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Camp Harmony: are you registered?

by the Camp Harmony Committee

Register <u>here</u>!

Plans are shaping up for this year's Camp Harmony, to be held at Camp Newman between Santa Rosa and Calistoga starting Wednesday, December 27th and closing on New Year's Day (Monday the 1st of January). We'll have days and nights full of everything that makes camp special: acoustic musical gatherings of all types with friends new and old, memorable encounters and conversations, as much fresh air as you care to take in, the absence of urban hum, substantial and varied meals, and the possibility of nighttime skies that dazzle with clarity. There will be dancing, singing, harmonies to raise the rafters, and quiet surprises at any time.

The renewed facilities at Camp Newman are better than ever, the walkways easier to navigate, and the bus will circulate from breakfast until late to help get you and your gear around the site. More info about the new Newman (including photos) was in the <u>Sept-Oct</u> and <u>July-Aug</u> issues of the folknik.

Covid-19 vaccinations are **strongly recommended** but not required. However, you **must** have a same-day negative test done before you arrive, and show proof to enter camp. See our <u>COVID policy</u> (also in the registration information).

Early Bird registration has been extended to November 12 at noon, and regular registration will close at 12 noon on December 12th. Don't wait! Housing choices are assigned on a first-come, firstserved basis and we want to be able to give you the <u>housing</u> you prefer.

Campership discounts will again be offered while funds last, and donations toward them gratefully

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received. Details are in the <u>registration form</u>. Registration confirmation will provide you with information about workshops at camp and how to sign up to lead one if you like.

We're looking forward to welcoming newcomers and old-timers to Camp Harmony for fellowship and good cheer! See you in late December for our long-awaited magical event. Register <u>here</u>!

Friday night musical meetings may be in person again soon!

by Glen Van Lehn and Tes Welborn

We've been talking about resuming LIVE singing and playing in San Francisco at our last inperson location at Cyprian's, possibly in December! Maybe twice a month, 2nd and 4th Friday nights, starting at 7 or 8 pm. Cyprian's is located on Turk at Lyon in SF, with street parking.

We'd have singing and instruments downstairs, and instruments and jamming upstairs in two locations: the sanctuary — great acoustics! — and a small room.

If you're interested, watch for a notice posted on the Harmony email list or the SFFMC website. You can also let us know whether:

- You'd be interested in coming regularly?
- You'd be comfortable singing and playing indoors?
- You'd be willing to help open up/set up and/or close down?

Send your answers to gvanlehn@sonic.net.

WHO	WE	ARE

The San Francisco Folk Music Club is a nonprofit corporation dedicated to the enjoyment, preservation, and promotion of acoustic music in individual, family, and community life.

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2023 Labor Day Weekend Report

by Hali Hammer

We made the rent! Final tally for money collected was \$2,918 and the camp rental was \$2,700 so we actually made a profit!

We spent \$11 on copies of the waivers and site maps which was our only expense aside from the rental.

We had 14 overnight campers on Friday night, 15 on Saturday (2 from Friday were day use Saturday but we gained 3 more overnight on Saturday) and 9 overnight campers on Sunday. We had 5 day use Friday, 81 day use Saturday, 30 day use Sunday. So we had 19 total for Friday, 96 total for Saturday and 39 total for Sunday. The 96 total on Saturday was our highest single day count since we've been at Camp Herms.

We had plenty of helpers to clean up Monday and I had everything closed up by 1 pm.

The Marlboro Medley

by Patience Young

The "Marlboro Medley," a twelve-verse song, was written in 1787 in Vermont, rediscovered in mid-20th century, and recorded by Margaret MacArthur for Folkways in 1962. It's essentially a shopping list of items offered by Yankee peddlers at the time, an unusual song awaiting attention. In September (2023) I gave an illustrated presentation on this little-known song for the Traditional Song Forum. Here are the lyrics, a link to MacArthur's recording, and a link to my talk. Give yourself about a half hour to read, hear, and see.

The lyrics:

The Marlboro Medley — Tune Black-Joke written by Mr. [Daniel?] Greenleaf, Brattleboro, VT, 1787

This is transcribed from the original manuscript, held by the Vermont Folklife Center, with its capitalizations, punctuation, and indentations.

Omissions have been added in brackets and italicized.

When Marlboro Merchants set out for Pedling, Made lawful by custom (let none be meddling) Barter is legal when trading for grain. — With wherry & Horses, see how they turn out, Each Pedlar taking his different rout[e] With notions & things both curious & common, To please Men & Children & gratify Women Which I shall here attempt to name. —

Their Budgets consist of variety — There's no two Pungs whose loads agree, Each Pedlar hath his different ware, —

Whirls & spindles, Jews harps & thimbles Shoemakers Lasts & Peg-awls & wimbles, Dippers & Noggins & Canns to make grog in To barter for corn— "Have you any to spare"?

Here comes the Bowls & wooden dishes, Sleek looking trouts, "most exelent fishes"— From Marlboro's ponds & holes in the Brook —

Where in winter, a fishing they go, Up to their waist-bands thro the snow, There, thro' the ice they cut a hole, Then they fish without a pole— Dextrous Anglers with a hook.

Lo Hog-yoaks, Goose-Yoaks, Taps & fassets (And Tools to make them, Jack-knives and Hatchets) To hamper your piggs, Your Geese, and draw beer. With parchment screens to clean Flax-seed Cheese-tongs, wooden fans & weaver's Reeds, Great spinning wheels & Swifts & Reels And Snow-shoes strung from Toe to heel To run on the crust & catch the Deer.—

"Come buy our Bread-trophs, buy our sieves, To sift your meal from bran & shives, — Different sorts both hide & hair,—

Half-Bushels and Pecks (all made by guess,) Two Quart Dippers, (a thousand or less,) Poaks, Ox-Yoaks, & hopples for Horses, Straw-hats & Bonnetts for Lads & Lasses, Good as the best, the Gentry wear." —

Now comes the Baskets & the Rakes Enough to supply the Thirteen States Besides a large pile of new made Chairs. —

Pails, Pipkins, & Tubs, for washing & brewing Great wooden-platters to take up your stew in Brooms, Dye-pots & Keelers, salt-mortars, & pestles Pudding-sticks, Ladles, whip-stocks & whistles Beside wooden spoons as plenty as hairs. — Here comes the Turnips & fine Bobbin-lace, Braided-bark mittens, (your hands to case,) A rare invention, every one says, —

Saddle-tree-woods & Birch-barrel-bottles, Shoe-make[rs] spools & Iron-wood shuttles, Besoms & oven lids, (handy when baking), Boxes for flour & Trays to make Cake in And Wickopy stay-tape to lace up the Stays—

But now we must leave the ingenious Mechanic, And sing how Root Doctors pursue their Botanical Rambles thro Forrests O'er Hills & the Plain,

To dig blue Cohosh and sarsaparilla Green Pettymorrel and purple a[n]gelica Snake-root & Ginseng & modest Wild Piony, The Root for Consumption & mending old China, With Poke-root & Blood-root & Ellecampane. —

In early settling the Town, one Year They'd no luck in hunting the Bear or the Deer, No Bread to be had, Potatoes were scarce:

Then had the Small-pox with all its infection Have pass'd through the Town in every direction, It could not have touched such dioted Men, Where dozens could breakfast on Robin or Wren — Disease disappointed must sneak from the place. —

But now they fare better, they've some thing to eat, Various fowls & four footed meat, Partridge & Wood-cock & Wild Turkey-hen.

Geese, Pigeons & Ducks, Skunks & Woodchucks, Lusty Rackcoons well fatted with nutts, Porcupines, squirrels & Rabbits & Hares, For Beef they [have] moose, for Pork they have bears And saddles of Venison now and then. —

A Pung or two more brings up the rear, With Green Spruce-boughs for brewing Beer, Rosin of Hemlock & Hack metack gum,

Balsam of Fir & sugar of maple, Lime, Shingles and Salts, (The Marlboro staples) Red-ochre, Sal-Petre, & Butter-nutt physic Assmart-pills, a cure for the phthiysic And Candy — Black-Strap* too stubborn to run.

And now my Medley draws nigh a close, A rap on my knuckles, or wring of my Nose, Shan't hinder my Toast, I'll out with it here, May Manufacturers long abound In this Mechanical Pedling Town, And may those sons whose Sires are dead ! Have as good means to get their Bread As their [] have had for many years.

*- Black Strap — commonly called W__[?] made by pouring hot molasses on the snow, which prevents[?] granulation.

Note the omission [] in the last line.

There's no word here, nor space for one on the handwritten page. Margaret MacArthur recorded the final line thus:

As their Fathers have had this many a year.

Margaret MacArthur singing the song (6:40 min.): https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qvvgLOvLk-Y.

My TSF talk (22 min., starts ~ 30 min. into session): https://youtu.be/o22H_IUh56U

If you've been curious about the originator of "Roud numbers," Steve Roud is the chair for this Forum.

My friend Barry O'Neill, who introduced me to this song years ago, makes an appearance in the Q&A.

(Replying to his comment: It was Rae Korson at the Library of Congress who located the tune for Margaret.)

It took a bit to establish my zoom legs—nothing like live taping to make one humble about presenting.

Greetings to you!

Write for the folknik

by Daniel Hersh

The folknik needs material! We welcome any items related to folk music, especially in the Bay Area. You can look at back issues <u>here</u> to see the sorts of things we publish: reflective articles, news items, album and book reviews, songs, poems and much more. The current folknik editorial team is very small. I'm the interim lead editor, Marlene McCall handles club news and writings, and Shelby Solomon does the calendar. That's everyone at the moment, so we would really appreciate your help!

Here's where to send items:

 SFFMC events and news about members, such as births, deaths, marriages, new CDs by members, members' web site URLs, instruments for sale or wanted to buy, articles by members about topics related to folk music, book and CD reviews. etc. Send these items to Marlene McCall at marlenepersonal@officeservices911.com.

- Virtual and live event calendar listings: Shelby Solomon at folknikcal@yahoo.com.
- Anything else: send to me at <u>hrshsand@earthlink.net</u>.

The submission deadline for each upcoming folknik is always shown in the folknik info just before the calendar at the end of the issue. Thanks!

Songs by Margaret Miles

by Daniel Hersh

We are happy to showcase two songs by fine Bay Area songwriter (and active SFFMC member) Margaret Miles. Margaret performs solo and with her group Yes M'am. She has released two solo CDs. Margaret's songs with Yes M'am have twice been awarded Best Original Song at the Harmony Sweepstakes.

Here are Margaret's newest song Small Woodland Creatures and one of her best-known songs, Circle of Song.

Small Woodland Creatures

by Margaret Miles, 8/2023

Listen here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eCfaBXGGF0U

I finally found my charming prince, but it's not a fairy tale.

There's still chores to do, and no guy with a crown can handle a mop and a pail.

When he called me a princess, like champagne, it went straight to my head.

At this point, what really would thrill me is if he would help make the bed.

Chorus:

Now you may think I've got it all, but more than a prince and a ring I want small woodland creatures at my beck and call when I stand at my window and sing Tra-la-la-la-la! When I stand at my window and sing

I want chickadees to tie my sash as in some magic dream. I'm desperately seeking squirrels with sponges to make my kitchen floors gleam. I don't expect sparrows to turn the page when I read the daily news.

But is it so much to ask that a sweet fluffy bunny would lie down and polish my shoes?

[chorus]

I need a mouse with needle and thread; my puffy sleeve has a tear Though I don't know quite what to expect when a rodent does garment repair. I'm wearing a headband and dirndl; I even learned to speak German I'm a soprano, I want to be served tea and cookies by cute little vermin

[chorus]

Turns out that woodland animals, although they're small in size, All want prevailing wages, and they've learned to organize! Now I've got a clean house and a lovely gown, but because they're union strong They get union pay and I can't say I got it for a song

[chorus]

Circle of Song

by Margaret Miles, 12/15/07

Listen here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wenBBWeYMN8

G D С D Once we've eaten our fill, and the talk settles down G D С D Our chairs form a circle, and we all gather 'round C D G C It makes my heart lift, and my spirit does soar G G Em D Music makes us a family, it's what I'm here for

Chorus:

D G D G The ringing of the harmony, support of the bass С G Fm D Our voices intertwining is like an embrace G Em С G Anyone can start a melody and the rest will sing along C-G C-G D G Our voices weave together in a circle of song C-G C-G D G Our voices weave together in a circle of song

These are songs we create with inspiration and breath And a part of ourselves that survives beyond death Though some leave our circle, the music goes on And we welcome new voices to our circle of song

[Chorus]

Bridge:

С DG Em Sing with me, sing with me С D G We can find the parts С D Em Sing with me and the harmonies С Am Em D Will keep us whole when we're apart

Like the strands of a cloak that are woven with care We are strengthened and joined by the songs we've heard here If voices raised together echoed round the world strong We might yet achieve peace through our circle of song

2023 SF Free Festival videos now online!

by Daniel Hersh

Videos of excerpts of SFFMC's 2023 San Francisco Free Festival (held last July in Golden Gate Park) are now available! You can watch them all in this <u>playlist</u>. Total length is about 25 minutes. Thanks very much to festival photographer Wendy Leyden for shooting the videos and to Luke Hillman for video editing. Wendy's 2023 festival photos are <u>also online</u> for viewing.

El Cerrito Folk Festival went well!

by Daniel Hersh (photos by Estelle Freedman)

SFFMC's 2023 El Cerrito Free Folk Festival was on Saturday October 14 at the El Cerrito Community Center. It was lots of fun! Here are some photos from the festival, taken by Estelle Freedman. Many thanks to Hali Hammer and the rest of the festival team for making the festival happen! The festival program is still online if you want to know more about what happened there.



Outdoor workshop (possibly Carter Family songs)



Outdoor workshop (possibly Carter Family songs)



Performers Bob Reid and Judy Jaeger



Dancing and listening to the Polka Cowboys



Polka Cowboys



Polka Cowboys



Playing and singing together



Informal instrumental session (hear it <u>here</u>!)



Playing outside

Club Music Meetings on Zoom

by Marlene McCall

Please note, as described in the page 1 article of this folknik, that Friday club music meetings may soon resume in person! But in the meantime...

Music meetings are held via Zoom on the 2nd and 4th Friday of every month, at 7:00 p.m., and on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of every month, at 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. There are breakout rooms. Upcoming Friday session dates are *November 10 and 24*, and *December 8 and 22, 2023*. Upcoming Tuesday session dates are *November 7 and 21* and *December 5 and 19, 2023*.

The sessions are structured like the real-life song circles. Some have a theme. As the turn moves from one song leader to the next, everyone is muted except for the song leader, although of course all participants are encouraged to sing along/play along from your home.

For the assistance of those playing along, please announce your key before starting your song. Please keep remarks brief (in between songs and during introductions) so everyone can contribute.

According to Ed Hilton, plans for resuming Friday club meeting in real life, at Cyprian's, are being discussed, both within the club board and with the venue. For now, the music meetings will continue on Zoom. But we will keep you informed when there is more current news.

Hybrid Board Meetings

by Marlene McCall

SFFMC board meetings are held on the second Tuesday of each month at 8:00 p.m. Meetings are currently in a hybrid Zoom/in-person format. The board meeting dates for November and December are *November 14* and *December 12, 2023*. If you'd like to attend a board meeting in person or via Zoom, please contact Ed Hilton, club president, at info@sffmc.org.

September Board Meeting Highlights

By Hali Hammer

Finances: Dave reported:

Bank of the West is now BMO (based in Montreal, Canada) and we will continue to bank with them.

Board Elections: Ed Hilton, Charlie Fenton, Jerry Michaels and Dave Sahn are up for election.

Each person was asked if they wanted to be reelected. Charlie moved to accept Ed; Dave seconded. Ed moved to accept Charlie; Hali seconded. Ed moved to accept Dave; Daniel seconded. Ed moved to accept Jerry; Hali seconded. Everyone was reelected unanimously.

folknik: Deadline for the November/December issue is October 15. Charlie: The last issue was the longest folknik ever and had lots of large color photos. It's great that the newer format makes this possible.

Camp Herms: Report from Hali. We had the Labor Day camp from Friday September 1 – Monday September 4. We made the rent! I deposited \$2888. Norm Bowen donated \$60 to Ellen Eagan as part of a yearly donation to the Club, so we made \$2948 for the weekend. Since the camp rental was \$2700, we actually made a profit of \$248, minus \$11 on copies of the waivers and site maps which was our only expense aside from the rental. I took it out of the cash before depositing it. I kept the copying receipt. Total profit was \$237.

We had 14 overnight campers on Friday night, 15 on Saturday (2 from Friday were day use Saturday, but we gained 3 more overnight on Saturday) and 9 overnight campers on Sunday.

We had 5 day-use Friday, 81 day-use Saturday, 30 day-use Sunday.

So, we had 19 total for Friday, 96 total for Saturday and 39 total for Sunday.

We had plenty of helpers to clean up Monday and I had everything closed by 1 pm. I called the Ranger who was offsite and let him know we'd left everything better than we'd found it and had vacated the premises.

Daniel: At Camp Herms we are getting increasing numbers of people. The strategy is to get existing groups of people to come to the camp. Having it at Camp Herms is working well by bringing in more people as folks get familiar with the convenient location and nice facilities. Daniel has been encouraging people who already play and/or sing together to come, so they will know that they can do music together at camp in addition to hopefully finding other music they like.

Cyprians and Tuesday meetings: Ed reports that there were 24 people the other night and about

half that on Tuesdays. There has been no further word on live Cyprian's.

ECFFF: Hali reported Fat Daddy's BBQ will be our vendor; we are getting the permit taken care of for him. Bob and Bryan Uhlenbrock have a complete lineup of performers and will be getting the order soon. Catherine de Neergaard is taking care of workshops. Elly Faden said she'd help with volunteers. We don't have a kid's program this year. Hali will take care of the website. Postcards will be available soon.

Camp Harmony: Charlie reported that registration will start in a few days. We need to get the word out and encourage people to come. There is a flyer available. People are required to test negative for Covid 6 hours before they come to camp and bring proof that they are negative. There will be a shuttle bus through Marin Airporter, the same company we have used in the past.

SFFFF: Daniel reported that at the post festival meeting, they talked about next year and their level of commitment. Pete Kronowitt and Daniel met with Illuminate, the group that hosted us at Golden Gate Park this year, The SFFFF core team are all inclined to return to Golden Gate Park next year rather than going back to a school location. They reached many more people than they ever did at a school and the sound is taken care of. There are possible dates, but this doesn't have to be decided until December.

October Board Meeting Highlights

by Hali Hammer

Singing For Justice: Faith Petric Film. Estelle gave a rundown of the status of the project. The film is almost done. Estelle is looking for help from the club in reaching big names who can help with completion and with distribution. She would like to list SFFMC as a sponsor. She distributed a pitch deck to board members. She also invited attendees to a get-together at Faith's old house on Clayton Street on October 29.

Cyprians: Glen, Tes and Ed led the discussion. We are moving towards live events again. The vicar of the church wants to go ahead. Glen has been running the show, including providing financial support when needed. While he will continue to be involved, we need to recruit new volunteers and find another financial source. There was discussion of possible simplification of the process to run the jams. Ed has been negotiating finances on behalf of the club. He also plans to further increase his involvement in running the jams.

ECFFF: We look forward to next Saturday's El Cerrito Free Folk Festival.

Camp Harmony: Charlie reported that registration is up to 70 attendees.

SFFFF: Daniel reported that the city is pushing for an early commitment for 2024.

Community Folk Calendar

by Shelby Solomon

Events are online ("virtual") unless a location is provided. Event times through Nov 4 are PDT, then times are PST. Email calendar items or corrections to SFFMC Calendar Editor Shelby Solomon at <u>folknikcal at yahoo.com</u>.

Regularly Scheduled Events

Daily 9am: Daily Antidote of Song https://carpediemarts.org/daily-antidote-of-song
Sun 12pm, M-Th 8pm: Meredith Axelrod & Craig Ventresco https://meredithaxelrod.com/, live & archive:
https://www.youtube.com/@meredithanthraxelrod/streams
Furger Sunday 12pm, Leab Dawn Fally Club (LW) on Zeams https://link.americaltie.net/leabdawr

Every Sunday 12pm: Loch Down Folk Club (UK) on Zoom: https://link.americeltic.net/lochdown Every Sunday 1pm: instrumental Irish Traditional session, Plough & Stars: 116 Clement, SF https://theploughandstars.com/ Every Sunday 3pm: jam (check schedule for type), Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley

https://secure.thefreight.org/events?k=jams&view=list

Every Sunday 5:30pm: moderate-pace Irish session, Starry Plough: 3101 Shattuck, Berkeley

https://www.thestarryplough.com/events-

Every Sunday 6:30pm: open Irish Trad session, Chieftain: 198 5th St, SF https://www.thechieftain.com/live-music/ Every Sunday 7pm: Seattle song circle http://www.seafolklore.org/wp/about-sfs/seattle-song-circle/ Every Sunday 7pm: Agoura Hills song circle on Zoom, info: https://songmakers.org/ Every Sunday 7:30pm: open session, Starry Plough: 3101 Shattuck, Berkeley https://www.thestarryplough.com/events-1st, 3rd Sunday 11am: Bay Area Sacred Harp (BASH) sing, SF https://bayareasacredharp.org/local-singings/ 1st, 3rd Sunday 5pm: Irish music session, Redwood Café: 8240 Old Redwood Hwy, Cotati https://redwoodcafecotati.com/ 1st Sunday 1pm: SCVFA jam, Hoover School cafeteria: 1474 Naglee Ave, San Jose, https://www.fiddlers.org/ Jul-Sep at Municipal Rose Garden Park: 1649 Naglee Ave, San Jose, https://www.fiddlers.org/, 1st Sunday 1pm: The Cross Keys, Way Station: 2001 Sir Francis Drake Blvd, Fairfax http://waystationmarin.com/ 1st Sunday 4pm: Greenwich Village Folk Festival https://greenwichvillagefolkfestival.org/ 2nd Sunday 12-5pm: East Bay Fiddlin' & Pickin' Potluck (EBFPP), location: http://www.pickinpotlucks.com/ 2nd, 4th Sunday 1pm: Bay Area Sacred Harp (BASH) sing, Palo Alto https://bayareasacredharp.org/local-singings/ 2nd Sunday 1pm: Marin jam, 620 Del Ganado Rd, San Rafael https://www.meetup.com/Marin-Acoustic-Guitar-Group 2nd Sunday 1pm: CA old-time fiddlers jam, Orangevale Grange: 5807 Walnut, Orangevale http://www.csotfa5.org/ 3rd Sunday 1pm: SCVFA jam at various parks, check https://www.fiddlers.org/ for location 3rd Sunday 1pm: Oldtime jam, Way Station: 2001 Sir Francis Drake Blvd, Fairfax http://waystationmarin.com/ 4th Sunday 1pm: Bluegrass & old-time jam, Ocean View Park, Santa Cruz, email: luke at playingbyear.com 4th (2nd in Dec) Sunday 1:30pm: CA old-time fiddlers jam, UMC: 19806 Wisteria, Castro Valley http://csotfa9.org/ 5th Sunday 1pm: SoCoFoSo 5th Sunday jam, Sebastopol Grange: 6000 Sebastopol Ave, Sebastopol https://socofoso.com/ Every Monday 12pm: Mudcat Worldwide Singaround on Zoom, email: joe at mudcat.org Every Monday 12pm: Traditional Irish tune session on Zoom, https://www.facebook.com/groups/trad.irish.music.session Every Monday 12pm: Phoenix Folk Irish session on Zoom https://phoenixfolk.co.uk/ Every Monday 3pm: Ag Teacht Le Chéile Irish session on Zoom, email maureenmcnally6 at gmail.com Every Monday 5pm: open mic, Ugly Mug: 4640 Soquel Dr., Soquel https://www.cafeugly.com/live-music-the-mug Every Monday 6:30pm: ukulele class online https://www.meetup.com/berkeley-ukulele-happening-meetup/ Every Monday 6:30pm: bluegrass jam, 16905 Roberts, Los Gatos http://www.keithhollandguitars.com/events.html Every Monday 7pm: oldtime jam, UUCPA: 505 E Charleston Rd, Palo Alto, email: banjoclarka at yahoo.com Every Monday 7pm: World Harmony Chorus, 505 E. Charleston, Palo Alto https://instantharmony.com/chorus.html Every Monday 7pm: Bay Area Sacred Harp (BASH) sing, Berkeley https://bayareasacredharp.org/local-singings/ 1st Monday 6pm: Garage bluegrass jam, Out West Garage: 321 2nd St., Petaluma https://californiabluegrass.org/calendar/ Every Tuesday 12pm: Phoenix Folk singaround on Zoom https://phoenixfolk.co.uk/ Every Tuesday 6pm: open mic w/Ceni, Hopmonk: 230 Petaluma, Sebastopol https://www.hopmonk.com/sebastopol Every Tuesday 7pm: Andronico's old-time jam on Zoom, email for link: dinahbeatrice at gmail.com Every Tuesday 7pm: Irish seisiún, O'Flaherty's Irish Pub: 25 N San Pedro St., San Jose https://www.meetup.com/Santa-Cruz-South-Bay Irish-Music-Meetup/ Every Tuesday 7pm: World Harmony Chorus, 2288 Fulton, Suite 203, Berkeley https://instantharmony.com/chorus.html Every Tuesday 7:30pm: open mic, Starry Plough: 3101 Shattuck, Berkeley https://www.thestarryplough.com/events-1st,3rd,5th Tuesday 7pm: Irish jam, Dublin Heritage Park: 6600 Donlon Way, Dublin, join: https://groups.io/g/dublinirishjam 1st Tuesday 3:30pm: Social Justice song swap on Zoom, email jburrill at gmail.com for Zoom link 1st Tuesday 4pm: fiddle workshop w/Calvin Vollrath online https://www.campcalvin.ca/cy-tow 2nd, 4th Tuesday 4pm: Port Hueneme song circle on Zoom, info: https://songmakers.org/ 3rd Tuesday 7pm: fiddle workshop w/David Pascoe, Occidental https://www.occidentalcenterforthearts.org/ Every Wednesday 12pm: Trans-Atlantic Irish session on Zoom, info: https://americeltic.net/online-air/#ta Every Wednesday 1pm: beginner Uke class on Zoom, info: https://songmakers.org/ Every Wednesday 5pm: Irish session repertoire lessons w/Autumn Rhodes on Zoom, email autumn at cei.li Every Wednesday 5pm: Jay Ungar & Molly Mason https://www.facebook.com/jayandmolly/ Every Wednesday 6pm: World Harmony Chorus, Room 5, 301 Center, Santa Cruz https://instantharmony.com/chorus.html Every Wednesday 6pm: Open mic at Café Paradiso, Iowa https://www.facebook.com/OpenMicAtCafeParadiso Every Wednesday 6:30pm: open mic w/Dennis Haneda, 224 Vintage Way, Novato https://www.hopmonk.com/novato

Every Wednesday 7pm: Pacific Evening jam on Zoom, info in Wed calendar: https://americeltic.net/events/

Every Wednesday 7pm: bluegrass jam, UUCPA: 505 E Charleston Rd, Palo Alto, email: banjoclarka at yahoo.com Every Wednesday 7pm: Central Marin Singers choir, 72 Kensington Rd, San Anselmo https://www.singwithmarv.com/ 3rd Wednesday 7pm: CircleSing, First Church: 2345 Channing, Berkeley https://www.circlesing.org/ 3rd,5th Wednesday 7:30pm: Vancouver song circle on Zoom https://vfss.ca/events/calendar/ Last Wednesday 7:30pm: Lark in the Evening song circle on Zoom & Oakland

https://www.facebook.com/groups/693877204029944

Every Thursday 12pm: Phoenix Folk Irish session on Zoom https://phoenixfolk.co.uk/ Every Thursday 7pm: Chuck Behrman's song circle on Zoom, info: https://songmakers.org/ Every Thursday 8pm: Irish session repertoire lessons w/Autumn Rhodes on Zoom, email autumn at cei.li 1st Thursday 6pm: The Ould Sod Irish session on Zoom http://michaeleskin.com/session.html 1st Thursday 7:15pm: open mic, The Monkey House: 1638 University, Berkeley https://www.themonkeyhouse.org/ 3rd Thursday 7pm: traditional Irish seisiún, Rosie McCann's: 1220 Pacific, Santa Cruz

https://www.meetup.com/santa-cruz-south-bay_irish-music-meetup/ Every Friday 9:30am: David Steinhart's song circle on Zoom, info: https://songmakers.org/ Every Friday 12pm: Irish trad learner session on Zoom w/Alix, email alix at alistriona.art Every Friday 1pm: John Whelan tune teach on Zoom http://johnwhelanmusic.com/slow-session/ archive: http://michaeleskin.com/johnwhelan.html

Every Friday 3:30pm: John Whelan's slow Irish session on Zoom http://johnwhelanmusic.com/slow-session/ Every Friday 6:30pm: Sons of Buccaneers, Brotzeit Lokal: 1000 Embarcadero, Oakland

https://www.facebook.com/groups/171947164165522

1st Friday 8pm: CCE Irish/Scottish singing session in person & on Zoom https://sfcooleykeegancce.org/music/singing.html 2nd (usually, check web site) Friday 11:30am: Srùbag Gaelic song cèilidh on Zoom

https://linnphippsfolk.co.uk/current-projects-and-performances/

2nd Friday 7pm: Seattle chantey sing online simulcast http://www.nwseaport.org/chantey-sings.html 3rd Friday 7pm: online open mic https://www.meetup.com/southbayacousticmusic/

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4th Friday 7pm: Kate's Café open mic, 6350 Sir Francis Drake, San Geronimo & on Zoom, https://www.sgvcc.org/events/ Every Saturday 9:30am: beginner Uke class on Zoom, info: https://songmakers.org/ Every Saturday 4pm starting Sent 16: Living Boom Choir, El Cerrito https://thelivingroomchoir.com/current-schedule/

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https://portlandfolkmusic.org/content.aspx?page_id=22&club_id=748368&module_id=350693

- 1st Saturday 6pm: Hyde St Pier Chantey Sing, Maritime Museum: 900 Beach, SF, RSVP: peterkasin5 at gmail.com
- 1st Saturday 6 or 7pm: Teton Tea Party song swap, 1613 Derby, Berkeley 510-548-8252

1st Saturday 7pm: Santa Monica Folk Club song circle on Zoom, info: https://songmakers.org/

2nd (or 3rd) Saturday 11am: Hyde St Pier virtual Chantey Sing https://maritime.org/chantey-sing/

2nd Saturday 12pm: bluegrass jam, Santa Clara Depot: 1005 Railroad Ave, Santa Clara, email: kennedymk at comcast.net 2nd Saturday 12pm: Portsmouth NH chantey sing online http://pmffest.org/monthly-chantey-sing/

3rd Saturday 10am: Linn's Learn a Gaelic song free Zoom workshop, info: https://linnphippsfolk.co.uk/contact/

3rd Saturday 1pm: Social Justice song swap on Zoom, email jburrill at gmail.com for Zoom link

3rd Saturday 1pm: River City dulcimer jam, Strum Shop: 209 Vernon, Roseville https://www.rivercitydulcimers.com/

3rd Saturday 7pm: Teton Tea song swap on Zoom, email kevinlangdon86 at yahoo.com

4th Saturday 11am: River City dulcimer virtual jam, info: https://www.rivercitydulcimers.com/

Last Saturday 2pm: Irish slow session, UICC: 2700 45th, SF https://www.meetup.com/irish-music-sessions-not-full-speed/

Irregularly Scheduled Events

Abbie Weisenbloom house concert (Portland, OR) livestreams https://froggie.com/livestream/ Caffè Lena (Saratoga Springs, NY) livestreams https://www.caffelena.org/live-streaming-events/# Club Passim (Cambridge, MA) livestreams most concerts https://www.passim.org/live-music/ Open Mic America showcase on YouTube at 5pm some Sundays https://openmicamerica.com/index.html QuaranPalooza monthly livestream benefit concert https://www.facebook.com/QuaranPalooza/ San Francisco Ukulele Rebellion jams https://www.meetup.com/San-Francisco-Ukulele-Meetup/ San Mateo Area Folk Music Singalongs https://www.meetup.com/San-Mateo-Folk-Music-Meetup Secret Song Club monthly jam, join: https://www.insidelands.org/ Walnut Creek Jams https://www.meetup.com/walnut-creek-guitar-meetup-group

One-Time Events

Fr Oct 27 7pm: SFFMC musical meeting, https://www.sffmc.org/musical-meetings/ Fr Oct 27 7:30pm: Julie Fowlis, Mondavi Center, UC Davis https://www.mondaviarts.org/ Fr Oct 27 8pm: Omara Portuondo, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/ Fr Oct 27 8pm: 3 Acre Holler/Bohemian Hwy, Lost Church: 427 Mendocino, Santa Rosa https://www.thelostchurch.com/ Sa Oct 28 12pm: Tom Lewis sea music livestream, register: https://maritime.org/sea-music-concerts/ Sa Oct 28 7:30pm: Broken Compass Bluegrass, Fifth St Farms house, Berkeley, RSVP: https://www.fifthstfarms.com/ Sa Oct 28 8pm: Wake The Dead, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/ Su Oct 29 1pm: Ian Jones, house concert, Aptos, RSVP: 831-684-1134 Su Oct 29 2pm: Faith Petric memorial & jam, 885 Clayton, SF Su Oct 29 7pm: Steve Baughman, Ugly Mug: 4640 Soquel Dr., Soquel https://www.cafeugly.com/live-music-the-mug M Oct 30 12pm: Bobby McFerrin: Circlesongs, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/ M Oct 30 1pm: James Kerry online, tickets: https://livetoyourlivingroom.com/events/ W Nov 1 7:30pm: open mic, Monkey House: 1638 University, Berkeley https://www.themonkeyhouse.org/ Nov 2-5: Walker Creek Music Camp, Walker Creek Ranch, West Marin https://walkercreekmusiccamp.org/ Th Nov 2 1pm: Maclaine Colston & Saul Rose online, tickets: https://livetoyourlivingroom.com/events/ Th Nov 2 6pm: Patrick Landeza & Friends, Blue Note: 1030 Main, Napa https://www.bluenotenapa.com/ Th Nov 2 7:30pm: Greensky Bluegrass/Infamous Stringdusters, 1807 Telegraph, Oakland https://thefoxoakland.com/ Th Nov 2 7:30pm: The Lil Smokies/Town Mountain, Moe's: 1535 Commercial Way, Santa Cruz https://moesalley.com/ Th Nov 2 8pm: Jim Lauderdale/Maurice Tani, HopMonk: 224 Vintage Way, Novato https://kcturnerpresents.com/ Nov 3-6: West Coast Ukulele Reunion, Camp Ocean Pines, Cambria https://ukuleleadventures.com/ Fr Nov 3 4:30pm: FSGW open sing on Zoom, register: https://fsgw.org/open-sings Fr Nov 3 7pm: Duo Gadjo, Roxx on Main: 627 Main St., Martinez https://www.roxxonmain.com/ Fr Nov 3 7pm: Crying Uncle w/Howards, Side Door: 2900 Franklin, Sacramento https://www.thesidedoor.net/ Fr Nov 3 7:30pm: Rodenburg/Kronowitt/Radley/Ancheta, 1638 University, Berkeley https://www.themonkeyhouse.org/ Sa Nov 4,11,18 10am: harmony singing workshop w/Libby McLaren & Celia Ramsay, Hillside Club: 2286 Cedar, Berkeley https://www.hootexclamationpoint.com/hoot-camp.html Sa Nov 4 2pm: Davis Area Sacred Harp sing, 345 L St, Davis https://bayareasacredharp.org/local-singings/ Sa Nov 4 5pm: Juan José Alba, house concert, Elk Grove, RSVP: flamenco at earthlink.net Sa Nov 4 7pm: ukulele jam online https://www.meetup.com/San-Francisco-Ukulele-Meetup/ Sa Nov 4 8pm: Crying Uncle Bluegrass Band, HopMonk: 224 Vintage Way, Novato https://kcturnerpresents.com/ Starting week of Nov 5: music classes from Freight & Salvage https://thefreight.org/learn-to-play/classes/view-all-classes/ Su Nov 5 10am: flamenco workshop w/Juan José Alba, Nube de Oro, Sacramento, RSVP: flamenco at earthlink.net Su Nov 5 11am: Halloween/Guy Fawkes/Tam Lin Sing online from Mermaid's Tavern https://sites.google.com/view/lynnoel/music/mermaidstavern Su Nov 5 2pm: jam, Heather Farm, Walnut Creek https://www.meetup.com/walnut-creek-guitar-meetup-group/ Su Nov 5 3pm: Riders in the Sky, Bankhead: 2400 1st St, Livermore https://livermorearts.org/ Su Nov 5 4pm: Late for the Train/Dawn & Tony, Lost Church: 427 Mendocino, Santa Rosa https://www.thelostchurch.com/ Su Nov 5 5pm: Dan Frechette & Laurel Thompson, house concert, Santa Cruz, RSVP: info at danandlaurel.ca Su Nov 5 5pm: Open Mic America showcase on YouTube https://openmicamerica.com/index.html Su Nov 5 7pm: Jeff Crosby, HopMonk: 224 Vintage Way, Novato https://www.hopmonk.com/novato Su Nov 5 8pm: The Lil Smokies/Town Mountain, The Chapel: 777 Valencia, SF https://thechapelsf.com/ M Nov 6 12pm: Bobby McFerrin: Circlesongs, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/ M Nov 6 7pm: Tannahill Weavers, B Street: 2700 Capitol Ave, Sacramento https://bstreettheatre.org/shows/ Tu Nov 7 1pm: SFFMC Zoom sing, https://www.sffmc.org/musical-meetings/ Tu Nov 7 3:30pm: Social Justice song swap on Zoom, email jburrill at gmail.com for Zoom link Tu Nov 7 8pm: Jeff Crosby/Mike Hellman, Moe's: 1535 Commercial Way, Santa Cruz https://moesalley.com/ W Nov 8 11:30am: Burd Ellen/Holly Clarke online, tickets: https://livetoyourlivingroom.com/events/

W Nov 8 7:30pm: Cillian Vallely/David Doocey/Alan Murray, house, Berkeley, RSVP: BerkHouseConcerts at gmail.com W Nov 8 8pm: Steve Baughman & Nina Gerber, house concert, Oakland, RSVP: houseconcert at att.net W Nov 8 8pm: Heather Anne Lomax/Pi Jacobs, Lost Church SF: 988 Columbus, SF https://www.thelostchurch.com/ W Nov 8 8pm: Matt Andersen, Felton Music Hall: 6275 Hwy 9, Felton https://feltonmusichall.com/ Nov 9-11: Cowpoke Fall Gathering, Loomis http://cowpokefallgathering.com/ Th Nov 9 7pm: Matt Andersen, house concert, Piedmont https://kcturnerpresents.com/ Th Nov 9 8pm: Rising Appalachia, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/ Fr Nov 10 10:30am: FSGW Schweinhaut song circle on Zoom, register: https://fsgw.org/song-circles Fr Nov 10 12pm: Heidi Talbot & Boo Hewerdine online, tickets: https://livetoyourlivingroom.com/events/ Fr Nov 10 7pm: SFFMC musical meeting, https://www.sffmc.org/musical-meetings/ Fr Nov 10 7pm: California Bluegrass Reunion, Side Door: 2900 Franklin, Sacramento https://www.thesidedoor.net/ Fr Nov 10 7:30pm: Briget Boyle, Monkey House: 1638 University, Berkeley https://www.themonkeyhouse.org/ Fr Nov 10 8pm: Rising Appalachia, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/ Fr Nov 10 8pm: Matt Andersen, HopMonk: 224 Vintage Way, Novato https://kcturnerpresents.com/ Fr Nov 10 8pm: The Sam Chase, Hopmonk: 230 Petaluma, Sebastopol https://www.hopmonk.com/sebastopol Sa Nov 11 8am: Baritone Dulcimer Day online, register: https://dihamouris.com/ Sa Nov 11 2pm: Solstice, Rose Ave Acoustic house, Oakland, RSVP: https://roseavenue.com/concert/ Sa Nov 11 4:30pm: Scott Ainslie livestream https://oldsongs.org/concerts/ Sa Nov 11 7pm: Matt Santry, house concert, San Rafael, https://www.meetup.com/bay-area-house-concerts/ Sa Nov 11 7pm: Tempest, Brookdale Lodge: 11570 Highway 9, Brookdale https://www.brookdalelodge.com/events Sa Nov 11 7pm: hootenanny, 568 Lighthouse, Pacific Grove https://pgartcenter.org/Events/Coming-Events.php Sa Nov 11 7:30pm: Suzanne Sterling/Kim Lembo, Monkey: 1638 University, Berkeley https://www.themonkeyhouse.org/ Sa Nov 11 7:30pm: California Bluegrass Reunion, The California: 528 7th St, Santa Rosa https://www.caltheatre.com/ Sa Nov 11 7:30pm: Tom Rigney & Flambeau, 1220 Linda Mar, Pacifica https://pacificaperformances.org/ Sa Nov 11 7:30pm: Nina Gerber & Chris Webster, SCCC: 390 Morris, Sebastopol https://seb.org/ Sa Nov 11 8pm: Susan Werner, Back Room: 1984 Bonita Ave, Berkeley https://backroommusic.com/ Sa Nov 11 8pm: Andrea Prichett, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/ Sa Nov 11 9pm: Riders in the Sky, Sweetwater: 19 Corte Madera Ave, Mill Valley https://sweetwatermusichall.com/ Su Nov 12 1pm: body music jam w/Keith Terry, Ashkenaz: 1317 San Pablo, Berkeley https://www.ashkenaz.com/ Su Nov 12 3pm: Sumaia Jackson/Colin Cotter, St Mary's: 146 12th St, Pacific Grove https://www.celticsociety.org/ Su Nov 12 3pm: The Quitters, house concert, Auburn, RSVP: http://auburnhouseconcerts.org/ Su Nov 12 5pm: Hope Levy, Back Room: 1984 Bonita Ave, Berkeley https://backroommusic.com/ Su Nov 12 6pm: Sharen Allen & The Dusty Boots, Ugly Mug: 4640 Soquel Dr., Soquel http://www.fiddlingcricket.com/ Su Nov 12 7pm: California Bluegrass Reunion, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/ Su Nov 12 7pm: Susan Werner, HopMonk: 224 Vintage Way, Novato https://kcturnerpresents.com/ Su Nov 12 8pm: Rising Appalachia, Mystic Theatre: 23 Petaluma Blvd N, Petaluma https://mystictheatre.com/ M Nov 13 12pm: The Carrivick Sisters online, tickets: https://livetoyourlivingroom.com/events/ M Nov 13 12pm: Bobby McFerrin: Circlesongs, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/ M Nov 13 8pm: Ira Wolf, Lost Church SF: 988 Columbus, SF https://www.thelostchurch.com/ Tu Nov 14 7pm: Viv & Riley, B Street: 2700 Capitol Ave, Sacramento https://bstreettheatre.org/shows/ Tu Nov 14 7pm: California Bluegrass Reunion, United Methodist Church: 1 Soledad Dr, Monterey https://otteropry.org/ Tu Nov 14 8pm: SFFMC Board Meeting, email info at sffmc.org for info Tu Nov 14 8pm: Joan Osborne, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/ Tu Nov 14 8pm: Rising Appalachia, Golden State Theatre: 417 Alvarado, Monterey https://goldenstatetheatre.com/ Tu Nov 14 8pm: Ira Wolf/Petracovich, Lost Church: 427 Mendocino, Santa Rosa https://www.thelostchurch.com/ W Nov 15 6:30pm: Frankie Gavin/Catherine McHugh, Resource Center for Nonviolence: 612 Ocean, Santa Cruz https://big-trees-productions.ticketleap.com/frankie-gavin-santa-cruz/ W Nov 15 7:30pm: Silkroad Ensemble/Rhiannon Giddens, Bing Concert Hall, Stanford https://live.stanford.edu/ W Nov 15 8pm: Viv & Riley, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/

Th Nov 16 7:30p: Tumbleweed Soul, 204 N. Cloverdale, Cloverdale http://www.cloverdaleartsalliance.org/americana-night Th Nov 16 7:30pm: Silkroad Ensemble/Rhiannon Giddens, Mondavi Center, UC Davis https://www.mondaviarts.org/

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Sa Dec 16 7pm: Barbara Higbie & Friends, 3850 Doris Murphy Ct, Occidental https://www.occidentalcenterforthearts.org/
Sa Dec 16 7:30pm: The Musers, Monkey House: 1638 University, Berkeley https://www.themonkeyhouse.org/
Sa Dec 16 8pm: Golden Bough, online & at Old First Church: 1751 Sacramento, SF https://www.oldfirstconcerts.org/
Sa Dec 16 8pm: Kitka: Wintersongs, St Paul's: 114 Montecito, Oakland https://www.kitka.org/events
Sa Dec 16 8pm: Molly Tuttle & Golden Highway, Guild: 949 El Camino, Menlo Park https://guildtheatre.com/
Sa Dec 16 8pm: Jeffrey Martin/Anna Tivel, Felton Music Hall: 6275 Hwy 9, Felton https://feltonmusichall.com/
Sa Dec 16 8pm: Rainbow Girls, SCCC: 390 Morris, Sebastopol https://seb.org/
Sa Dec 16 8pm: Jake Shimabukuro, Uptown Theatre: 1350 3 rd St, Napa https://www.uptowntheatrenapa.com/
Dec 17-18: QuaranTUNE Christmas concerts, https://www.virtualdulcimerfest.com/
Su Dec 17 7am: Karine Polwart online, tickets: https://livetoyourlivingroom.com/events/
Su Dec 17 1pm: body music jam w/Keith Terry, Ashkenaz: 1317 San Pablo, Berkeley https://www.ashkenaz.com/
Su Dec 17 2pm: Frederick Hodges, Rose Ave Acoustic house, Oakland, RSVP: https://roseavenue.com/concert/
Su Dec 17 4pm: Kitka: Wintersongs, online & at Old First Church: 1751 Sacramento, SF https://www.oldfirstconcerts.org/
Su Dec 17 7pm: Barbara Higbie, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/
Su Dec 17 7pm: Molly Tuttle & Golden Highway, Guild: 949 El Camino, Menlo Park https://guildtheatre.com/
Su Dec 17 7:30pm: Jake Shimabukuro, Sunset Center, Carmel-by-the-Sea https://www.sunsetcenter.org/
M Dec 18 12pm: Bobby McFerrin: Circlesongs, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/
Tu Dec 19 12pm: Janice Burns & Jon Doran online, tickets: https://livetoyourlivingroom.com/events/
Tu Dec 19 1pm: SFFMC Zoom sing, https://www.sffmc.org/musical-meetings/
Tu Dec 19 8pm: Christmas Jug Band, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/
W Dec 20 8pm: Mads Tolling & The Mads Men, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/
Th Dec 21 3:30pm: Community family sing w/Carpe Diem Arts https://www.carpediemarts.org/home
Th Dec 21 7:30pm: Obsidian Son, 204 N. Cloverdale, Cloverdale http://www.cloverdaleartsalliance.org/americana-night
Th Dec 21 8pm: Christmas Jug Band, Sweetwater: 19 Corte Madera Ave, Mill Valley https://sweetwatermusichall.com/
Fr Dec 22 12pm: Jim Causley online, tickets: https://livetoyourlivingroom.com/events/
Fr Dec 22 7pm: SFFMC musical meeting, online or in person? check: https://www.sffmc.org/
Fr Dec 22 8pm: Ledward Kaapana/Fran Guidry, 1970 Lake Blvd, Davis https://watermelonmusic.com/index.php
Sa Dec 23 8pm: Jason Beard/Whiskey Family, Hopmonk: 230 Petaluma, Sebastopol https://www.hopmonk.com/sebastopol
Dec 27-Jan 1: SFFMC Camp Harmony, Camp Newman, Santa Rosa/Calistoga, registration info: https://www.sffmc.org/
Th Dec 28 8pm: Vienna Teng, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/
Fr Dec 29 8pm: Vienna Teng, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/
Sa Dec 30 4-10pm: Sing for your life! Circlesing, Oakland? https://www.circlesing.org/
Sa Dec 30 8pm: Charlie Musselwhite, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/
Su Dec 31 8pm: Zydeco Flamest, Rancho Nicasio: Town Square, Nicasio https://www.ranchonicasio.com/
Su Dec 31 9pm: Charlie Musselwhite/Angela Strehli, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/
Su Dec 31 9:30pm: The Brothers Comatose, Mystic Theatre: 23 Petaluma Blvd N, Petaluma https://mystictheatre.com/
Su Dec 31 10pm: AJ Lee & Blue Summit/Coffis Brothers, Felton MusicHall: 6275 Hwy 9, Felton https://feltonmusichall.com/
Tu Jan 2 1pm: SFFMC Zoom sing, https://www.sffmc.org/musical-meetings/
Th Jan 4 8pm: Laura Cortese & Evie Ladin, Lost Church SF: 988 Columbus, SF https://www.thelostchurch.com/

Fr Jan 5 7pm: Cris Williamson, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/

Fr Jan 5 7pm: John McCutcheon, B Street: 2700 Capitol Ave, Sacramento https://bstreettheatre.org/shows/

Sa Jan 6 7pm: Cris Williamson, Freight & Salvage: 2020 Addison St, Berkeley https://thefreight.org/

Sa Jan 6 8pm: Lauryn Marie, Firehouse Arts: 4444 Railroad, Pleasanton https://www.firehousearts.org/

Genre Music Calendars/Resources Online

BluegrassBluegrass Signal: concert, jam, class, & radio show listings http://www.bgsignal.com/BluegrassCalifornia Bluegrass Association (CBA) https://californiabluegrass.org/BluegrassNorthern California Bluegrass Society (NCBS) https://ncbs.info/Blueshttps://groups.io/g/JacksBluesClues/calendarCajun-ZydecoSFBAYou.com https://calendar10.tripod.com/CelticAmeriCeltic: concert, session, & radio show listings https://americeltic.net/CelticCeltic Society of Monterey Bay: concert, session, & radio show listings https://www.celticsociety.org/CelticCelticSF group, info to join https://groups.io/g/CelticSFCountry DanceCountry Dance & Song Society (CDSS) https://cdss.org/events/FlamencoThe Flamenco Society of San Jose: concert & class listings https://folk.org/FolkFolkklife West: UK folk print magazine https://www.folklife.uk/FolkFolkstreams: documentary films on American traditional cultures https://www.loc.gov/folklife/ Folklife concert schedule: https://www.loc.gov/concerts/folklife/ Folklife concert schedule: https://www.loc.gov/concerts/folklife/ Folklife concert schedule: https://www.loc.gov/concerts/folklife/				
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Folk Mudcat Café: lyrics & knowledge (Digital Tradition database) https://mudcat.org/				
Folk Portland Folk Music Society https://portlandfolkmusic.org/content.aspx?page_id=0&club_id=748368				
Folk Smithsonian Folkways Recordings: world's traditional music https://folkways.si.edu/				
Folk Sonoma County Folk Society https://socofoso.com/				
Harp Harpers Hall: concert, gathering, & resource listings https://harpershall.com/index.html				
Irish The Session: tunes, recording, sessions & events worldwide https://thesession.org/				
Klezmer/Yiddish KlezCalifornia: https://klezcalifornia.org/ & https://klezcalifornia.org/other-organizations/				
Music Hall Song collection & history https://folksongandmusichall.com/				
Old Time Oldtime Central: community, music resources, festivals https://oldtime-central.com/				
Old Time oldtimeSF group, info to join https://groups.io/g/oldtimeSF				
Old Time David Brown's monthly calendar under "Other Events" https://www.berkeleyoldtimemusic.org/				
Old Time jams: https://www.facebook.com/groups/390588871395459				
Old Time Canotes-Goldman stringband tunes https://stringband.mossyroof.com/				
Old Time Slippery-Hill: fiddle & banjo tunes https://www.slippery-hill.com/				
Open Mics list of open mics in U.S. states https://openmicamerica.com/local_mics.html				
Protest Songs English protest song collection https://oursubversivevoice.com/				
Roots/Regional Arhoolie Foundation: multimedia collections https://arhoolie.org/				
Roots Americana-Honky-Tonk-Alt Country-Rockabilly Hicks with Sticks: event listings https://www.hickswithsticks.com/				
Sacred Harp Sacred Harp Musical Heritage Association: sings and info https://fasola.org/				
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Scottish Traditional Music Forum https://www.traditionalmusicforum.org/				
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Song Circles Bay Area/Central California song circles, songs https://www.singwithmarv.com/resources				
Song Circles Boston Song Sessions: virtual sessions worldwide https://www.bostonsongsessions.org/virtual-sessions				
Song Circles Seattle Folklore Society https://www.seafolklore.org/virtual-sings/				
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