



Baltimore Folk Music Society

Member, Country Dance & Song Society

October 2011

BFMS Second Saturday Contra Dance*

Saturday, October 10th 1pm-11pm

Saint Mark's on-the-Hill, 1620 Reisterstown Rd, Pikesville 21208

This month, the Baltimore Folk Music Society presents a *Contra Dancing Extravaganza* with 7 ½ hours of live music and dancing & 10 hours of grand fun!

Advanced Waltz workshop teachers **Steve Gester** (from Catonsville) and **Peggy Leiby** (from Mostly Waltz in Philadelphia) who have each been teaching waltz for over 25 years will help you expand your repertoire of moves and develop partnering skills. **Scott Higgs** calls contras to **Taylor Among the Devils** with **Marty Taylor** (concertina, recorders and whistle), **Jonathan Jensen** (piano and ocarina) and **Elke Baker** (fiddle).

- 1:00 - 2:15 pm Advanced waltz workshop
- 2:30 - 3:45 pm Couple dancing
- 4:00 - 6:00 pm Advanced contra dance
- 6:15 - 7:15 pm Potluck supper
- 7:30 - 8:00 pm New dancer orientation & style points for seasoned dancers
- 8:00 - 11:00 pm Evening dance

Admission: \$20 BFMS members and affiliates, \$24 nonmembers. Under 21 and full-time students with ID: \$10 members, \$14 non-members. Reduced admission available for attendance at portions of event. Beginners, singles, couples, and families are welcome. No Experience necessary; you don't need to bring a partner.

For more information call Becca at 301-606-7115 or email Becca at nutritionexpeditions@yahoo.com or visit <http://www.BFMS.org>



Baltimore Playford Ball*

Saturday, October 22, 1:30 pm-11 pm

Church of the Redeemer, 5603 North Charles Street, Baltimore, 21210

Enjoy an afternoon ball review with music by **Jonathan Jensen** and **Becky Ross**, then break for a potluck and change into your finery to dance the night away, English Country style, to the music of **Steve Hickman**, **Alexander Mitchell**, **Marty Taylor**, and **Ralph Gordon**.

Admission: \$35 BFMS members & affiliates, \$40 general, \$16 students.

All dancing at the Church of the Redeemer.

Ball program available at www.bfms.org/playford.php

For additional information, contact Emily Aubrey at 410.433.4419 or playford@bfms.org

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BFMS-Sponsored Dances

BFMS American Contra & Square Dance*

*Lovely Lane United Methodist Church
2200 Saint Paul St, Baltimore 21218*

Wednesday evenings, 8-10:30 pm

New dancer session at 7:30 on the second and fourth

Wednesdays of the month

Admission: \$13/\$9 for BFMS members & affiliates.

Full-time students dance free in October!

Directions to Lovely Lane

From the north: take I-83 south to the 28th St./Druid Hill exit. Bear left and take 28th St. to Maryland Ave. Turn right on Maryland Ave., then left on 23rd St.

From the south: I-95 to I-395, exit onto S. Howard (downtown Baltimore), turn right onto Pratt. Left onto Charles, right onto 23rd Street. Use parking lots on either side of 23rd St. at Saint Paul. The church is on the right.

October 5

Janine Smith calls to **Rocket Surgery: Carl Friedman** (fiddle, flute), **Andrew Marcus** (accordion) and **Ralph Barthine** (guitar).

October 12

Paul Wilde calls to **Taylor Among the Devils: Steve Hickman** (fiddle), **Marty Taylor** (concertina, pennywhistle), and **Jonathan Jensen** (piano, ocarina).

New Dancer Orientation at 7:30

October 19

Terry Bachmann calls to the **Baltimore Open Band**.

October 26

Perry Shafran calls to **Rambling House: Joe DeZarn** (fiddle), **Tina Eck** (flute), **Patrick Cavanagh** (banjo), and **Marc Glickman** (piano, bodhran).

New Dancer Orientation at 7:30

BFMS English Country Dance*

*Saint Mark's on-the-Hill Parish Hall
1620 Reisterstown Rd, Pikesville 21208
0.5 miles from Balt. Beltway Exit 20 South*

Monday evenings, 8-10:30 pm; New dancer session at

7:45 on the first Monday of the month

Admission: \$11/\$8 for BFMS members & affiliates

\$2 student discount

English Country Dancing – fun, flirty, elegant movement to live music. All dances are taught and walked through.

For more info, contact Emily Aubrey at 410.433.4419 or engdance@bfms.org

October 3

Caller **Sharon McKinley** with **Jeff Steinberg** (violin), **Robin Wilson** (flute, concertina), and **Melissa Running** (piano). New dancer's workshop at 7:45.

October 12

Mike Franch teaches to the music of **Carl Friedman** (violin), **Karin Loya** (cello), and **Judy Meyers** (piano).

October 17

Prep for the Playford Ball with caller **Tom Spilsbury** and **Becky Ross** (violin), **Marty Taylor** (recorders, concertina), and **Liz Donaldson** (piano).

October 24

Occasionally Extreme **Michael Barraclough** calls to **Paul Oorts** (strings), **Robin Wilson** (flute, concertina) and **Jonathan Jensen** (piano et al).

October 31

It will be a treat to trick callers **Rich Galloway** and **Diane Schmit** by coming disguised as your favorite ECD. Music by **Emily Aubrey** (violin), **Marty Taylor** (recorder, concertina), and **Melissa Running** (piano)

Help Support BFMS: Sponsor a Dance!

Your tax-deductible donation will help cover the expenses involved in running that evening's dance, and your occasion will be announced as part of the night's festivities. For more information, please contact the appropriate dance chair.

BFMS Board Meeting*

Tuesday, October 4, 7:30 pm

Meetings are open to BFMS members, and all are encouraged to attend. Ice cream social follows meeting. For directions, agenda, and other information, please contact the President at: president@bfms.org.

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Member-Sponsored and Other Local Dances

Ballroom Dancing & Lessons‡

Fridays, 8pm

Johns Hopkins University ROTC building

Waltz, rumba, tango & more! Our 18th year; always free!
From 39th St & University Parkway go south on San Martin Drive; take 3rd left into campus. Climb wooden stairs, far side of building. Don't pay to park. No partner needed. Plan to change partners often (not required). For info contact Dave/Anne Greene 410-599-3725 or email Anne: agreene@all-systems.com, Dave: DGSG@all-systems.com

International Folk Dancing‡

Every Saturday, 7:30-10:30 pm, lesson in first hour.

Homewood Friends Meeting House

3107 N. Charles St. Baltimore, MD 21218

Dances from Europe, Israel and other countries of the Near and Middle East. Beginners welcome; no partner necessary. Admission \$2; first time free.

Al & Hildy Saunders 410-484-9392 (check answering machine message to confirm dancing is on) or Paul & Elise Kreiss 410-367-8194 (evenings & weekends) or pkreiss@toadmail.net Across Charles St. from Museum Drive (just east of Johns Hopkins). Enter down outside stairs from side porch. Call to arrange handicapped access.

Dickey Mill Contra Dance‡

ChileSwing Studio

4900 Wetheredsville Road, Baltimore, MD 21207

October 16, 2011 1:30 to 4:30

Dance in a converted 19th century mill with a great wooden floor and air conditioning. This is a ~cool~ dance.

Becca Denison calls to **Whirlitzer** - Amy Hopkins (Fiddle), Gerry Hemming (Guitar), Lisa Roberts (Banjo, Mandolin, Fiddle), Ed VandenBosche (Cello)

More Information:

Ed VandenBosche, edvcih@yahoo.com, 443-846-4748

Diana Kerns, Dianakerns@yahoo.com, 410-467-4771

Admission \$10 per person. Max. \$20 per family.

J. Patrick's Second Sunday Ceili

October 9th, 4:30 – 8:30

J. Patrick's Pub

1371 Andre Street in Locust Point, Baltimore, MD

Music by **J. PATRICK'S ALL-STARS**. The incredible **Marilyn Moore** will be calling all the Dances. Come out for a great afternoon of music and dance.

Admission is still just \$5

INFO ~ 410 244-8613

FSGW English Country Dancing

Wednesdays 8-10:30pm

Glen Echo Town Hall

6106 Harvard St. Glen Echo 20812

October 5

Stephanie Smith calls to music by **Anna Rain** (recorders), **Karin Loya** (cello) and **Liz Donaldson** (piano).

October 12

Joseph Pimentel leads the dancing to the music of **Becky Ross** (fiddle), **Ralph Gordon** (cello) and **Liz Donaldson** (piano).

October 19

Tom Spilsbury calls while **Barbara Heitz** (flute), **David Knight** (fiddle) and **Melissa Running** (piano) make the music.

October 26

Rich Galloway calls to the playing of **Jeff Steinberg** (fiddle), **Colleen Reed** (flute) and **Melissa Running** (piano).

Sunday Afternoon English Country Dance

Sunday, October 30, 2:30-5:30 pm

Annex of the Spanish Ballroom, Glen Echo Park

Melissa Running calling to music by **Crowfoot**: Jaige Trudel, Adam Broome, and Nicholas Williams.

\$10 for members of FSGW, BFMS, CDSS; non-members, \$12. \$5 youths 17 and under.

Info: Anna Rain at "English at fsgw.org"; 301-779-4273

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Other Local Dances

FSGW Sunday Night Squares & Contras

*Sundays, 7:30-10:30 pm, Beginner Workshop 7pm
Bumper Car Pavilion, Glen Echo Park, MD*

Contras and squares for new and experienced dancers. No partner necessary. New dancers please arrive early.

Admission \$12, \$9 for members, \$4 ages 17 and under.

www.fsgw.org

October 2

Jim Morrison calls with **Cabaret Sauvignon**

October 9

Paul Wilde calls with **Rhythm Method String Band**

October 16

Bev Bernbaum calls with **Montage**

October 23

Ann Fallon calls with **Contra Rebels**

October 30

Nils Fredland calls with **Crowfoot**

FSGW Family Dance

Sunday, October 9, 3-5pm

Bumper Car Pavilion, Glen Echo Park, MD

Janine Smith with the Young People's Band. Admission \$5 for ages 4 and older. More information at www.fsgw.org

Friday Night Dance

Fridays, 8:30-11:30; Beginner Workshop 7:30

Spanish Ballroom, Glen Echo Park, MD

Weekly contra dances to live music in the Glen Echo Park Spanish Ballroom. Admission \$9. www.fridaynightdance.org

October 7

Laura Brown calls to **Rhythm Method String Band**

October 14

Susan Taylor with the fabulous **Glen Echo Open Band**.

Free admission for ages 17 and under.

October 21

Janine Smith calls to **The Percolorators**

October 28

Nils Fredland with **Crowfoot**

Annapolis Traditional Dance Society Contra

Saturday, October 15, 7pm; workshop 6:30

Annapolis Friends Meeting House

351 Dubois Rd. Annapolis 21401

SPECIAL DANCE: Fund raiser to help our host, the Annapolis Friends Meeting Hall, keep its floor in good repair. The **Annaptown Open Band** will provide high energy music for dances called by local callers.

POTLUCK AT 5:00: Please join us for a potluck dinner before this special dance. Bring your favorite dish to share. Microwave oven available for warming food.

Admission \$10 with discounts for seniors, students, families and members of ATDS. All ages welcome. All dances taught and walked through. No experience or partner required. Snacks to share at the break are welcome!

Questions?? Contact Jan Scopel at 443- 540 0867 or janscope@hotmail.com; or Ann Fallon , 410 268 0231, aefallon@verizon.net www.contradancers.com/atds

Frederick Contra Dance

Saturday, October 22, 8-11pm (workshop 7pm)

Trinity School, Frederick MD

(near the Harry Grove Stadium)

David Giusti calls to music provided by **Andrea Hoag** on fiddle; **Karen Ashbrook** on hammered dulcimer; **Paul Oorts** on various stringed instruments.

Admission is \$9 general, \$5 students. Please check our website for details and directions: www.contradancers.com
Contact person is Boe Walker at 301.694.6794.

Lancaster Contra Dance

Saturday, October 15

St. John's Episcopal Church

321 W. Chestnut St. Lancaster, PA 17603

The Contraptions with **Nora Smith** (fiddle), **Bill Quern** (mandolin & guitar), and **Chloe Maher** (piano). **Rick Mohr** calling.

Beginners workshop 7:15, dance 8-11 pm. \$8/\$5.

Info: Shane at 717.538.5833 or www.lancastercontra.org

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Other Local Dances

Shepherdstown Contra Dance

*Saturday, October 1, 8-11pm; workshop 7:30
War Memorial Building
German & King Street, Shepherdstown WV*

Ann Fallon calls to the music of **Waverley Station** with **David Knight** on fiddle, **Liz Donaldson** on piano and **Ralph Gordon** on bass.

All levels welcome, no partner needed. Please wear clean, soft-soled shoes to protect the floor.

Admission is: \$7 for members over age 12, \$10 for nonmembers over age 12, \$5 for dancers under age 12 .

www.smad.us Info: Becky at 304-876-2169.

Locust Lane Contra Dance

*2nd, 4th & 5th Fridays; 8-11pm; lesson 7:30
Christ the Savior Orthodox Church
5501 Locust Lane, Harrisburg PA 17109*

Oct 14 - Rick Mohr with The Contraptions

Oct 28 - Dave Colestock with Dancewiz

Admission \$9/\$8 members. For more info or directions, contact Dave Colestock at 717-770-1477 or LocustLaneContra@freeservers.com

Galesville Community Dance

*Saturday, October 29th
Galesville Memorial Hall
952 Galesville Road, Galesville MD 20765
(Near Annapolis)*

Traditional Appalachian dance tunes played by **Leah Weiss** (fiddle), **Gary Wright** (guitar), and friends. Sit-ins welcome on fiddle, guitar, and clawhammer banjo. Dance Squares, Circles, Longway Sets & Waltzes. **Janine Smith** calling the figures. ALL ages welcome!

5:30pm Doors Open - 6:00pm Potluck Dinner

7:00pm Family-Friendly Dancing

8:30 -10pm More Challenging Dancing

Adults \$10, Ages 5-17 \$5, Under 5: Free

<http://communitysquaredance.wordpress.com/>

More info: (301) 926-9142

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CONTRA SONIC

*Tuesday October 18, 7:30 PM to 11:00 PM
Artisphere, 1101 Wilson Blvd in Arlington, VA*

It's high energy, it's loud, and it's glow stick fueled!

Admission : \$8, \$6 for youth and students

Bev Bernbaum calls with **dj Improper**

Bev Bernbaum brings hir hip, urban, international (she's Canadian, eh) sensibility to Sonic. dj Improper is touring, he stops home between Greenfield's Contra Evolution at the Guiding Star Grange and LEAF!

Great American Square Dance Revival: Pt VII

*Saturday, October 22, 8:30 - 11:30 pm
Saint Stephens Church (www.saintstephensdc.org)
1525 Newton St. NW, Washington DC 20010
Near the Columbia Heights Metro*

It's a Hoedown Throwdown! **The Percolators** (Musicians: **C.W. Abbott, David Cahn, Larry Edelman, Joe Fallon, and Joe Herrmann**) take on **The Hot Square Babes** (Callers: **Laura Brown, Ann Fallon, Eva Murray, Janine Smith, and Susan Taylor**) for an unforgettable evening of totally off the hook rockin' music and Square Dancin'!

All are welcome – young and old, brand new and experienced dancers. No partner, lessons, or fancy dress needed. \$5 at the door. Info: visit www.dcsquaredance.com

Glen Echo Sunday Afternoon Waltz

*Sundays, 2:45pm lesson, 3:30-6pm dancing
Glen Echo Park, Glen Echo, MD*

Sunday, October 2 – Cabaret Sauvignon

Sunday, October 30 – Gigmasters

Dance in the Spanish Ballroom at Glen Echo Park to a lively mix of folk waltzes with a few other couples dances, including Hambo, Schottische, Swing, Tango, and Polka. Admission is \$10. No partner required.

The waltz lesson begins at 2:45 p.m. with a half-hour of beginner instruction and 15-minutes for an intermediate move. Dancing follows until 6 p.m.

For info: go to www.WaltzTimeDances.org, e-mail info@WaltzTimeDances.org

www.bfms.org

888-646-BFMS (2367)

Other Local Dances

Slow Blues and Swing Dancing

Glen Echo Park

7300 MacArthur Blvd, Glen Echo, MD 20812

Thurs., October 6, 13, 20, 27 – DJ Mike Marcotte & guests

Thursday Blues Dance in the “Back Room” at Glen Echo Park. Dance slow blues and swing to incredible blues music from 9 – 11 pm, with a 45-minute beginner lesson at 8:15 pm. Admission is \$8 for lesson and dance.

Sunday, October 16 – Big Boy Little Band

Sunday, October 30 – Glen Crytzer

Sunday Blues dance in the Back Room at Glen Echo Park. There is an optional 1½ hour workshop, taught by Donna Barker and Mike Marcotte, from 7 – 8:30 pm. Dance slow blues and swing from 8:30 - 11 p.m. Cost: \$17 for the workshop and dance; or \$12 for the dance only.

Friday, October 21 – TBD

Join us for a Swingin’ the Blues dance in the Bumper Car Pavilion. There are two workshops from 8-9 pm: Slow Blues taught by Donna Barker and Mike Marcotte and West Coast Swing taught by Ken Roesel. Dance slow blues and swing to this fantastic band from 9 pm to midnight. Admission \$15.

For more information, call Donna Barker at 301-634-2231 or Glen Echo Park at 301-634-2222, or go to www.DanceDC.net

Scandinavian Dance Classes

*Tuesdays * 7:30 – 9:30 pm*

Beginning Class: October 25

Advanced Class: October 4 and 18

NIH, Bethesda MD (ID required to enter facilities)

Beginners learn Hambo, Schottish, Waltz, Zwiefacher, and other couple turning dances. Advanced dancers learn Springleik, Boda, Orsa, Föllinge, Finnskogspols, Nigpolska, Gammalvånster, Telespringar, and requests. Sometimes live music. Wear smooth-soled shoes for turning, not running shoes. \$5. Info: Lisa Brooks at 240.731.1935, lisa@HamboDC.org, or www.HamboDC.org.

Cajun and Zydeco Fall Festival

Saturday and Sunday, October 22 and 23

Glen Echo Park

7300 MacArthur Blvd, Glen Echo, MD 20812

Dancing by the Bayou presents a Fall Dance Festival featuring a variety of bands, dance lessons, lots of dancing, and talks about this unique musical heritage. Bands will include **Andre Thierry & Zydeco Magic, Nathan & the Zydeco Cha Chas, Bruce Daigrepoint Cajun Band, Dennis Stroughmatt & Creole Stomp, Curley Taylor & Zydeco Trouble, Patty Reese Band, Karen Collins & the Backroads Band, Ruthie & the Wranglers, and Elikeh!**

Join the fun for two days of Cajun and Zydeco Music and Dance, Saturday, October 22 from noon to 12:15 AM and Sunday, October 23 from noon to 6:30 pm. Visit www.DancingbytheBayou.com for the schedule and tickets.

For more information, call Michael Hart at 301-762-6730.

Norwegian Dance & Potluck plus DANCE CLASS!

*Sunday, October 9, class 1:30 potluck 4pm,
dancing 5:30pm*

3600 T St., NW, Washington DC 20007

Norwegian-style house party, plus DANCE CLASS this month. Mesmerizing live music by Grammy winner **Paul Morrisett** on the unique [Hardanger fiddle](http://www.hfaa.org) (w/sympathetic strings under the bowed strings--see [hfaa.org](http://www.hfaa.org)). Dance class by **Bruce Emery**: Telespringar for beginners. And he'll share a few cool Valdrespringar moves during the dance party. Addictive dances, some with elements like Swing or Hambo. Beginners & listeners welcome. No need to bring a partner. Bring clean shoes to wear, food to share, and \$\$ you can spare.

Hosts Linda Brooks & Ross Schipper's phone just in case: 202.333.2826. Info/dirs: Jenny, pi@xecu.net, 301.371.4312 or <http://MAND.fanitull.org>

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Concerts, Singing and Storytelling



J. Patrick's All-Stars*

*Friday October 7, 2011 8:00 pm
Stony Run Friends Meeting House
5116 North Charles Street, Baltimore, MD 21210*

Gráinne Hambly & William Jackson with Peter Fitzgerald and Friends. Music from Ireland and Scotland.

Suggested Donation: \$17 per Person in Advance or \$20 at the Door (\$3 Discount for BFMS Members)

Seating is Limited. Contact: 410-598-9094 for information; events@jpatrickallstars.com for reservations.

Tellabration!*

*Sunday, November 20, 2011, 3-6pm
Cylburn Arboretum
4915 Greenspring Ave. Baltimore, MD 21209*

In conjunction with the National Storytelling Network, BFMS presents "Storytellers by Nature": Stories, Music, and Traditional English Sword Dancing. Featuring ten of the area's finest storytellers

FREE! Donations welcome to benefit Cylburn Arboretum

Delicious refreshments available for sale - provided by students from Waldorf School. Crafts and Books for Sale

Contact ; Storytelling@bfms.org
410-321-8419 or 410-252-1438

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The Friendly Coffeehouse*

*Friday, Sept. 9th, 8-11 pm, sign up starts at 7:30
Calvary Baptist Church
120 W. Pennsylvania Ave., Towson 21204*

The Friendly Coffeehouse Open Mic takes place on Second Fridays each month at 8pm. We offer a friendly, supportive atmosphere for acoustic musicians, poets, storytellers, and other folkies.

Please visit the Coffeehouse website at www.friendlycoffeehouse.org to stay up to date on all Friendly Coffeehouse news. If you are interested in being a featured act, please contact friendlycoffeehouse@gmail.com

Singing for Everyone‡

*Homewood Friends Meeting House
3107 N. Charles St. Baltimore, MD 21218
Sunday, October 2, 2011 from 7 to 9 PM*

Everyone is welcome. Snacks are welcome, and will be confined to the Lunch room downstairs. You do not have to feed the parking meters. More info: scwarner@hotmail.com



House Concert: Al Petteway and Amy White‡

Sunday, October 2nd, 7:00pm (doors open at 6:30)

Suggested donation:\$20.00 www.AlandAmy.com

Hosted by Wendy Rambo Shuford. For reservations:
410-532-5604 or ramboshuford@aol.com

More Concerts

Uptown Concerts at Baldwin's Station‡

7618 Main St, Sykesville, MD 21784

Thursday, October 13th - **Bryan Bowers**

Tickets \$20.00 – Showtime 8:00 pm

www.bryanbowers.com

Thursday, October 20th - Steve Gillette & Cindy Mangsen

Tickets \$20.00 – Showtime 8:00 pm

www.compassrosemusic.com

Tickets & reservations: 410-795-1041

www.uptownconcerts.com www.baldwinsstation.com

Uptown Concerts Inc., presents...

The Cellar Stage™‡

*Faith Community United Methodist Church
5315 Harford Road * Baltimore, MD 21214*

Friday, October 14

The Kennedys; Midway Fair opens.

www.kenedysmusic.com

Tickets \$20.00 – Showtime 8:00 pm, doors open 7:00 pm.

Friday, October 28

Cheryl Wheeler. www.cherylwheeler.com

Tickets \$30.00 – Showtime 8:00 pm, doors open 7:00 pm.

Tickets & info: 410-521-9099, to speak with Joyce:

410-922-5210 joycersica@yahoo.com

www.uptownconcerts.com

Perry Hall Folk Music Night

Saturday, October 1, 7:00-10:00 pm

*Perry Hall United Methodist Church
9515 Belair Rd., Baltimore, MD 21236*

Featured Performer: **Woody Lissauer**

<http://www.woodylissauer.com/>

Admission is free, but donations are welcome. This is an

"open mike" event. ndzimmer@comcast.net (Neil

Zimmerman) 410-529-7176

<http://www.perryhallumc.org/FolkMusicNight/>



BFMS member **Ann Porcella** will perform at Babcock Presbyterian Church Community Coffee House on October 14 (event listing below).

Community Coffee House‡

Friday, October 14, 8:00 pm

Babcock Presbyterian Church

8240 Loch Raven Boulevard, Towson, MD 21286

The **Blue Moon Cowgirls** (**Ann Porcella, Karen Collins, Lynn Healey, Ira Gitlin**) - A shimmering trio of female voices backed by flexible acoustic instrumentation, the Blue Moon Cowgirls blend front-porch directness with neon-lit sophistication as they sing about home and highways, heaven and honkytonks, heartbreak and hope. Their repertoire stretches from the 1920s Appalachia to the 1990s California, with stops along the way at several decades' worth of prairie roadhouses and bayou dance halls..

www.bluemooncowgirls.com

Ann Porcella and friends (Mark Clifton, Flawn Williams, Bill Schmidt, Alan Murphy) will appear in an opening set to celebrate Ann's new CD, *Gathering Stones*.

\$10. www.babcockpc.org / 410-825-3314 / E-mail: office@babcockpc.org

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More Concerts

Focus Music

Tuesday, October 11, 8pm

Folk/roots singer-songwriter Jack Williams

www.jackwilliamsmusic.com

Unitarian Universalist Church of Rockville.

100 Welsh Park Dr., Rockville, MD 20850

Info: David Spitzer at focusrockville@earthlink.net or 301-275-7459.

Sunday, October 14, 7pm

Acoustic folk/pop trio **Big Wide Grin**, with folk/roots duo Nick Peters and Steve Erickson at Church of the Resurrection, 2280 N. Beauregard St., Alexandria, Va. 22311.

Info: kay@focusmusic.org, 703-501-6061

Tickets are \$18 at the door, \$15 in advance at

www.focusmusic.org.

Orfeia Vocal Ensemble

Sunday, November 6, 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Silver Spring Civic Center

One Veterans Place (Ellsworth Dr. and Fenton St.)

Silver Spring, MD

Listen, sing and dance to the lively and captivating sounds of traditional Bulgarian and Eastern European music presented by Orfeia Vocal Ensemble, directed by Tatiana Sarbinska, with Kolyu Kolev on the accordion. Tatiana Sarbinska is a world-renowned Bulgarian singer, composer and folklorist (www.tatianasarbinska.com). Family-friendly.

Suggested donation, \$20 (children with adults, free). For more information, email info@orfeia.org or visit

www.orfeia.org

Institute of Musical Traditions

www.imtfolk.org

Monday October 3, 7:30 pm

Bearfoot

www.bearfootband.com

IMT at Saint Mark Presbyterian Church,
10701 Old Georgetown Road, Rockville, MD
\$18 advance, \$23 door, Student with ID: \$13 / \$18

Wednesday October 12, 7:30 pm

Grace Pettis

<http://www.gracepettis.com>

IMT at Takoma Park Community Center Auditorium,
7500 Maple Avenue, Takoma Park, MD 20912
\$15 advance / \$18, Student with ID: \$12

Monday October 17, 7:30 pm

Andy Irvine

www.andyirvine.com

IMT at Saint Mark Presbyterian Church,
10701 Old Georgetown Road, Rockville, MD
\$20 advance, \$25 door, Student with ID: \$15 / \$20

Wednesday, October 26, 7:30 pm

Ruthie and the Wranglers

www.ruthieandthewranglers.com

IMT at Takoma Park Community Center Auditorium,
7500 Maple Avenue, Takoma Park, MD 20912
\$12 advance, \$16 door; Student with ID \$8/\$12

Sunday, October 30, 7:00 pm

Guy Mendilow Band

www.guymendilow.com

IMT Rockville: Temple Beth Ami
14330 Travilah Road, Rockville MD
\$18 advance, \$22 door; Student with ID: \$14 / \$18



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