



Baltimore Folk Music Society

Member, Country Dance & Song Society

January 2023

<http://www.bfms.org>

888-646-BFMS

Special Events are listed after the regular ones

Wednesday Contra Dance

American Contra and Square Dancing at 8:00 p.m. on 1st, 3rd and 5th Wednesdays at Lovely Lane United Methodist Church, 2200 St. Paul Street, Baltimore, MD 21218. Admission is \$10 for members, \$15 for nonmembers. Under 21 and full-time students with IDs: \$7 for members, \$10 for nonmembers. All dances are taught and walked through beforehand. <http://www.bfms.org/squarecontra.php>

January 04 2023

Rowyn Peel calls to the music of the Gravy Soppers - Rebecca Adams (banjo, vocals, and dance board), Jeffrey Adams (guitar), Jason Miller (fiddle, vocals, and banjo), and Gary Baker (bass). Intro lesson at 7:30. Dance starts at 8 at Lovely Lane Church (now with air conditioning!). N-95/KN-95/KF-94 masks and proof of vaccination are required. Online payment only: <https://bfms.org/contradancepay.php>. Attendance is limited so pre-payment is encouraged to reserve your spot. No cash at the door

January 18 2023

Live music by Unbowed - Henry Koretzsky (mandolin, guitar) and Jill Smith (piano). Intro lesson at 7:30. Dance starts at 8 at Lovely Lane Church (now with air conditioning!). N-95/KN-95/KF-94 masks and proof of vaccination are required. Online payment only: <https://bfms.org/contradancepay.php>. Attendance is limited so pre-payment is encouraged to reserve your spot. No cash at the door

Monday English Dance

English Country Dance - 2nd and 4th Mondays from 8 to 10:30 pm English Country Dancing is lively movement to elegant music in a friendly, informal setting. All dances are taught and walked through. \$10 BFMS Members & Affiliates, \$15 non-members. Under 21 and full-time students with ID: \$7 for members, \$10 for nonmembers. Church of the Nativity, 6112 York Rd., 21212. Info: engdance@bfms.org <http://www.bfms.org/mondayDance.php>

January 09 2023

English Country Dance: 8:00-10:30 pm. Sharon McKinley calls dances to the music of Emily Aubrey (violin), Francine Krasowska (piano) and Robin Wilson (flute, concertina). Location: The Church of the Nativity and Holy Comforter, 6112 York Rd, Baltimore, MD 21212. N-95/KN-95/KF-94 masks and proof of vaccination are required. On-line payments only. <https://bfms.org/englishcountrypay.php>

January 23 2023

English Country Dance: 8:00 - 10:30 pm Kappy Laning calls to

the music of Elke Baker (violin), Janina O'Brien (piano), and Mark Vidor (accordion) Location: The Church of the Nativity and Holy Comforter, 6112 York Rd, Baltimore, MD 21212. N-95/KN-95/KF-94 masks and proof of vaccination are required. On-line payments only. <https://bfms.org/englishcountrypay.php>

Saturday Contra Dance

American Square and Contra Dancing on the 2nd Saturday of the month running from 7:00 'till 9:30 pm, with a short break in the middle. Admission is: \$10 BFMS Members & Affiliates, \$15 non-members. Under 21 and full-time students with ID: \$7 for members, \$10 for nonmembers. Beginners, singles, couples, and families are welcome. No Experience necessary; you don't need to bring a partner. Church of the Nativity, 6112 York Rd, Baltimore 21212. <http://www.bfms.org/saturdayDance.php>

January 14 2023

7-9:30 PM *One hour earlier than regular schedule* Penelope Weinberger calling to Claire Noonan Button accordion, Keira Noonan Fiddle, and Riley Fitzpatrick Piano New dancer lesson: 6:30 PM Use this link for online payment <https://bfms.org/contradancepay.php>... Location: The Church of the Nativity and Holy Comforter, 6112 York Rd, Baltimore, MD 21212 Admission is: \$10 BFMS members & affiliates, \$15 non-members. Under 21 and full-time students with ID: \$7 members, \$10 nonmembers. In case of inclement weather, check BFMS.org for an event cancellation notice.

BFMS Song Swap

<http://www.bfms.org/songswap.php>

January 10 2023

7:30. 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. While we have been getting together on zoom, the BFMS songswap has become transcontinental and international with participants from west, farther west, and north and northwest across the border. You can drop in on the zoom and meet (and hear / sing with) some nice folks we 're not likely to meet in person! Check our facebook page for the link. <https://www.facebook.com/groups/618331624855775>

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Special Events

MidWinter Ball

January 28 2023

2023 Mid Winter Ball: "All That Glitters". Band: Frog Hammer, featuring Jim Besser on concertina, Andrew Marcus on accordion, Michael Ferguson on harpejji, Dave Casserly on saxophone, Glyn Collinson on bozouki, guitar, vocals, and Bob Collins on drums Caller: Caroline Barnes 3 pm to 5 pm: English Ceilidh 7:30 pm to 11 pm: Contras and Ceilidhs, beginning with a Grand March by Stan Fowler Location: 2640 Space 2640 St. Paul Street Baltimore, MD Link to register:
<http://bfms.org/midwinter.php>
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