



Baltimore Folk Music Society

Member, Country Dance & Song Society

April 2022

<http://www.bfms.org>

888-646-BFMS

Special Events without BFMS in their title are not sponsored by BFMS

BFMS Song Swap

The Song Swap is a place for folks to come together and share songs, community, and keep the live singing tradition thriving. We take turns around the circle. If you are shy about leading a song, don't fret...we sing many songs with choruses and your voice will blend in with everyone else's. Please come prepared with a few songs ahead of time (bring lyrics if you need 'em).

Second Tuesdays 7:30 to 9:30 PM at the Church of the Nativity and Holy Comforter, 6112 York Rd, Baltimore, MD 21212
Fourth Tuesdays 7:30 to 9:30 PM - at the Four Hour Day Lutherie, 4305 Harford Road Baltimore, MD 21214

These events are FREE.

See the BFMS Website for details -
www.bfms.org/songswap.php
<http://www.bfms.org/songswap.php>

April 12 2022

7:30. Join us to sing (or take an instrumental break) at a warm, welcoming zoom with folks from Baltimore and all over! Find the link at our facebook page:
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/618331624855775/>

April 26 2022

7:30. Join us to sing (or take an instrumental break) at a warm, welcoming zoom with folks from Baltimore and all over! Find the link at our facebook page:
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/618331624855775/>

Special Events

ELLIS PAUL

April 01 2022

Doors open at 7:00 pm, Showtime 7:30 pm, Tickets \$25.00 ~ Buy in advance! Remaining tickets will be available at the door if not sold out.
ELLIS PAUL

Emerald Isle Club Ceili Dance

April 02 2022

7-11 pm at the Atlantic Ballroom 8819 Orchard Tree Lane. See <https://emeraldisleclub.com/> for more info. Attendees must show proof of COVID vaccination to be admitted to the dance. You can submit your proof in advance by sending a photo of your vaccination card to eicvax@emeraldisleclub.com.
Emerald Isle Club Ceili Dance

Waltz at Glen Echo

April 03 2022

Music by "Three Roses" Carrie Rose, Edith Coakley Stowe & Melissa Running. Lively mix of folk waltzes with a few other couples' dances, including Tango, Hambo, Swing, and Polka. Admission is \$15, \$5 for full-time students with ID. No partner required. Lesson at 2:45 p.m. with 30 min beginner and 15 min intermediate or advanced. Dancing follows until 6 p.m. Masks and proof of fully vaxed status are required.
Info:www.WaltzTimeDances.org
Waltz at Glen Echo

JOHN FLYNN

April 07 2022

Tickets \$25.00 ~ Showtime 7:30 pm. Doors open at 7:00 pm
JOHN FLYNN

Irish Dance Spring Fling

April 08 2022

Greater Washington Ceili Club Irish Dance Spring Fling. Friday and Saturday evening will be loaded with familiar dances as well as the new. GWCC plans to return to Shepherdstown, WV on April 8-9, 2022 for our Spring Fling, offered at the same rate as previous years (Event Package \$60 for GWCC members, \$65 for non-members; admission to individual events can be purchased at the door). www.gwccfallfling.com/springfling
Irish Dance Spring Fling

English Country Dance

April 09 2022

4 - 6 pm, RSVP required, JoyintheRoom@icloud.com, Proof of Vaccination Required! 25 people must be signed up otherwise the dance will be cancelled. If you wait until April 8, it may be too late. Church of the Nativity and Holy Comforter, 419 Cedarcroft Rd. Baltimore 21212, Caller: Sharon McKinley, Music by Janina O'Brien & Carl Friedman (Fiddle), Masks required.
English Country Dance

Waltz at Glen Echo

April 17 2022

"Waltz Sisters" Liz Donaldson, Tina Chancey, Paul Oorts & Ralph Gordon. Lively mix of folk waltzes with a few other couples' dances, including Tango, Hambo, Swing, and Polka. Admission is \$15, \$5 for full-time students with ID. No partner required. Lesson at 2:45 p.m. with 30 min beginner and 15 min intermediate or advanced. Dancing follows until 6 p.m. Masks and proof of fully vaxed status are required.
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Waltz at Glen Echo

2022 BFMS Picnic

April 24 2022

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We welcome you to join us for an afternoon of fun and camaraderie as we resume BFMS in person activities! Hooray! Since it has been 2 years since many of us have seen each other, name tags are a good idea to consider. The picnic will be held at Genesee Valley Outdoor Learning Center. This lovely park is located in Parkton, Maryland, just twenty-five minutes north of Baltimore City and 30 minutes south of York, Pennsylvania. Pre-registration is required and link will be provided later on the picnic page.
<http://www.bfms.org/picnic.php>

GEOFFREY HIMES' 70th BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

April 24 2022

3 pm, Willem Elsevier & Friends at An Die Musik Live, In-Person: \$15 at door (proof of vaccination required), Streaming: \$12. More info: www.andiemusiklive.com (410) 385-2638.
GEOFFREY HIMES' 70th BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

English Country Dance

April 25 2022

7 pm, Church of the Nativity and Holy Comforter, 419 Cedarcroft Road, Baltimore, MD 21212. \$15. Callers: Ann Fallon, Musicians: Emily Aubrey (Fiddle) & Janina O'Brien (Piano, Whistles, Bodhran). R.S.V.P.:
JoyinTheRoom@icloud.com. Proof of vaccination and medical grade face-mask (N-95,KN-95, KN-94 or surgical mask) required.
English Country Dance

Carrie Newcomer

April 30 2022

7pm, Album Release Tour at the Center for Spiritual Deepening. Tickets are \$35 in advance (\$35 at the door to members, \$40 at the door to non-members, virtual tickets purchased day-of are also \$40). COVID protocols, details and tickets at www.focusmusic.org Focus Mount Vernon | St. Aidan's Episcopal Church 8531 Riverside Road Alexandria, VA 22308
Carrie Newcomer

David Mallett

May 03 2022

7:30 PM, Singer-songwriter, David Mallett is one of America's true original troubadours. Tickets are \$30. COVID protocols, details and tickets at <http://www.wfma.net/mallett22.htm> The Arts Barn; 311 Kent Square Road, Gaithersburg, MD 20878; Info available www.focusmusic.org
David Mallett

OCEAN CELTIC QUARTET

May 06 2022

Doors open at 7:00 pm, Showtime 7:30 pm, Tickets \$25.00 ~ Buy in advance! Remaining tickets will be available at the door if not sold out.
OCEAN CELTIC QUARTET

Dare To Be Square Dance Weekend

May 06 2022

At a cabin camp in Prince William Forest Park (near Dumfries, VA, just an hour south of DC). We'll have square dances on Friday and Saturday nights featuring calling by the amazing Becky Hill and LP Kelly with music from Furnace Mountain and Dolly & the Devil String Band (featuring Janie Rothfield) More info and registration:
<http://www.daretobesquaredmv.com/register.html>
Dare To Be Square Dance Weekend

SETH GLIER

May 20 2022

Showtime 7:30 pm, Doors open at 7:00 pm, Tickets \$25.00
<https://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/5345742>
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May 27 2022

Showtime 7:30 pm, Doors open at 7:00 pm, Tickets \$25.00
<https://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/5290140>
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TOBY WALKER

June 02 2022

Showtime 7:30 pm, Doors at 7:00 pm, Tickets \$25.00,
<https://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/5281677>
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