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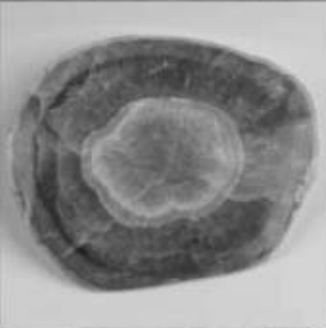
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## Welcome to the 26<sup>th</sup> annual Flurry Festival!

### — A Festival of Traditional Dancing and Music

After our wonderful 25th anniversary celebration last year, the only thing we can say right now is here's to 25 more years! Without all of you, we would never be able to make that statement with so much confidence, joy, and excitement for what the future holds.

We know that for many of you, this weekend is an annual tradition. So many families have grown up coming to our festival and it's so nice to be a part of your family history. Some of our favorite stories from participants are about children who have grown up coming to the festival, long-lasting romances formed over a dance, and generations celebrating together.

We are thrilled to be able to provide you with a warm and joy-filled weekend in the midst of the cold winter months. This year we have a phenomenal schedule of events, laden with our traditional music, dance, jamming and storytelling sessions, and modernized with new beats, a techno dance party, house dancing, human beat boxes and other threads of music and dance history that have evolved in more recent years.

We feel there is no other place in the world where 5,000 people can come together and be exposed to this diverse immersion of expression, and exist in joyful harmony throughout. We thank you for your contributions, positive energy and smiles that make this festival stand out from the rest.

For those of you who are new to The Flurry, we hope you have the time of your life and welcome you to our family. For those of you who are returning Flurry folks, thank you for your continued support. We look forward to dancing, jamming and singing with you this year, and for many years to come!

*Ian Hamelin, Tamara Flanders, Chrissie VanWormer and Peter Davis— Festival Directors  
... and Jen Brown, President of the DanceFlurry Organization*



*Flurry Directors (l-r): Ian Hamelin, Tamara Flanders, Chrissie VanVormer, Peter Davis*

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

### 2014 Flurry Festival — February 14, 15, 16



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### **Economic Benefits -- 5,000 and growing!**

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### **Health Benefits of Dance**

The Flurry offers a variety of dance, giving people a fun and heartwarming activity that increases personal health and wellness. The National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute says that dancing can lower the risk of coronary heart disease, decrease blood pressure, help manage weight, and strengthen leg and hip bones. Show your support of the dance and health revolution by having your name posted on our website throughout the year.

### **Cultural Recognition**

The Flurry Festival celebrates dance and music from around the world. In 2010, our festival ranked number seven in the Metroland Magazine's top ten cultural events in the Capital Region! Help keep the variety going.

### **Historic Tradition Passed On**

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### **The Flurry is a Highly Publicized Event**

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Visit [www.flurryfestival.org](http://www.flurryfestival.org) for more information, or contact [admindirector@flurryfestival.org](mailto:admindirector@flurryfestival.org)

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**THE DANCEFLURRY ORGANIZATION** IS A COMMUNITY OF DANCERS, ORGANIZERS, CALLERS, INSTRUCTORS AND MUSICIANS DEDICATED TO SUPPORTING TRADITIONAL MUSIC AND DANCE IN THE CAPITAL-SARATOGA REGION.



#### **OUR GOALS**

- ♦ Support traditional music and dance from diverse cultures
- ♦ Create community by providing opportunities for social interaction
- ♦ Present dance and music as healthy, educational, creative and fun experiences
- ♦ Develop the talents of dancers, organizers, callers, instructors and musicians



**Help us to keep** the dance floors humming and the music playing. DFO activities are made possible through the work of board members, many dedicated volunteers, memberships, and donations. We invite you to volunteer for a committee and help us work on projects such as workshops, youth programs and outreach. Become a DFO member—your support will ensure the survival of this rich, cultural legacy for the next generation.

#### **MEMBER BENEFITS**

- ♦ Sharing the joys of traditional music and dance with people of all ages
- ♦ Discounts on Flurry Festival tickets and at DanceFlurry events
- ♦ An annual newsletter



#### **VISIT [WWW.DANCEFLURRY.ORG](http://WWW.DANCEFLURRY.ORG) TO:**

- ♦ Become a member or make an online donation
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Most dances allow a range of abilities, but dances for "experienced" dancers are for those who already know the moves. There isn't time to explain the moves in the middle of a fast-paced dance.

### Listen to the caller:

You don't want to miss important information during instruction or the dance.

### Please Don't Go:

Your set or square relies on you being there until the end of that dance.

### Feel Free to Mix It Up:

Switching partners is fun, and part of the custom.

### Consider Being Fragrance Free:

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### Rest & Hydrate:

Dancing is exercise. Drink enough water and take breaks.

### Say Thanks:

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**ADIRONDACK DANCE WEEKEND** (Contra & English Country Dance) Sept 20-22. Silver Bay YMCA of the Adirondacks, Silver Bay; 664-6781 or 813-0531, [Adirondack@danceflurry.org](mailto:Adirondack@danceflurry.org)

**ALBANY CONTRADANCES!** 8:00 PM Mar 8, Mar 29, Apr 12, May 10, May 31, Jun 14, Sept 13, Oct 11, Nov 8, Nov 29, Dec 13. Albany Elks Lodge, 25 S. Allen St.; 729-7791, [peter.stix@me.com](mailto:peter.stix@me.com)

**ALBANY FAMILY DANCE** 4 PM Mar 10 at Delmar Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Avenue. Apr 14 at First Congregational Church Of Albany, 405 Quail St.; 482-9255

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**CAPITAL ENGLISH COUNTRY DANCES** 2:00 PM Mar 3, Apr 7, May 5, Oct 6, Nov 3, Dec 1. First Unitarian-Universalist Society of Albany, 405 Washington Ave.; (Dec. 1- Christ Church, Troy) (Special 25th Anniversary Dance Party in Fall TBD); 477-5684

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Friday April 12	<b>Elly Marshall</b> (fiddle), <b>Glen Loper</b> (mandolin), <b>Bethany Walckman</b> (guitar) with caller <b>Rebecca Lay</b> .
Friday May 10	<b>Cedar Stanlstreet</b> (fiddle), <b>Rebecca Bosworth-Clemens</b> (clarinet), <b>Eric Eld-Reiner</b> (keyboard) with caller <b>Sarah Ziegler</b> .
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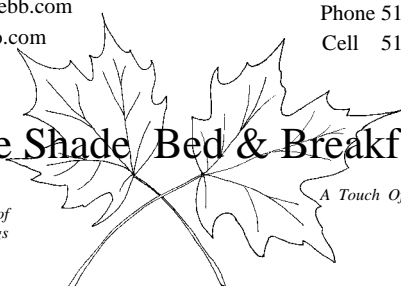
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## The Program A-Z: What each session is about

Here are descriptions of program sessions, arranged alphabetically by title of session. For a chronological schedule by location, please refer to the centerfold pages with pink edges.

### 100 Years of CDSS (C)

Hilton Whitney, Sunday 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

The Country Dance and Song Society is approaching its Centennial in 2015. Learn about our history and help us brainstorm ways to celebrate our big birthday (besides cake).

- Mary Wesley

### 19th Century Vintage Dance (DSX)

Saratoga Music Hall, Saturday 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM

Ballroom dances of the 19th century. Dancers should know how to waltz and polka.

- Margarita Marambio, Spare Parts

### 5-String Banjo Without Re-tuning (IM)

Hilton Alabama, Sunday 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM

Explore the possibilities of the double D tuning.

- Mark Roberts

### A Line Dance Sampler (DB)

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Saturday 11:15 AM - 12:15 PM

An introduction to line dancing and the many forms of music it now embraces. Learn simple dances to Country, Celtic, Latin and Pop music, interspersed with demos of dances beyond the introductory level to show where line dancing can take you as an art form. No experience needed.

- Sue Kaupelis

### Accordion Ensemble (IS)

Hilton Whitney, Saturday 4:10 PM - 5:00 PM

Bring your piano accordion, and together we will learn a tune and arrange it for a whole choir of accordions. We will explore the different roles the instrument can play, experimenting with textures, backup ideas, and harmonies.

- Rachel Bell

## SCHEDULE KEY

### Type of Event

- (C) **Chat:** Led discussion, sharing.
- (D) **Participatory Dancing:** Leader provides walk-thrus and prompting.
- (E) **Entertainment**
- (F) **Family-Oriented:** Especially geared to families with young children.
- (G) **Group Participation:** Jams, Sings, Yoga, etc.
- (I) **Instruction Featured:** Instructor walks you through the steps; how-to's.
- (N) **No Instruction / No dance walk-thrus**
- (P) **Presentation:** Demonstration of a particular skill, or presentation of educational material.
- (T) **Teen-Oriented:** Geared toward teenagers.

### Level of Event

- (B) **Beginner Level:** No, or very little experience.
- (S) **Secondary Level:** Can do the basics well and have some experience.
- (X) **Experienced Level:** Specifically for those with a lot of experience. Not recommended for beginners.
- (M) **Mixed Level:** Anyone, any level, may attend.

### African Dance For All (IM)

City Center Rm. A, Saturday 7:45 PM - 8:45 PM

African Dance is for all levels, suited for everyone from experienced dancers to those with no dance experience. LIVE DRUMS! Benefits of this class: aerobic workout; learn to hear and respond to musical cues, increase concentration, relieve stress and have FUN!

- Badjo School of African Dance and Drumming

### African Dance for Families (DF)

City Center Rm. A, Saturday 4:15 PM - 5:00 PM

Moms, Dads, and kids of all ages are invited to dance together with teachers and drummers from Ghana, Africa.

- Badjo School of African Dance and Drumming

### African Drum & Dance (GM)

City Center Rm. B/C, Friday 11:00 PM - 12:00 AM

West African Drumming and Dancing led by Toby Stover and Amadou Diallo from The Vanaver Caravan

- Gustavo Caldas, Amadou Diallo, Toby Stover



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### **African Rhythms on Clawhammer Banjo (IM)**

Hilton Travers, Saturday 2:00 PM - 2:50 PM

The modern banjo is descended from West African instruments, and African rhythms appear in fiddle traditions all over America. Why not use more of them? We'll show you simple rhythms derived from African, Afro-Cuban, and African-American music that work nicely on clawhammer banjo, and talk about the sensibility that these rhythms imply. Emphasis on finding new and fun things to do on the banjo that complement what you already know. For all levels.

- Brian Slattery

### **Alexander Technique for Musicians and Dancers (IM)**

Hilton Broadway 1/2/3, Saturday 5:15 PM - 6:15 PM

Learn to recognize unnecessary tension in your body. Discover new ways of doing what you love to do so you can dance and play with ease!

- Beth Robinson, Merlin Wisswaesser

### **Amazing Southern Square Dance (DM)**

Saratoga Music Hall, Sunday 1:00 PM - 2:15 PM

High-powered southern squares. Come on now, y'all!

- Ron Buchanan, Pete Sutherland, Emily Schaad & Brian Slattery

### **An English Welcome (DM)**

Saratoga Music Hall, Friday 8:00 PM - 11:00 PM

Let's start the weekend off with some welcoming English Country Dances. The program will consist of fun dances of a level ranging from easy to moderately difficult. All are welcome.

- Thomas Spilsbury, Axelrod, Fabrizi, & Martin

### **Andrew & Noah Band (E)**

Parting Glass Pub, Saturday 11:30 AM - 12:15 PM

Americana Groove Concert. This powerful seven-piece band pleases crowds with a mix of Appalachian, Celtic, classic Country and Bluegrass, Jazz and Swing, Cajun, Zydeco, Alternative Folk, Roots Rock and various world music influences.

- Andrew & Noah Band

### **Appalachian Play-Party (DF)**

City Center Rm. A, Saturday 11:15 AM - 12:15 PM

Fun for all ages! We will do traditional Appalachian play-party games, including lots of singing games, where we will dance to the music of our own singing.

- Paula Harrison, Tim Lamm

### **Atwater-Donnelly (E)**

Caffè Lena, Saturday 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM

Traditional American and Celtic folk music and dance, featuring award-winning duo Atwater-Donnelly, with beautiful vocals and a variety of instruments including mountain dulcimer, banjo, tin whistle, guitar, limberjacks, mandolin, harmonica, and a thrilling interpretation of freestyle clogging.

- Atwater-Donnelly

### **Austrian & German Folkdances (IM)**

City Center Rm. A, Saturday 5:15 PM - 6:15 PM

Learn how to do fun and easy Folkdances from Austria and the Bavarian part of Germany.

- Gracie Schell, Karl Wuerslin



### **Bach For Violin & Mandolin (IX)**

Hilton Whitney, Saturday 11:10 AM - 12:00 PM

(Reading of standard notation or TAB is required for this session.) Stylized dance music and music based on dance rhythms pervade Bach's compositions. In this session, we'll look at one or two of Bach's compositions - originally composed for keyboard - and as a group, learn to play them as mandolin/violin duets! When you hear how these pieces come together, you'll swear that Bach originally wrote them with the mandolin/ violin in mind!

- Wayne Fugate

### **Balkan Dance Party (DM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Saturday 8:30 PM - 10:00 PM

Join Yves Moreau and Bobba Culpa for an enjoyable session of Balkan folk dances.

- Yves Moreau, Bobba Culpa

### **Balkan Singing (IM)**

Hilton Travers, Saturday 12:00 PM - 12:50 PM

Balkan singing styles will be drawn from Macedonia, Croatia, Serbia & Bulgaria. Rich traditional harmonies. Beautiful and powerful community gathering. Songs we choose will be based on who attends.

- Bill Vanaver, Livia Vanaver

### **Band and Caller Synthesis (C)**

Hilton Whitney, Saturday 5:10 PM - 6:00 PM

Contra dancing is magical, but there is a lot of work behind the scenes. Find out how bands and callers can work together to create a synergy that flows through to the dancers.

- John Cote, George Marshall

### **Basic 6-count Swing (IB)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Saturday 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Learn basic 6 count swing in a comfortable environment from master teachers Nathan Bugh and Giselle Anguizola, and then feel confident to join one of the many Flurry swing dances.

- Giselle Anguizola, Nathan Bugh, Dave Davies & The HotFoot Club

### **Basic 8-Count Lindy Hop (IS)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Saturday 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM

The biggest dance craze of the swing-era was the Lindy Hop! Learn this fun, expressive and versatile dance form from two of its top proponents. This workshop will focus on 8-count rhythm patterns and basic moves with a partner.

- Giselle Anguizola, Nathan Bugh, Dan Levinson's Swing Wing

### **Basic Turning Waltz (IB)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Saturday 3:15 PM - 4:15 PM

An introduction to the traditional right-turning or "rotary" waltz, with an emphasis on musicality and partnering skills.

- Paula Harrison, Tim Lamm, Axelrod, Fabrizi, & Martin

### **Bedtime Stories for Saturday Night (EF)**

Hilton High Rock, Saturday 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Young ones and their folks will enjoy a few tales and singalongs at the end of the day.

- The Ivy Vine Players Puppet Theater

### **Beginning Mountain Dulcimer (IB)**

Hilton Whitney, Sunday 2:00 PM - 2:50 PM

The mountain dulcimer is one of our few native instruments, and has a haunting voice like no other instrument. In this workshop we'll explore different styles of playing the dulcimer, from traditional to contemporary, and get a hands-on introduction to playing this unique American instrument. There will be a few extra instruments available for use during the workshop.

- Pam Weeks

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**Beginning Salsa Y Merengue (IB)**

City Center Rm. B/C, Saturday 9:45 AM - 10:45 AM

Learn to authentically dance salsa and merengue. The workshop will focus on quickly teaching basics to both dances to get you out on the floor.

- Saratoga SAVOY

**Beginning Ukulele (IB)**

Hilton Alabama, Saturday 12:00 PM - 12:50 PM

Dust off grandma's uke and learn the basic strums and chords, and learn to sing and play a few uke classics. Handouts provided and recording devices recommended.

- Ron Gordon

**Betty & The Baby Boomers: Concert (E)**

Parting Glass Pub, Sunday 1:30 PM - 2:15 PM

The Boomers draw on sources including traditional tunes, contemporary artists like Bruce Cockburn and Dougie MacClean, and classic "folksingers" like Woody Guthrie, Pete Seeger, and Phil Ochs -- and feature outstanding three- and four-part harmonies, coupled to impressive instrumental work on guitars, Dobro, bodhran, and kazoo, and a capella singing.

- Betty and the Baby Boomers

**Bharatanatyam Dance from India (IM)**

City Center Rm. B/C, Sunday 11:00 AM - 12:15 PM

A dance form of Southern India of divine origins, Bharatanatyam is performed by a highly-trained dancer who combines precise footwork with specialized hand gestures (mudras) to tell stories of mythology and folklore. In this demo-workshop, participants are introduced to the fundamentals of the footwork and mudras used.

- Classical Dances of Southern India

**Blues & Ragtime Guitar Workshop (IM)**

Hilton Alabama, Saturday 6:15 PM - 7:15 PM

Tips on playing old-school acoustic blues and ragtime.

- Low 'N Lonesome

**Blues & West Coast Swing (NM)**

City Center Rm. B/C, Saturday 10:30 PM - 12:00 AM

Electric Blues music of such greats as Muddy Waters, Freddie King and Albert Collins.

- The Resonators

**Blues Jam (GM)**

Hilton Pavilion, Saturday 7:45 PM - 8:45 PM

Open jam session with focus on Blues music.

- The Resonators

**Body Percussion Workshop (IM)**

Hilton Broadway 1/2/3, Sunday 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

A session devoted to experimenting with the human body as an instrument for music making.

- Matthew Olwell

**Bucklepolishing: Country & Western Dancing (NM)**

Hilton "Melita" Ballroom, Sunday 11:30 AM - 12:45 PM

Two-steps, waltzes and country swing -- all the essential elements of honky-tonking.

- The Sweetback Sisters

**Bulgarian Dances in Uneven Meters (IM)**

City Center Rm. B/C, Saturday 11:00 AM - 12:15 PM

Learn several Bulgarian folk dances in challenging, uneven meters such as 9/8, 11/8 and beyond.

- Yves Moreau, Bobba Culpa

**Cajun & Zydeco Mix (NM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Friday 11:15 PM - 12:30 AM

These Lafayette Louisiana boys serve up a hot Friday night gumbo of dance music for you.

- The Revelers

**Cajun & Zydeco Mix (NM)**

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**Cajun Fais Do Do (NM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Saturday 12:15 PM - 1:30 PM

Come have a great time with two-steps and waltzes (and even swing) with some of the top musicians from Lafayette, Louisiana. Let's dedicate this session to Patrick Sisti, one of our most dedicated Cajun dancers, who passed away last October.

- The Revelers

**Cajun Jam (GM)**

Hilton Pavilion, Saturday 2:45 PM - 3:45 PM

If you play fiddle, guitar, accordion or whatever, here's your chance to come and jam with these fine boys from Lafayette.

- The Revelers

**Cape Breton Jam (GM)**

Hilton Pavilion, Sunday 11:10 AM - 12:00 PM

Open session focusing on traditional Cape Breton style fiddle tunes.

- Emily Addison, George Wilson





### **Cape Breton Step Dancing (IM)**

Hilton "Melita" Ballroom, Saturday 4:40 PM - 5:30 PM

Come try Cape Breton step dancing! We'll be having you stepping to jigs, reels, and strathspeys in no time... you can take it right to the dance halls of Cape Breton. This session is geared to beginners, although we'll cover a few more complicated steps for those wanting to learn more.

- Emily Addison, George Wilson

### **Capital Apple Jacks & Jills Performance (P)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Sunday 4:30 PM - 4:35 PM

A lively, technical, and engaging performance showcasing the lindy hop, Charleston, and balboa playing off a common swing tune.

- Capital AppleJacks & Jills

### **Capoeira (IM)**

City Center Rm. A, Friday 9:45 PM - 10:45 PM

Afro Brazilian Martial Art/Dance form. Taught by Gustavo Caldas of The Vanaver Caravan. Gustavo is from Salvador Bahia.

- Gustavo Caldas, Amadou Diallo, Toby Stover

### **Carnatic Singing From India (P)**

Hilton Alabama, Saturday 3:10 PM - 4:00 PM

The Carnatic tradition of singing originates from Southern India and is an art form, like many Indian arts that have divine origin. A systematic style of singing, characterized by raga (variations of melodic notes) set to tala (precise rhythmic cycles). Participants are introduced to some of the ragas, with instruction of tala.

- Classical Dance of S. India

### **Carnaval in the Appalachian Mountains (NM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Sunday 2:15 PM - 3:30 PM

Come dance freely to the inspired sounds of one of NYC's most innovative world-fusion acts. High-energy Brazilian percussion rumbles beneath blues-drenched vocals, telecaster twang, accordion acrobatics, and folksy fiddle tunes. Through the unorthodox blend of Afro-Brazilian Percussion and American Roots Music, Matuto has created an organic, animated new sound.

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**Carnival Of The Animals (EF)**

Hilton High Rock, Sunday 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM

Presentation of "Carnival des Animaux" by Camille Saint-Saëns.

- Jeremiah McLane &amp; Annemieke Spoelstra

**Carter Family Gospel Songs (GM)**

Hilton High Rock, Saturday 4:30 PM - 5:20 PM

Come sing along with Lost Radio Rounders on hymns, spirituals and inspirational tunes from The Original Carter Family, featuring selections from the group's new album, "Heaven's Radio: Gospel Songs of the Carter Family."

- Michael Eck, Tom Lindsay

**Catskill Mountain Waltzes (NM)**

Saratoga Music Hall, Saturday 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM

Dance to tunes from Jay and Molly's brand new book of original waltzes and airs.

- Jay Ungar &amp; Molly Mason

**Challenging Squares (DX)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Saturday 6:00 PM - 7:15 PM

Are you ready? Squares for those who are well-familiar with the moves.

- Ron Buchanan, The Stillhouse Rounders

**Chord Basics for Mandolin (IB)**

Hilton Travers, Sunday 9:30 AM - 10:20 AM

Never rely on chord diagrams again! We will cover basic mandolin harmonic theory intended to wean folks away from relying on chord books and diagrams, and empower them with knowledge to confidently find multiple ways of playing virtually any chord needed for virtually any tune likely to be encountered in Western music. A goal well within the grasp of anyone who attends this session.

- Wayne Fugate

**Classic & Esoteric Chorus Songs (GM)**

Hilton Broadway 1/2/3, Sunday 3:15 PM - 4:30 PM

Great songs with choruses; love songs, work songs, pub songs, sea songs, drinking songs, songs about everything, songs about nothing.

- Mary Alice Amidon, Peter Amidon, Betty and the Baby Boomers, Rich Bala, Peter Siegel, Jay Mankita

**Classic Old Contra Dances (DM)**

Saratoga Music Hall, Saturday 1:30 PM - 2:45 PM

Dance session focused on pre-21st century contras (Petronella, Hull's Victory, Sacket's Harbor, et.al.)

- David Kaynor, Toby Stover, George Wilson

**Classic Old Contra Dances (DM)**

City Center Rosenberg Hall (Rm. D), Saturday 8:00 PM - 9:30 PM

Dance session focused on pre-21st century contras (Petronella, Hull's Victory, Sackets Harbor, et.al.)

- David Kaynor, The Sevens

**Classic Swing Dance (NM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Saturday 10:45 PM - 12:15 AM

Swing out the night with Dan Levinson's Swing Wing. Featuring singer Molly Ryan.

- Dan Levinson's Swing Wing

**Clawhammer Banjo Basics (IB)**

Hilton Whitney, Saturday 8:45 PM - 9:45 PM

Learn the basics and repertoire of frailing or "clawhammer" banjo that Aubrey has learned through years of travel in Appalachia and beyond.

- Aubrey Atwater

**Community Barn Dance (DB)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Friday 8:15 PM - 9:15 PM

Fun, simple dances from the US and around the world that have been passed down through the generations, including circles, squares and contras.

- Paul Rosenberg, Tamarack &amp; Friends

**Contra 101 (IB)**

City Center Rm. A, Saturday 9:00 AM - 9:45 AM

Learn the basic steps to contra dancing.

- David Kaynor, FireFlies

**Contra With Style (DS)**

City Center Rosenberg Hall (Rm. D), Saturday 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM

Tips and techniques to be THAT partner! Exploring connection through contra.

- George Marshall, Perpetual e-Motion



### **Contras For Beginners (DB)**

City Center Rm. A, Saturday 1:45 PM - 2:45 PM

Engaging contra dances for folks with little or no contra dance experience.

- Peter Amidon, Cedar Stanistreet, Julie Vallimont

### **Contras With Parallel Construction (DM)**

City Center Rosenberg Hall (Rm. D), Saturday 11:30 AM - 12:45 PM

Enjoy the dance. Find out what this is.

- Ron Buchanan, Stringrays

### **Contras: Unusual Progressions (DS)**

Saratoga Music Hall, Saturday 7:45 PM - 9:15 PM

Passing through is so passé. This session explores creative ways to get from point A to point B in a contra dance.

- Mary Wesley, Stringrays

### **Coping in an Old-Time Jam Session (IM)**

Hilton Whitney, Saturday 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Learn techniques and tricks to participating in an Old-Time jam session. Topics will include changing chords and keys, rhythm, improvising, instrumentation, and etiquette. Simple songs/tune will be presented for lots of playing and fun! Bring voice and instrument of your choice.

- Atwater-Donnelly

### **DADGAD Guitar Accompanying Tunes (IS)**

Hilton Whitney, Sunday 1:00 PM - 1:50 PM

The goal of the workshop is to provide the student with a chordal vocabulary adequate for accompanying just about any tune. Along the way, other aspects of guitar accompaniment are discussed (rhythm, strumming techniques, voice leading, bass lines, and chordal substitution).

- Max Cohen

### **Dance Around the World (E)**

Saratoga Music Hall, Saturday 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Annual Dance Concert at the Saratoga Music Hall featuring The Vanaver Caravan and many of the World Dance artists and groups from the Festival.

- The Vanaver Caravan & Caravan Kids, David Bernz, Divya Nayar, Brickhouse (Urban Artistry), Junious, Badjo School of African Dance and Drumming, Johnny Martinez & Diane Lachtrupp, Paula Harrison, Tim Lamm, Giselle Anguizola

### **Dances of Universal Peace (DM)**

City Center Rm. A, Saturday 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

The Dances use simple music, lyrics, and movements to touch the spiritual essence within ourselves and others. No musical or dance experience of any kind is required and everyone is welcomed to join in. Participation, not presentation, is the focus.

- Albany Dance Circle, Nizam Ellen Ash

### **David Kaynor Solo (E)**

Hilton Whitney, Sunday 11:00 AM - 11:50 AM

Presenting David's top 10 pieces and medleys of tunes from Northern traditions.

- David Kaynor

### **Day Airs (E)**

Hilton Broadway 1/2/3, Saturday 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Relax, rest your feet and listen to Jay and Molly's rendition of original airs, as published in their new book of original waltzes and airs.

- Jay Ungar & Molly Mason

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### **Dig The Beat (GF)**

Hilton Travers, Sunday 11:30 AM - 12:20 PM

This session is a cross between a percussion instrument “petting zoo” and a loosely structured workshop. Get everyone banging along, especially great for little kids.

- Jay Mankita

### **Dixieland Jam (GM)**

Hilton Pavilion, Sunday 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Come one come all, bring your fiddles, fretted instruments and horns and jam on some New Orleans favorites.

- Dave Davies & The HotFoot Club

### **Drumsong: Improvising & Composition (IS)**

Hilton Broadway 1/2/3, Saturday 2:45 PM - 3:45 PM

Explore the power of melodic and rhythmic drumming of various cultures. Learn how to “give voice” to your creative rhythmic ideas and express your uniqueness. Experience the art of improv in ensemble playing with other drummers, musicians, poets and vocalists ! Drums and percussion instruments required. All drums welcome.

- Ruth Staber, Ubaka Hill

### **Drumsong: The Art and Spirit of Drumming (IM)**

Hilton Broadway 1/2/3, Saturday 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM

Music That Moves You! Journey to the music of world rhythms, percussion and song for the joyful soul! All drums and percussion instruments invited.

- Ubaka Hill, Ruth Staber

### **Dylan Songs: Humor and Wit (E)**

Hilton Travers, Sunday 12:30 PM - 1:20 PM

One aspect often overlooked in Bob Dylan’s music is his “funny side.” This program will feature some of his more humorous numbers, from his early “talking blues” and “dream” songs, to the rather droll and dry wit displayed in songs throughout his long career. It will also include some of the jokes and puns he has told in his concerts, documentaries and interviews over the years.

- Rich Bala

### **Easy Contra Tune Jam (GM)**

Hilton Pavilion, Saturday 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Open session for all levels, with focus on contra fiddle tunes that are a little less hectic.

- Bob McQuillen, Cedar Stanistreet

### **Easy Peasy Contras (DBS)**

City Center Rosenberg Hall (Rm. D), Saturday 10:00 AM - 11:15 AM

Simple, satisfying dances for new and not-so-new dancers.

- Katy Heine, The Stillhouse Rounders

### **Eight Brocade Qi Gong (IM)**

City Center Rm. B/C, Saturday 4:15 PM - 5:15 PM

This 900-year-old Qi Gong set consists of eight movements, that when practiced together, form a very complete treatment of the fundamental aspects of health from a traditional Qi Gong perspective. These movements involve standing and moving postures and stretches.

- Mark Tolstrup

### **Elke Baker & Liz Donaldson (Terpsichore) (E)**

Caffè Lena, Saturday 12:15 PM - 1:00 PM

Elke Baker, winner of the 1995 U.S. National Scottish Fiddle Championship, and rhythmically inspired pianist Liz Donaldson perform together as Terpsichore. Emerging from their roles and first-class dance musicians, Elke and Liz offer a concert of Scottish Music interspersed with original music and tunes from other genres.

- Elke Baker, Liz Donaldson

### **English Country: The Music Will Tell You (DS)**

Saratoga Music Hall, Sunday 2:30 PM - 5:00 PM

English country dances are tied to their tunes, and often there are extra clues to the dance in the tune. We’ll explore some of those cues in a selection of older and newer dances, some familiar and some new.

- Melissa Running, Axelrod, Fabrizi, & Martin

### **English Breakfast (DM)**

Saratoga Music Hall, Saturday 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

English dances to sink your teeth into: a savory selection from the modern ECD repertoire.

- Melissa Running, Heartsease

### **English Country Dance IOI (IB)**

Saratoga Music Hall, Saturday 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Learn basic forms and figures of English Country Dance.

- Patricia Evans, Heartsease

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— Seeing the incredible joy on people’s faces.*





### English Country Dance: Melody & Motion (DSX)

Saratoga Music Hall, Saturday 9:30 PM - 12:15 AM

English Country Dances whose tunes and figures fit beautifully. Let the music inspire your movement!

- Anna Rain, Axelrod, Fabrizi, & Martin

### English Country Tune Jam (GM)

Hilton Pavilion, Sunday 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM

Open session for all, focusing on music for English Country dances.

- Heartsease

### Family Concert (EF)

Hilton High Rock, Sunday 10:00 AM - 10:50 AM

Enjoy a concert of traditional American folk music and dance geared for a young audience. Children are encouraged to move, laugh, respond, and sing as they learn about folk instruments, songs, and traditional dance.

- Atwater-Donnelly

### Family Dance (DF)

City Center Rm. A, Sunday 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Dancing together is a time-honored tradition in many countries. Bring the young ones, and the young at heart. Simple, easy dances for the whole family. Everyone welcome.

- Swamp Ward Orchestra

### Farewell Contra (DM)

City Center Rosenberg Hall (Rm. D), Sunday 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

This dynamic contra dance festival orchestra brings together young, up-and-coming musicians and seasoned, experienced performers to celebrate another great Flurry weekend with the Farewell Contra Dance.

- Harry Aceto, Rachel Bell, Laurie Hart, Bob McQuillen, Oliver Scanlon, Cedar Stanistreet, Pete Sutherland, Julie Vallimont, Andrew VanNorstrand, Noah VanNorstrand, David Kaynor, Sarah VanNorstrand, Paul Rosenberg, Liz Stell

### Fast Dancing with the Footwarmers (IM)

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Saturday 4:30 PM - 5:45 PM

Get those fidgety feet moving while keeping your cool; learn how to dance to fast tempos without breaking a sweat! Dances covered include: basic 1920's Charleston, 8-count stepping, and balboa.

- Giselle Anguizola, Nathan Bugh, Reggie's Red Hot Footwarmers

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### **Fiddle Improvisation I (ISX)**

Hilton Travers, Saturday 3:00 PM - 3:50 PM

How to spice up your fiddle tunes with simple embellishments and variations on the melody.

- Colin McCoy

### **Fiddle Improvisation II (ISX)**

Hilton Travers, Saturday 7:10 PM - 8:00 PM

How to move beyond embellishment to create variations on the melody of any fiddle tune.

- Colin McCoy

### **Fiddling With "Stank" (IM)**

Hilton Travers, Saturday 11:00 AM - 11:50 AM

How to put some "stank" into your fiddle playing... that means playing with a lot of soul.

- George Wilson

### **Flow & Glide Contrasts (DSX)**

City Center Rosenberg Hall (Rm. D), Sunday 2:30 PM - 3:45 PM

Dances with beautiful flow, connectivity and a smooth, satisfying glide.

- Sarah VanNorstrand, The Sevens

### **Folksy Songswap Singalong (GM)**

Hilton Alabama, Saturday 8:45 PM - 10:00 PM

A gathering of folks and folk songs, open to all.

- Rich Bala, Michael Eck, Betty and the Baby Boomers, Jay Mankita

### **For Immature Audiences Only (GM)**

Hilton High Rock, Saturday 12:30 PM - 1:20 PM

The Ivy Vine Players invite young people, no matter how old they are, to enjoy a mix of sweet and snarky stories with a few songs thrown in.

- The Ivy Vine Players Puppet Theater

### **Forró - Northeastern Brazilian Folk Dance (DM)**

Hilton "Melita" Ballroom, Saturday 9:00 PM - 10:15 PM

Forró is a rhythm and dance typical of northeastern Brazil. The dance forró has direct influence of European ballroom dancing, as evidenced by the history of European colonization and invasions. Come explore this infectious South American folk dance that is now making its comeback in the nightclubs of NYC!

- Matuto

### **Forrodown! Freeform Dance (NM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Friday 10:45 PM - 12:00 AM

Dance to the Pan-American sounds of Matuto, one of the hottest NYC worldbeat fusion bands.

- Matuto

### **French Call & Response Singalong (GM)**

Hilton Whitney, Saturday 2:10 PM - 3:00 PM

Call and response and chorus songs: we sing 'em and you join in.

- Swamp Ward Orchestra

### **French Dances (Traditional) (IB)**

City Center Rm. B/C, Saturday 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Learn the bourée, schottische, and some circle dances.

- Swamp Ward Orchestra

### **French Quadrille (IM)**

Saratoga Music Hall, Sunday 11:30 AM - 12:45 PM

A workshop of the five figures of the most important quadrille of 19th century.

- Margarita Marambio, Spare Parts

### **French-Canadian Fiddling (IM)**

Hilton Travers, Sunday 1:30 PM - 2:20 PM

Focus on rhythms and syncopation that define the style, learn the boundaries between Acadian and Québécois fiddling. Learn 2-3 tunes, including tunes in multiple meters.

- Donna Hébert

### **From A Dog's Stance (GF)**

Hilton High Rock, Saturday 3:30 PM - 4:20 PM

Funny songs for kids.

- Jay Mankita



### **Funky Farms, Wild Food (EF)**

Hilton High Rock, Sunday 11:00 AM - 11:50 AM

We feel feisty and fancy-free about fables, follies and fibs regarding fertilizer, food and farms. Follow us with fervor on our folksy foray into growing food, picking wild edibles, joyous meals, sanitary (or not) practices, and goooooood eats. We foresee the festivities to be phenomenal!

- Swing Peepers

### **Funny Songs & Singalongs (E)**

Hilton Alabama, Sunday 1:45 PM - 2:45 PM

Chorus songs that are fun to sing along with; tongue twisters, mouth music, witty story songs that are family-oriented.

- Quickstep

### **Funny, Funky Songs (E)**

Hilton High Rock, Saturday 10:40 PM - 11:30 PM

A quirky but comfortable late-night concert featuring Jay's funny, funky, and familiar non-standard songs: baseball, aliens, socialism, dogs, and love -- not necessarily in that order.

- Jay Mankita

### **Genre-Bending Contras (DS)**

City Center Rosenberg Hall (Rm. D), Saturday 6:15 PM - 7:45 PM

Contra dances that borrow heavily from other kinds of folk dancing. A melting pot of dance traditions with some delicious results!

- Sarah VanNorstrand, Great Bear

### **Girls and Boys of 1812 (EF)**

Hilton High Rock, Sunday 3:00 PM - 3:50 PM

Two hundred years ago, the United States was engaged in a second war with Great Britain. Discover some of the songs and singing games enjoyed by children of the time, some of them still familiar to modern children. Highlights include "Twinkle, Little Star," "Aiken Drum," "Juba, Juba" and the story of Jarvis Hanks, American drummer boy.

- Tom Hooker Hanford

### **Gospel Harmony Sing (GM)**

Hilton Broadway 1/2/3, Sunday 10:00 AM - 11:15 AM

Participatory harmony singing of gospel, spirituals, and gospel-style secular songs. Some songs will have folks harmonize by ear; for others we will teach the harmonies.

- Mary Alice Amidon, Peter Amidon

### **Greek Island Spirit: Learn the Ballos (PIM)**

City Center Rm. B/C, Saturday 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM

The melody of a ballos is generally joyous and lyrical, typical of the music of the Aegean Islands. This couples' dance incorporates all the elements of courtship: attraction, flirtation, display of masculine prowess and feminine virtue, pursuit and rejection, followed by eventual capture and surrender. Pretend you are on a beautiful Aegean island on a gorgeous summer day – the Ballos will surely lift your spirits and take you there!

- St. Basil's Youth Dance Group

### **Hambo 'Round The Hall (IM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Saturday 1:45 PM - 2:45 PM

Beginner-friendly workshop to improve balance, partnering, and turning skills. Frequent partner changes. Leather soles recommended.

- Jim Savitt, Joan Savitt, Laurie Hart & John Hall

### **Hand Injuries: What To Do (P)**

Hilton Travers, Saturday 6:10 PM - 7:00 PM

What happens when a musician develops a hand injury? This session will review some of the common injuries that musicians develop and what they can do to limit the amount of time they have to stop playing. (Common hand injuries that impact performance: carpal tunnel syndrome, tendonitis, overuse, tennis elbow and trigger fingers).

- Karen Newman

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**Hands-On Shadow Puppets (GF)**

Hilton High Rock, Sunday 2:00 PM - 2:50 PM

Experiment with making and using shadow puppets.

- The Ivy Vine Players Puppet Theater

**Hidden Eye Contact Contras (DS)**

City Center Rosenberg Hall (Rm. D), Saturday 2:45 PM - 4:15 PM

Eye contact binds a dance hall together. Enjoy contras full of fun and surprising moments of visual connection.

- Mary Wesley, Stringrays

**High Octane Contras (DS)**

City Center Rosenberg Hall (Rm. D), Sunday 11:15 AM - 12:30 PM

Contras that move out and leave you breathless.

- George Marshall, Great Bear

**Hip-Hop: Free Thought, Free Movement (IM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Sunday 3:45 PM - 4:45 PM

A Hip-Hop instructional providing basic, as well as advanced knowledge in the application of waving, body isolation and level transitions seen in both the Hip-Hop freestyle and choreography communities.

- Junious Brickhouse

**Honky-Tonk Heaven (NM)**

Hilton "Melita" Ballroom, Saturday 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Two-stepping to songs of heartache, drinking and despair.

- The Sweetback Sisters

**House Dance: The House that Jack Built (IM)**

City Center Rm. B/C, Saturday 1:45 PM - 2:45 PM

A workshop introducing the music and universal movement that has inspired what we know today as House Dance Culture by Junious "House" Brickhouse of Washington, DC-based Urban Artistry and Assassins Crew.

- Junious Brickhouse

**How To Survive A Balkan Wedding (IM)**

City Center Rm. B/C, Sunday 2:15 PM - 3:30 PM

Learn the most popular dance forms: Pravo, Kolo, Hora Mare, Lesnoto, Pogonishte, etc.

- France Bourque-Moreau, Yves Moreau, Bobba Culpa

**How to Tell a Really Good Ghost Story (P)**

Hilton High Rock, Saturday 9:40 PM - 10:30 PM

With demonstration, discussion, and participatory activities, we explore the tools a storyteller uses to tell this style of story well.

- The Storycrafters

**Hustle! (IM)**

City Center Rm. A, Friday 11:00 PM - 12:15 AM

Learn the dance that dominated the late 70s in the discos. This partner version will get your groove thing on! See how you can use it today, as well.

- Saratoga SAVOY

**Incredible Swing Dance (NM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Sunday 2:15 PM - 3:30 PM

Dance to some of the best swing musicians in New York City.

- Dan Levinson's Swing Wing

**Intermediate Cha-Cha-Cha (IS)**

City Center Rm. A, Saturday 9:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Basic cha-cha knowledge needed. Class will focus on rotations, coordination of the body motion and the Latin characteristics of the dance, allowing you to stand out on the dance floor.

- Ricardo Sopin & Iraida Volodina

**Intermediate Uke (IS)**

Hilton Alabama, Saturday 1:00 PM - 1:50 PM

Go beyond the uke basics to learn chord melody, finger picking and an open uke tuning as we learn three more classic uke songs. We'll become multi-task ukers as we concurrently apply a few more advanced strums. Handouts provided and recorders recommended.

- Ron Gordon

**Intro To Contradance Piano (IM)**

Hilton Travers, Sunday 2:30 PM - 3:20 PM

Learn the basics of playing piano backup to fiddlers and other melody instruments.

- Julie Vallimont, Cedar Stanistreet

**Intro to Trad. Cajun Traveling Dances (IB)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Saturday 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

1900 to the Present: Cajun Style Waltz, One-Step, Cajun Two-Step, and -- time permitting -- the Mamou Two-Step, and the ever important Cajun Dance Etiquette, with bits of history to bring it all to life!

- Ron & Marie Bruschi

**Introduction to Tai Chi (IB)**

City Center Rm. B/C, Saturday 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Learn the basic postures, movements and breath work from the Yang Style Tai Chi Form. These techniques have many benefits for health and well-being, including flexibility, stress reduction and balance.

- Mark Tolstrup



**Irish Jam (GM)**

Hilton Pavilion, Saturday 9:45 AM - 10:45 AM

Open session with focus on Irish music.

- The Sevens

**Irish Set Dancing (IM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Saturday 4:00 PM - 5:30 PM

Basic footwork for reels and learn a set (square).

- Ron & Marie Bruschi, The Sevens

**Israeli for All (DM)**

Hilton "Melita" Ballroom, Saturday 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Israeli dancing, mainly classic older dances, suitable for enthusiastic dancers of all ages. Clear teaching -- everyone dances!

- Joan and Jim Savitt

**It's Madison Time! (IM)**

City Center Rm. B/C, Saturday 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

This right-on line dance from 50's-60's is nostalgic from quips from the era. We will start with the basics, and learn the steps of as many of the sequences as time allows. Then you will follow the instructor through the whole dance. It's Madison time!

- Simone Coonrod

**Jack Tales Alive Playshop (GF)**

Hilton High Rock, Saturday 11:30 AM - 12:20 PM

Everyone knows Jack! In this participatory playshop, we tell a Jack tale then make his adventures go live. Working together with guidance from us, audience members enact characters, props, and setting and turn the room into a virtual reenactment of Jack's adventure.

- The Storycrafters

**Jam Session For Kids Age 1-5 (GF)**

Hilton Whitney, Sunday 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM

Get your kids jamming early in life! Some instruments provided or bring your own.

- Terri Roben

**Jay & Molly in Concert (E)**

Caffè Lena, Saturday 7:45 PM - 8:30 PM

Presenting the heart and soul of American Roots Music.

- Jay Ungar & Molly Mason



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### **Jazz Era Party Dances (IM)**

City Center Rm. A, Saturday 10:15 PM - 11:15 PM

Vernacular Jazz dances done in the 1920s, 30s, and 40s were social dance forms done in social settings. We seek to put the party back in these classic dances like the Charleston by exploring variations and encouraging individual style.

- Good Foot Dance Collective

### **Jeremiah McLane & Annemieke Spoelstra (E)**

Caffè Lena, Saturday 6:30 PM - 7:15 PM

Arrangements for accordion and piano of classical works (Bartok, Poulenc, Piazzolla, etc) based on traditional folk melodies from the 18th to the 21st centuries.

- Jeremiah McLane & Annemieke Spoelstra

### **Kathak Dance of Northern India (IM)**

City Center Rm. A, Sunday 4:15 PM - 5:15 PM

Kathak, the predominant dance of northern India, is highly expressive story telling combined with rhythmic footwork. Learn the fundamentals, and some traditional compositions and expressive movements of Indian storytelling.

- Veena & Devesh Chandra

### **Kripalu Style Yoga (GM)**

Hilton Broadway 1/2/3, Saturday 9:15 AM - 10:30 AM

Kripalu yoga teaches breathing, stretching and relaxation techniques while emphasizing the practices of being present, listening to one's body and accepting where one is today in terms of flexibility, strength and alignment. We'll start with warm-up movements and breath awareness, then move to a sequence of postures that stretch, strengthen and balance your body, and end with deep relaxation and meditation. Bring a mat and bring your unique, amazing self!

- Tracy Palmateer

### **Kripalu Style Yoga (GM)**

Hilton Broadway 1/2/3, Sunday 8:45 AM - 9:45 AM

Kripalu yoga teaches breathing, stretching and relaxation techniques while emphasizing the practices of being present, listening to one's body and accepting where one is today in terms of flexibility, strength and alignment. We'll start with warm-up movements and breath awareness, then move to a sequence of postures that stretch, strengthen and balance your body, and end with deep relaxation and meditation. Bring a mat and bring your unique, amazing self!

- Tracy Palmateer

### **Late Night Tango (NM)**

City Center Rm. A, Saturday 11:30 PM - 12:30 AM

Dance through the night into the bewitching hours with a mix of classical tangos, milongas and valsas. A fun mix of neo-tangos will be included as well.

- DJ El Gato Negro

### **Latin Dance Party (NM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Saturday 10:15 PM - 11:45 PM

Come out and get your groove on! Let the Latin styles of Ten Tumbao get you moving. Whether you're a salsa expert or have never danced to Latin music, moving your body to Ten Tumbao is irresistible!

- Ten Tumbao



### **Latin Styles For Instrumentalists And Singers (IM)**

Hilton Broadway 1/2/3, Saturday 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Learn to play the different rhythms that make up a number of styles of Latin American music. Instrumentalists and singers of all levels welcome to learn about the music and culture.

- Ten Tumbao

### **Learn a Morris Dance! (IB)**

Hilton "Melita" Ballroom, Sunday 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Participants will learn a stick dance in the traditional form, including figures, stepping, and sticking patterns.

- Pokingbrook Morris

### **Learn A Scandi Tune (ISX)**

Hilton Alabama, Sunday 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Laurie will teach a tune or two by ear, and demonstrate and discuss what is special about this style of dance music, with special emphasis on fiddle techniques. Open to melody players on any instrument

- Laurie Hart & John Hall

### **Learn a Scottish Air (IS)**

Hilton Alabama, Sunday 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Learn a slow, beautiful Scottish air and how to play it soulfully. Other instruments welcome.

- George Wilson

### **Learn to Contra Dance! (DB)**

Hilton "Melita" Ballroom, Sunday 10:00 AM - 11:15 AM

You can learn to contra dance right here and now, even if you have no previous dance experience. We'll start with the very basics, and dance as we learn. By the end of the session, you'll be a contra dancer!

- Fern Bradley, Set Americain

### **Lost Radio Rounders (E)**

Caffè Lena, Saturday 2:45 PM - 3:30 PM

Eclectic Roots Americana.

- Lost Radio Rounders

### **Low 'N Lonesome (E)**

Caffè Lena, Saturday 1:30 PM - 2:15 PM

Good time and down-home blues and ragtime from the '20s, '30s, & '40s - with some tasty originals, as well.

- Low 'N Lonesome

### **Mandolin For Contras (ISX)**

Hilton Alabama, Saturday 5:10 PM - 6:00 PM

Mandolin playing for contradances. Should have some experience on mandolin.

- Glen Loper

### **Matuto (E)**

Parting Glass Pub, Saturday 4:15 PM - 5:15 PM

Matuto (Brazilian Slang for Country Boy) is emerging as one of the world's hottest international touring acts. An Official Selection of the 2011 Womex World Music Conference, the band was recently awarded the title of "American Musical Ambassadors" by the U.S. State Department.

- Matuto

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*"My favorite thing about the Flurry Festival is:"*

— Everything! So much happiness, friendliness, and fun!

**Metronomics: Super-Charge Your Playing (IM)**

Hilton Travers, Sunday 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Playing with good time is fundamental to making good music, yet is often ignored. This session is intended to help all musicians on any instrument improve their feel for rhythm by practicing with a metronome. Even experienced musicians can benefit from the material. Topics include: metronome basics, playing standard time signatures, subdividing the beat; playing odd time signatures; accenting different beats; practicing rhythm to melody transitions; playing on, ahead of, or behind the beat; fun games to try with the metronome and other useful information intended to help you make friends with your metronome!

- Wayne Fugate

**Mike Agranoff: Eclectic Songs (E)**

Caffè Lena, Saturday 11:00 AM - 11:45 AM

A wonderfully entertaining mix of songs old and new, tunes, and stories. Lots of humor interspersed with great songs, nifty fingerstyle guitar work, and riveting spoken-word pieces.

- Mike Agranoff

**Mist Covered Mountains (E)**

Caffè Lena, Saturday 8:45 PM - 9:30 PM

Irish and Gaelic songs and tunes.

- Mist Covered Mountains

**Morning Contras: Modern Chestnuts (DM)**

City Center Rosenberg Hall (Rm. D), Sunday 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Zesty contra choreography of the late 20th century.

- Katy Heine, Axelrod, Fabrizi, & Martin

**Morris Dance Performance (E)**

Hilton Pavilion, Saturday 9:00 PM - 9:30 PM

Lively seasonal dances, both traditional and newly composed, by one of the older Morris teams in the U.S.

- Pokingbrook Morris

**Mountain Dulcimer II (IS)**

Hilton Alabama, Sunday 4:10 PM - 5:00 PM

Learn technique, including tuning, chords, using the noter, strumming, and fingerpicking. Explore cultural history and repertoire on this fascinating instrument as learned by Aubrey through years of travel and time spent with Jean Ritchie and other legends.

- Aubrey Atwater

**Multicultural Dances for Kids (DF)**

City Center Rm. A, Sunday 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM

Simple and fun dances from around the world for children (K-12).

- France Bourque-Moreau

**Music for a Lively Morning (E)**

Hilton Gallery, Saturday 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

Music of Debussy, Chopin, Ravel, and others.

- Paul Cronin

**Music That Moves You (NM)**

Hilton "Melita" Ballroom, Saturday 7:45 PM - 8:45 PM

Journey to the music of world rhythms, percussion and song for the joyful soul!

- Ubaka Hill & the Shapeshifters

**Music Together (GF)**

Hilton High Rock, Saturday 10:30 AM - 11:20 AM

Music and movement for newborns to five-yr-olds and their caregivers.

- Terri Roben

**New Contras (DX)**

City Center Rosenberg Hall (Rm. D), Saturday 11:30 PM - 1:00 AM

See what Ron has been writing lately

- Ron Buchanan, Great Bear

**New England Fiddle Workshop (ISX)**

Hilton Travers, Saturday 5:10 PM - 6:00 PM

Contradance fiddle workshop, covering technique, style, and repertoire. Suitable for those with fiddle experience.

- Rodney Miller

**Night Airs (E)**

Hilton High Rock, Saturday 11:45 PM - 12:45 AM

Late night concert of airs and other pieces.

- David Kaynor, George Wilson, Beth Robinson

**Not Your Parents' Contras: 21 & Under (TDM)**

City Center Rm. A, Saturday 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM

Here are some fast-paced and fun dances to do with your peers. All levels welcome! Please, twenty-one and under, only.

- Katy Heine, The Irregulars

**Number Jam (GF)**

Hilton High Rock, Saturday 1:30 PM - 2:20 PM

Children in grades 2-5 practice math skills with fun, hands-on musical activities. Children will have a blast playing boomwhackers and dulcimers, singing, and doing folk dances while strengthening multiplication skills.

- Rachel Bell





### Old Time Community Dance (DF)

City Center Rm. A, Sunday 11:15 AM - 12:15 PM

Fun, simple dances from the US and around the world that have been passed down through the generations, including circles, squares and contras.

- Paul Rosenberg, FireFlies

### Old-Time Jam (GM)

Hilton Pavilion, Saturday 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM

Open jam session with focus on southern old-time fiddle tunes. All levels welcome.

- The Stillhouse Rounders

### Open Mic at Caffè Lena (E)

Caffè Lena, Friday 7:30 PM - 10:30 PM

Come in, sign up, play a couple of tunes or sing some songs.

- Various Performers

### Passing It On (P)

Hilton Travers, Sunday 10:30 AM - 11:20 AM

What happens when a community musician is able to maintain a long-term connection with a group of students? Join the Burlington, VT-based teen fiddle band "The Irregulars" and their mentor, fiddler, writer and producer Pete Sutherland, for some good old Q & A about the evolution of a musical relationship - plus of course some rippin' tunes!

- Pete Sutherland, The Irregulars

### Playful English Dances (DS)

Saratoga Music Hall, Saturday 3:00 PM - 4:15 PM

This session will consist of English Country Dances with playful moments, and of those well-known dances that we can play around with.

- Thomas Spilsbury, Night Cap

### Playing the Native American Flute (IM)

Hilton Whitney, Saturday 3:10 PM - 4:00 PM

A combination workshop and performance presentation. Beginners or those who already have some experience with the American Indian flageolet or flute. Some flutes will be available for attendees to use.

- Joseph and Jesse Bruchac

### Quebecois Jam (GSX)

Hilton Pavilion, Friday 9:30 PM - 11:00 PM

Jam session of popular Quebecois Tunes.

- Set Americain, Laurie Hart, George Wilson, Jeremiah McLane, Donna Hébert

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### **Quebecois Jam (GM)**

Hilton Pavilion, Saturday 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Open session for all, focusing on fiddle and dance tunes from Quebec.

- Max Cohen, Donna Hébert

### **Quebecois Set Dancing (DM)**

Hilton "Melita" Ballroom, Saturday 11:15 AM - 12:30 PM

Simple and fun set dances (contra, square, quadrille) from Quebec.

- Donna Hébert, Jeremiah McLane, Max Cohen,  
France Bourque-Moreau

### **Quicksteppin' (E)**

Parting Glass Pub, Sunday 11:30 AM - 12:15 PM

Traditional and original Adirondack Tunes and Songs.

- Quickstep

### **Raag & Taal: Sound & Rhythm (IB)**

Hilton Alabama, Saturday 4:10 PM - 5:00 PM

India has a deep-rooted and rich tradition of music and rhythm. Musicians will gain insight to the melodic and rhythmic systems of Indian classical music. Instructors will introduce and simplify these systems making them accessible to all musicians, and teach a classical composition and introduce the spoken language of Indian rhythm so everyone can participate.

- Veena & Devesh Chandra

### **Ramblin Jug Stompers (E)**

Parting Glass Pub, Saturday 5:45 PM - 6:30 PM

Enjoy classic American jug band music with wacky humor from upstate New York's premier jug band.

- Ramblin Jug Stompers

### **Reggie's Red Hot Feetwarmers (E)**

Parting Glass Pub, Saturday 6:45 PM - 7:30 PM

New Orleans Dixieland and hot jazz!

- Reggie's Red Hot Feetwarmers

### **Rock 'n' Roll Contras (DM)**

City Center Rosenberg Hall (Rm. D), Saturday 4:30 PM - 5:45 PM

Contra to Rock and Roll songs.

- Kathryn Wedderburn, The Kat Jamb

### **Rock-Bottom Contra Basics (DB)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Friday 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Basic steps presented in an intimate setting.

- David Kaynor, George Wilson, Toby Stover

### **Romantic Waltzes (NM)**

Saratoga Music Hall, Friday 11:15 PM - 12:30 AM

Explore the romantic power and variety of tempos and moods within the world of 3/4 time.

- Jay Ungar & Molly Mason

### **Room For Us All: Family Sing-Along (GF)**

Hilton High Rock, Sunday 12:00 PM - 12:50 PM

Whatever your age, come be part of the chorus when Ruth Pelham sings her original songs that are abundantly infused with an infectious spirit of joy, enthusiasm, and fun. Ruth's songs are performed and recorded by dozens of musicians, are sung in homes, schools, camps, and concert halls across the United States, and are featured in numerous song-circles.

- Ruth Pelham, Alan Thomson

**Round Singing Jam (GM)**

Hilton Pavilion, Sunday 2:45 PM - 3:45 PM

We'll lead and teach rounds to all and invite everyone to share some, as well. 'Tis a community vocal jam!

- The Storycrafters

**Salsa and Son Dance Party (NM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Sunday 12:45 PM - 2:00 PM

Traditional Latin songs and modern salsa classics. Come dance your heart out!

- Ten Tumbao

**Saratoga SAVOY Swing Kids Performance (E)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Saturday 10:00 PM - 10:15 PM

The Saratoga SAVOY Swing Kids perform swing and other traditional dances with a flair.

- Saratoga SAVOY Swing Kids

**Saucy Salsa (IM)**

City Center Rm. B/C, Saturday 6:45 PM - 7:45 PM

Get ready to grove to the Latin rhythms with this saucy dance. Loosen the torso (and hips!) and vamos! We will be dancing shines (solo struttin' with the basic) and some partner work involving turns.

- Simone Coonrod

**Scandinavian Dance Party (NS)**

City Center Rm. B/C, Sunday 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM

Scandinavian Dancing, including dances introduced at Flurry.

- Joan and Jim Savitt, Laurie Hart & John Hall

**Schottis, Snoa & More (IM)**

Hilton "Melita" Ballroom, Saturday 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Learn to dance Schottis and its many variations and other basic Scandinavian dances. No partner needed. Low-heeled leather-soled shoes recommended.

- Joan and Jim Savitt, Laurie Hart & John Hall

**Scottish IOI (IB)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Saturday 3:00 PM - 3:45 PM

Introduction to the steps, figures and style of Scottish Country Dancing.

- Lois New, Elke Baker, Liz Donaldson

**Scottish Country Dance Ball (DX)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Saturday 5:45 PM - 8:15 PM

An evening of social dancing.

- Lois New, Elke Baker, Liz Donaldson

**Scottish Dance Performance (E)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Saturday 5:45 PM - 6:15 PM

Demonstration of Scottish country and ladies' step-dancing.

- Capital District Scottish Country Dancers, Elke Baker, Liz Donaldson

**Scottish Fiddle Style (IM)**

Hilton Travers, Saturday 10:00 AM - 10:50 AM

Learn to play a few Scottish tunes with true Scottish style, from a master performer with more than 20 years teaching experience. Bowings, ornamentation, and tune history included. Open to fiddlers of all levels; no previous experience with Scottish music necessary.

- Elke Baker

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### Scottish Tea Dance (DS)

City Center Rm. A, Sunday 1:45 PM - 2:45 PM

Scottish Country dancing.

- Lois New, Elke Baker, Liz Donaldson

### Shape Note Sing (GM)

Hilton Broadway 1/2/3, Saturday 10:45 AM - 12:00 PM

Participatory harmony singing of old and new American shape note songs from the Sacred Harp and the Northern Harmony. Handouts of music are provided.

- Peter and Mary Alice Amidon

### Singing In Irish Gaelic (IB)

Hilton Whitney, Saturday 1:10 PM - 2:00 PM

Molly Hebert-Wilson teaches songs, pronunciation and lyrics in Irish Gaelic.

- Molly Hebert-Wilson

### Singing Squares (DM)

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Sunday 11:15 AM - 12:30 PM

Fun squares danced to popular songs, so dancers can sing along with the choruses.

- Ralph Sweet, Jeremiah McLane, Jay Ungar, Peter Siegel, Robert Bard, Dan Levinson, Randy Reinhart

### Singing With The Fiddle: Darkest of Dark Arts (IS)

Hilton Alabama, Saturday 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

A "dark art" indeed! A hands-on, VOICE-ON exploration of the art of carrying not one, but two tunes -- well, maybe we'll start with a drone and work up through simple double-stops, with plenty of chat about the mental, physical and musical challenges of casting this magical spell.

- Pete Sutherland

### Sirtaki: Dance like Zorba! (IM)

City Center Rm. B/C, Sunday 3:45 PM - 4:45 PM

Sirtaki is danced in a line (or circle) formation with the hands holding the other person's shoulders. Line formation, considered the traditional way, is danced mainly in live stages and music taverns in Greece, along with traditional dances such as the Zembekiko, Tsifteteli and Karsilamas. It will be danced in lines of five to ten persons, but anyone can join in.

- St Basil's Youth Dance Group

### Slow Jam (GM)

Hilton Pavilion, Sunday 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Open session for all, focusing on fiddle tunes at a comfortable pace. Good for those just starting out. All instruments welcome.

- Eric Buddington, Bill Matthiesen

### Song Circle Song Swap I (GM)

Hilton Broadway 1/2/3, Friday 8:30 PM - 9:45 PM

Singing for everyone!

- Atwater-Donnelly

### Song Circle Song Swap II (GM)

Hilton Broadway 1/2/3, Friday 9:45 PM - 11:00 PM

One singer, two singers, three singers, four! Add your voices so we'll have even more! Bring your favorite songs on opening night and help us sing the Flurry to life.

- Betty and the Baby Boomers

### Songs of Old 1812 (E)

Hilton High Rock, Saturday 7:40 PM - 8:30 PM

200 years ago The U.S. was engaged in a second war with Great Britain. Here are some of the songs that lifted the spirits of soldiers, sailors, and civilians of the era. Audience singing will be encouraged and "broadside" lyric sheets with choruses will be provided.

- Tom Hooker Hanford

### Songs of Peace, Justice and Love (GM)

Hilton Whitney, Saturday 6:15 PM - 7:15 PM

Come sing along with Ruth Pelham and be part of the spirit of community that is at the heart of Ruth's life work as a songwriter, song leader, educator, and community activist. Acclaimed by Pete Seeger as "one of America's greatest songwriters," Ruth's original songs sing out with a powerful vision of humanity and affirm the possibility of peace in these challenging times.

- Ruth Pelham, Alan Thomson

### Songs of the Mountains (E)

Parting Glass Pub, Sunday 2:30 PM - 3:15 PM

Songs about logging and the woods.

- Dan Johnson & the Expert Sidemen

### Sound Fundamentals I (Mando/Guitar) (IM)

Hilton Travers, Saturday 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Re-visit the basics critical to good musicianship: Tone, Technique and Timing. Tone -- picks, strings, and angle that our pick hits the string affects the production of tone. Technique -- exercises for right and left hands (increase agility, develop speed) as well as improve coordination. Timing -- metronome basics and other tools, including "Band-in-a-Box" that can be used to improve timing. (Mainly for mando and guitar, but other instruments welcome.)

- Wayne Fugate



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F Hilton Broadway 1/2/3	F Hilton Travers	Hilton Alabama	F Hilton Whitney	F Hilton High Rock	Hilton Pavilion	Parting Glass	
9 8:45-9:45 (GM) <b>KRIPALU STYLE YOGA</b> Tracy Palmateer							
	9:30-10:20 (IB) <b>CHORD BASICS FOR MANDOLIN</b> Wayne Fugate						
10 10:00-11:15 (GM) <b>GOSPEL HARMONY SING</b> Peter & Mary Alice Amidon	10:30-11:20 (P) <b>PASSING IT ON</b> Pete Sutherland, The Irregulars	10:00-11:00 (ISX) <b>LEARN A SCANDI TUNE</b> Laurie Hart, John Hall	10:00-10:45 (GF) <b>JAM SESSION FOR KIDS AGE 1-5</b> Terri Roben	10:00-10:50 (EF) <b>FAMILY CONCERT</b> Atwater-Donnelly	10:00-11:00 (GM) <b>SLOW JAM</b> Eric Buddington, Bill Matthiesen		
			11:00-11:50 (E) <b>DAVID KAYNOR: SOLO</b>	11:00-11:50 (EF) <b>FUNKY FARMS, WILD FOOD</b> Swing Peepers	11:10-12:00 (GM) <b>CAPE BRETON JAM</b> Addison, Wilson		
11 11:30-12:30 (GM) <b>THEMES IN A HAT: A Game For People Who Like To Sing</b> Mike Agranoff	11:30-12:20 (GF) <b>DIG THE BEAT</b> Jay Mankita	11:15-12:15 (IM) <b>WHAT IS A STRATHSPEY:</b> Elke Baker, Liz Donaldson			11:30-12:15 (E) <b>QUICKSTEPPIN'</b> John Kirk, Trish Miller, Ed Lowman		
	12:30-1:20 (E) <b>DYLAN SONGS: HUMOR &amp; WIT</b> Rich Bala	12:30-1:30 (IM) <b>5-STRING BANJO WITHOUT RETUNING</b> Mark Roberts	12:00-12:50 (IS) <b>WHAT'S WITH ALL THE BUTTONS?</b> Rachel Bell	12:00-12:50 (GF) <b>ROOM FOR US ALL FAMILY SINGALONG</b> Ruth Pelham	12:15-1:15 (GM) <b>ENGLISH COUNTRY TUNE JAM</b> Heartsease	12:30-1:15 (E) <b>THE STILLHOUSE ROUNDERS</b>	
1 12:45-1:45 (GF) <b>WEST AFRICAN DRUMMING &amp; INSTRUMENTS</b> Badjo Dance & Drum	1:30-2:20 (IM) <b>FRENCH-CANADIAN FIDDLING</b> Donna Hébert		1:00-1:50 (IS) <b>DADGAD GUITAR: Accompanying Tunes</b> Max Cohen	1:00-1:50 (E) <b>TOE-TAPPING TALES</b> Storycrafters, Bradley	1:30-2:30 (GM) <b>DIXIELAND JAM</b> Dave Davies & The HotFoot Club	1:30-2:15 (E) <b>BETTY &amp; THE BABY BOOMERS</b>	
2 2:00-3:00 (IM) <b>BODY PERCUSSION WORKSHOP</b> Matthew Olwell	2:30-3:20 (IM) <b>INTRO TO CONTRA PIANO</b> Vallimont, Stanistreet	1:45-2:45 (E) <b>FUNNY SONGS &amp; SINGALONGS</b> Quickstep	2:00-2:50 (IB) <b>BEG. MOUNTAIN DULCIMER</b> Pam Weeks	2:00-2:50 (GF) <b>HANDS-ON SHADOW PUPPETS</b> Ivy Vine Players			
3 3:15-4:30 (GM) <b>CLASSIC &amp; ESOTERIC CHORUS SONGS</b> Amidons, Bala, Siegel Mankita, Betty & the Baby Boomers	3:30-4:30 (IM) <b>METRONOMICS: Supercharge Your Playing</b> Wayne Fugate	3:00-4:00 (IS) <b>LEARN A SCOTTISH AIR</b> George Wilson	3:00-4:00 (C) <b>100 YEARS OF CDSS: Country Dance &amp; Song Soc.</b> Mary Wesley	3:00-3:50 (EF) <b>GIRLS &amp; BOYS OF 1812</b> Tom Hooker Hanford	2:45-3:45 (GM) <b>ROUND SINGING JAM</b> The Storycrafters	2:30-3:15 (E) <b>DAN JOHNSON &amp; THE EXPERT SIDEMEN</b>	
4 4:45-5:45 (IM) <b>YOGA FOR DANCERS &amp; MUSICIANS</b> Anna Rain		4:10-5:00 (IS) <b>MOUNTAIN DULCIMER II</b> Aubrey Atwater	4:10-5:00 (E) <b>THE OLD-TIME &amp; BLUEGRASS CONNECTION</b> Stillhouse Rounders	4:00-4:45 (EF) <b>CARNIVAL OF THE ANIMALS</b> McLane, Spoelstra	<b>OPEN JAMMING</b>		
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**Sturdy athletic shoes** are recommended for hard, vinyl floors in Rooms A, B/C, and in Room D (Rosenberg Hall).

### TYPE OF EVENT — SCHEDULE KEY — LEVEL OF EVENT

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| (C) Chat: Led discussion, sharing.  | (F) Family-Oriented: Especially geared to families.   |
| (D) Participatory Dancing: Leader provides walk-thrus and prompting.        | <b>F</b> Indicates one or more family event in that location.                                     |
| (E) Entertainment   | (T) Teen-Oriented: Geared toward teenagers.   |
| (G) Group Participation: Jams, Sings, Yoga, etc.                            | (B) Beginner Level: No, or very little experience.  |
| (I) Instruction Featured: Instructor walks you through the steps; how-to's. | (S) Secondary Level (and up): Can do the basics well (somewhat experienced).                      |
| (N) No Instruction / No Dance Walk-Thrus                                    | (X) Experienced Level: <i>Specifically</i> for those with a lot of experience. Not for beginners. |
| (P) Presentation: Demonstrate a skill, or present educational material.     | (M) Mixed Level: Anyone may attend.   |

### HOW TO GET THERE (From City Center)

**Saratoga Music Hall** (474 Broadway) - 1 block south. Town Hall upstairs (Cnr. Lake Ave.)

**Parting Glass Pub** (40 Lake Ave) - Exit City Center Lobby onto Ellsworth Jones Place. Go toward City Center parking lot and turn right on Maple Ave. Go south one block to Lake Ave. Turn left one block. Parting Glass Pub is across the street from Hampton Inn.

**Caffè Lena** (Phila St.) - Exit City Center Lobby onto Ellsworth Jones Place. Go toward City Center parking lot and turn right on Maple Ave. Go south three blocks (You'll cross Lake Ave. and Caroline St.). Turn left onto Phila St., go one block. Caffè Lena is in the middle of the block and up a flight of STAIRS.

## DANCE VENUES

	Saratoga Music Hall	City Center Meeting Room 1	City Center Meeting Room 2	City Center Room A	City Center Room B/C	City Center (Rm D) Rosenberg Hall	Hilton Melita Ballroom	City Center Gallery		
9				9:00-9:45 (IB) <b>CONTRA 101</b> David Kaynor, FireFlies				9:00-10:00 (E) <b>MUSIC FOR A LIVELY MORNING</b> Paul Cronin	9	
10	10:00-11:00 (IB) <b>ENGLISH COUNTRY DANCE 101</b> Patricia Evans, Heartsease	10:00-11:00 (IB) <b>BASIC 6-COUNT SWING</b> N. Bugh, G. Anguizola HotFoot Club	9:45-10:45 (NM) <b>WALTZ BOOK WALTZES</b> Spare Parts	10:00-11:00 (DM) <b>DANCES OF UNIVERSAL PEACE</b> Albany Dance Circle	9:45-10:45 (IB) <b>BEGINNING SALSA Y MERENGUE</b> Saratoga SAVOY	10:00-11:15 (DBS) <b>EASY PEASY CONTRAS</b> Katy Heine, Stillhouse Rounders	10:00-11:00 (IM) <b>SCHOTTIS, SNOA and MORE</b> Joan & Jim Savitt, L. Hart, J. Hall	<div>Don't Forget to Purchase Your RAFFLE TICKET</div> <div>For a Chance to WIN TWO Full-Festival Passes — AND — A Room for Two at the HILTON For 2014!</div> <div>Schedule Subject to Change.</div> <div>See Flurry schedule boards for last-minute changes.</div> <div>Last update: 1-22-13</div>	10	
11	11:00-12:00 (DM) <b>ENGLISH BREAKFAST</b> Melissa Running, Heartsease	11:15-12:15 (DB) <b>A LINE DANCE SAMPLER</b> Sue Kaupelis	11:00-12:00 (IB) <b>INTRO TO CAJUN TRAVELING DANCES</b> Ron & Marie Bruschi	11:15-12:15 (DF) <b>APPALACHIAN PLAY PARTY</b> T. Lamm & P. Harrison	11:00-12:15 (IM) <b>BULGARIAN DANCES IN UNEVEN METERS</b> Yves Moreau, Bobba Culpa	11:30-12:45 (DM) <b>CONTRAS WITH PARALLEL CONSTRUCTION</b> Buchanan, Stringrays	11:15-12:30 (DM) <b>QUEBECOIS SET DANCING</b> F. Bourque-Moreau, J. McLane, D. Hébert, M. Cohen		11	
12	12:15-1:15 (NM) <b>CATSKILL MOUNTAIN WALTZES</b> Ungar & Mason	12:30-1:30 (IS) <b>BASIC 8-COUNT LINDY HOP</b> Bugh, Anguizola, Levinson's Swing Wing	12:15-1:30 (NM) <b>FAIS DO DO CAJUN DANCE PARTY</b> The Revelers	12:30-1:30 (TDM) <b>NOT YOUR PARENT'S CONTRAS</b> ** 21 & Under! ** Katy Heine, Irregulars	12:30-1:30 (P-IM) <b>GREEK ISLAND SPIRIT: LEARN THE BALLOS</b> St.Basil's Dance	1:00-2:30 (DS) <b>CONTRA WITH STYLE</b> George Marshall, Perpetual e-Motion	12:45-2:00 (DM) <b>ZWIEFACHERS</b> Forrest Holroyd, Spare Parts		12	
1	1:30-2:45 (DM) <b>CLASSIC OLD CONTRAS</b> David Kaynor, G. Wilson, T. Stover	1:45-2:45 (IM) <b>HAMBO ROUND THE HALL</b> Joan & Jim Savitt, L. Hart, J. Hall	1:45-3:00 (NM) <b>SWING &amp; LINDY DANCE PARTY</b> Gordon Webster & Friends	1:45-2:45 (DB) <b>CONTRAS FOR BEGINNERS</b> Peter Amidon, Stanistreet, Vallimont	1:45-2:45 (IM) <b>HOUSE DANCE: The House That Jack Built</b> Junious Brickhouse		2:15-3:15 (NM) <b>FLURRY SKA HOUR</b> Dave Davies & the Upbeats		1	
2	3:00-4:15 (DS) <b>PLAYFUL ENGLISH DANCES</b> Thomas Spilsbury, Night Cap	3:00-3:45 (IB) <b>SCOTTISH 101</b> Lois New, E. Baker, L. Donaldson	3:15-4:15 (IB) <b>BASIC TURNING WALTZ</b> Lamm & Harrison, Axelrod, Fabrizi, Martin	3:00-4:00 (DF) <b>WORLD DANCE FOR FAMILIES</b> Vanaver Caravan & Caravan Kids	3:00-4:00 (IB) <b>INTRO TO TAI-CHI</b> Mark Tolstrup	2:45-4:15 (DS) <b>HIDDEN EYE CONTRAS</b> Mary Wesley, Rodney Miller's Stringrays	3:30-4:30 (DM) <b>ISRAELI FOR ALL</b> Joan & Jim Savitt		2	
3	4:30-5:30 (DSX) <b>19th CENTURY VINTAGE DANCE</b> Margarita Marambio, Spare Parts	4:00-5:30 (IM) <b>IRISH SET DANCING (Irish Squares)</b> Ron & Marie Bruschi, The Sevens	4:30-5:45 (IM) <b>FAST DANCING TO THE FEETWARMERS</b> Bugh & Anguizola, Reggie's Feetwarmers	4:15-5:00 (DF) <b>AFRICAN DANCE FOR FAMILIES</b> Badjo Dance & Drum	4:15-5:15 (IM) <b>EIGHT BROCADE QI GONG</b> Mark Tolstrup	4:30-5:45 (DM) <b>ROCK 'N ROLL CONTRAS</b> Kathryn Wedderburn, The Kat Jamb	4:40-5:30 (IM) <b>CAPE BRETON STEP-DANCING</b> Addison, Wilson		3	
4	5:00-6:00 (DM) <b>PERFORMANCE ** 6:00-7:20 ** DANCE AROUND THE WORLD</b> Vanaver Caravan, Kirk, Miller, Oleson, Nayar, Brickhouse, Martinez & Lachtrupp, Lamm & Harrison, Bugh & Anguizola, Badjo, St. Basil's	5:45-8:15 (DX) <b>SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE BALL</b> Lois New, Elke Baker, Liz Donaldson	6:00-7:15 (DX) <b>CHALLENGING SQUARES</b> Ron Buchanan, Stillhouse Rounders	5:15-6:15 (IM) <b>AUSTRIAN &amp; GERMAN FOLKDANCES</b> Gracie Schell	5:30-6:30 (IM) <b>IT'S MADISON TIME!</b> Simone Coonrod	5:45-6:15 <b>Floor Cleaning</b>	5:45-6:30 (IB) <b>TEXAS TWO-STEP WORKSHOP</b> Koffler, Melita		4	
5	7:45-9:15 (DS) <b>CONTRA: UNUSUAL PROGRESSIONS</b> Mary Wesley The Stringrays	8:30-10:00 (DM) <b>BALKAN DANCE PARTY</b> Yves Moreau, Bobba Culpa	7:30-8:45 (NM) <b>VARITY SWING</b> Dave Davies & The HotFoot Club	6:30-7:30 (NM) <b>ULTIMATE DISCO</b> DJ Funkenstein	6:45-7:45 (IM) <b>SAUCY SALSA Spice Up Your Moves!</b> Simone Coonrod	6:15-7:45 (DS) <b>GENRE-BENDING CONTRAS</b> Sarah VanNorstrand, Great Bear	6:30-7:30 (NM) <b>HONKY TONK HEAVEN</b> Sweetback Sisters		5	
6	9:15-12:00 (DSX) <b>ENGLISH COUNTRY DANCE: MELODY &amp; MOTION</b> Anna Rain, Axelrod, Fabrizi & Martin	10:15-11:45 (NM) <b>LATIN DANCE PARTY</b> Ten Tumbao	9:00-10:30 (NM) <b>SWING TO GORDON WEBSTER &amp; FRIENDS</b> <b>Performance:</b> Saratoga SAVOY Swing Kids	7:45-8:45 (IM) <b>AFRICAN DANCE FOR ALL</b> Badjo School of African Dance & Drum	8:00-9:00 (IB) <b>FRENCH DANCES: Bouree, Schottische</b> Swamp Ward Orchestra	8:00-9:30 (DM) <b>CLASSIC OLD CONTRAS</b> David Kaynor, The Sevens	7:45-8:45 (NM) <b>MUSIC THAT MOVES YOU</b> Ubaka Hill & The Shapeshifters		6	
7			10:45-12:15 (NM) <b>CLASSIC SWING DANCE</b> Dan Levinson's Swing Wing, Featuring Molly Ryan	9:00-10:00 (IS) <b>INTERMEDIATE CHA-CHA-CHA</b> R. Sopin & I. Volodina	9:15-10:15 (TIM) <b>TEEN SWING INFUSION</b> Bugh, Vanston, Caravan Kids	9:45-11:15 (DS) <b>WHAT THE HEY! CONTRAS</b> George Marshall, Perpetual e-Motion	9:00-10:15 (DM) <b>FORRO: Northeastern Brazilian Folk Dance</b> Matuto		7	
8				10:15-11:15 (IM) <b>JAZZ ERA PARTY DANCES</b> Good Foot Dance Collective	10:30-12:00 (NM) <b>BLUES &amp; WEST COAST SWING</b> The Resonators	11:30-1:00 (DX) <b>NEW CONTRAS</b> Ron Buchanan, Great Bear	10:30-12:15 (NM) <b>ZYDECO DANCE PARTY</b> The Revelers		8	
9				11:30-12:30 (NM) <b>LATE NIGHT TANGO</b> DJ El Gato Negro					9	
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	10:00-10:50 (IM) SCOTTISH FIDDLE STYLE Elke Baker	10:00-10:50 (EF) TRIBUTE TO "A GENTLE WIND" Quickstep	10:00-11:00 (IM) COPING IN AN OLD-TIME JAM Atwater-Donnelly		9:45-10:45 (GM) IRISH JAM The Sevens		
10:45-12:00 (GM) SHAPE NOTE SING The Amidons				10:30-11:20 (6mo-5yr) MUSIC TOGETHER: For Young Children Terri Roben (GF)		FOLK OASIS	
	11:00-11:50 (IM) FIDDLING WITH "STANK" George Wilson	11:00-11:50 (IM) THE MUSIC OF KATHAK DANCE V. & D. Chandra	11:10-12:00 (IX) BACH FOR VIOLIN & MANDOLIN Wayne Fugate	11:30-12:20 (GF) Jack Tales Alive Playshop Storycrafters	11:00-12:00 (GM) EASY CONTRA TUNE JAM Bob McQuillen, Cedar Stanistreet	11:00-11:45 (E) MIKE AGRANOFF: Eclectic Songs	11:30-12:15 (E) ANDREW & NOAH BAND
12:15-1:15 (IM) DRUMSONG: The Art and Spirit of Drumming Ubaka Hill	12:00-12:50 (IM) BALKAN SINGING Bill & Livia Vanaver	12:00-12:50 (IB) BEGINNING UKULELE Ron Gordon	12:10-1:00 (IM) VOCAL IMPROV FOR ALL Dave Davies		12:15-1:15 (GM) OLD TIME JAM The Stillhouse Rounders	12:15-1:00 (E) ELKE BAKER & LIZ DONALDSON Scottish Music	12:45-1:30 (E) BAREFOOT BOYS
	1:00-1:50 (IS) SOUTHERN OLD-TIME FIDDLE Emily Schaad	1:00-1:50 (IS) INTERMEDIATE UKULELE Ron Gordon	1:10-2:00 (IB) SINGING IN IRISH GAELIC Molly Hebert-Wilson				
1:30-2:30 (IM) THE POWER OF THE PULSE: Body Percussion Matuto	2:00-2:50 (IM) AFRICAN RHYTHMS CLAWHAMMER BANJO Brian Slattery	2:00-3:00 (IS) SINGING WITH THE FIDDLE: Darkest of the Dark Arts Pete Sutherland	2:10-3:00 (GM) FRENCH CALL & RESPONSE SING Swamp Ward Orch.	1:30-2:20 (GF) NUMBER JAM Rachel Bell	1:30-2:30 (GM) QUEBECOIS JAM Max Cohen, Donna Hébert	1:30-2:15 (E) LOW & LONESOME Blues & Ragtime	1:45-2:45 (E) TEN TUMBAO
2:45-3:45 (IS) DRUMSONG: Improvising and Composition Ubaka Hill	3:00-3:50 (ISX) FIDDLE IMPROVISATION I Colin McCoy	3:10-4:00 (P) CARNATIC SINGING FROM INDIA Divya Nayar	3:10-4:00 (IM) PLAYING NATIVE AMERICAN FLUTE J. & J. Bruchac	2:30-3:20 (EF) NEW YORK STATE YARNS Tom Hooker Hanford	2:45-3:45 (GM) CAJUN JAM The Revelers	2:45-3:30 (E) LOST RADIO ROUNDERS Eclectic Roots Am.	3:00-3:45 (E) STRAWBERRY HILL FIDDLERS
				3:30-4:20 (GF) FROM A DOG'S STANCE Jay Mankita			
4:00-5:00 (E) DAY AIRS Jay Ungar & Molly Mason	4:00-5:00 (IM) SOUND FUNDAMENTALS I Mando/Guitar Wayne Fugate	4:10-5:00 (IB) RAAG & TAAL: India Melody & Rhythms V. & D. Chandra	4:10-5:00 (IS) ACCORDION ENSEMBLE Rachel Bell	4:30-5:20 (GM) CARTER FAMILY GOSPEL SONGS M. Eck, T. Lindsay	4:00-5:00 (GM) SWING JAM Gordon Webster & Friends	4:00-4:45 (E) ATWATER-DONNELLY Am./Celtic Folk	4:15-5:15 (E) MATUTO BRAZILIAN FORRO FUSION
5:15-6:15 (IM) ALEXANDER TECHNIQUE: For Musicians/Dancers Robinson, Wisswaesser	5:10-6:00 (ISX) NEW ENGLAND FIDDLE WORKSHOP Rodney Miller	5:10-6:00 (ISX) MANDOLIN FOR CONTRAS Glen Loper	5:10-6:00 (C) BAND & CALLER SYNTHESIS J. Cote, G. Marshall	5:30-6:30 (EF) BEDTIME STORIES FOR SAT. NIGHT Ivy Vine Players	5:15-6:15 (GM) TRAD. TEEN JAM The Irregulars, Strawberry Hill Fiddlers	5:15-6:00 (E) SWAMP WARD ORCHESTRA Ballads & Tunes	5:45-6:30 (E) RAMBLIN JUG STOMPERS
6:30-7:30 (IM) LATIN STYLES FOR MUSICIANS AND SINGERS Ten Tumbao	6:10-7:00 (P) HAND INJURIES: WHAT TO DO Karen Newman	6:15-7:15 (IM) BLUES & RAGTIME GUITAR P. Drum, R. Adkins	6:15-7:15 (GM) SONGS OF PEACE, JUSTICE, LOVE Ruth Pelham	6:40-7:30 (EF) SWEET DREAMS, NIGHT SKIES Swing Peepers	6:30-7:30 (GM) UKULELE JAM Ron Gordon	6:30-7:15 (E) MCLANE & SPOELSTRA Classical Arrangements	6:45-7:30 (E) REGGIE'S RED-HOT FEETWARMERS
7:45-9:00 (P) TRADITIONAL TEEN SHOWCASE Sutherland, Irregulars, Strawberry Hill Fiddlers, Vanaver Caravan Kids	7:10-8:00 (ISX) FIDDLE IMPROVISATION II Colin McCoy	7:30-8:30 (IS) SOUND FUNDAMENTALS II Mando/Guitar Wayne Fugate	7:30-8:30 (IB) YOU CAN PLAY BY EAR Terri Fiddle Jammer	7:40-8:30 (E) SONGS OF OLD 1812 Tom Hooker Hanford	7:45-8:45 (GM) BLUES JAM The Resonators Unplugged	7:45-8:30 (E) JAY UNGAR & MOLLY MASON American Roots Music	
9:15-10:45 (GM) WORLD DRUM & PERCUSSION CIRCLE Diallo, Stover, Badjo School Dance/Drum	8:45-10:00 (GM) FOLKSY SONGSWAP SING-ALONG: Rich Bala, Michael Eck, Betty and the Baby Boomers, Jay Mankita		8:45-9:45 (IB) CLAWHAMMER BANJO BASICS Aubrey Atwater	8:40-9:30 (P) WHEN THE CHENOO HOWLS J. & J. Bruchac	9:00-9:30 (E) Pokingbrook Morris	8:45-9:30 (E) MIST COVERED MOUNTAINS Irish Songs & Tunes	
A Big THANK YOU! To Our Corporate Sponsors:				9:40-10:30 (P) HOW TO TELL A GOOD GHOST STORY Storycrafters	Clifton Park The key to your community Life		
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				11:45-12:45 (E) NIGHT AIRS D. Kaynor, G. Wilson, B. Robinson			
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7		7:00-8:00 (IB) <b>WALTZ FOR BEGINNERS</b> SAVOY, Tamarack	7:00-8:00 (IB) <b>ROCK BOTTOM CONTRA BASICS</b> David Kaynor, Wilson, Stover	7:15-8:15 (IB) <b>SQUARE DANCES</b> for BEGINNERS Ralph Sweet, Quickstep		7:15-8:45 (DS) <b>WELCOME CONTRAS: Chestnuts Special</b> Mary Wesley, The Sevens	7:15-8:30 (NM) <b>WELCOME SWING DANCE</b> Dave Davies' HotFoot Club	★ 7:30-10:30 ★ <b>CAFFÈ LENA OPEN MIC</b> (See Info below)		
8	8:00-11:00 (DM)				7:30-8:30 (IB) <b>SWING 101</b> Nathan Bugh & Giselle Anguizola			Hilton Broadway 1/2/3	7:30-8:45 (GM) <b>WELCOME OPEN TUNE JAM</b> Set Americain	
9	<b>AN ENGLISH WELCOME</b> Tom Spilsbury, Axelrod, Fabrizi & Martin	8:15-9:15 (DM) <b>COMMUNITY BARN DANCE</b> Paul Rosenberg, Tamarack	8:15-9:30 (DM) <b>SQUARE YOUR SET</b> Ron Buchanan, Stillhouse Rounders	8:30-9:30 (IB) <b>ZYDECO BASICS</b> Ron & Marie Bruschi				8:30-9:45 (GM) <b>SONG CIRCLE SONG SWAP I</b> Atwater Donnelly	8:45-9:15 (E) <b>WALDORF A CAPPELLA</b>	
10		9:30-10:30 (IS) <b>WALTZ SWING</b> Tim Lamm & Paula Harrison, Stringrays			8:45-9:30 (IBS) <b>TANGO LESSON</b> Martinez, Lachtrupp, Spare Parts		9:00-10:30 (DM) <b>WELCOME (AGAIN) CONTRAS</b> George Marshall, Perpetual e-Motion	8:45-10:15 (NM) <b>SWING, SWANG, SWUNG!</b> Dan Levinson's Swing Wing		
11			9:45-11:00 (NM) <b>SWINGY COUNTRY &amp; WESTERN DANCE PARTY</b> Sweetback Sisters	9:45-10:45 (IM) <b>CAPOEIRA</b> Gustavo Caldas, Toby Stover, Amadou Diallo	9:30-10:45 (NM) <b>TANGO DANCE</b> Spare Parts			10:30-12:00 (NM) <b>SWING-A-ROO</b> Gordon Webster & Friends	9:30-11:00 (GSX) <b>QUEBECOIS JAM</b> Set Americain, Hart, Hébert, Wilson, McLane	
12		10:45-12:00 (NM) <b>FORRODOWN! Freeform Dance To Pan-American Sounds of Matuto</b>					10:45-12:15 (DSX) <b>THINK WITH YOUR FEET CONTRAS</b> Sarah VanNorstrand, Great Bear			
1		11:15-12:30 (NM) <b>ROMANTIC WALTZES</b> Jay Ungar & Molly Mason		11:15-12:30 (NM) <b>CAJUN &amp; ZYDECO MIX</b> The Revelers	11:00-12:15 (IM) <b>HUSTLE!</b> Saratoga Savoy	11:00-12:00 (GM) <b>AFRICAN DRUM &amp; DANCE</b> Stover, Diallo, Caldas				
								12:30-~2:30~ (NM) <b>TECHNO CONTRA</b> Mary Wesley, FireCloud	Come in, sign up, play a couple of tunes or sing some songs on the famous stage where Bob Dylan, Arlo Guthrie, Nanci Griffith, Ani DiFranco and thousands of others have played! (Directions Bottom of Sunday Page)	





### **Sound Fundamentals II Mandolin (guitar) (IS)**

Hilton Alabama, Saturday 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Back by popular demand! A continuation of some exercises from "Sound Fundamentals I" -- new left hand "finger busters" to help finger independence and dexterity. New right techniques and exercises also presented. Discuss techniques for troubleshooting problem areas, and present corrective actions and ideas that can be used to get past these stumbling blocks. Other instruments welcome.

- Wayne Fugate

### **Southern Old-Time Fiddling (IS)**

Hilton Travers, Saturday 1:00 PM - 1:50 PM

Learn a tune with bowings, rhythm and style characteristic of southern mountain fiddling.

- Emily Schaad

### **Square Dances for Beginners (IB)**

City Center Rm. A, Friday 7:15 PM - 8:15 PM

Basics of square dancing taught, using fun dances as examples.

- Ralph Sweet, Quickstep

### **Square Your Set (DM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Friday 8:15 PM - 9:30 PM

Square dancing for all!

- Ron Buchanan, The Stillhouse Rounders

### **Stillhouse Rounders (E)**

Parting Glass Pub, Sunday 12:30 PM - 1:15 PM

Stillhouse Rounders combines wild and crazy fiddle and banjo dance tunes, with driving vocal renditions of traditional songs, delivers an infectious blend of music "poured straight from a Mason jar." Traditional, acoustic, old time rural stringband music.

- The Stillhouse Rounders

### **Strawberry Hill Fiddlers (E)**

Parting Glass Pub, Saturday 3:00 PM - 3:45 PM

Teenage traditional fiddle band from Poughkeepsie, NY plays traditional folk music from around the world.

- Strawberry Hill Fiddlers

### **Surfing the Waves Contras (DS)**

City Center Rosenberg Hall (Rm. D), Sunday 12:45 PM - 2:15 PM

Surf's up! A rousing session of contras featuring waves short, long and everything in between.

- Mary Wesley, Perpetual e-Motion

### **Swamp Ward Orchestra (E)**

Caffè Lena, Saturday 5:15 PM - 6:00 PM

Enjoy a mélange of Québécois traditional ballads, French hurdy gurdy tunes, waltzes, Balkan and Klezmer numbers, and original tunes and songs inspired by these traditions.

- Swamp Ward Orchestra

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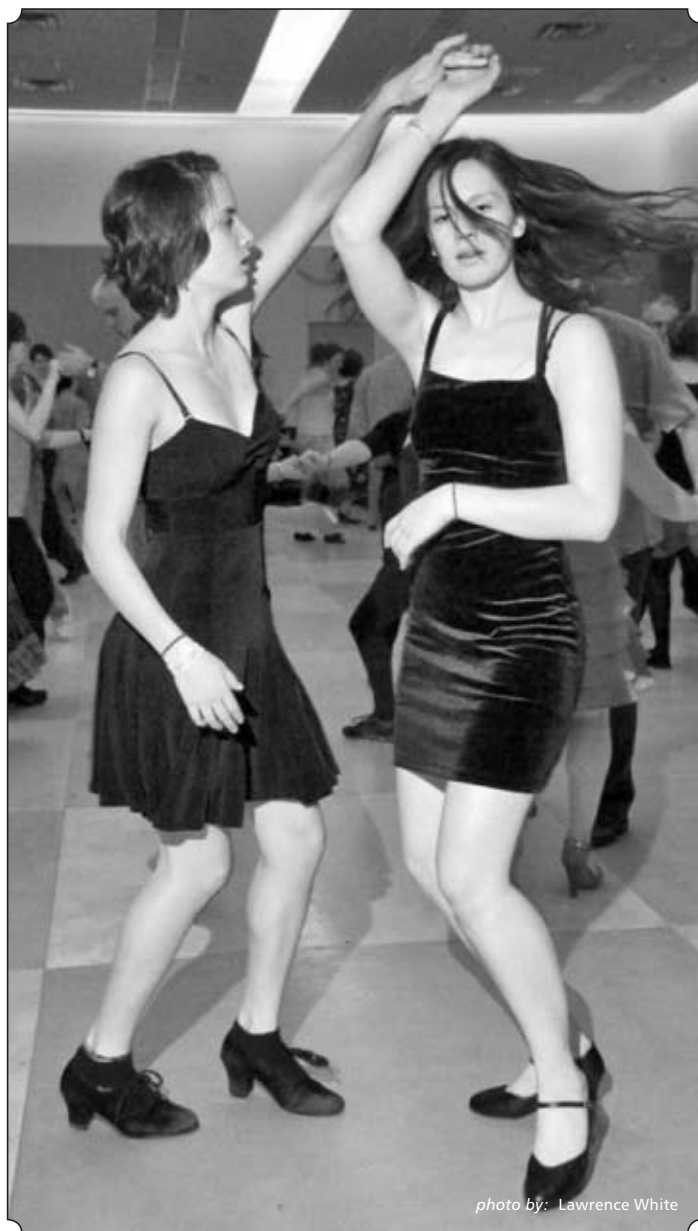


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**Sweet Dreams, Night Skies (EF)**

Hilton High Rock, Saturday 6:40 PM - 7:30 PM

Enter the cozy nighttime world of faerie houses, the "big ole moon," hibernation sleepovers, constellations, bedtime mixed-up nursery rhymes and other dreamy wildness! This program treads winding moonlit paths through the mysteries and charms of the night, with reverence for nature at the core.

- Swing Peepers

**Swing & Lindy Dance Party (NM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Saturday 1:45 PM - 3:00 PM

Fill you afternoon with some of the best swing musicians in town.

- Gordon Webster &amp; Friends, Brianna Thomas

**Swing IOI (IB)**

City Center Rm. B/C, Friday 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Learn the basic steps to this fun dance style.

- Giselle Anguizola, Nathan Bugh

**Swing Dance: Lindy Hop & More (NM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Sunday 12:45 PM - 2:00 PM

Dance to one of the most in-demand swing bands in the world.

- Gordon Webster &amp; Friends

**Swing For Beginners (IB)**

City Center Rm. B/C, Sunday 9:45 AM - 10:45 AM

Learn the basic steps to this fun dance style.

- Giselle Anguizola, Nathan Bugh

**Swing Jam (GM)**

Hilton Pavilion, Saturday 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Open jam session with focus on swing dance music.

- Gordon Webster &amp; Friends, Brianna Thomas

**Swing To Gordon Webster & Friends (NM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Saturday 9:00 PM - 10:30 PM

Gordon is the awesome-ist swing band of all. Better get there.

- Gordon Webster &amp; Friends

**Swing, Swang, Swung (NM)**

Hilton "Melita" Ballroom, Friday 8:45 PM - 10:15 PM

Dang, these NYC musicians are great! Better show up for this one.

- Dan Levinson's Swing Wing

**Swingaroo (NM)**

Hilton "Melita" Ballroom, Friday 10:30 PM - 12:00 AM

Don't miss dancing to Gordon Webster - you'll be sad if you do.

- Gordon Webster &amp; Friends, Brianna Thomas

**Swingin' On A Star: Farewell Swing Dance Party (NM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Sunday 3:45 PM - 5:15 PM

Swing dance for all!

- Patti-O &amp; The Hip Hooligans

**Swing Country & Western Dance Party (NM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Friday 9:45 PM - 11:00 PM

Swing dancing with a healthy dose of honky-tonk.

- The Sweetback Sisters

**Tango Dance (NM)**

City Center Rm. B/C, Friday 9:30 PM - 10:45 PM

Gorgeous Argentine tangos, milongas and tango vals for late-night dancing.

- Spare Parts



### **Tango Lesson: Style & Grace (IBS)**

City Center Rm. B/C, Friday 8:45 PM - 9:30 PM

This class is for Beginner to Intermediate dancers, and will center on the movement style of the dance as you and your partner travel around the dance floor, with a surprise or two thrown in.

- Johnny Martinez & Diane Lachtrupp, Spare Parts

### **Techno Contra (DM)**

Hilton "Melita" Ballroom, Saturday 12:30 AM - 2:30 AM

Techno contra comes to the Flurry, Friday, after Midnight! Contra dancing with club-style lighting effects (no flashing lights). LIVE electro-acoustic music performed by Firecloud, with thumping beats to get you moving and party into the wee hours. It will put you in a dance trance like nothing else.

- Mary Wesley, Firecloud

### **Teen Swing Infusion (TIM)**

City Center Rm. B/C, Saturday 9:15 PM - 10:15 PM

Come get a swing dance lesson from great teachers Emily and Nathan and then have some fun dancing!!!

- Nathan Bugh, Emily Vanston, The Vanaver Caravan Kids

### **Teen Trad Jam (TGM)**

Hilton Pavilion, Saturday 5:15 PM - 6:15 PM

Open jam session for TEENS, with focus on traditional fiddle tunes.

- Strawberry Hill Fiddlers, The Irregulars

### **Ten Tumbao Concert (E)**

Parting Glass Pub, Saturday 1:45 PM - 2:45 PM

Traditional Latin Music: Cuban, Puerto Rican, Dominican. Salsa and more!

- Ten Tumbao

### **Texas Two-Step Workshop (IB)**

Hilton "Melita" Ballroom, Saturday 5:45 PM - 6:30 PM

The basics in how to get around the dance floor easily and joyfully.

- Barry Koffler, Patti Melita, The Sweetback Sisters

### **The Barefoot Boys (E)**

Parting Glass Pub, Saturday 12:45 PM - 1:30 PM

A performance of traditional, regional folk songs and instrumental medleys from the Hudson, Catskill, and Adirondack areas.

- The Barefoot Boys

### **The Flurry SKA Hour (NM)**

Hilton "Melita" Ballroom, Saturday 2:15 PM - 3:15 PM

Bop to the UpBeats, Ithaca's own 7-piece ska band. Exciting three-horn arrangements and an irresistible driving ska rhythm will have you jumping!

- Dave Davies & The Upbeats

### **The Music of Kathak Dance (IM)**

Hilton Alabama, Saturday 11:00 AM - 11:50 AM

Veena & Devesh Chandra will teach the melodies & rhythms that accompany Kathak dance. In this workshop, musicians will learn a few different lehras (the accompanying melodies to kathak dance). Through this workshop musicians will be able to melodically accompany the Kathak dance workshop.

- Veena & Devesh Chandra

### **The Old Time and Bluegrass Connection (E)**

Hilton Whitney, Sunday 4:10 PM - 5:00 PM

What Bluegrass Music evolved from; the older musical styles.

- The Stillhouse Rounders

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**The Power of the Pulse: Body Percussion (IM)**

Hilton Broadway 1/2/3, Saturday 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

Interactive workshop designed for music lovers of all levels and disciplines. Explore rhythmic awareness and fundamental rhythmic patterns through body percussion. We will address Brazilian Rhythms and their relationship to American musical elements such as Second Line and Swing.

- Matuto

**The Ultimate Disco (NM)**

City Center Rm. A, Saturday 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Pull out your leisure suit and your disco shoes, it's time to be transported back to the folk dance from the 70s - DISCO.

- DJ Funkenstein

**Themes In A Hat (GM)**

Hilton Broadway 1/2/3, Sunday 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

A participatory musical game for people who like to sing (whether or not they can).

- Mike Agranoff

**Think With Your Feet Contras (DSX)**

City Center Rosenberg Hall (Rm. D), Friday 10:45 PM - 12:15 AM

A fun mix of gentle brain teasers and feet pleasers.

- Sarah VanNorstrand, Great Bear

**Toe-Tapping Tales (EF)**

Hilton High Rock, Sunday 1:00 PM - 1:50 PM

Join the renowned Storycrafters, the beloved family dance caller Fern Bradley, and percussive dancer Zack Marshall for a session of family fun (and the leaders of this workshop are a family too!)

- The Storycrafters, Fern Bradley

**Trad. Teen Showcase (P)**

Hilton Broadway 1/2/3, Saturday 7:45 PM - 9:00 PM

A presentation of some of the Flurry's "Trad" teen groups, hosted by Pete Sutherland.

- Pete Sutherland, The Irregulars, Strawberry Hill Fiddlers, The Vanaver Caravan Kids

**Tribute To "A Gentle Wind" (EF)**

Hilton Alabama, Saturday 10:00 AM - 10:50 AM

John, Ed and Trish present songs and stories for children, and highlight the songs produced by this award winning Albany recording company.

- Quickstep

**Ukulele Jam (GM)**

Hilton Pavilion, Saturday 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Strum along and/or lead a song on your ukulele. The focus will be on jazz classics, jug band music, blues, and old time music, etc. We'll just go lite on the Beethoven! Otherwise as the song says: "Anything Goes."

- Ron Gordon

**Variety Swing (NM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Saturday 7:30 PM - 8:45 PM

Hotfoot Club does it all. Slow and sultry, East and West Coast, Dixie and Lindy, Lindy, Lindy.

- Dave Davies & The HotFoot Club

**Vocal Improv For All (IM)**

Hilton Whitney, Saturday 12:10 PM - 1:00 PM

Unleash yourself with improvisational adventures guaranteed to be fun, easy and well worth your time. Taught with humor and gentleness.

- Dave Davies

**Waking Up English (DM)**

Saratoga Music Hall, Sunday 10:00 AM - 11:15 AM

Start the morning with vibrant and elegant English Country Dances.

- Thomas Spilsbury, Night Cap

**Waldorf A Cappella (E)**

Hilton Pavilion, Friday 8:45 PM - 9:15 PM

Group of high school students from the Waldorf School of Saratoga Springs singing a variety of a cappella music including world music, rounds and folk tunes.

- Waldorf A Cappella

**Waltz Book Waltzes (NM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Saturday 9:45 AM - 10:45 AM

Dancing to lovely waltzes from The Waltz Books.

- Spare Parts

**Waltz For Beginners (IB)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Friday 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Learn the dance that in 1825 the Oxford dictionary labeled "riotous and indecent." This workshop will get your dancing on the air.

- Saratoga SAVOY, Tamarack & Friends

**Waltzes by Women for All (NM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Sunday 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Dance to wonderful waltzes and celebrate women composers.

- Rachel Bell, Liz Donaldson, Britany Orlebeke, Liz Stell



**Waltz-Swing (IS)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 1, Friday 9:30 PM - 10:30 PM

Learn how to incorporate swing moves into your waltzes. These are great variations to do if you want to go into the center of the floor and dance in a small area for a while.

- Paula Harrison, Tim Lamm, Stringrays

**Welcome (Again) Contrás (DM)**

City Center Rosenberg Hall (Rm. D), Friday 9:00 PM - 10:30 PM

See what its all about!

- George Marshall, Perpetual e-Motion

**Welcome Contrás: Chestnuts Special (DS)**

City Center Rosenberg Hall (Rm. D), Friday 7:15 PM - 8:45 PM

Take a crack at your favorite chestnuts and traditional New England dances. Also enjoy some of their more modern offshoots.

- Mary Wesley, The Sevens

**Welcome Open Tune Jam (GM)**

Hilton Pavilion, Friday 7:30 PM - 8:45 PM

Open jam session.

- Set Americain

**Welcome Swing Dance (NM)**

Hilton "Melita" Ballroom, Friday 7:15 PM - 8:30 PM

Start your Flurry weekend with a swing in your step!

- Dave Davies & The HotFoot Club

**West African Drumming & Instrument Playing Workshop (IM)**

Hilton Broadway 1/2/3, Sunday 12:45 PM - 1:45 PM

Join Zorkie Nelson, internationally acclaimed musician and teacher from Ghana, Africa, and explore the diverse drums (djembe, conga, doundoun) and instruments of West Africa. Instruments provided, some drums available. Bring drum if you have one.

- Badjo School of African Dance and Drumming

**West Coast Swing (NM)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Sunday 11:15 AM - 12:30 PM

West Coast swing to the bluesy, in-the-pocket sounds of the Hotfoot Club.

- Dave Davies & The HotFoot Club

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**West Coast Swing Lesson (IBS)**

City Center Mtg. Rm 2, Sunday 10:15 AM - 11:15 AM

This class is designed for Beginner-Intermediate dancers and will focus on a few moves to make your dancing look and feel more connected to your partner.

- Johnny Martinez &amp; Diane Lachtrupp

**What Is A Strathspey? (IM)**

Hilton Alabama, Sunday 11:15 AM - 12:15 PM

The Strathspey, unique to Scotland, is a style of playing derived from reels and is also a dance form found in Scottish Country Dancing. Come along and play some of these tunes and discover how the music has evolved. Unlock the mysteries of playing the "Scottish Snap." All instruments are welcome.

- Elke Baker, Liz Donaldson

**What the Hey! Contras (DS)**

City Center Rosenberg Hall (Rm. D), Saturday 9:45 PM - 11:15 PM

Exploring the "Hey" in Contra Land.

- George Marshall, Perpetual e-Motion

**What's With All The Buttons? (IS)**

Hilton Whitney, Sunday 12:00 PM - 12:50 PM

Bring your piano accordion to learn the basics of the left hand, as well as some handy tips and tricks.

- Rachel Bell

**When the Chenoo Howls (P)**

Hilton High Rock, Saturday 8:40 PM - 9:30 PM

Traditional Northeastern Native stories\* of ghosts and monsters. Performance (and explanation of the importance and use) of scary stories in American Indian cultures. (\*May be too frightening for very young children.)

- Joseph and Jesse Bruchac

**Woodstock Contradances (DM)**

Hilton "Melita" Ballroom, Sunday 2:30 PM - 3:45 PM

Jay and Molly organize the Woodstock Contradance and play the music for it several times a year. David Kaynor is a frequent caller. Come experience it at the Flurry!

- David Kaynor, Jay Ungar &amp; Molly Mason

**World Dance for Families (DF)**

City Center Rm. A, Saturday 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Diverse and fun session for families of all ages. Experience group dances and dances for peace from around the world.

- The Vanaver Caravan &amp; Caravan Kids, David Bernz

**World Drumming/Percussion Circle (GM)**

Hilton Broadway 1/2/3, Saturday 9:15 PM - 10:45 PM

Open to all styles of Drumming and Percussion from Africa, the Middle East and beyond.

- Amadou Diallo, Toby Stover, Badjo School of African Dance and Drumming

**Yoga for Dancers and Musicians (IM)**

Hilton Broadway 1/2/3, Sunday 4:45 PM - 5:45 PM

Learn techniques based on Iyengar yoga principles to keep your body focused, fluid, and relaxed so you'll be able to dance longer, more comfortably, and with greater sustained energy.

- Anna Rain

**York State Yarns (EF)**

Hilton High Rock, Saturday 2:30 PM - 3:20 PM

A family-oriented educational program of songs and stories of 19th century New York State. Songs of Hudson River boatmen, Erie "canawlers," 1880s New York City children and the story of "Joshua, the Giant Frog" are featured.

- Tom Hooker Hanford



### **You Can Play By Ear! (IB)**

Hilton Whitney, Saturday 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Participatory session for people who didn't think they could play by ear.

- Fiddle Jammer

### **ZAP! Exploring Illusion Through Shadowdancing (IT)**

City Center Rm. A, Sunday 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

We will use a scrim, lighting, designs, and sounds to enhance various movement games and activities, working with shadow effects. This format includes demo's, instruction and group participation.

- Lili Loveday and Arts In Motion

### **Zwiefachers (DSM)**

Hilton "Melita" Ballroom, Saturday 12:45 PM - 2:00 PM

Combinations of waltzing and pivoting from Bavaria.

- Colleen Holroyd, Forrest Holroyd, Spare Parts

### **Zydeco Basics (IB)**

City Center Rm. A, Friday 8:30 PM - 9:30 PM

The basic Zydeco two-step, closed and open positions, fancy step variations, and partnering.

- Ron & Marie Bruschi

### **Zydeco Dance Party (NM)**

Hilton "Melita" Ballroom, Saturday 10:30 PM - 12:15 AM

Party on with one of Louisiana's most exciting bands!

- The Revelers



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Experience the beauty and grace of 18th century dancing to live music by the Heartsease band.



### Rensselaer English Country Dances

Christ Church United Methodist

35 State St, Troy, NY

Sundays 2-5 pm,

Feb 24 ~ caller Don Bell

March 17 ~ caller Patricia Evans

April 21 ~ caller Tom Amesse

Contact: (518) 273-5172

[www.danceflurry.org/recd](http://www.danceflurry.org/recd)

## CAPITAL ENGLISH COUNTRY DANCERS

First Sundays @ 2 – 5 PM

First Unitarian Universalist Church  
405 Washington Ave, Albany, NY 12206

Contact : 518.477.5684 or  
[www.danceflurry.org/capital-english](http://www.danceflurry.org/capital-english)

Feb 3 Elizabeth Freedman, Karen Axelrod,  
Aldo Fabrizi, Eric Martin

Mar 3 Tom Amesse, Spare Parts,  
Eric Buddington

Apr 7 Sue Dupre, Patricia Kernan,  
Joe Hetko, Eric Buddington

May 5 *Ice Cream Sunday*  
Judi Rivkin

3 Muses (Jeanette Hancock-Huttel,  
Sue Polansky, Kathy Shimberg)

Regular Dances: \$12, Ice Cream Sunday \$14

## Albany First Friday



## Capital Swing Dance

Albany Elks Lodge, 25 South Allen St, Albany  
(one block south of Madison & Western-Rt. 20)

**Dancing starts at 8:30 PM to great LIVE BANDs w/DJ Music during breaks**  
**No partner needed.** We welcome beginners.  
Join us the First Friday of every month.

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**Learn or improve your swing dancing!**  
Free lesson at 7:30 PM included with admission

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Info and map: [www.danceflurry.org/swing](http://www.danceflurry.org/swing)  
Sponsored by the Dance Flurry Organization



## BUHRMASTER BARN DANCES

*Contras and Squares—Enjoy a tradition of community dancing passed down from generation to generation.*

Sundays June- September at the  
Historic Pruyn House and Garden  
207 Old Niskayuna Road, Colonie, NY  
Potluck Dinner at 5, Dancing 6-9 PM

For information: [www.danceflurry.org/buhrmaster](http://www.danceflurry.org/buhrmaster)

*All dances taught*  
*Friendly people*  
*Everyone welcome*







## Firefly Ball

### & English Country Dance Weekend

2013 SUMMER SOLSTICE, June 21, 22, 23

Dance surrounded by rustic Adirondack luxury, in the piney heart of New York State's Adirondack Forest Preserve at

### Great Camp Sagamore



A National Historic Landmark  
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• Built by William West Durant  
in the gay 1890s

• Wilderness retreat of the  
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[www.greatcampsagamore.org](http://www.greatcampsagamore.org)

Dance Master, Tom Amessé, with the fabulous 3rd String Trio  
playing Country Dances of the British Isles

Karen Axelrod, accordion, piano

Peter Barnes, guitar, flute, whistle

Aldo Fabrizi, mandolin

All dances taught and walked through.



[www.danceflurry.org/SagamoreECDball](http://www.danceflurry.org/SagamoreECDball)

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33rd  
annual

## Old Songs festival

music with roots



June 28, 29 & 30

Altamont Fairgrounds

PERFORMERS include:

(photos from top left)

The Claire Lynch Band

Archie Fisher • Beppe Gambetta

Sally Rogers & Claudia Schmidt

Chris Norman & David Greenberg

Footworks • Hanneke Cassel

Séamus Begley

& Oisín Mac Diarmada

Genticorum • Matt Munisteri • & lots more!

for complete details: [www.oldsongs.org/festival](http://www.oldsongs.org/festival)



## Old Songs Community Dances

37 South Main St., Voorheesville, NY

March 2 - John Kirk & Trish Miller

April 6 - Paul Rosenberg, Fennig's All Stars

Fun, simple dances from the U.S. and around the World.  
For all ages. All dances will be taught. Circles, contras, squares.

Suggested Donation: Adults: \$7 • Child 6-12: \$3

**Potluck at 6:30 p.m. • Dancing from 7:30 - 10:30 p.m.**

Information: 518-482-9255 • 518-765-2815  
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## Festival History

It was pure luck that the Dance Flurry Festival came into being.

In 1987, Nancy Gretta and Paul Rosenberg were car-pooling to the Brattleboro, Vermont, Labor Day Dawn Dance, reminiscing about how wonderful the one and only Old Songs Winter Dance Fest had been. In 1986, the 2nd annual Winter Dance Fest had been in the planning stages when the director stepped down, and the upcoming 1988 festival had also just been cancelled. Nancy asked Paul (partially in jest) if he would organize a replacement festival.

The wheels began to spin, and Paul thought a smaller, one-day winter dance festival could be a logical extension of the Schenectady contra dance series, which he had developed earlier in 1987. This series was unique, being dedicated to the showcasing and development of callers and musicians from within the Capital District area of NY.

The Hudson-Mohawk Country Dancers was formed as a not-for-profit chapter of the Country Dance and Song Society (CDSS) around 1987, enabling them to obtain grants, and federal and state tax-exempt status (later know as Hudson-Mohawk Traditional Dances, Inc., and now as the DanceFlurry Organization).

The first February Dance Flurry was a one-day festival held at the Westmere Elementary School in Guilderland, NY, on February 13, 1988. Over 300 dancers attended a highly successful event, staffed entirely by 38 local and regional performers, including Jay Ungar, Molly Mason, George Wilson, Selma Kaplan, Pat Rust, Mary Cay Brass, Van Kaynor and the St. Regis String Band. The festival moved in 1989 to Farnsworth Middle School, in Guilderland, NY. In 1994, two weeks before the festival, broken water pipes flooded the gym floor and sent festival organizers scrambling to find a new location. The city of Saratoga welcomed them, and has been the home of the Dance Flurry festival ever since. A festival which is one of the largest and most varied music and dance festivals on the east coast.

In 2006, Festival organizers were once again tested by the weather – this time by 100-mile-per-hour winds that knocked out power in the region from Friday to Sunday afternoon. Within hours, the organizers managed to put together a shortened version of the program, using portable generators for light and power. Many dancers and musicians who traveled long distances to attend the Flurry were grateful for the chance to have a “mini Flurry” during the day Saturday.

The Flurry Festival is still going strong. With the support of its volunteers, the dance community, its host city, and especially those who enter its doors year after year, the Festival will continue to offer the sights, sounds and traditions of music and dance that have been handed down for generations.





## Who's Who at the Flurry Festival: Our Festival Groups & Individual Performers



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### Emily Addison

Cape Breton step dance instructor, and contra music piano accompaniment.

**Email:** eaddison@trentu.ca

### Mike Agranoff

Eclectic entertaining performer of songs new and old, tunes, and great stories. Plays nifty fingerstyle guitar, English concertina, and piano. Lots of humor. Lots of fun.

**Website:** [www.MikeAgranoff.com](http://www.MikeAgranoff.com)

**Email:** Mike@MikeAgranoff.com

**Phone:** (973) 335-9489

### Albany Dance Circle

The Albany Dance Circle currently coordinates three monthly Dances of Universal Peace meetings in Albany, New Lebanon and New Paltz, NY. These dances have been presented many times at the Flurry.

Dahlia Bartz Cobe, Karuna Teresa Foudriat, Frank Lombardo, Attar Lory Messina, Nizam Ellen Ash

**Website:** [www.albanydancecircle.org](http://www.albanydancecircle.org)

**Email:** karunateresa@gmail.com

**Phone:** (845) 901-9301

### Peter and Mary Alice Amidon

Peter and Mary Alice are mainstays of harmony choral singing and community dancing in New England and beyond.

Mary Alice Amidon, Peter Amidon

**Website:** [www.amidonmusic.com](http://www.amidonmusic.com)

**Email:** amidonpeter@gmail.com

**Phone:** (802) 257-1006



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### Andrew & Noah Band

Americana Groove, Roots Rock, and Alt. Folk music. Powerful songwriting, explosive improvisation, deep dance grooves and a unique vision for the future of American roots music. That's what the Andrew & Noah Band is bringing to festival stages, concert halls, living rooms and dance floors all over North America.

Harry Aceto, Rachel Bell, Dana Billings, Chris Miller, Andrew VanNorstrand, Noah VanNorstrand, Kailyn Wright

**Website:** <http://www.andrewandnoah.com>

### Giselle Anguizola

Instructing swing dance with Nathan Bugh.

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### Atwater-Donnelly

Award-winning, internationally acclaimed duo, Aubrey Atwater and Elwood Donnelly present delightful programs of traditional American and Celtic folk songs and percussive, free-style-clogging, tap, and contra dance. Their performances are appealing to all ages, and with humor, audience participation, and a relaxed stage presence. They blend gorgeous harmonies and play an astonishing array of instruments including guitar, Appalachian mountain dulcimer, mandolin, tin whistle, harmonica, banjo, limberjacks, and conduct workshops in a variety of instruments, singing, and dance.

Aubrey Atwater, Elwood Donnelly

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— Dancing all day and not having to worry about time.

— I can walk down a hallway and soak in five different groups in eight different styles.

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### **Axelrod, Fabrizi, & Martin**

English Country and Contra dance band.

Karen Axelrod, Aldo Fabrizi, Eric Martin

**Email:** KarenAxelrod@yahoo.com  
**Phone:** (413) 584-4195

### **Badjo School of African Dance and Drumming**

African Dance, Drumming and instrument workshops to adults, families and children. We also perform with an internationally acclaimed panel of drummers alongside our amazing dancers. New and experienced dance and drumming students (respectively) work together in the same class, at the same time - one benefits from another's ability. African Dance and Drumming benefits EVERYONE!... those who need to build stamina and endurance, self esteem and confidence; who have health issues; who are older and need to stay active, who are young and need to learn to harness concentration; who need to cultivate positive body image. All ages, skill levels and body types are welcome!

Jasmine Cenicerros, David Lokko, Emmanuel Nelson, Felix Nelson, Zorkie Nelson

**Website:** africanancetroy.org  
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**Phone:** (917) 710-6612

### **Elke Baker**

Scottish dance fiddler (see Terpsichore).

**Website:** <http://www.elkebaker.com/>

### **Rich Bala**

Performs mostly traditional and some recently written songs on guitar, harmonica, and mountain dulcimer.

**Website:** [www.richbala.com](http://www.richbala.com)  
**Email:** baladeer@aol.com  
**Phone:** (845) 227-7293

### **The Barefoot Boys**

Rollicking renditions of regional songs and instrumental medleys on guitar, banjo, fiddle, mandolin, concertina, mountain and hammered dulcimers.

Rich Bala, Tom White

**Website:** [www.thebarefootboys.com](http://www.thebarefootboys.com)  
**Email:** baladeer@aol.com  
**Phone:** (845) 227-7293

### **Rachel Bell**

Rachel Bell is equally at home whether playing for contra dances, performing in concert, or transforming a roomful of children into a vibrant array of boomwhackers, drums, singing, and dancing. She runs Crab Apple Jam Music Studio in Shinglehouse, PA, and enjoys a busy gig schedule playing accordion with Montage, the Andrew & Noah Band, Happy Endings, and Tunescape.

**Website:** [www.rachelbellmusic.com](http://www.rachelbellmusic.com)  
**Email:** theinstrumentplayer@Yahoo.com  
**Phone:** (814) 697-6534

### **Betty and the Baby Boomers**

Betty and the Baby Boomers, "a refreshing reminder of the halcyon days of American folk music" (Sing Out!), wrap four-part harmonies around songs from tradition, contemporary artists, classic folksingers like Pete Seeger, and the pen of Boomer Jean McAvoy, whose "Down By the River" appears on Pete's Grammy-winning album Tomorrow's Children. The Boomers specialize in songs about the Hudson River; we met as educators and activists for the river.

Robert Bard, Betty Boomer, Jean McAvoy, Paul Rubeo, Steve Stanne

**Website:** [www.bettyandthebabyboomers.com](http://www.bettyandthebabyboomers.com)  
**Email:** stannelee@aol.com  
**Phone:** (845) 255-4983

### **Bobba Culpa**

Balkan dance band.

Joe Blumenthal, Sarah Cohen, Donna Eastman, Karen Klevanosky, Barbara MacLean, Nancy Peterson, Bob Schulz, Dianne Wendling



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### **Fern Bradley**

A familiar and well-loved caller for contra dances and community dances throughout the Capital Region and the Hudson Valley.

**Email:** dancingfern@verizon.net

### **Junious Brickhouse (Urban Artistry)**

Dance educator, performer and mentor. Founded Urban Artistry, an award winning International Culture and Education Project that provides opportunities and mentorship to youth and adults in urban dance education, performance and competition. Founder and Executive Director of Urban Artistry (also: Good Foot Dance Collective).

[www.urbanartistry.org](http://www.urbanartistry.org)

### **Joseph and Jesse Bruchac**

Native American (Abenaki) storytellers, musicians, and dance instructors.

Jesse Bruchac, Joseph Bruchac

**Website:** [www.josephbruchac.com](http://www.josephbruchac.com)

**Email:** nudatlog@earthlink.net

**Phone:** (518) 584-1728

### **Ron & Marie Bruschi**

Cajun, Zydeco, and Irish Set Dance instructors.

Marie Bruschi, Ron Bruschi

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### **Ron Buchanan**

Contra and square dance caller.

**Email:** buchananron@yahoo.com

### **Eric Buddington**

A dance fiddler from the Berkshires, playing contra, English, tango, and often found as a Spare Part.

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### **Nathan Bugh**

Swing dance instruction, member of Vanaver Caravan.

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**Email:** nathanbugh@gmail.com

**Phone:** (832) 878-6851

### **Capital AppleJacks & Jills**

Lindy Hop routine choreographed by Walter & Lauren Swing.

Lauren Keeley, Walter Keeley, Mike Gregware, Amanda Johansen, Eddie Li, Kim Fessel, Erin Kandel, Joanna Brumlay

**Website:** [www.WalterLauren.com](http://www.WalterLauren.com)

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### **Capital District Scottish Country Dancers**

Demonstration team of dancers representing the Royal Scottish Country Dance Society and its branches in Boston (MA), New Haven (CT), Montreal (Canada) including members of the Capital District (NY) class.

Christopher Anagnostakis, Tim Bell, Dale Birdsall, Polly Birdsall, Bruce Bobier, Skip Darcy, Kathy Kay, Alana King, Cece Lubitz, Lois New, Marilyn Phillips, Ted Randolph, Lorraine Riedel, Jim Savitt, Joan Savitt

**Website:** [www.rscdsboston.org](http://www.rscdsboston.org)

**Email:** loisanew@nycap.rr.com

### **Veena & Devesh Chandra**

Veena & Devesh Chandra are a renowned sitar & tabla duo who perform Indian Classical Music as well as educate and teach Kathak Dance.

Devesh Chandra, Veena Chandra

**Website:** [www.sonicbids.com/VeenaChandraDeveshChandraDuo](http://www.sonicbids.com/VeenaChandraDeveshChandraDuo)

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### *"My favorite thing about the Flurry Festival is:"*

— Bringing two friends to their first Flurry and watching them discover the fun of this weekend!

— Dance! Sing! Enjoy the Music! Hear Stories! This is what the Festival is all about in one sitting, for everyone's benefit.



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### Classical Dance of S. India

Accomplished musicians from South India who present the Bharatanatyam and Carnatic traditions of dance and music.

Sankaran Menon, Divya Nayar, Nanda Nayar, Mahadevan Vaidyanathan

**Website:** <http://divyanayar.com>  
**Email:** [divya.nayar@gmail.com](mailto:divya.nayar@gmail.com)  
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### Simone Coonrod

Simone Coonrod, dancer and musician of *Swinging with Simone®*, is an active dance teacher and teaching artist with Lincoln Center in Manhattan. She leads courses and workshops for various universities, organizations including Kripalu, The Open Center and Midsummer Night Swing. Her unique motto for her studio and monthly Jersey bounce dances in Montclair, NJ is "Where Artistry Meets Fun!"

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### Paul Cronin

Solo piano performance featuring the music of Debussy, Chopin, Ravel, and others.

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**Phone:** (518) 427-9761

### Dave Davies & The HotFoot Club

HotFoot Club is a six-piece dance band fully capable of an astonishing range of music from around the world. With 30's thru the 50's jazz, blues and Latin as a starting point, you can also hear them play waltzes, tangos, marches, cha-chas, and a good assortment of oldies and early rock. In addition to the music of artists such as Louis Armstrong, Billie Holiday, Jimmy Reed, Nat Cole, Fats Waller, Bonnie Raitt, and Louis Jordan, there are many original songs and arrangements written and arranged for the solid 3-horn section by bandleader Dave Davies.

Harry Aceto, Frank Campos, Dave Davies, Brian Earle, Molly MacMillan, Mike Wellen

**Website:** <http://davedaviesithaca.com/Home.html>  
**Email:** [davedavies39@gmail.com](mailto:davedavies39@gmail.com)

### Dave Davies & The Upbeats

If you like the Hot Foot Club, you'll love the UpBeats.

Harry Aceto, Frank Campos, Dave Davies, Brian Earle, Molly MacMillan, Andrew Van Norstrand, Mike Wellen

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### DJ El Gato Negro

An instructor/DJ with a vast selection of classic Latin dance music as well as an unmatched collection of Argentine tangos both new and old.

Audi Matias, David Wolf

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### DJ Funkenstein

Prepare to enter a time warp to the 70s. Featuring Disco with flair.

Audi Matias, David Wolf

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### Liz Donaldson

Scottish dance pianist. (See Terpsichore)

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**Email:** [liz@us.net](mailto:liz@us.net)  
**Phone:** [lizdonaldson.com](mailto:lizdonaldson.com)

### Michael Eck

Roots scholar, songwriter, multi-instrumentalist who has performed alongside icons like Pete Seeger and Patti Smith. Most frequently seen as a member of Ramblin' Jug Stompers and Lost Radio Rounders.

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### Patricia Evans

Beginning English Country Dance caller.

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**Phone:** 518-429-8747

*"My favorite thing about the Flurry Festival is:"*

— I love parking the car on Friday evening and not driving again until Sunday evening!



## Fiddle Jammer

Old-time fiddle instruction, playing fiddle by ear.

**Website:** [www.fiddlejammer.com](http://www.fiddlejammer.com)  
**Email:** [fiddlejammer@fiddlejammer.com](mailto:fiddlejammer@fiddlejammer.com)

## Firecloud

Featuring Andy Reiner on fiddle, Julie Vallimont on piano, synths, and samples, and the epic electronic skills of DJ Nanocannon (Andrew Hlynsky), Firecloud combines the driving beats of techno music with live fiddle tunes and improvisation. Dancers are transported to a supertemporal plane of rhythm and motion and energy.

Andrew Hlynsky, Andy Reiner, Julie Vallimont

**Website:** <http://firecloudmusic.com/>  
**Email:** [firecloudmusic@gmail.com](mailto:firecloudmusic@gmail.com)  
**Phone:** (401) 481-5853

## FireFlies

Traditional fiddle band for family dances and community events.

Jim Broden, Patricia Kernan, Jim Mead, Sue Mead

**Website:** [www.thefirefliesband.com](http://www.thefirefliesband.com)  
**Email:** [sue@tunefolk.com](mailto:sue@tunefolk.com)  
**Phone:** (518) 384-3275

## Wayne Fugate

Instructional workshops for mandolin and general musicianship.

**Website:** <http://www.reverbNation.com/WayneFugate>  
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*"My favorite thing about the Flurry Festival is:"*

- My wife dances and I don't, but I play instruments and sing. We can both find things to do here.
- Being able to "tour the world" while still being in one location.

## Good Foot Dance Collective

Representing dancers from many areas of American vernacular dance, the Good Foot Dance Collective explores the complex twinings of the root-system of American dance -- from Appalachian flatfooting to tap, from partner dance like salsa to contemporary urban dance -- seeking a theatrical crossroads that will propel percussive dance into the 21st century. By mixing and remixing traditional dance and music into an enticing rhythmic journey, they raise questions about connectivity, continuity, and social responsibility.

Junious Brickhouse, Emily Oleson, Matthew Olwell

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## Ron Gordon

Ukulele teacher, club founder, performer and festival founder for all things uke in the capital region. Began uke workshops at the Flurry about a decade ago, and lately, the classes and workshops have been jumpin' like fleas!

**Email:** [rgukeboy@gmail.com](mailto:rgukeboy@gmail.com)  
**Phone:** (518) 598-2880

## Gordon Webster & Friends

7-piece swing and jazz ensemble specializing in playing for Lindy hoppers.

Brianna Thomas, Rob Adkins, Kevin Congleton, Mike Davis, Josh Holcomb, Gordon Webster

**Website:** [www.gordonwebsterswings.com](http://www.gordonwebsterswings.com)  
**Email:** [info@gordonwebsterswings.com](mailto:info@gordonwebsterswings.com)  
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## Gracie's Dance / Gracie Schell

German and Austrian folkdance instruction.

Gracie Schell, Karl Wuerslin

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**Phone:** (315) 725-0406

## Great Bear

One of the hottest contra dance bands in North America.

Dana Billings, Chris Miller, Andrew VanNorstrand, Noah VanNorstrand, Kim Yerton

**Website:** <http://www.greatbeartrio.com>

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### Tom Hooker Hanford

A musician and storyteller best known for his family programs "Musical Menagerie" (a collection of animal songs of various genres and cultures including blues, country, 20th century pop standards, rock and roll) and his "Chimneyside Tales" (a series of early American historical programs). The programs are enhanced by authentic period costumes and period appropriate instrumentation. Tom gives the audience opportunities to sing along, engage in movement, and participate in role playing with colorful painted animal masks of his own creation.

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### Laurie Hart & John Hall

Swedish fiddle duo playing traditional dance tunes from Sweden, which run the gamut from joyful and spritely to dark and intense.

John Hall, Laurie Hart

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**Phone:** (607) 277-6201

### Heartsease

English Country Dance band.

Diane Bell, Vonnice Estes, Gail Griffith, Patricia Kernan, Marilee Urbanczyk

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### Katy Heine

Ithaca-based caller Katy Heine has been leading contras and community dances in the Finger Lakes region and beyond for more than 20 years. She's known for her clear teaching style and for her large repertoire of fun and flowing dances.

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### Ubaka Hill & The Shapeshifters

Authentically original, energetic performer, composer, songwriter, recording artist, motivational speaker, conference weaver, teacher and facilitator of hand drumming workshops for more than 25 years throughout the United States. Her soul-vision and intention is to facilitate and inspire personal transformation, empowerment, healing and joy with music that moves you. Ubaka Hill creatively weaves percussion, poetry and song to inspire a positive, energetic atmosphere for her diverse audiences to sing and dance with her in solo performances and with The ShapeShifters, her multi-instrumental and multi-cultural, professional ensemble of talented musicians.

Ubaka Hill, Ruth Staber, the Shapeshifters

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### Forrest Holroyd

Zwiefacher dance instructor (a dance of waltzing and pivoting).

Forrest Holroyd, Colleen Holroyd

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### The Irregulars

The Irregulars are a talented and energetic group of young musicians on Vermont's traditional music scene. They won First Place in the Young Traditions Vermont competition held in Burlington in June. They have played sets for the Queen City Contras and Mad Robin contra dance series and also frequently host benefit contra dances on their own. They also enjoyed performing at festivals, farmer's markets, and other venues.

Laura Harris, Dana Hartshorn, McKinley James, Chris Krag, Eileen O'Grady, Oliver Scanlon

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### The Ivy Vine Players Puppet Theater

Using dozens of handmade characters and a walking, wearable stage, puppeteer Grian MacGregor presents stories and songs celebrating the joys and trials of backyard gardening, waste disposal, and diabolical plumbing encounters.

Grian MacGregor

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*"My favorite thing about the Flurry Festival is:"*

— Every year, I come home and look over the schedule. I want to go back and do everything that I missed the first time around. I want a do-over!





## Dan Johnson & the Expert Sidemen

Americana and traditional roots music with a bit of old-time bluegrass.

Brian Elsenbeck, Dan Johnson, Pete Murphy, Roger Noyes

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## Susan Kaupelis

Line Dance Instructor

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## David Kaynor

Caller, teacher, leader of contra dancing and introductory Swedish dancing. Fiddler, fiddle teacher and accompaniment guitarist.

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## Barry Koffler

Texas two-step dance instructor.

Barry Koffler, Pat Melita

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## Tim Lamm & Paula Harrison (Steps In Time Historical Dance)

Dance partners Tim Lamm and Paula Harrison lead, teach and perform social dances from the Renaissance to modern times.

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*"My favorite thing about the Flurry Festival is:"*

— The atmosphere of joy and excitement, how such a diverse bunch of people can respect and enjoy each other so well.

## Dan Levinson's Swing Wing

In 1935, clarinetist/bandleader Benny Goodman began performing and recording with a trio consisting of Teddy Wilson on piano and Gene Krupa on drums, creating a spectacular new sound that has become a touchstone for small group jazz. Each member of Dan Levinson's Swing Wing has been inspired by his parallel counterpart in Goodman's group, resulting in a magical chemistry replete with creativity and excitement. The fluid tone of Levinson's soaring clarinet, the brilliant, Wilsonesque flourishes of pianist Mark Shane, and the hard-driving intensity of drummer Kevin Dorn blend with the classy, elegant vocal stylings of Molly Ryan in a musical skillet that simmers and sizzles with every beat.

Kevin Dorn, Dan Levinson, Randy Reinhart, Molly Ryan

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## Lost Radio Rounders

Lost Radio Rounders play Acoustic American Roots Music, offering a variety of family-friendly programs based on the music of the Carter Family; music from Folkways; Carl Sandburg's American Songbag; music from the time of Abraham Lincoln; songs of soldiers and sailors; music from the War of 1812; and more. The duo has just released a new album, "Heaven's Radio: Gospel Songs of the Original Carter Family."

Michael Eck, Tom Lindsay

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## Lili Loveday and Arts In Motion

We are a multi-age group of Movement Artists, Dancers, Musicians and Visual artists who collaborate to explore movement throughout the arts, designing and implementing workshops, performances and classes for people of all ages and backgrounds. We welcome newcomers.

Kae Feldstein, Geoffrey Gee, Lili Loveday, Ernie Luikhart, Una Miller, Soraya Sophia, Adam Witt

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## Low 'N Lonesome

Blues and Ragtime music, featuring vocals and fingerstyle guitar.

Robert Adkins, Phil Drum

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## Jay Mankita

Quirky Americana songwriter for kids and adults.

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## Margarita Marambio

Margarita is the director of the performing troupe "Ensemble Aquarelle," a group dedicated to making known the repertoire of 19th century dances. She specializes in French repertoire, especially quadrilles (they are interesting, beautiful and fun!), and organizes a costume ball every year in May in Montreal.

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## George Marshall

Contra dance caller.

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## Johnny Martinez & Diane Lachtrupp

Dance instructors with Tango Fusion Dance Company.

Diane Lachtrupp, Johnny Martinez

## Matuto

One of the world's hottest international touring acts. An Official Selection of WOMEX 2011, the band was recently awarded the title of "American Musical Ambassadors" by the U.S. State Department. High energy Brazilian percussion rumbles beneath blues-drenched vocals, telecaster twang, accordion acrobatics, and folksy fiddle tunes. Through the unorthodox blend of Afro-Brazilian Percussion and American Roots Music, Matuto has created an organic, animated new sound.

Richie Barshay, Rob Curto, Zé Mauricio, Clay Ross, Skip Ward

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## Colin McCoy

Fiddle instruction.

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## Jeremiah McLane & Annemieke Spoelstra

Dutch classical piano virtuoso Annemieke Spoelstra and master accordionist from Vermont Jeremiah McLane make unique arrangements based on traditional folk melodies from the 18th to the 21st centuries. They perform compositions by Piazzolla, Dvorak, Bartok, Poulenc, Hovhaness as well as original works by Jeremiah McLane. Their sound is simultaneously classical, improvisational, exuberant, introspective, and passionate.

Jeremiah McLane, Annemieke Spoelstra

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## Bob McQuillen

Renowned contra tune composer and dance musician.

## Mist Covered Mountains

Mist Covered Mountains journeys from L'Acadie to the Land of Faerie. Songs in English, French and Irish tell tales of love lost and gained and of the shape-shifting Selkie seal folk. Donna Hébert's fierce fiddle rhythms and Max Cohen's impeccable groove guitar link to create an orchestra of sound from a simple fiddle-guitar duet. Their amazing musical chemistry catches fire when Donna's daughter, singer Molly Hebert-Wilson joins them.

Max Cohen, Donna Hébert, Molly Hebert-Wilson, Jane Rothfield

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### **Yves Moreau & France Bourque-Moreau**

Yves is one of North America's foremost exponents of Bulgarian danced and folklore. He shares his love for Bulgarian folklore and communicates the fun of dancing. France is an instructor of Quebecois dances and folk dances for children.

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### **Divya Nayar**

Instructor from South India, presenting the Bharatanatyam and Carnatic traditions of dance and music. (See Classical Dance of S. India)

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### **Lois New**

Instructor for Scottish Country Dance.

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### **Karen Newman**

Occupational Therapist, Certified Hand Therapist, and creator and manager of the Hand Center at Albany Memorial Hospital, a unique outpatient clinic specializing in the evaluation and treatment of hand, neck and shoulder disorders.

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### **Night Cap**

Night Cap blends Baroque harmonic sensibilities and compelling rhythms to inspire your dancing feet. Whether you're skimming the floor in a quick jig or moving with elegance and power, Night Cap delights body and soul.

Anna Rain, Melissa Running, Miranda Weinberg

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### **Tracy Palmateer**

Tracy Palmateer has been practicing yoga for 16 years and has been a certified professional yoga teacher since 2006. She received her training at the Kripalu Center for Yoga & Health. Kripalu yoga is designed for anyone who wants to strengthen and bring peace to their body, mind and spirit. Her classes regularly take place at the Middle Grove United Methodist Church in Middle Grove, NY.

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### **Patti-O & The Hip Hooligans**

Swing Band for dancing.

Peter Ecklund, Ted MacKenzie, Patti Melita, Bernie Mulleda, Lew Petteys, Nat Phipps, Pete Toigo

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### **Ruth Pelham w/Alan Thomson**

Ruth Pelham is a singer, songwriter and educator who brings to the world a fresh vision of world peace and social change. Whether performing in concert, teaching children to build homemade musical instruments, writing songs with old people in nursing homes or participating in international arts exchanges, Ruth's music touches the heart and reflects the full integrity of the human spirit. Her songs are performed and recorded by dozens of musicians, are sung in homes, schools, camps, and concert halls across the United States, and are featured in numerous song-circles. She is joined this year by local keyboardist, and band leader, Alan Thomson.

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## Ramblin Jug Stompers

Ramblin Jug Stompers play 78 rpm music for the 21st century: they are the premier jug band of New York's Capital Region! Their ramblin' style nods to the great tradition of American string band music, while winking directly at the classic jug bands of the 60s folk scene, including The Jim Kweskin Jug Band, The Even Dozen Jug Band, Dave Van Ronk, and The Lovin' Spoonful. Ramblin Jug Stompers consists of luminaries from New York's Capital District music scene, including former and current members of notable Albany bands past and present, like Blotto, The Star Spangled Washboard Band, Rumdummies, Stomplistics, Johnny Rabb's Rockhouse, The Lustre Kings, The Plague, The Neanderthals, Chefs of the Future, and the list goes on...

Bowtie, Cousin Clyde, Mr. Eck, Wild Bill

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## Reggie's Red Hot Feetwarmers

New Orleans Dixieland and Hot Jazz.

Peter Davis, Dan Levinson, Randy Reinhart, Doc Scanlon, Tommy Shields

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## The Resonators

Electric Blues music, especially suitable for East and West Coast Swing dancing.

Phil Drum, Sonny Speed, Billy Alberts, James Gascoyne

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## Perpetual e-Motion

High energy, touring band, playing music for contra dances. Utilizing electronic instruments this duo gives a modern feel to our great New England dance heritage. With drive, passion and determination the band creates an experience not to be missed!

John Cote, Edward Howe, Jessie Mae MacDougall

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## Pokingbrook Morris

Traditional English seasonal dances including Cotswold Morris, border Morris, and Yorkshire Dales longsword.

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## Quickstep

Traditional and original music and dance featuring old-time fiddle tunes, folksongs and fancy footwork.

John Kirk, Ed Lowman, Trish Miller

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## Anna Rain

Anna Rain is a life-long musician who found a modern dance class fulfilled a PE requirement in college. Her current "day job" as an Iyengar yoga instructor leads her to teach dance as ever-improving movement that inspires soul and body.

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### *"My favorite thing about the Flurry Festival is:"*

— The young people coming into contra, bringing their energy, exuberance and new perspectives.

— Atmosphere of brotherhood and acceptance. The variety of music.

— Being able to sample different dance styles I otherwise wouldn't have the opportunity to try.





## The Revelers

The Revelers, founding members of the Red Stick Ramblers and The Pine Leaf Boys' "unquestionably the two groups at the vanguard of the Louisiana cultural renaissance" have joined together on their newest project which combines Swamp-Pop, Cajun, Country, Blues and Zydeco into a powerful tonic of roots music straight from Southwest Louisiana.

Daniel Coolik, Glenn Fields, Eric Frey, Chas Justus, Blake Miller

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## Terri Roben

A Music Together - a sing-along, play-along group session for newborns to five year olds and their caregivers of music and movement, using scarves, some children's instruments, singing and dancing, as well as some rhythm songs using shaker eggs or sticks.

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## Beth Robinson / Alexander Technique

Beth Robinson teaches Alexander Technique for musicians and dancers, which helps people learn to recognize unnecessary tension in their body, to help them dance and play with ease. Beth also plays for the "Night Airs" session with George Wilson and David Kaynor.

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## Paul Rosenberg

Caller of community and family dances.

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## Melissa Running

English country dance caller, pianist, nyckelharpa player, member of Night Cap.

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## Saratoga SAVOY

The Saratoga SAVOY is a collection of highly trained professionals dedicated to the promotion of historical, cultural and social aspects of traditional partner dancing. Their light-hearted and fun approach empowers people of all skill levels

to excel at dancing. They have performed internationally and many students have become champion dancers, however, their proudest achievement is contributing to a multi-generational dance community.

Jenna Caputo, Marcus Felder, Audeliz Matias, David Wolf

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### Saratoga SAVOY Swing Kids

The Saratoga SAVOY Swing Kids are a youth group dedicated to the promotion of Swing, Lindy Hop and traditional social dance.

Keira Curwin, Niel Curwin, Nolan Curwin, James Hodge, Delany O'Brein, David Wolf

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### Joan and Jim Savitt

Cheerful, efficient, experienced teachers helping all dancers find success. We speak with one voice.

Jim Savitt, Joan Savitt

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### Emily Schaad & Brian Slattery

Emily Schaad plays old-time fiddle, and is the director for Strawberry Hill Fiddlers. Brian Slattery plays violin/fiddle and banjo in as many styles as he can get away with. He plays most often with fiddler Harry Bolick and with Dr. Caterwaul's Cadre of Clairvoyant Claptraps.

Emily Schaad, Brian Slattery

### Set Americain

Local contradance Band, featuring catchy tunes primarily from Quebec.

Vonnie Estes, Stephen Fry, John Guay, Barbara Lubell, Maurice Mercier

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### The Sevens

High-energy instrumental music for Contras and squares.

Stefan Amidon, Sarah Blair, Owen Marshall, Mark Roberts

### Peter Siegel

Songs and tunes for all ages

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### Ricardo Sopin & Iraida Volodina

Ricardo Sopin & Iraida Volodina are instructors at the Arthur Murray Dance Center, Saratoga Springs, and are the World Rising Stars Champions 2011, winners of several championships in the American Rhythm Category, World Mambo Championship finalists and have made an appearance on "Dancing With the Stars."

Ricardo Sopin, Iraida Volodina

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### Spare Parts

Spare Parts (flute, piano & violin) plays romantic couples dances, hot contras, elegant English, and historically accurate programs for Regency (Jane Austen era), Victorian (1860s), Gilded Age (1890s) and Ragtime. Argentine tangos, milongas and vals are a special passion of theirs.

Bill Matthiesen, Liz Stell, with Eric Buddington, Mark Murphy, Britany Orlebeck

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### Thomas Spilsbury

English Country Dance teacher.

### St. Basil's Youth Dance Group

Ethnic Dance Group which performs at community events throughout the area. Dances from Greece in traditional, authentic costumes. Cover all regions of Greece - islands, peloponnesse, mountains etc. Performed at First Night, Festival of Nations, CHinese New Year, several festival and fairs, seminars in Boston and Montreal.

John Aretakis, Alexi Brosnihan, Joanna Dafniotis, Victoria Dafniotis, Gina Efthimiades, Stefanos Efthimiades, Stavroula Katsios, Christina Papadopoulous, Eleftheria Tsakirellis, George Tsakirellis, Nikki Tsakirellis, Kostantinos Tsitsos, Lisa Osorio, Christos Kotsonis

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### Cedar Stanistreet

Contra dance and Irish fiddle.

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### The Stillhouse Rounders

Rural Southern Appalachian Old-Time Music.

Brian Aherne, Michael Fleck, Geoff Harden, Mark Schmidt

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### Strawberry Hill Fiddlers

Teenage traditional fiddle band.

Sophia Bellino, Brianna Berman, Evan Bish, David Chernack, Dylan Cook, Lydia deLeeuw, Tyler Dezago, Catie Ely, Adam Jeffreys, Tom Jeffreys, Andrew Kuch, Taylor Lewis, Jean MacAvery, Tanner Martin-Ignaffo, Alex McLaughlin, Eric Rosi-Marshall, Emily Schaad, Robert Schubert, Andrea Velasquez, Ambrose Verdibello, Cassity Warnecke

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### Stringrays

Contradance band.

Glen Loper, Rodney Miller, Peter Siegel

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### The Storycrafters

A nationally renowned, musical storytelling duo with deep ties to the dance community. Writers, recording artists, and radio show hosts, they perform and teach storytelling for all ages across the US and abroad.

Jeri Burns, Barry Marshall

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### Pete Sutherland

Influential traditional multi-instrumentalist and composer.

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### Swamp Ward Orchestra

French traditional dance; Quebecois song; cabaret; Eastern European.

Alison Gowan, Jan Le Clair, Laura Murray, Christo Smirnios

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### Ralph Sweet

Dance Caller: Contra Dance, Square Dance, Singing Squares, Old Time Squares, etc.

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### The Sweetback Sisters

Family style harmonies that recall the best of country music from the Everlys to the Judds as well as the spirited rockabilly energy of Wanda Jackson. The Sweetback Sisters are a renegade retro band that mixes up country, swing and honky-tonk.

Stefan Amidon, Peter Bitenc, Zara Bode, Emily Miller, Jesse Milnes

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## Swing Peepers

Who are the Swing Peepers? What do they do? They are frogs that dance, that sing and swoop. They invent strange ideas and make magic soup. The Peepers explore through song and tale the whole world of nature from rocks to whales. Harmonizing on songs written by kids and other performers, the Swing Peepers take you into the world of bugs, water, rocks, stars, snakes, monkeys and other wildness. They're lively, improvisational, and goofy. Most songs and stories are participatory, and body movement is part of the action!

John Hadden, Matthew Witten

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## Tamarack

Traditional fiddle band from the Albany/Saratoga region, playing for community, barn and contra dances and community events.

Patricia Kernan, Jim Mead, Sue Mead

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## Ten Tumbao

Latin dance music. Traditional Cuban, Puerto Rican, Dominican. Salsa and more. Fun for all ages!

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Dear Flurry Festival Participants—

There are a lot of numbers behind the Flurry Festival, one of the country's most exciting dance and music weekends. We could start with the six Festival directors and staff members; three dozen Festival Committee members; hundreds of volunteers and hundreds of musicians, callers, workshop instructors and performers from near and far. There are a lot of things we could count in between, but we'd eventually get up into the thousands of hours of work it takes to make the Festival a success and the thousands of participants who come to dance, play music, sing, and learn.

The DanceFlurry Organization works to keep the momentum going all year round by serving up smaller portions of dance and music, and we already have 60 events planned for 2013. These include our monthly dance series and special events such as the Firefly Ball, Adirondack Dance Weekend and Albany Lindy and Blues Exchange (ALBX).

Our work during the year is made possible by an additional group of dedicated volunteers who include the DFO board and the folks who organize and help run our events. We are also very fortunate to have members and donors whose financial support really makes a difference and helps to sustain this organization.

Whether we only see you in Saratoga Springs or you join in throughout the year, I want to thank you for being among those we count in the DanceFlurry community.

See you on the dance floor!

Jennifer Brown, DanceFlurry Organization President

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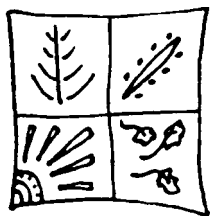



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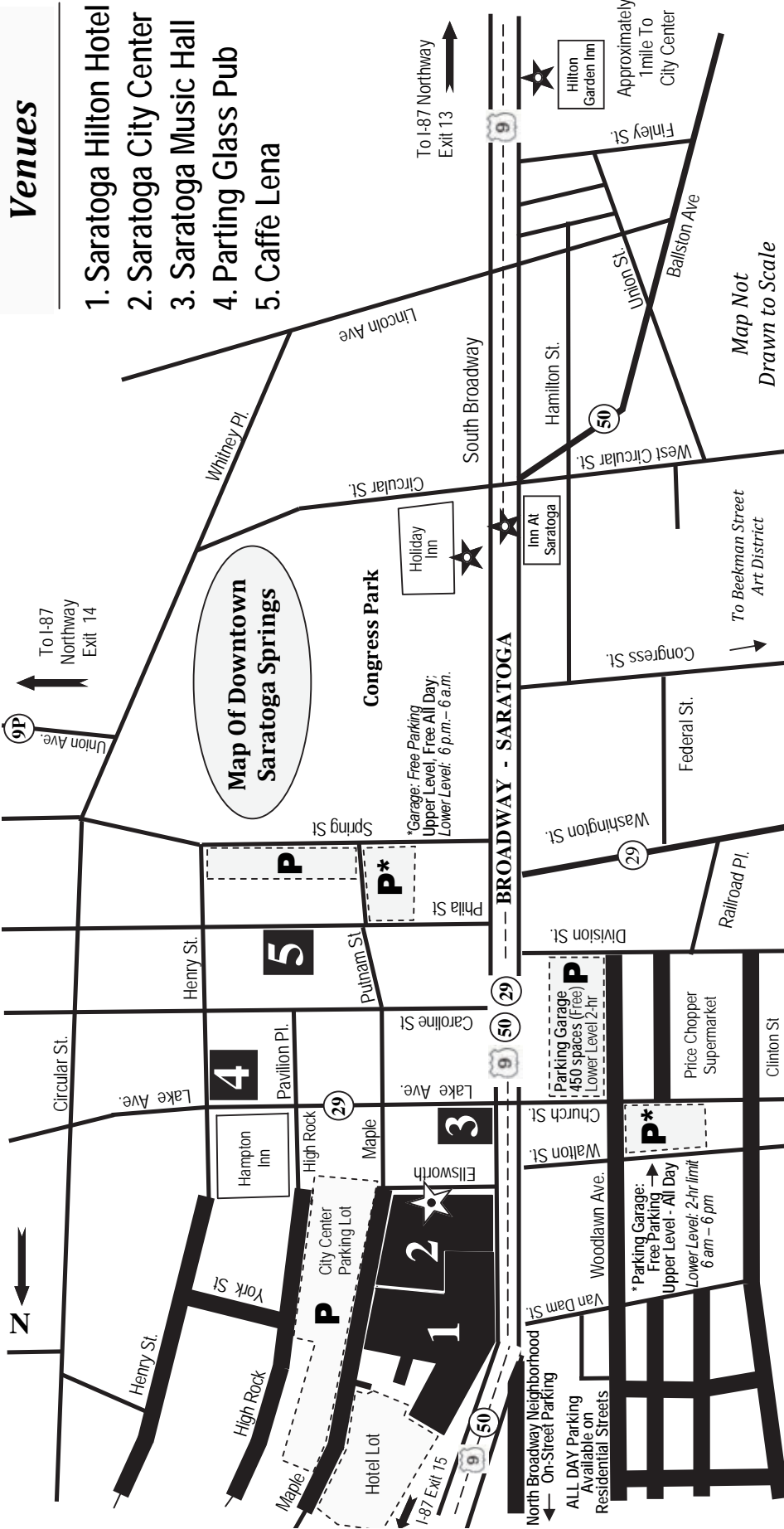
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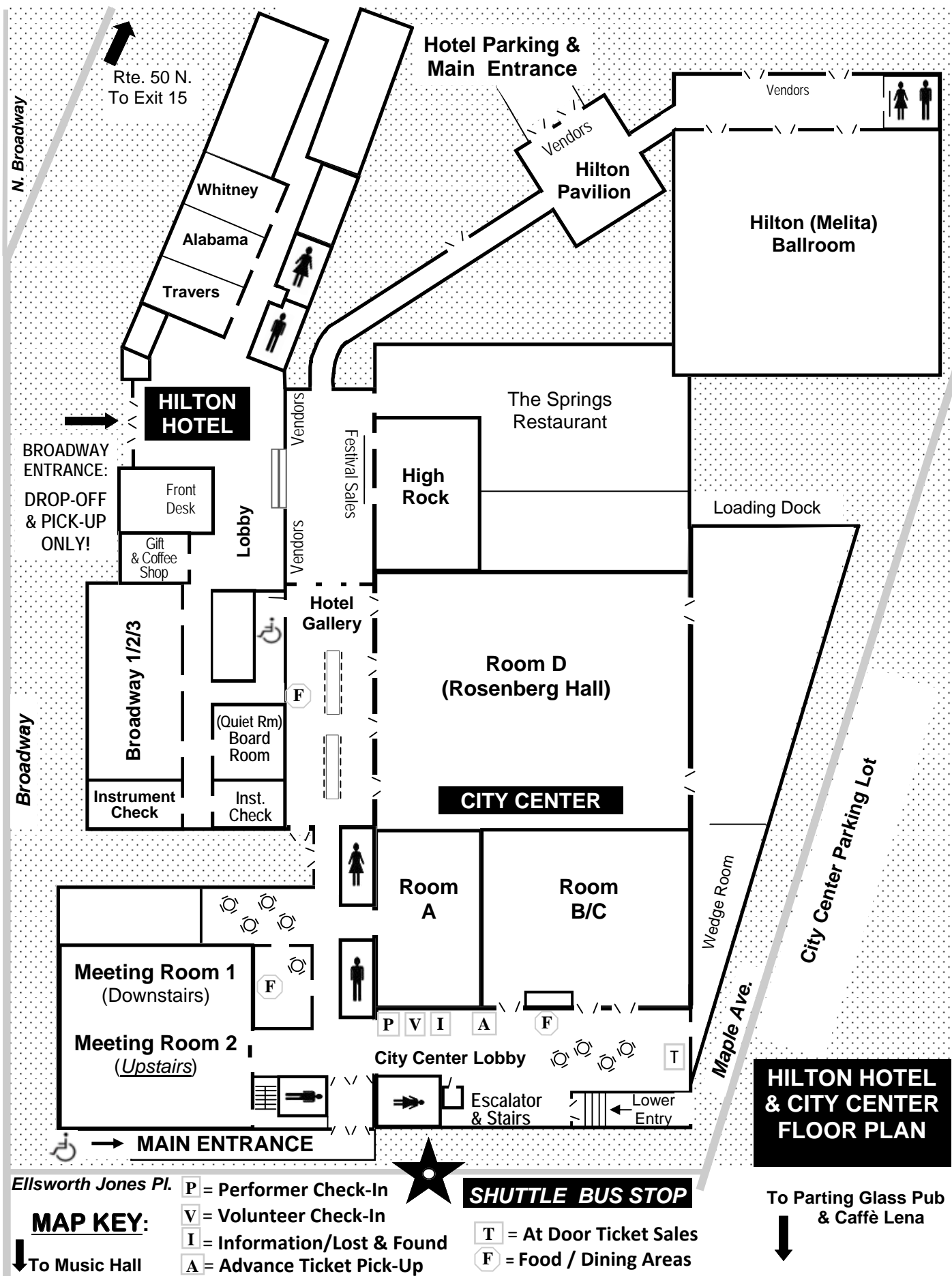
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