accompany singing, dancing, and movement. Please bring a "cone family" drum.

**Woman's Prerogative Contras** Sunday 10:00am, Lower Hall [DM] Dances which display a woman's initiative

**Working for a Living** Saturday 11:45am, North Star Room [E] Songs about the many ways people have earned a living at various times and places, in mines, in factories, on farms and on the sea, and how it affects their lives.

**Youth Festival Orchestra** Contras & Squares Saturday 1:00pm, Main Hall [DM] Open to all musicians age 21 and under. These sessions have become a true NEFFA tradition! Contra and square dancing to the music of a Contra dance band consisting of many Festival participants -- open to all 21 and under! If you'd like to join the band, there is no need to pre-register. Just show up with instrument in hand, and play! Conductors and lead musicians will be picking tunes from The Portland Collection and the New England Fiddler's Repertoire, both of which will be available to the Orchestra.

**Zesty Cantigas!** Friday 9:30pm, Lyric Room [GB] Play and sing cantigas from 13th century Spain. All instruments welcome.

**Zwiefachers** Saturday 10:00am, Main Hall [DM] Zwiefachers are tunes that alternate waltzing measures with pivoting measures. Each Zwiefacher has a different sequence of waltz and pivot steps. This session will include a variety of patterns from simple to challenging.

# DANCE PERFORMANCES

SATURDAY AFTERNOON, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm  
Auditorium Stage  
Performances by Children (Cressy Goodwin, M.C.)

**Green Mountain Morris**  
Calusarii (Romanian ritual dance)  
Musicians: Helen Doyle, Sophie Orzechowski

**Lithuanian School of Boston**  
Cigonelis - The Gypsy  
Choreographer: Ona Ivaskiene

**Justine Lo - China**  
Fan-kerchief

**Mulberry Morris and Bubble Rapper**  
Rapper Dance – England

**The Topf Center for Dance Education  
Youth Professionals**  
Latin Dance

**Chinese Folk Art Workshop**  
Chinese folk dance and yo-yos

**Latvian Childrens Folk Dance Group  
of Boston**  
Traditional dances of Latvia

**Dance Revelasian – China**  
Seven Steps

**Triveni Dancers - India**  
Classical Dance of India

**The Topf Center for Dance Education  
Youth Professionals**  
African

**Chinese Folk Art Workshop**  
Dragon Dance

SATURDAY EVENING, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm  
Auditorium Stage  
Performances by Adult Groups (Bonnie Armstrong, M.C.)

**Fiddlekicks**  
Appalachian Clogging Suite  
Musicians: Eden MacAdam-Somer,  
Bill Queen, Larry Unger

**Traditional Chinese Dance Troupe of the  
American Chinese Art Society**  
Traditional Chinese Dances  
Choreographer: Jade Lin

**Forgas – Transylvania**  
Hungarian dances from Transylvania

**Grace Chan - China**  
Paradise

**Fiddlekicks**  
Appalachian Clogging Suite

**Lithuanian Folk Dance Group of Boston  
("Sambūris")**  
Couple dances of Lithuania

**Germantown Country Dancers - England**  
Suite of English Country Dances

**Dance Revelasian - China**  
Golden Pheasants

**Monique Legaré International Dance  
Company**  
Dances from Ukraine

**Krakowiak Polish Dancers of Boston**  
Mazur

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please refer to the Dance Performer listings elsewhere in this program book.

**Stauffer, Maury** Folk/acoustic guitar and vocals, usually 12-string guitar. Folk songs, oldies(60's & 70's), originals. Contact: mhstauffer@comcast.net; 508-358-4686  
• Parlor Song Swap Saturday 10:00am, Lyric Room [GF]

**Sweeney, Ken** Contra, Maritime, So. Old-time, Irish: Songs, Tunes. Harmonica, Banjo, Engl. Concertina, Guitar Contact: kntna@yahoo.com; 860-395-7505 (eve); P.O. Box 156, Higganum CT 06441  
• Southern Mt. Music Saturday 2:30pm, Natick Room [E]  
• Those Romantic Songs Sunday 12:00noon, North Star Room [E]  
• English Concertina Sunday 3:15pm Chorus Room [TM]

**Sweet, Ralph** Call patter, singing squares, & Contras. Contact: ralphsweet@aol.com; 860-749-4494 (eve); www.sweethartflute.com; 32 South Maple St., Enfield CT 06082  
• Singing Squares Swinging Contras Sunday 12:00noon, Main Hall [DM]

**Taraz, Diane** Singer-songwriter, interpreter of traditional songs on guitar and dulcimer. Contact: diane@dianetaraz.com; 781-648-3719; www.dianetaraz.com  
• Inspired by History Sunday 1:00pm, Lyric Room [E]

**Taylor, Marianne** Teach Scottish, English, Contra, "International". Play piano for above. Contact: taylorgorman@juno.com; 603-463-7771; P.O. Box 94, Deerfield NH 03037  
• Bourees for All Saturday 6:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Turner, Ret** Couple Dance instructor. Co-founder of Mostly Waltz Philadelphia dance series. Contact: returner@voicenet.com; 215-643-4397 (eve); 524 Cedar Hill Rd., Amber PA 19002  
• Zwiefachers Saturday 10:00am, Main Hall [DM]

**Unger, Larry** Larry Unger plays dance music: contras, waltzes, swing and more. Contact: larry@larryunger.net; 781-259-4484 (eve); www.larryunger.net; PO Box 6322, Lincoln MA 01773  
• Tunewriting Workshop Saturday 5:00pm, Chorus Room [GM]

**Van Cleave, Marcie** International dance leader, contra dance caller, English dance leader Contact: marciev@comcast.net; 781-979-9118 (eve), 781-662-7475 (day); 29 Natalie Av., Melrose MA 02176  
• Folk Dance Medley Friday 10:00pm, Auditorium [NX]

**Warner, Jeff** Folk singer Contact: 603-431-3383 (eve); 442 Islington St., Portsmouth NH 03801  
• Southern Mt. Music Saturday 2:30pm, Natick Room [E]

**Weber, Sol** "Johnny Appleseed" of round singing (plus gospel). Collecting, singing, leading. Books/albums. Contact: solweber@juno.com; 718-278-4389 (eve), 718-278-4389 (after 11am) (day); 25-14 37th St., Astoria NY 11103  
• Easy 4-part Gospel Saturday 3:15pm, Lyric Room [GM]

**Weiler, Chris** Caller for contra and traditional squares in New England Contact: chris.weiler@weirdtable.org; www.fortytwo.ws/~weiler/caller  
• Festival Orchestra Contrs & Squares Friday 10:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Weinberg, Toby** Traditional Norwegian Hardanger fiddle music and Norwegian and Swedish fiddle music. Contact: tobyweinberg@hotmail.com; 720 Fellows Av., Syacuse NY 13210  
• Seljefloyte Workshop Saturday 2:45pm, Chorus Room [TB]  
• Pols Workshop for Musicians Saturday 5:00pm, North Star Room [TM]  
• Hardanger Fiddle Sunday 2:00pm North Star [E]

**Wersan, Fred** Dancer, musician, caller of chair squares Contact: fwersan@mak.com; 978-369-3141 (eve), 617-876-8085 (day); 61 Southfield Cir., Concord MA 01742  
• Seated Square Dances Sunday 12:00noon, Small Hall [DB]

**Westra, Kathy** Traditional and tradition-based songs accompanied by guitar and dulcimer. Contact: kwestra@islandinstitute.org; 207-594-6357 (eve), 207-594-9209 (day); PO Box 546, Rockland ME 04841  
• Remembering Helen Schneyer Sunday 11:30am, Music Room [E]  
• In the Tradition Sunday 12:45pm, Natick Room [E]

**Yeracaris, Janet** International folk dance instruction, dance programming, singing, general enthusiasm, etc. Contact: jkty@yyci.com; 617-244-5927 (eve)  
• Sing & Dance Together! Sunday 11:45am, Auditorium [TF]

**Young, Jonathan** Workshops in international folk dancing for all! Contact: jonathan\_young@comcast.net; 617-965-2226 (eve); 47 Churchill St., Newtonville MA 02460  
• Endless International Friday 7:00pm, Auditorium [DB]

**Rogers-Browne, Robin** English Country Dance caller Contact: robinrb@comcast.net; 978-897-8629 (eve), 978-897-5774 (day); 69 Red Acre Rd., Stow MA 01775  
• English Encore Sunday 3:30pm, Auditorium [DM]

**Rosen, Sue** Caller of contras, squares, and family dance programs. Contact: suerosen\_caller@yahoo.com; 617-965-0542 (eve), 617-855-3807 (M,T, Th) (day); 23 Hazelhurst Ave., West Newton MA 02465  
• GOOD Contras Sunday 1:30pm, Lower Hall [DM]

**Rotenberg, Sam** English, contra, and couple dancer and leader. Contact: srotenbe@verizon.net; 215-844-3259 (eve), 215-914-3396 (day); 730 E. Dorset St., Philadelphia PA 19119  
• Contras From Scratch Sunday 11:00am, Auditorium [TB]

**Ruch, Dave** Traditional songs of NY State and regional America Contact: dave@daveruch.com; 716-884-6855; www.daveruch.com; 155 St. James Pl., Buffalo NY 14222  
• New England Fireside Saturday 2:00pm, North Star Room [E]

**Rundlett, Gail** Sing along with traditional songs, either acapella or accompanied by mountain dulcimer or guitar. Contact: gailfinnie@yahoo.com; 781-893-1929; 161 Villa St., Waltham MA 02453  
• Dulcimer Anyone? Sunday 2:30pm, Music Room [GM]

**Sagan, Bruce** Scandinavian-style fiddle Contact: sagan@math.msu.edu; 908-241-7988 (eve); www.mth.msu.edu/~sagan; 149 East Clay Av., Roselle Park NJ 07204  
• Three Swedish Fiddles Sunday 1:00pm, Chorus Room [E]

**Saletan, Tony** New England traditional-style dance; participatory folk-style songs. Contact: Tony.Saletan@post.harvard.edu; 253-566-6548; www.wgbhalumni.org/reunion/saletan.htm; 6003 Alameda Way W, University Place WA 98467  
• Festival Orchestra Contras & Squares Sunday 4:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Santis, Wendy** No information provided. Contact: wsantis@yahoo.com; 781-893-1199 (eve); 209 Ash St., Waltham MA 02453  
• Mom & Me Go Latin Saturday 12:30pm, Music Room [E]

**Savig, Sonja** Norwegian songs and folk songs with translations and family anecdotes. Contact: jerepst@att.net; 845-359-1456 (eve), 845-661-8742 (day); 283 River Rd., Grandview NY 10960  
• Songs from My Family Sunday 10:45am, Music Room [E]

**Schmidt, Ellen** No information provided. Contact: eschmidt01742@yahoo.com; 978-369-8090; www.ellenschmidt.com; 199 Cambridge Tpke., Concord MA 01742  
• Mom & Me Go Latin Saturday 12:30pm, Music Room [E]

**Schwab, Jacqueline** Pianist with Bare Necessities and on PBS documentaries by Ken Burns Contact: jaspianist@aol.com; 781-652-0298; http://jaspianist.com; 10 Sylvia St., Lexington MA 02421  
• Gender-free English Saturday 11:00am, Main Hall [DM]

**Scudder, Janet** Storyteller. Contact: jscudder@aol.com; 617-926-1708 (eve); 87 Poplar St., Watertown MA 02472  
• Secret Life of Plants Saturday 10:00am, Natick Room [EF]

**Seidler, Reinmar** No information provided. Contact: reinmar.seidler@umb.edu; 617-524-2736 (eve); 39 Green St., Boston MA 02130  
• Gender-free English Saturday 11:00am, Main Hall [DM]

**Siftar, Barb** Folksinger Contact: bsiftar@partners.org; 617-776-1565 (eve), 617-724-0803 (day); 138 Sycamore St., #4, Somerville MA 02145  
• Sing Rounds! Saturday 12:00noon, Natick Room [GM]

**Sollogub, Lucy Joan** Teacher and performer of traditional, contemporary and original music on mountain dulcimer Contact: 781-769-7118 (eve), 617-482-7494 x26 (day); 106 Hill St., Norwood MA 02062  
• Mountain & Hammered Dulcimer Duets Friday 8:30pm, Music Room [E]  
• Mountain Dulcimer Workshop Saturday 11:30am, Chorus Room [TM]

**Stames-Hamilton, Judith** International folk, social dance, children's dance, family dances, school programs. Contact: stamham@rcn.com; 508-877-6375; 5 Edgebrook Rd., Framingham MA 01701  
• Family Folk Dance Saturday 3:30pm, Auditorium [DF]

## SATURDAY EVENING, 7:30 pm - 9:00 pm Auditorium Stage Performances by Adult Groups (Corey Boniface, M.C.)

**Dance Revelasian – China**  
Spring

**Highland Dance Boston – Scotland**  
Eyemouth Harbour, Seann Triubhas,  
Farewell to Nigg, Flora MacDonald,  
Highland Laddie  
Musicians: Barbara McOwen, Marianne  
Taylor, Mike MacNintch

**American Chinese Art Society Dance**  
**Studio**  
Traditional Chinese Dances  
Choreographer: Jade Lin

**Academy of Serbian Folk Dancing**  
– Serbia

**Krakowiak Polish Dancers of Boston**  
Krakowiak

**Ludo Mlado – Bulgaria**  
Magic of Bulgaria

**Charm City Rapper**

**Tierra del Sol - Mexican**  
Dances from the state of Guerrero

**Zukukim - Israeli**  
Ketzev Hanegev (modern Israeli Debka)  
Choreographer: Becca Rausch

**Academy of Serbian Folk Dancing**  
– Serbia

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## SUNDAY AFTERNOON, 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm Main Hall Dance Performances (Marianne Taylor, M.C.)

**Revels Circle of Song**  
Spring Procession

**Royal Scottish Country Dance Society,**  
**Boston Branch**  
Scottish Country Dance Medley  
Choreographer: Loren Wright  
Musicians: Tom Pixton, Debbie Billmers

**Sucaria - Israeli**  
Hinei Rakevet  
Choreographer: Becca Rausch

**Country Dance Society,**  
**Boston Centre - England**  
Cadgers' Caper  
The Merry Salopians  
Barbarini's Tambourine

**Firelech – Jewish Musical Theatre**  
"Jewish wedding in a shtetle"

**Hansen-Keohane Irish Step Dancers**  
The Rose of Tralee  
Treble Reel  
The Showcase

**Orion and Orion Junior Longsword**  
English longsword dancing

**Collage Dance Ensemble**  
"Balkan Blues"  
Choreographer: Ahmet Lüleci

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# PERFORMERS

## (INDIVIDUALS)

The following is a listing of individual performers this year at NEFFA. They are listed alphabetically by last names (although first names do appear at the beginning). Contact information is included, and events in which the performers are participating. See "Event Codes" for the coding explanation.

**Ackerson, Lynn** Caller of contras and traditional squares. Contact: callynn1@pacbell.net; 510-525-7440 (eve), 510-891-3556 (day); 408 Balra Dr., El Cerrito CA 94530  
 • Contra Connections Friday 8:00pm, Lower Hall [DM]

**Agranoff, Mike** Guitarist, singer, raconteur and consummate entertainer Contact: Mike@Mike.Agranoff.com; 973-335-9489 (eve); www.mikeagranoff.com; 11 Overlook Rd., Boonton Township NJ 07005  
 • Concert Saturday 9:00pm, Lyric Room [E]  
 • Spoken Word Sunday 12:15pm, Lyric Room [E]  
 • Parodies, Pair o Dose Sunday 2:30pm, Lyric Room [E]

**Anderson, Susan** Folk dance teacher, musician and singer Contact: AndeSusan@comcast.net; 610-688-3284; www.phillydance.com/~susananderson; 655 Crestwood Rd., Wayne PA 19087  
 • Balkan Sing-a-long Sunday 10:00am, Small Hall [GM]

**Axel-Lute, Melanie** Caller of contras and English country dances, including gender-free Contact: maxellute@yahoo.com; www.maxellute.net; 353 Meeker St., South Orange NJ 07079  
 • Festival Orchestra Contras & Squares Friday 10:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Bernbaum, Bev** Contra dance caller Contact: wturnip@sympatico.ca; 416-603-3451 (eve), 416-483-5974 x42 (day); 3C 1-140 Bathurst St., Toronto ON M5V 3N8, CANADA  
 • Festival Orchestra Contras & Squares Sunday 4:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Berns, Leora** Dancing & Teaching International Dance for 30 years. Contact: optomate@aya.yale.edu; 860-521-6440 (eve); 16 Willowbrook Rd., W Hartford CT 06107  
 • Armenian Dances Saturday 4:30pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Binder, Mark** Fun stories of wisefolk and fools for all ages Contact: mark@markbinder.com; 401-272-8707; www.markbinder.com; P.O. Box 2462, Providence RI 02906  
 • Fools and Wisefolk Saturday 10:00am, North Star Room [EF]

**Black, Eric** Caller of contras and squares. Contact: eric@mirador.com; 650-747-0786 (eve), 650-299-1067 (day); www.eric-black.com/Caller.html; P.O. Box 9, La Honda CA 94020  
 • Go With the Flow Friday 7:00pm, Lower Hall [DM]

**Bloom, Bob** Bob Bloom was a performing member of Dr. Babatunde Olatunji's troupe "Drums of Passion". Bob is a member of the touring roster of the New England Foundation for the Arts Contact: bb@drumming-about-you.com; 860-429-9280 (day); www.drumming-about-you.com  
 • Where's Your Drum? Sunday 1:30pm, Natick Room [TX]  
 • Get A Drum Ride Sunday 2:15pm, Natick Room [GF]

**Bloom, Jacob** Contra, Square, Klezmer, Colonial and Morris dance leader. Contact: bloom@gis.net; 781-648-8230 (eve), 781-774-5303 (day); www.gis.net/~bloom; 169 Sylvia St., Arlington MA 02476  
 • Family Dance Saturday 11:00am, Auditorium [DF]

**Bodington, Ralph** Plays old time American banjo tunes and ballads. Contact: RSueBod@aol.com; 401-635-2055; 1 Town Way, Little Compton RI 02837  
 • American Banjo Tunes Saturday 6:30pm, Lyric Room [E]

**Brill, Louise** International community dance teacher & programmer, school residencies and round singing leader Contact: dance@together.net; 802-633-3226 (eve), 802-633-3326 (day)  
 • Brilliant Moon Dance Sunday 11:00am, Main Hall [TM]

**Murray, Evelyn** Scottish Country Dance instructor. Contact: athollbrose@verizon.net; 617-864-8945 (eve), 617-661-5899 (day); 37 Blanchard Rd., Cambridge MA 02138  
 • Scottish Dancing Saturday 7:30pm, Lower Hall [DM]

**Murungu, Solomon** Solomon Murungu plays hauntingly polyrhythmic mbira music from his native Zimbabwe. Contact: Solomon.Murungu@Zambuko.com; 508-756-0904 (eve), 781-707-8670 (day); www.zambuko.com  
 • Mbire Music of Zimbabwe Saturday 2:30pm, Lyric Room [EF]

**Nelson, Kinloch** Fingerstyle guitarist: composer, performer, teacher...Roots Americana, Classical, 30 Years. Contact: kinloch@rochester.rr.com; www.kinlochnelson.com; PO Box 93331, Rochester NY 14692  
 • Chords with Melody Saturday 5:00pm, Chorus Room [TM]  
 • Just guitar no words Sunday 1:45pm, Music Room [E]

**Noel, Lynn** Bluewater and whitewater music, sense of place in song/story. Contact: lynnoel@mac.com; 781-643-5747 (eve), 978-985-2707 (cell) (day); www.lynnoel.com; 14 Waldo Rd., Arlington MA 02474  
 • Power Harmonies Saturday 4:00pm, Lyric Room [E]

**Olson, Bill** Contradance and family dance caller. Contradance, Cajun guitar, bass. Sings. Contact: callbill@hotmail.com; www.megalink.net/~pweeks/billscorner.html  
 • Festival Orchestra Contras & Squares Saturday 10:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Orzechowski, Jane** Swedish traditional fiddle music for dancing, listening, weddings, etc. Contact: orzechowski@nhvt.net; 603-542-8978 (eve); 334 Chandler's Mill Rd., Newport NH 03773  
 • Three Swedish Fiddles Sunday 1:00pm Chorus Room [E]

**Parkes, Beth** Square and Contra Dance Caller. Contact: beth@hands4.com; 978-670-9333 (eve); www.hands4.com/beth.html; 13 Springs Rd., Billerica MA 01821  
 • Bandana Dances - Tips for One Night Stand Success Friday 9:30pm, Chorus Room [C]  
 • Beginner's Dance Saturday 1:00pm, Auditorium [DB]  
 • Modern Classics/Contras & Squares Saturday 2:30pm, Lower Hall [DM]

**Parkes, Tony** Square & contra dance caller & pianist. Contact: tony@hands4.com; 978-670-9333; www.hands4.com/tony.html; P.O. Box 641, Bedford MA 01730  
 • Rod's Quads Saturday 3:30pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Pearl, Dan** Contra, square, and folk dance leadership. Sound system workshops. Contact: Daniel\_Pearl@yahoo.com; 508-229-2854; 15 Buffalo Run, Southborough MA 01772  
 • Contras for Larry Jennings Saturday 4:30pm, Lower Hall [DM]  
 • Gigs from HELL Saturday 10:00pm, North Star Room [C]

**Price, Anne** Singer of traditional and contemporary Anglo-American folk songs. Contact: aeprice@aol.com; www.anneprice.com; 80 Knolls Crescent, Apt. 2M, Bronx NY 10463  
 • Ballad Swap Friday 8:30pm, Chorus Room [G]  
 • Working for a Living Saturday 11:45am, North Star Room [E]  
 • Happy Endings, Sad Endings Saturday 8:00pm, Natick Room [E]

**Rashba, Howie** Amateur Folk Musician Contact: howardrashba@mac.com; 781-275-9438 (eve); 21 Glenridge Dr., Bedford MA 01730  
 • Merle Travis Guitar Sunday 4:00pm, Chorus Room [TM]

**Reiner, David** Traditional fiddle tunes, including Celtic, old-time, ragtime, swing, Cajun, bluegrass. Contact: dsreiner@rcn.com; 781-863-0140 (eve), 781-367-7316 (day)  
 • Fiddle Styles Saturday 4:15pm, Chorus Room [TM]

**Reiner, Joanna** English and Scottish country dance teacher Contact: jlreiner@aol.com; 215-925-3902 (eve), 215-519-7641 (day); 421 S. 8th St., #1R, Philadelphia PA 19147  
 • English Extravaganza Saturday 2:30pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Rivkin, Judi** English country dance leader known for clarity, humor, and musicality Contact: judi.rivkin@alumni.usc.edu; www.rivkinetic.org; 1121 Lawrenceville Rd., Lawrenceville NJ 08648  
 • ECDelightful English Country Dance Sunday 10:00am, Main Hall [DM]

**Roberts, John** English folksongs, often accompanied on concertina or banjo. Contact: anglo@nycap.rr.com; 518-370-4166; www.goldenhindmusic.com; 1605 Lenox Rd., Schnectady NY 12308  
 • Traditional English Song Saturday 5:00pm, Music Room [E]

**Roby, Tom** Balkan, Couple, Hungarian, International Folkdance teaching; English and Contra calling. Contact: tom.robby@uconn.edu; 860-429-4800 eve; www.math.uconn.edu/~troby; 16 Oak Hill Rd., Storrs CT 06268  
 • Romanian Remembered Saturday 12:45pm, Lower Hall [TM]



**Lindsay, Stephen** Born in Dublin, Ireland; has been playing Irish traditional music and song for years in both Ireland and the USA. Plays guitar and sings. Contact: mega712@juno.com; 1-508-942-0482 (eve); 508-830-0651 (day); 32R South St. Plymouth MA 02360

- Irish Music Concert Saturday 10:00pm Music Room [E]

**Lo, Justine** Experienced Chinese Dancer. Contact: k\_k@charter.net

- Dance Performance Saturday 2:00pm Auditorium [E]

**MacMillan, Neal** Bagpipes: Northumbrian and Scottish small pipes, Border & French pipes, fiddle and songs Contact: bronmacm@aol.com; 617-739-0548 (eve); 1731 Beacon St. #517, Brookline MA 02445

- Meet the Bagpipes Saturday 12:30pm, North Star Room [P]

**Maher, Chloe** Chloe is a piano player and avid dancer from Philadelphia. Contact:

2207 Memphis St. Philadelphia PA 19125

- English Music Jam Saturday 4:00pm, Small Hall [GM]

**Maier, Jan** Invent harmonies by ear without any theory training. Contact: jemsong@comcast.net

- Vocal Harmony Improv. Saturday 1:45pm, Lyric Room [TM]

**Malenky, Bob** Folk guitarist and singer specializing in American songs with emphasis on blues (with guitar). Contact: Bob@bobmalenky.com; 212-234-2325; www.bobmalenky.com; 780 Riverside Dr. (6B), New York NY 10032

- Blues Styles Sunday 1:00pm, North Star Room [E]

**Marcus, Bruce** Storytelling for adults, seniors and older children since 1990. Contact:

brucestories@yahoo.com; 781-321-9972 (eve); 46 Columbia St., Malden MA 02148

- Story Swap Saturday 1:00pm, Natick Room [GM]

**Mattsson, Ken** Singer, Dance Instructor, and Instrumentalist Contact: ken@kenmattsson.com; 617-480-4527 (eve); http://KenMattsson.com

- Power Harmonies Saturday 4:00pm, Lyric Room [E]

**Mayer, Evy** Folk singer and instrumentalist. Plays ukulele and percussion. Contact:

ukelady1@prodigy.net; 718-549-1344 (eve); www.ukelady.com

- If You Like Ukulele Lady Saturday 11:00am, Music Room [G]
- Early 1900s Songs Saturday 6:45pm, Music Room [G]
- Mom & Me Go Latin Saturday 12:30pm, Music Room [E]

**McIntire, John** Calls contemporary and traditional contras and squares. Contact: circleleft@uninets.net; 207-568-7597 (eve); 323 Crosby Brook Rd., Unity ME 04988

- Festival Orchestra Contras & Squares Friday 10:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

**McOwen, Barbara** Scottish music for dancing; fiddle lessons Contact: bmcowen@comcast.net; 781-648-3955; www.mcowen.net; 146 Washington St., Arlington MA 02474

- Scottish Jam Session Sunday 4:00pm, Small Hall [GM]

**Miller, Dave** Versatile fiddler--plays fiddle for contra, Irish, English & Scottish dancing Contact:

davemiller1@comcast.net; 215-927-1244; 6507 North 7th St., Philadelphia PA 19126

- Contra Tune Slow Jam Sunday 11:00am, Small Hall [GM]

**Milner, Bonnie** Singer of songs of sea and shore. Contact: johnsongirls@hotmail.com; 212-691-7243 (eve); 303 West 19th St., Apt. 23, New York NY 10011

- Songs of Sea & Shore Saturday 6:00pm, Small Hall [E]

**Milner, Dan** Traditional Irish and Irish-American folk songs and ballads. Songs of the golden age of sail. Contact: folkmusic@prodigy.net; 212-691-7243 (eve);

http://sites.netscape.net/milnerconroy/milnerconroy; 303 West 19th St., #23, New York NY 10011

- Songs of Sea & Shore Saturday 6:00pm, Small Hall [E]

**Mohr, Rick** Contra dance caller and fiddler. Contact: RickMohr@comcast.net; 617-924-5454 (eve), 617-520-8567 (day); http://home.comcast.net/~rickmohr; 59 Channing Rd., Watertown MA 02472

- Festival Orchestra Contras & Squares Saturday 10:00pm, Main Hall [DM]
- Festival Orchestra Contras & Squares Sunday 4:00pm Main Hall [DM]

**Mulvaney, P.g.** P.g. Mulvaney has been playing and teaching Irish music for over 25 years. Contact:

pgmulvaney@hotmail.com; 617-625-6907 (eve), 617-625-6907 (day); 176 Summer St. #3, Somerville MA 02143

- Bouzouki Workshop Saturday 8:00pm, Chorus Room [CM]
- Tinwhistle 4 Dummies Saturday 9:00pm, Chorus Room [TB]
- Irish Music Concert Saturday 10:00pm, Music Room [E]
- Irish Flute Workshop Sunday 11:30am Chorus Room [TM]

**Calzado, Glenda Rush** Flamenco-inspired, English language sensual guitar music, with a soulful groove Contact: glendavivo@hotmail.com; www.cdbaby.com/cd/calzado

- One Week in Havana Friday 10:30pm, Music Room [E]

**Cann, Amy** Fiddler: Twenty year veteran of both public and private school classes and residencies; couple dance teacher Contact: acann@putneyschool.org; 802-387-2359; 2426 Westminster West Rd., Putney VT 05346

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- Can This Work In My Classroom? Saturday 2:00pm, Chorus Room [C]

**Carpenter, Chris** Chris plays mandolin, banjo, clarinet and sax, and sings. Contact:

mandochamp2003@yahoo.com; 718-965-4036 (eve), 212-506-3746 (day)

- Contra Tune Slow Jam Sunday 11:00am, Small Hall [GM]

**Chan, Grace** A very experienced Chinese dancer. Contact: k\_k@charter.net

- Dance Performances Saturday 6:00pm Auditorium Stage [E]

**Cicone, Michael** English Country Dance leader and hammered dulcimer performer and teacher.

Contact: mvcicone@yahoo.com; 781-891-3296 (eve), 617-495-3694 (day)

- Gender-free English Saturday 11:00am, Main Hall [DM]

**Coffin, David** Maritime singer, multi-instrumentalist, Master of ceremonies with Revels, educator, and school performer. Contact: dcoffin@davidcoffin.com; 978-282-4680 (eve); www.davidcoffin.com; 38 Haskell St., Gloucester MA 01930

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- Life At Sea: A Voyage in Song Saturday 7:00pm, Natick Room [GF]

**de Guardiola, Susan** Social dance historian - researcher, teacher, caller - Renaissance to early 20th century and more! Contact: susan@generalist.org; 203-865-8932 (eve); www.blank.org/susan; PO Box 8997, New Haven CT 06532

- Scotch Quadrilles Sunday 1:30pm, Auditorium [DM]

**Dick, Dan** Contact: dandick@comcast.net; 508-653-9421; 32 Cottage St., Natick MA 01760

- Jug Playing 101 Saturday 1:00pm, Chorus Room [TB]

**Edwards, Craig** Contact: craig@mysticseaport.org; 860-536-4628 (eve), 860-572-0711 x5037 (day); P.O. Box 367, Mystic CT 06355

- Southern Mt. Music Saturday 2:30pm, Natick Room [E]

**Elberger, Susan** New England style contras and squares. Contact: saelberger@verizon.net; 781-674-2304 (eve); 10 Ellison Rd., Lexington MA 02421

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- Three's a Charm Contras Saturday 10:00am, Lower Hall [DM]

**Fichtenbaum, Matt** Swedish fiddler & nyckelharpa player for dancing and listening. Contact:

mattfic@rcn.com; 978-256-8546 (eve), 781-674-2400 (day); 46 Sleigh Rd., Chelmsford MA 01824

- Three Swedish Fiddles Sunday 1:00pm, Chorus Room [E]

**Fontana, Karen** Caller of contra and social folk dances. Contact: karen\_fontana@yahoo.com; 650-691-9663 (eve), 650-387-1728 (day); www.karenscontracorner.com; P.O. Box 391353, Mountain View CA 94039

- Youth Festival Orchestra Contras & Squares Saturday 1:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Fowler, Chrissy** Contras, family dances & other joy-filled occasions Contact: ktaadn\_me@hotmail.com; 207-338-0979 (eve); 93 Kaler Rd., Belfast ME 04915

- Woman's Prerogative Contras Sunday 10:00am, Lower Hall [DM]

**Friend, Alan** Traditional songs and tunes. Plays banjo, guitar and concertina. Performs with Julia Friend. Contact: alanfriend\_music@hotmail.com; 718-965-4074; http://a.friend.home.mindspring.com; 440 Fifth St., Brooklyn NY 11215

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- Happy Endings, Sad Endings Saturday 8:00pm, Natick Room [E]

**Gillman, Jackson** "Stand-Up Chameleon" customizes song/comedy/story for any event. References galore. Contact: jacksong@jacksongillman.com; 508-295-0886; www.jacksongillman.com; P.O. Box 41, Onset MA 04660

Onset MA 04660

- Spring Into Action Saturday 3:15pm, Natick Room [EF]

**Goddard, Pamela** For 30 years Pamela Goddard's been drawn to story telling songs, learning traditional songs from both sides of the Atlantic. She is also a writer and a dance caller. Contact: 607-273-8678 (eve); www.pamgoddard.com; 605 West King Rd., Ithaca NY 14850

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- New England Fireside Saturday 2:00pm, North Star Room [E]

**Golder, Bob** Caller, New England contra dances Contact: robertgolder@comcast.net; 508-999-2486 (eve); 164 Maxfield St., New Bedford MA 02740

- Role-Free Contrás Friday 9:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Gordon, Yorina** Contra caller and English Country Dance teacher Contact: judy\_gordon@standardandpoors.com; 212-569-4374 (eve), 212-438-7498 (day); www.cdny.org/gordon.htm; 34 Seaman Av., #2E, New York NY 10034

- Festival Orchestra Contrás & Squares Saturday 10:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Grady, Mance** Bodhran maker and player Contact: info@mance.com; 401-333-2293; www.mance.com; 94 Angell Rd., Cumberland RI 02864

- Absolute Bodhrán Saturday 7:00pm, Chorus Room [P]

**Grant, April** Balladry, songs humorous and and horrific, funny poems and ancient myths. Contact: aprilcath@yahoo.com; 413-584-7725

- enery the Eighth Friday 10:30pm, Chorus Room [E]
- Songs from A Little House Sunday 10:00am, Lyric Room [EF]

**Greenleaf, Lisa** Contrás, squares, family dances and parties; callers' workshops. Contact: laleaf@verizon.net; 978-779-6077 (eve)

- Callers & Dancetunes Saturday 11:00am, North Star Room [CM]
- Equal Turn Squares & Contrás Saturday 9:00pm Main Hall [DM]

**Gruverman, Steve** Wind player for international folk dancing Contact: gruve@maine.rr.com; 207-688-2293 (eve)

- French Music Jam Sunday 2:00pm, Small Hall [GM]

**Hammil, Joanne** Songwriter, performer and educator. Specialties: Family/Community Concerts; Rounds Sings. Contact: joanne@joannehammil.com; 617-923-8448; www.joannehammil.com; 70 Capitol St., Watertown MA 02472

- Sing Rounds! Saturday 12:00noon, Natick Room [GM]

**Hammond, Bennett** Virtuoso fingerstyle, guitarist, teacher, performer Contact: dulcimers@comcast.net; 617-232-1045 (eve); http://GreatAcoustics.org; 146 High St., Brookline MA 02445

- Hands-on Guitar! Saturday 3:30pm, Chorus Room [TM]

**Hantman, Joan** Israeli and Balkan dancer, teacher and performer for over 25 years. Contact: joan@havetodance.com; 617-484-3267 (eve), 781-894-3600x2623 (day)

- Beautiful Balkan Saturday 12:00noon, Lower Hall [TM]

**Heine, Katy** New England-style contra caller with clear teaching style and fun repertoire Contact: kheine@twcny.rr.com; 607-273-0249 (eve), 607-257-0800 (day); 696 Coddington Rd., Ithaca NY 14850

- Youth Festival Orchestra Contrás & Squares Saturday 1:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Higgs, Scott** Playful, spirited, elegant, zesty, joyful contra, English, and couple dancing. Contact: jhiggs@alum.haverford.edu; 610-341-9933 (eve); www.scotthiggs.com; 588 Forest Rd., Wayne PA 19087

- Joyful English Dance Saturday 8:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Holland, Steve** Contra and Square dance caller. Contact: SteveHoll@AOL.com; 203-288-7476 (eve); www.ctcontra.com:81/caller/steve\_holland.html; 175 Mill Pond Rd., #124, Hamden CT 06514

- Rum & Onions XXVI Contrás & Squares Saturday 7:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Hopkins, Allen** Old and new American folk music; historic and theme programs, group singing, multi-instrumentalist. Contact: allen@allenhopkins.org; 585-482-6062; http://allenhopkins.org; 111 Newcastle Rd., Rochester NY 14610

- The Grand Canal Saturday 11:00am, Natick Room [G]
- Songs from A Little House Sunday 10:00am, Lyric Room [EF]
- Long Steel Rail Sunday 2:30pm Chorus Room [E]
- Closing Sing-Around Sunday 4:30pm Natick Room [G]

**Hunt, Donna** Contra and square dance caller, from Philadelphia area. Contact: dhuntdancer@aol.com; 215-402-0133 (eve); 1300 Bergan Rd., Orelan PA 19075

- Thanks to the Gene: A Tribute to Gene Hubert Saturday 12:00noon, Main Hall [DM]

**Hurrell, Nancy** Harp: Celtic, Renaissance, medieval and classical. Books & CDs. Contact: HurrellHarp@aol.com; 781-848-3393; www.HurrellHarp.com; 82 Parkside Av., Braintree MA 02184

- O'Carolan Tunes Friday 7:30pm, Chorus Room [GM]
- Zesty Cantigas! Friday 9:30pm, Lyric Room [GB]
- Celtic Harp Concert Sunday 4:30pm, Music Room [E]

**Isaacs, Bob** Caller of contrás and squares for all experience levels Contact: isaacsbob@hotmail.com; 732-846-6230 (eve), 908-253-3200 (day); 17 Baldwin St., New Brunswick NJ 08901

- Youth Festival Orchestra Contrás & Squares Saturday 1:00pm, Main Hall [DM]

**Iverson, Ralph** Multi-instrumentalist. Doesn't do accordion, banjo, or trombone. Contact: ralph.iverson@comcast.net; 781-648-4330 (eve), 617-306-1902 (day); 65 Magnolia St., Arlington MA 02474

- Science of Music Sunday 10:00am Chorus Room [C]

**Kacalanos, Melissa** Percussionist, singer, hurdy-gurdy player in Jiggermeister, middle eastern dancer Contact: melissa@melissatheloud.com; 607-273-3864; www.melissatheloud.com; 915 N. Cayuga St., Ithaca NY 14850

- Hurdy Gurdy etc. Saturday 10:00am, Chorus Room [E]
- Contra Percussion Saturday 10:45am, Chorus Room [TM]

**Kirby, George** George has enjoyed teaching drumming & Israeli dance for many years Contact: george.lori@verizon.net

- Mid-East Drumming Sunday 10:45am, Chorus Room [TB]

**Kitch, Jim** Call and compose contrás, English, squares; teach swing, waltz, etc. Contact: jimkitch@aol.com; 610-676-0123 (eve)

- Gypsy Contrás Sunday 3:30pm, Lower Hall [DM]

**Korr, Jeremy** Contra dance caller Contact: jeremykorr@hotmail.com; 909-481-8312 (eve); 9860 Galena Ct., Rancho Cucamonga CA 91730

- Perfect Fit Contrás Saturday 6:00pm, Lower Hall [DM]

**Kraemer, Pete** Singer, guitarist, lover of tradition, member of Sidekicks Contact: peterkraemer@earthlink.net; 301-585-6710 (eve), 301-538-7613 (day); 413 Mansfield St., Silver Spring MD 20910

- Heroes of the Blues Saturday 10:45pm, North Star Room [E]

**Landy, Joel** Activist/songwriter Joel produces Songs of Freedom Television in NYC. Contact: joellandy@yahoo.com; 718-937-2240; www.singfreedom.org; 123-35 82nd Rd. #8Q, Kew Gardens NY 11415

- Phil Ochs Song Swap Saturday 7:15pm, Lyric Room [GB]
- Tangled Up In Bob Dylan! Saturday 9:30pm, Natick Room [G]

**Laskowski, Regina** Teaches/choreographs Polish Folk and International Folk Dances for Adults/Children Contact: laskowsk@fas.harvard.edu (Sept-May); 617-328-1307 (eve); 98 Bellevue Rd., Quincy MA 02171

- Polish in 3/4 Time Saturday 5:00pm, Auditorium [TM]

**Lassetter, Leslie** Dance teacher: English country, contra, family, community dance; folksinger; composer/choreographer Contact: 781-641-2782 (eve); 1281 Mass. Av., 2nd Fl., Arlington MA 02476

- English for Everyone Friday 7:00pm, Main Hall [DB]

**Lee, Ginny** Norwegian dances for kids and families. Contact: ginnylee@hotmail.com; 315-478-1790 (eve); 720 Fellows Av., Syracuse NY 13210

- Norwegian Kids' Dance Sunday 12:30pm, Auditorium [DF]

**Leiby, Peggy** Clogging performer and instructor. Contact: pleiby@phillydance.com

- Appalachian Clogging Workshop Sunday 2:30pm, Auditorium Stage [TM]

**Leslie, Linda** Contra and English Country Dance caller; focus on family, special celebrations, and wheel chair dances. Contact: laleslierjg@comcast.net; 508-999-2486 (eve); 164 Maxfield St., New Bedford MA 02740

- Family Contra Dance Saturday 10:00am, Auditorium [DF]
- Coaching / Mentoring Sunday 10:00am, North Star Room [C]
- Great Memories Contrás Sunday 2:30pm, Lower Hall [DM]

**Lev, Heather** Award-winning songwriter, singer, guitarist and multi-instrumentalist from New York City. Contact: heatherlev@hotmail.com; www.heatherlev.com

- Malvina Reynolds Saturday 10:00pm, Chorus Room [GF]
- Songs of Struggle Sunday 3:00pm, North Star Room [GM]

**Levine, Barbara** Barbara Levine has played hammered dulcimer with multiple contra dance groups. She currently plays traditional and original music in a duo with lap dulcimer Lucy Joan Sollogub.

- Contact: Bmuse8@comcast.net; 781-862-9330 (eve); 118 Reed St. Lexington MA 02421
- Mountain & Hammered Dulcimer Duets Friday 8:30pm Music Room [E]