



The Folk Project

October 2014

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A Project Halloween Concert Party at the Minstrel

featuring

A Tribute to Jimmy Durante by Grover Kemble, plus The Cavalcade of Costumed Crooners

On Friday, October 31st the Project goes all out with our first ever Halloween Concert Party, starring Grover Kemble in a *Tribute to Jimmy Durante*. We'll close the night with a *Cavalcade of Costumed Crooners*: Dave Kleiner, Christine DeLeon, Diane Perry, Jim Gartner, Dave Sherman, Ken Galipeau, Liz Pagan, Mark Schaffer, and a whole host of member performers backed by Project bands. Opening the evening will be a brief appearance by Edith Pilaf, unrenowned worldwide as the Faux Famous French Chanteuse. Prizes will be awarded to the best costume by an audience member.



Kemble's portrayal of Durante, the beloved icon of American stage and screen, is the centerpiece of the show. He captures Durante's unique delivery of comedy, character, and song in this delightful show, from the raucous novelty hits of Jimmy's early vaudeville career through the sentimental nostalgic ballads of his later popular revival. Grover Kemble is New Jersey's own great jazz and swing showman, renowned and beloved for his work with ZaZuZaz, Sha Na Na, and as a fantastic vocalist and guitarist.

We finish up with our first Halloween Concert Party, our *Cavalcade of Costumed Crooners*. Fabulous Folk Project vocalists, in costume, will entertain you, accompanied by our most excellent member musicians and

bands. Expect cowboys, princesses, vampires, and more to capture your heart. Or bite your neck. Opening the evening will be Edith Pilaf, a virtually legendary performer. Views of her performances range from "Like nothing I've ever heard before," to "Unbelievable," to "Show biz will never be the same."

Spend Halloween with the Project. We know how to throw a concert party.

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The Folk Project is extremely proud to present
A Special Concert at the Minstrel
Jonathan Edwards with opener Lucy Kaplansky

Friday November 21, 2014 at 8pm
Morristown Unitarian Fellowship Hall
21 Normandy Heights Road
Morristown, NJ 07960

Tickets are \$30 advance, and \$35 at the door (if available).

Advance tickets available online at folkproject.org or any Friday night at The Minstrel.

Call or email with any questions: concerts@folkproject.org, 908/229-1214

Jonathan Edwards



Warm as summer sunshine, real as the truth, intimate as a long overdue visit between old friends; such is a Jonathan Edwards concert. Four decades into a stellar career of uncompromising musical integrity, the man simply delivers, night after night—songs of passion, songs of insight, songs of humor—all rendered in that pure and powerful tenor which, like fine wine, has only grown sweeter with age.

Jonathan brings with him a highly respected repertoire that includes such classics as "Honky Tonk Stardust Cowboy," "Sometimes," "One Day Closer," "Athens County," and everyone's favorite ode to putting a good buzz on, "Shanty." And then, of course, there's the anthemic "Sunshine (Go Away Today)," that fierce proclamation of protest and independence that resonated with a frustrated and determined populace when it was first released in 1971. More than 40 years later, at show after show, the song continues to be embraced by faithful followers and new fans alike.

Lucy Kaplansky



As both a solo artist and in collaboration with everyone from Suzanne Vega and Shawn Colvin to Richard Shindell and John Gorka, Lucy Kaplansky has been at the forefront of the contemporary folk music scene for the last two decades.

Her songs are about living, breathing people. They're about life itself, in all its awkward, emotional, and difficult glory. There's poetry in there, but not at the cost of the stories themselves.

(Attendees of The Folk Project Weekend Getaways can consider this an appetizer, as we've been given permission to announce that Lucy will be headlining this Spring!)

Check 'Em Out Before You Go

In case you hadn't realized it, for the past few months the Minstrel calendar at www.folkproject.org has been including links to sample videos of most acts on our schedule. You'll see the little icon in the act's description, which will link you to the video, and gives you the title of the video.

We'd like to know how useful this is as a tool for you in deciding whether or not to go see a performer that's unknown to you. Have you used those links? How often? Have they convinced you to go? Have they convinced you not to go? We'd be interested in any feedback. Send it to Minstrel@FolkProject.org.

The Minstrel

October 2014
Acoustic Concert Series presented by The Folk Project

Concerts every Friday at 8pm at the Morristown Unitarian Fellowship
21 Normandy Heights Road, Morristown, NJ
www.FolkProject.org • 973/335-9489 • Minstrel@FolkProject.org

Fri. 10/3: Sloan Wainwright with The Wag



Defying standard categorization, singer/songwriter **Sloan Wainwright** consistently demonstrates her easy command of a variety of American musical styles—pop, folk, jazz, and blues—held together by the melodious tone of her rich contralto. The end result, a unique and soulful hybrid. Part of a large folk dynasty, including Loudon Wainwright, Kate McGarrigle, and Suzzy Roche, Sloan's destiny in the folk world might have been easily predicted.

The Wag, a 3-piece pop-rock band, features great harmonies behind any of 3 lead singers that elicit echoes of Crosby Stills & Nash, the Beatles, or Simon & Garfunkel. They perform original songs sprinkled with occasional covers from the era of their inspiration.

Fri. 10/10: CLOSED for the Folk Project Acoustic Getaway (aka Festival)

Fri. 10/17: Woody Mann with Matt Arons (Fingerstyle guitar master and disciple)



The London Times said of **Woody Mann**, "Don't miss a chance to see him; you are unlikely to hear anything—or anyone—better in the field that Mann has chosen to master." That field is fingerstyle guitar. His playing is artful, musical, and so effortless that you almost forget the impossible difficulty of what he is doing. His music runs from ragtime and blues to the American Songbook to jazz standards to his own well-crafted originals. He's a wonderful singer, a charming entertainer, and a legend in the guitar world.

Tonight's opener, 16-year-old **Matt Arons**, is a student of Woody Mann's. He's also studied with the likes of David Bromberg and Roy Book Binder, and he has learned his lessons very well. He plays and sings with a skill, subtlety, and sensitivity rare in an adult, let alone someone of his years. This kid will go far.

Fri. 10/24: Dave Nachmanoff with Mandeville & Richards

Some of us first saw **Dave Nachmanoff** last month when he opened for Cosy Sheridan. The tools in Dave's musical toolbox are many and diverse. He writes wonderful songs in an accessible folk-rock style that moves the feet, and yet do not lack for substance. His guitar chops have made him a sought-after studio musician and Al Stewart's accompanist on the road. And with his boyish good looks, he is a real charmer onstage.



Mark Mandeville & Rianne Richards are a folk duo from Massachusetts. Although most of their material is original, their songs resonate with the tradition of Americana and old country music. Their performance is solid and spirited, backing up their strong harmonies with guitar, banjo, ukulele, bass, and, occasionally, clarinet.

Fri. 10/31: A Tribute to Jimmy Durante and Cavalcade of Costumed Crooners Halloween Show, Come in Costume

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All Venues That's Fit To Print

Albert Hall/Sounds of the NJ Pines: Country/bluegrass/folk every Saturday. 125 Wells Mills Rd. (Route 532), Waretown. 609/971-1593 or www.AlbertHall.org

Acoustic Café: Our Lady of Mercy Church, 2 Fremont Ave, Park Ridge, NJ, 8pm, 201/573-0718, www.CafeAcoustic.org

Bluegrass & Old Time Music Assoc. (BOTMA): Every 3rd Sun. from Sept. thru May, Embury United Methodist Church Hall, 49 Church St, Little Silver, NJ. 1–5pm. \$4 for BOTMA members, \$5 non-members. Info: www.NewJerseyBlueGrass.org

Borderline Folk Music Club: House Concert, Steve Shapiro's, 7 Trailside Court, New City, NY, 2pm, Info: 845/354-4586, www.BorderlineFolkMusicClub.org; Sun. 10/19, Marci Geller with Jim Colbert

Celebration House Concert & Workshop Series: In Clifton; address given with reservation, 973/879-8568 or celebrationhouseconcerts@yahoo.com. Workshops usually 3:30–5:30pm; concert usually 6:30pm. Concert \$15; workshop \$20; concert and workshop combo \$30

Coffee With Conscience: 1st United Methodist Church of Westfield, 1 E. Broad St. 8pm info 908/412-9105, Concerts4Causes@aol.com; upcoming performers: www.tinyurl.com/7vyfgrr;

Community Theater at Mayo Center for Performing Arts: 100 South St., Morristown, NJ, for tickets/info call 973/539-8008, www.MayoArts.org, shows at 8pm

Crossroads Coffeehouse: 8pm, Crossroads Community Church, 104 Bartley Rd., Flanders. 973/786-7940 or 908/879-7739

Ethical Brew Coffeehouse: Ethical Culture Society of Bergen County, 687 Larch Avenue, Teaneck, NJ, 8pm (doors open at 7:30pm), \$20 online/\$25 at door, 201/836-5187, www.EthicalFocus.org/ethicalbrew; Fri. 10/10, Ellis/Rebecca Pronsky

Fanwood Performance Series: 7pm, Patricia M. Kuran Cultural Arts Center, 75 North Martine Avenue, Fanwood. www.FanwoodPerformanceSeries.org; Sat. 10/11, Loretta Hagen, Squirrel Stew

Folk Arts Fridays at Ethical Culture: 516 Prospect St., Maplewood. 2nd Friday (except June–Aug.). Bring instruments and voices for singing, playing, quilting, crafts. Run by Lisa Novemsky and Anja Moen, www.EssexEthical.org or 973/763-8293.

Godfrey Daniels: 7 E. 4th St., Bethlehem, PA 610/867-2390, www.GodfreyDaniels.org.

Good Coffeehouse: The Good Coffeehouse at The Old Stone House; 336 3rd Street; Brooklyn, NY; doors open at 7:30, music at 8pm, 718/768-3195 or www.theOldStoneHouse.org

The Hillside Cafe Coffee House: 45 Hillside Cres., Nutley. Doors open 7:30, show at 8pm. 973/667-7055 or info@hillsidecafe.com, www.HillsideCafe.com;

Hurdy Gurdy Folk Music Club: Fair Lawn Community Center, 10-10 20th St., Fair Lawn 8pm. 201/384-1325. www.HurdyGurdyFolk.org; Sat. 10/11, John Gorka, Lindsay May

Mannion's NJAMP Acoustic Jam: EVERY Thursday, 6pm, Mannion's, 150 West Main St., Somerville 908/203-9700; www.meetup.com/NJ-Acoustic-Music-in-the-Park

Morris County Center for the Arts: Darress Theatre, 615 Main St., Boonton. 973/334-9292, www.DarressTheater.com

Morristown Uke Jam: Ukulele playalong and jam, 7pm every 1st Wed at Anthony's Pizza & Pasta, 47 S Park Pl, Morristown (on the Green in warm weather. Info: www.meetup.com/MorristownUkeJam; Mark 973/978-0751, MorristownUkeJam@gmail.com

Music at the Mission: Every 1st Sat., West Milford Presbyterian Church, 1452 Union Valley Rd., W. Milford, NJ, 973/728-3081, www.MusicAtTheMission.org, 7:30pm, showcase and open stage

Music on Main: 7:30pm, Woodbridge. www.WoodbridgeArtsNJ.org, 732/634-4500 x6497; REOPENING in November

NJ Friends of Clearwater Circle of Song: Eatontown Community Center, 72 Broad Street (Route 71), Eatontown, NJ 07724, 732/869-9276

Outpost In The Burbs: At the Unitarian Church of Montclair, 67 Church St., Montclair 973/744-6560. Doors open 7:30pm, concert at 8pm. www.OutpostInTheBurbs.org; Fri. 10/3, Ellis Paul, Chris Trapper; Fri. 10/17, Songwriters By The Sea, Anthony D'Amato

People's Voice Cafe: Community Church of New York Unitarian Universalist, 40 East 35th St., NYC, www.PeoplesVoiceCafe.org or 212/787-3903; Sat. 10/11, Filthy Rotten System, Steve Deasy; Sat. 10/18, Young Political Songwriters Night: Alexandra Bradbury, Ben Grosscup, Emma Graves; Sat. 10/25, Judy Gorman, Arlon Bennett

Pinewoods Folk Music Club: 444 W. 54th St., #7, New York, NY 10019, 718/651-1115, www.FolkMusicNY.org; Every Monday: Irish Traditional Music Session, 8–11pm at the Landmark Tavern. Visit web site for details.

The Place: House Concerts, 3pm pot luck, 4pm concert in Livingston. sugg. donation \$15–20; RSVP hopeandjoy@verizon.net or 973/992-7491; Sun. 10/5, Lois Morton

The Prallsville Mill: Rte. 29, Stockton, NJ (5 miles north from New Hope and Lambertville). Visit www.VerySeldom.com or email Concerts@VerySeldom.com for more information.

Princeton Folk Music Society: Christ Congregation Church, 50 Walnut Lane, Princeton, 8:15pm, 609/799-0944 \$15/Members \$10/\$3 kids under 12. www.PrincetonFolk.org; Fri. 10/17, Priscilla Herdman with Max Cohen

Sacred Bean Coffeehouse: Flanders United Methodist Church, Park Place and Hillside Avenue, Flanders, 973/584-5426, www.raywinch.net/Coffeehouse.html

Sacred Harp Singings: Much info at www.fasola.org; 2nd Sun.: 2pm, St. Paul's Church, 199 Carroll St., Brooklyn. 718/293-2848; 2pm, Montclair Friends Mtg., Park & Gordonhurst. 973/509-2165; Midweek singing Wednesdays, 7–9:30pm, St. Peter's Episcopal Church, 346 W. 20th St. www.nycsacredharp.org/localsingings.html

Sanctuary Concerts: The Presbyterian Church, 240 Southern Boulevard, Chatham. Most concerts 8pm, www.SanctuaryConcerts.org; Sat 10/18, Gary Wright (\$25)

Skylands Native American Flute Circle: meets at a home in Panther Valley. Info: Allan Johnson 908/850-5772 or ajflycasting@optonline.net

Stony Brook Friends of Old Time Music Jam: Mannion's Pub & Restaurant, 140 West Main Street, Somerville. Starting around 7:30pm, 1st and 3rd Tuesdays each month. 609/924-5353 or visit www.diamondcut.com/oldtime;

Walkabout Clearwater Coffeehouse: United Methodist Church, 250 Bryant Ave., White Plains, 914/949-2146, www.WalkaboutClearwater.org, Sat. 10/11, The Kennedys

Early Music Festival

Sunday, October 12, 12:30–5:30pm

Grounds for Sculpture, Hamilton Township, NJ

Sackbuts and crumhorns and viola da gambas, oh my! Join the Guild for Early Music at their 10th annual festival at the spectacular Grounds for Sculpture. A delightful afternoon of mini-concerts on two indoor stages, free with admission to the park. For more info: www.guildforearlymusic.org

Seeking Songwriters!

The Singer-Songwriter Competition of the 2015 South Florida Folk Festival is in full swing. The deadline for entering the competition is October 15th. If you are a songwriter, we urge you to get your entries in now. Twelve finalists will compete at the Festival on January 17, 2015. Last year's competition was fantastic. We hope you'll be part of this year's fun.

For further information and to apply: www.southfloridafolkfest.net/SFFF/S-Competition.html .

The Fall Acoustic Getaway

October 10-12, 2014

www.folkproject.org/festival

Wow! Spots for the Acoustic Getaway are flying off the shelf! But, it's mystifying why you (of all people) haven't registered yet. That's right. I'm talkin' to you. I'm the newsletter, and I'm talkin' directly to YOU. You love great music. You love a great party. You're looking for something new to do. You should go to the Project web site and register now, before it sells out.

You're thinkin' how can I read your mind? I'm just a newsletter. Right? ...WRONG! I'm not just any newsletter. I'm your Folk Project newsletter. I know a lot about you, if only because you're reading me instead of The Wall Street Journal or Teen Magazine. You say to yourself, "Self, it's a big risk to trundle off for three days and spend the big bucks." WRONG AGAIN! There's no risk at all, and here's why.

First, The Project is nonprofit, so you pay next to nuttin' for all the food, lodging, concerts, workshops, and entertainment you're gettin'. This is the barebones cost.

Second, The Getaway's designed by The Folk Project's Official Musical Fun Team. It's been tested twice a year for four decades, and it's been certified amazing. Not to brag, but my buddy Acoustic Guitar Magazine is nationally respected, and he called The Getaway one of the Top 50 Roadside Events in the entire USA.

You know, it's a shame I gotta talk to you like this. There's a Getaway flyer inside me with all the details. Check it out. I paid extra postage for it. By the way, I hope you're reading this on line. These staples are killin' me.

Benefit Concert

The 40th anniversary concert to benefit the Ruth Gottscho Kidney Foundation Summer Camp Program is being held on Sunday, October 19, 2014 at 2pm at Congregation B'nai Israel at 160 Millburn Avenue, Millburn, NJ.

The concert features Lorre Wyatt, a popular folksinger/songwriter who was Pete Seeger's long-time friend and collaborator. Together they recorded the album "A More Perfect Union." At the concert, Lorre will debut a new song inspired by his childhood friend Ruth Gottscho who died of kidney disease at 15.

For 40 years, the Foundation has made it possible for children with kidney disorders to attend sleep-away summer camp. To learn more, visit www.gottschokidney.org

Admission: a tax-deductible \$35 per person. Reservations are necessary.

BONUS Home-Made Music Party!

Sat. 10/25, 8pm • the Roffmans'

11 Butternut Rd., Randolph • 973/328-7742.

Every month, our Bonus Home-Made Music Party takes place at Eddie and Robin's place in Randolph. Bring song, voice, instruments, and food/beverage to share. Note: Eddie and Robin keep Kosher. Non-kosher items can be shared on the kitchen table; bring serving utensils.

Directions: >From I287 Southbound: exit 36, Ridgedale Ave. Keep right at fork, follow signs for and turn right at Ridgedale Ave., go 0.7 mi. Follow directions from Ridgedale-Hanover intersection below >From I287 Northbound: exit 36B, W Lafayette Ave. Right at light onto Ridgedale Ave., go 0.9 mi. >From Ridgedale-Hanover Intersection: Left onto E Hanover (westbound), go 4.6 mi. Turn right at Black Birch Dr. (just past traffic light at Shongum Rd.), go 0.8 mi. > Turn right at Butternut Rd., second driveway on the right.

Shelly Posen of Finest Kind

On September 12, we had to take the unprecedented action of cancelling a Minstrel due to illness of one of the members of our headline act, *Finest Kind*. We had been told that Shelly (Sheldon) Posen had a strep throat. As it turned out, it was more serious. And *Finest Kind* had to cancel all remaining performances in the year. But we'll let Shelly tell it in his own words from his blog:

Thanks to friends and fans for your kind thoughts and good wishes during my recent time in the hospital. I was laid low by a bacterium, *strepococcus viridans* that got into my blood stream and colonized the mitral valve of my heart—infective endocarditis, no less. I'm back home now, attached to a pump in a spiffy little blue portable bag that delivers an antibiotic twice a day, and I visit a clinic every morning that drips in a different one. All going well, when the *\$@)+%-er is eradicated, my old murmuring ticker will be given a valve job [A.K.A heart surgery M.A.] and I will be back singing—hopefully by early summer. The cancelled gigs of this fall and winter have broken my (admittedly infected) heart. The only good thing that could possibly come out of what's happened would be a song or two. "Streptococcus, streptococcus, viridans, viridans" to the tune of Frère Jacques is not on the cards. I think, rather, it will be more about the way my spirit has been buoyed by those whose thoughts have turned to my well-being during this time. Must have worked. I am most sincerely grateful.

Folk/Roots/Americana Music Weekend

Fri.–Sun. 10/31–11/2, Hudson Valley Resort and Spa

400 Granite Road, Kerhonkson, Ulster County, NY

Enjoy a friend-filled music saturated weekend at the Hudson Valley Resort and Spa. Sing, jam, relax, swap songs, learn new songs, and listen to and/or play with other musicians. The weekend features some of the finest Folk/Roots musicians who will perform and present workshops. There is also plenty of opportunity for socializing, hiking, and kicking back with interesting folks in a luxurious setting, comfortable rooms, good food, and resort facilities close at hand.

Featured performers:

emma's revolution (Pat Humphries & Sandy O) offer gorgeous close harmonies and unsinkable tunefulness. This classic, globetrotting folk duo's music is progressive, socially-conscious, confrontational, and shot-through with intelligence and cutting humor. They count Pete Seeger among their admirers.

Andy Cohen, blues guitarist and historian, grew up to the sound of Dixieland jazz. As a teen, he was bitten by the Folk Music bug, and soon found his way to Big Bill Broonzy and the Jim Kweskin Jug Band. Upon hearing the Rev. Gary Davis, he was thoroughly infected. He's been masterfully playing their fine old tunes ever since.

Larry Hanks & Deborah Robins-Hanks bring warmth, charm and depth to cowboy and work songs, topical and political songs, and traditional American ballads. Deborah's lovely alto and rhythm guitar complement Larry's resonant bass voice, his spare tasteful guitar playing, and his amazing Jew's harp.

Ryan & Brennish Thomson, father and son duo: Ryan, music and dance professional, is an award winning multi-instrumentalist. He performs and teaches fiddle, banjo, flute, piano, pennywhistle, accordion, and more. Son, Brennish, also fiddles. Their peripatetic music is drawn from Old Time, Eastern Europe, Tex/Mex, Blues, Cajun and Bluegrass traditions.

Participants are encouraged to come for two or three days and stay at the hotel; day admission is also available. More information and a reservation form are available on-line at www.folkmusicny.org or reservations may be made online directly at <http://fallweekend.eventbrite.com>. Information: registrar@folkmusicny.org or 212/957-8386.

FP Calendar: October 2014

For venue addresses & contact information, see Venues, Feets, or Gigs

- 1/Wed.** **EVERY WEDNESDAY:** 7:30pm, Morristown Int'l Dancers. Mountain Lakes Community Church. 973/539-7020, http://njfolkdance.tripod.com/fd_morristown.html
EVERY WEDNESDAY: 8pm, Princeton Country Dancers, Contra Dance, \$8 (\$5 seniors & students). More info on Dance page.
EVERY WEDNESDAY: 7:30pm, "Down Jersey" with Jim Albertson. WSNJ am1240, am1440 and www.wsnjam.com; <http://members.aol.com/downjerseyjim>
EVERY WEDNESDAY: 9pm, Open Mic, McLynn's Restaurant, Springfield. 973/258-1600
EVERY 1ST WEDNESDAY: 7pm, Folk Open Sing. Ethical Culture Society, 53 Prospect Park West, Brooklyn. 212/636-6341 or 718/788-7563
EVERY 1ST WEDNESDAY: Morristown Uke Jam; <http://meetup.com/MorristownUkeJam>; Mark 973/978-0751, MorristownUkeJam@gmail.com
- 2/Thur.** **EVERY THURSDAY:** 6pm, Mannion's NJAMP Acoustic Jam. Somerville. 908/203-9700; <http://meetup.com/NJ-Acoustic-Music-in-the-Park>
ALTERNATE THURSDAYS: 7:30pm, Scandinavian couple dancing. Bound Brook. See <http://kandinoje.org> for dates/info
- 3/Fri.** **Minstrel: Sloan Wainwright with The Wag**
Outpost In The Burbs: 8pm, Ellis Paul, Chris Trapper
- 4/Sat.** **Swingin' Tern: Sue Gola & Raise the Roof**
EVERY SATURDAY: CD*NY: 8pm, Contra dances. NYC, www.cdnj.org
People's Voice Cafe: 8pm, (closed for Yom Kippur)
Music at the Mission: 7:30pm, showcase and open stage
Mike Agranoff: 7:30pm, Pottersville Acoustic Cafe, Pottersville Community House, 2091 Black River Road, Pottersville, NJ, www.pottersville.rcchurches.org, pottersville.church@aol.com, 908/439-2628
Jennie Avila: 6:45-7:45pm, Pine Run Retirement Community concert with Hot Soup, 777 Ferry Rd, Doylestown, PA in the Hub
- 5/Sun.** **EVERY SUNDAY:** 7pm, Music You Can't Hear on the Radio. WPRB 103.3FM; www.wprb.com; www.veryeldom.com
EVERY SUNDAY: 7-10pm, Radio Nowhere. WMSC 90.3FM Montclair or streaming at www.wmscradio.com or www.live365.com/wmsc
EVERY 1ST & 3RD SUNDAY: 6pm, Open Irish session. Dublin House, Red Bank
EVERY 1ST SUNDAY: 2-4pm, NJ Friends of Clearwater Circle of Song
The Place: House Concerts, 3pm pot luck, 4pm concert, Lois Morton
Mike Agranoff: 8pm, The Cafe at Anabel Taylor Hall, Cornell Univ., Ithaca, NY 14853, www.wvbr.com/bfg.html, pds10@cornell.edu, 607/844-4535
- 6/Mon.** **EVERY MONDAY:** 7:30pm, Maplewood International Dancers. Maplewood, http://njfolkdance.tripod.com/fd_maplewood.html
- 7/Tues.** **FP BOARD MEETING: 8pm. At Allan Kugel and Cecilia Rowedder's in Highland Park, NJ**
EVERY TUESDAY: 7pm, Northwest NJ Acoustic Jam. Westside United Methodist Church, Hopatcong. 973/770-0179
EVERY TUESDAY: 7-9:30pm, Open Mic, Anthony's Pizza & Pasta, 47 S Park Pl, Morristown, 973/285-5464
EVERY 1ST & 3RD TUESDAY: 7:30pm, Stony Brook Friends of Old Time Music Jam. Mannion's Somerville. www.diamondcut.com/oldtime
- 9/Thur.** NJ Songwriters Circle: 7pm. Dave Kleiner's, 32 Williamson Ave., Bloomfield. 973/429-0288
- 10/Fri.** **FP Acoustic Getaway** (aka Festival, see attached flyer)
Minstrel: CLOSED (due to Acoustic Getaway)
Ethical Brew Coffeehouse: 8pm, Ellis/Rebecca Pronsky
- 11/Sat.** **FP Home-Made Music Party: CLOSED** (due to Acoustic Getaway)
EVERY 2ND SATURDAY: 8pm, Princeton Country Dancers, English Country Dance, \$10 (\$5 seniors & students). More info on Dance page.
Fanwood Performance Series: 7pm, Loretta Hagen, Squirrel Stew
Hurdy Gurdy Folk Music Club: 8pm, John Gorka, Lindsay May
People's Voice Cafe: 8pm, Filthy Rotten System, Steve Deasy
Walkabout Clearwater Coffeehouse: 7:30pm, The Kennedys. Walkabout Chorus "Teachabout" at 6:45pm
Russ Kelner: 3pm, Jersey Gardens, with UPAFR Rondalla
- 12/Sun.** Early Music Festival: 12:30-5:30pm, Grounds for Sculpture, Hamilton Twp, NJ.
- 15/Wed.** **Newsletter Deadline: Send stuff to newsletter@folkproject.org**
Circle Round the Sun (Marie Trontell, Jay Wilensky, Chris Bukata, Peter Hagen): 7:30-9:30pm: Fine Grind, 101 Newark-Pompton Turnpike, Little Falls
- 17/Fri.** **Minstrel: Woody Mann with Matt Arons**
Outpost In The Burbs: 8pm, Songwriters By The Sea, Anthony D'Amato
Princeton Folk Music Society: 8:15pm, Priscilla Herdman with Max Cohen
- 18/Sat.** **Swingin' Tern: Melanie Axel-Lute & Fish Family**
People's Voice Cafe: 8pm, Young Political Songwriters Night: Alexandra Bradbury, Ben Grosscup, Emma Graves
Sanctuary Concerts: 8pm, Gary Wright, \$25
Christine DeLeon: 7pm, Sacred Bean Coffeehouse, 2 Park Place (corner with Hillside Ave.), Flanders, 973/584-5426, <http://www.raywinch.net/Coffeehouse.html>
- 19/Sun.** Benefit Concert: 2pm, Congregation B'nai Israel at 160 Millburn Avenue, Millburn, NJ, the 40th anniversary concert to benefit the Ruth Gottscho Kidney Foundation Summer Camp Program featuring singer/songwriter Lorre Wyatt.
Borderline Folk Music Club: 2pm, Marci Geller with Jim Colbert
Russ Kelner: 6pm, New Providence High School, with NJIO Outreach Ensemble, benefit for typhoon victims
- 24/Fri.** **Minstrel: Dave Nachmanoff with Mandeville & Richards**
Mike Agranoff: 8pm (Fri.-Sat.), split bill with Gathering Time, Courtyard Theater, Susquehanna Valley Mall (next to JC Penny), Selinsgrove, PA 17870, www.TheCourtyardTheater.com, Courtyardtheater@yahoo.com, 570/743-0060
- 25/Sat.** **Bonus Home-Made Music Party: 8pm, at the Roffmans', 11 Butternut Rd., Randolph. 973/328-7742**
ALMOST EVERY 4TH SATURDAY: 8pm, Princeton Country Dancers, Contra Dance, \$10 (\$5 seniors & students). More info on Dance page.
People's Voice Cafe: 8pm, Judy Gorman, Arlon Bennett
Circle Round the Sun (Marie Trontell, Jay Wilensky, Chris Bukata, Peter Hagen): 7:30pm, Albert Music Hall, Waretown (Pinelands)
- 26/Sun.** **EVERY 4TH SUNDAY (EXCEPT JULY AND AUGUST):** 2-5:30pm, Sacred Harp Singing, Montclair Friends Meeting House, 289 Park Street, Upper Montclair, NJ; gssh.hostoi.com
- 31/Fri.** **Minstrel: A Tribute to Jimmy Durante and Cavalcade of Costumed Crooners**
Folk/Roots/Americana Music Weekend: Fri.-Sun., Hudson Valley Resort and Spa, 400 Granite Road, Kerhonkson, Ulster County, NY, www.folkmusicny.com

Folk Project Board Meeting • September 2, 2014

Board Meeting: The Summary

The Sept 2, 2014, Board Meeting was called to order at 8:01pm at Frank's Pizza, 240 Route 206, Flanders, NJ, by President Elizabeth Lachowicz.

Present: Bill Henderson, Scooter Ferguson, Jim Gartner, Barrett Wilson, Elizabeth Lachowicz, Eddie Roffman, Lindsey Meyer, Mike Agranoff, Rachel Streich, Paul Fisher, Allan Kugel, George Otto, Joanne Cronin, Lori Falco, Tom Picard, Shari Korenstein, Mike DeVecchio. **Absent:** Bob McNally, Grover Kemble, Mark Schaffer, Robin Schaffer, Gloria Friedman, Steve Humphreys, Sandie Reilly, Leigh Walker., Jean Scully, Lois DeRitter. **Guests:** Pam Robinson, Christine DeLeon, Deborah Graham, Ken Brody, Pat Brangs, Susan Lembo.

August Minutes were accepted with corrections.

TREASURER'S REPORT: We currently have approximately \$13,500 in the Money Market account and \$9,600 in the Checking account. We will soon be making an advance payment to Camp Bernie of about \$4,000 for the Fall Getaway. Elizabeth noted that we did a QuickBooks orientation workshop several months ago for Board members, which not everyone attended, plus we will soon have new Board members who will need QB training. Barrett volunteered to organize it.

OLD BUSINESS

NOMINATING COMMITTEE: Shari and Tom are moving away at the end of this month. Pat Brangs was nominated to take over as Community Services Chair, effective as of tonight, to replace Shari. The vote in favor was unanimous. Ken Brody will represent HSNOL committee at Board meetings through the end of 2014, then has been nominated as Co-Chair for 2015.

NEW BUSINESS

NERFA 11/13 11/16/14: The New England Regional Folk Alliance conference on the business of folk music is coming up in November. It was generally agreed that it would be beneficial to the FP Board for some of our members to go: to attend workshops to become more effective at their jobs on the Board; to attend performer showcases to find new performers to book; and to publicize the FP throughout the New England Region. Elizabeth asked, what kind of support can the FP give to FP members who would like to attend? Questions: Who should the FP sponsor to attend (Eddie suggested the chairs of the Minstrel Booking, Special Concerts, HSNOL, Acoustic Getaway, and Publicity Committees plus the incoming President)? How much money should the FP spend to subsidize their attendance? Should we host an information table at NERFA to help publicize the FP? Following a lengthy discussion, Scooter moved that we authorize Elizabeth, as President, to allocate funds for up to 8 people to attend NERFA in 2014, based on advice and counsel from Board members who have previously attended, bearing in mind the fiduciary responsibilities of her office (we trust Elizabeth to spend our money wisely). Lori seconded. The motion passed with 17 Yeas, 0 Nays, and 1 Abstention.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

SPECIAL CONCERTS: UkeFest II lost money, but attendees all loved it. Workshops and concerts were great. Scooter said we got a lot of great publicity from it: a reporter from Atlantic Magazine was there, writing an article about the ukulele, and interviewed lots of people. NJ TV reporter did a feature segment to be broadcast next week. If we do it again, Scooter said, he will plan for a smaller event. Kudos to Lois and Barrett for a great job at the Door, and to Pat and Pam for all their hard work in making it happen!

GETAWAY: Mark and Robin absent, but Susan Lembo reported that she's been scheduling lots of radio interviews with performers on WDVR, also on WFUV and WNTI (Centenary College radio) to publicize the Getaway. She and Mark have been going to local jams on a weekly basis to publicize Getaway as well. They will be buying paid radio spots on WDVR also.

ZED MUSIC: Shari and Tom are moving to Michigan at the end of this month. Zed's last show is this coming Saturday, Sept 6, with Tom as the featured performer. They thanked FP for all the support.

COMMUNITY SERVICES: Dave Kleiner will have a FP publicity table at the Harvest Festival Street Fair in Bloomfield, NJ on Sept 27-28, and would like musicians to come jam to help draw attention to the table.

MINSTREL BOOKING: Mike reported that our average paid attendance in August was 85.3; or 78.3 including Open Stage. The Minstrel was \$296 in the black for August, and \$829 in the black for the last 12 months. On any given Friday, he noted that roughly 30% of the people in the room are there for free. New Bookings: 5/29/15: Diane Perry will be opening for Brother Sun.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:11pm.

Next Meeting: October 7, 2014, at the home of Allan Kugel and Cecilia Rowedder in Highland Park, NJ.

Good o' the Order (Community News)

This is a place to share news about memorable events and challenges you have faced in the past month with your Folk Project Community. Please send items to Barrett Wilson, bighim04@yahoo.com

Eddie Roffman received a warm welcome during his visit with Rick and Cathy Thomas at their beautiful home on the shore in Port Ludlow, WA. They fed him a wonderful brunch on their deck overlooking the bay, sharing family and FP histories. From their backyard beach he saw a family of sea otters and a bald eagle, plus lots of other wildlife. Eddie says, "The high point was visiting Rick's mom who at 94 lives 'just down the beach' and shares Rick and Cathy's enthusiasm for family, friends, and life!"

Dave Kleiner and Liz Pagan also visited the Port Ludlow in August for a few days, and thoroughly enjoyed exploring the Thomasas Hippie Retirement Paradise. Rick and Cathy, we miss you!

Mark and Robin Schaffer have returned from their second honeymoon, which was perfect, except for the luggage, the cabs, Mark's hip, and Robin's missing hair straightener. Vienna is the most beautiful city in the world, and Prague is more beautiful than Vienna.

Pelvis Burlapp's Guide to Autumn

I know the Folk Project has many new members who have come to us as a result of their interest in the ukulele. If I were a cruel person, which I am not, I would say STOP PLAYING THAT TOY AND GET A REAL INSTRUMENT, but that would be rude and off-putting to our precious membership, so I won't say that. Instead I'll go with a less controversial topic, Autumn.

Some call it Fall, just like some call the ukulele a real instrument. And they would be right (in the first case, at least). It's a time of ghouls and goblins, but let's not talk about Election Day. Instead, let's ponder the pumpkin. Yes, in recent years, the pumpkin has become ubiquitous, like those little four-stringed instruments that also start with 'u'. You can purchase the pumpkin mocha soy kale latte at Starbucks, pumpkin marshmallow French macaroon swirl frozen yogurt at Cold Stone Creamery, and pumpkin-flavored undies at Victoria's Secret.

But, we are reusing recycling rewhatever folkies of fashion, so we let no part of our organic local pumpkins go to waste. As the days grow as short as the strings on a particular twangy instrument, we look for new uses for the parts of the pumpkin (POTP). Pumpkin seeds, well-dried, make excellent plectrums for a particular small Hawaiian semi-musical contraption. Pumpkin stems can be used to clean the ears of alpacas. The meat of the pumpkin, when applied to your baby's bottom, can reduce floor friction, making it easier to drag junior across the trampoline. The skin of the pumpkin is believed to have aphrodisiac qualities by someone named Sal.

Also, run the entire pumpkin through your juicer or sluice pump for seventeen minutes, boil the substance down for several hours until it has the consistency of troll droppings, stir in a small amount of mucilage (ground banana slug will also work), and let it chill for a metric hour. Roll about four grams of the resulting concoction into two spongy spheres, then insert one in each ear. This way, you won't hear the damn ukuleles!

Have a great autumn!!!

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Members' Gigs & Friends

Mike Agranoff: Sat. 10/4 7:30pm, Pottersville Acoustic Cafe, Pottersville Community House, 2091 Black River Road, Pottersville, NJ. www.pottersville.rcachurches.org, pottersville.church@aol.com, 908/439-2628; **Sun. 10/5** 8pm, The Cafe at Anabel Taylor Hall, Cornell Univ., Ithaca, NY 14853, www.wvbr.com/bfg.html, pds10@cornell.edu, 607/844-4535; **Fri-Sat, 10/24-25** 8pm, (split bill with Gathering Time), Courtyard Theater, Susquehanna Valley Mall (next to JC Penny), Selinsgrove, PA 17870, www.TheCourtyardTheater.com, Courtyardtheater@Yahoo.com, 570/743-0060

Jennie Avila: Tue. 10/4 6:45-7:45pm, Pine Run Retirement Community concert with Hot Soup, 777 Ferry Rd, Doylestown, PA in the Hub

Circle Round the Sun (Marie Trontell, Jay Wilensky, Chris Bukata, Peter Hagen): Wed. 10/15 7:30-9:30pm: Fine Grind, 101 Newark-Pompton Turnpike, Little Falls; **Sat. 10/25** 7:30pm, Albert Music Hall, Waretown (Pinelands)

Christine DeLeon: Sat. 10/18 7pm, Sacred Bean Coffeehouse, 2 Park Place (corner with Hillside Ave.), Flanders, 973/584-5426, www.raywinch.net/Coffeehouse.html

Russ Kelner: Sat. 10/11 3pm, Jersey Gardens, with UPAFR Rondalla; **Sun. 10/19** 6pm, New Providence High School, with NJIO Outreach Ensemble, benefit for typhoon victims

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The Folk Project TV series, *Horses Sing None of It*, needs volunteers who have an address in one of the following towns: Allamuchy, Boonton Town, Boonton Township, Chatham, Denville, Dover, East Hanover, Florham Park, Hanover, Hopatcong, Jefferson, Madison, Mine Hill, Montville, Morris Township, Morris Plains, Morristown, Mt. Arlington, Mountain Lakes, Mt. Olive, Netcong, Parsippany Troy-Hills, Picatinny, Randolph, Rockaway Borough, Rockaway Township, Roxbury, Stanhope, Victory Gardens, and Wharton.

Residence in the Morris Cablevision service area qualifies you to receive Cablevision's free technical training in video production which is required before you can handle the equipment to be a technical volunteer and help produce the show. Interested? Please contact one of the producers: Sandie Reilly reillymagic@yahoo.com or Ralph Litwin ralphlit@juno.com.

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Country Dance*New York: Contra every Sat., English Country every Tues., Church of the Village, 201 West 13th St. (NW corner of 7th Ave.). Sept.–June. www.cdyny.org or 212/459-4080

Lambertville Country Dancers: Soft soled shoes only! Contra/English country. Info: 609/882-7733 or www.lambertvillecountrydancers.org

Maplewood International Dancers: Recreation House, 124 Dunellen Rd., Maplewood. Mondays 7:30pm, \$5. Beginners welcome, partner not necessary, refreshments served. Days 908/273-6468, eves 973/376-7568. njfolkdance.tripod.com/fd_maplewood.html

Morristown International Dancers: Wednesdays, Mountain Lakes Community Church, 48 Briarcliff Rd., 8:30pm, 7:30pm beginners. \$4 member/\$5 non-member 973/539-7020 or 973/228-5966, njfolkdance.tripod.com/fd_morristown.html

North Jersey English Country Dancers: 2nd & 4th Sundays, 2–5pm, Unitarian Society, 113 Cottage Pl., Ridgewood. \$8 members, \$10 non. 201/445-4497 or 201/447-1136. www.northjerseyenglishcountrydancers.yolasite.com

Palisades Folk Dancers: Twice a month on Sundays, 3pm, Church of the Atonement, Engle St. & Highland Ave., Tenafly. GinnyandHallB@cs.com.

Philly Family Folk Dances: Memorial Church of the Good Shepherd., 3820 The Oak Rd., East Falls, PA. 2nd Sundays, 2–4:30pm 215/844-2474

Princeton Folk Dance Group: 7pm, Riverside School, Riverside Dr., Princeton. Tuesdays (except school closings) www.princetonfolkdance.org; 609/921-9340, 609/912-1272;

Princeton Folk Dancers: 9pm (teaching 8pm) Fridays, Susan Patterson Center, Stockton St. and Monument Dr. (behind Borough Hall), Princeton, www.princetonfolkdance.org

Princeton Country Dancers: Suzanne Patterson Center, 1 Monument Drive, Princeton, NJ behind the former Borough Hall/police station, near intersection of Routes 27 & 206, Wed. (and most 4th Saturdays) 8pm (intro/basics 7:30), \$8 Wed., \$10 Sat. (\$5 seniors & students), 609/844-0459 or 609/275-7275, e-mail pcdinfo@aol.com. Performer listing at www.princetoncountrydancers.org, pickup band musicians welcome.

PCD English Country Dance Series: Second Saturday of the month, 8pm; intro/basics at 7:30. \$10 (\$5 seniors & students). Info: 609/844-0459, www.princetoncountrydancers.org

Scandinavian Folk Dancing: Bound Brook. Alt. Thursdays, See www.skandinoje.org for info.

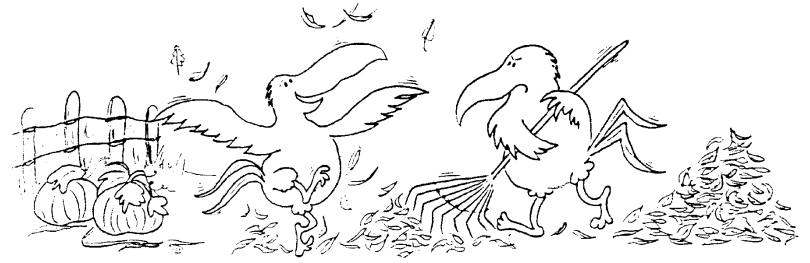
Scottish Country Dancing: most Tuesdays from September through May, 7:30–10pm; Fanwood Presbyterian Church, 74 South Martine Avenue (at LaGrande Avenue), Fanwood, NJ; www.rscds-nj.org, 732/356-3923

Swingin' Tern: Sat. 10/4: Sue Gola & Raise the Roof; Sat 10/18: Melanie Axel-Lute & Fish Family

Valley Contra Dance Society: 7:30pm (lesson at 7pm), 2nd and 4th Saturdays, Unitarian Church of The Lehigh Valley, 424 Center Street, Bethlehem, PA. \$10 (\$5 students). www.valleycontradance.org, 610/868-7432

More on dancing at the Country Dance and Song Society • www.cdss.org

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Sat. 10/4: SUE GOLLA & RAISE THE ROOF

Mat Clarke: fiddle • Judi Stellar: hammered dulcimer • Kathy Talvitie: guitar, piano • Paul Morrisett: bass—Contras

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Sat 10/18: MELANIE AXEL-LUTE & FISH FAMILY

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Non-dancing children must be supervised at all times.

Contra and Square Dancing to Live Music. All dances taught. No partner necessary. Beginners' workshop, 7:30pm; dance at 8pm. \$10, \$5 with student I.D. Soft soles only.

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LIL' REV

Rev is a ukelele master, renowned storyteller, and singer-songwriter. He is equally adept at the harmonica, old-time banjo, flat-picked guitar and blues mandolin. His honors include induction into the Old Time Country Music Hall of Fame and National Blues Harmonica Champion.



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