



◆ Quarter Notes ◆

Volume 18 Issue 3

Summer 1999

Heritage Festival

June 25, 26 & 27

Downtown Downers Grove

FOLK CONCERTS:

Mojo and the Bayou Gypsies

FRIDAY, JUNE 25

8:30 PM

North Main Stage (at Franklin)

Tom Chapin

SATURDAY, JUNE 26

Noon at the North Main stage (at Franklin)

3:30 PM at the Tivoli Theatre

Special Consensus

SUNDAY, JUNE 27

6:00 PM

Tivoli Theatre

Heritage Festival

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FOLK FESTIVAL

Saturday, June 26

11:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Firehouse Stringband (11 AM & 2 PM)

Chris Vallillo (11:20 AM & 2:20 PM)

George Mattson (11:40 AM & 2:40 PM)

Jones Family (Noon & 3 PM)

Sammy from Miami (12:20 & 3:20 PM)

Greg Trafidlo (12:40 & 3:40 PM)

Gallimaufry (1 PM & 4 PM)

Pete Norman (1:20 & 4:20 PM)

Susan Shore (1:40 & 4:40 PM)

Closing Singalong at 5:00 PM

Toon Lot (4920 Main)

Sing-A-Rounds

3rd Sat. of the month

from 2:00-4:00 PM

*Two Way Street Coffee House,
1047 Curtiss St., Downers
Grove. 630/969-9720.*

Everyone is welcome! Good opportunity to get together with other players. Songbooks are provided.

Sat: June 19, July 17, August 21.

Remember!!

The 1999 Plank Road Campout

August 13, 14 & 15 at the

White Pines Forest State Park

Mt. Morris, IL

*Come for the weekend, or come for the day!
Music around the campfire on Saturday Night.*

*If you plan to come for the weekend,
make your reservations today! Call for details:
630/620-0688 or 630/916-1356.*

Festival and Summer Events Listing from Plank Road!

JUNE

- ◆ 25 (Friday) *THE 6TH ANNUAL 97TH REGIMENTAL STRING BAND Concert*. Wheaton-Warrenville South High School Auditorium, Wheaton. 7:30 to 9:30 PM. The Salt Creek Civil War Round Table presents an evening with the 97th Regimental String Band, who recreates an actual string band of the Civil War Era, singing a wide variety of traditional American songs in authentic, "living history" style. Rich vocal harmonies accompanied by guitar, fiddle, banjo, mandolin, harmonica, bass fiddle and tambourine provide for an evening of family oriented fun with an historical flavor. Admission: \$5 donation (all proceeds for Battlefield Preservation). For tickets, mail check to: Salt Creek Civil War Round Table, PO Box 4873, Wheaton, IL 60189. For more information, call Janet Linhart at 630/752-1330.
- ◆ 19 (Saturday) *PLANK ROAD SING-A-ROUND*. Two Way Street Coffee House, 1047 Curtiss St., Downers Grove. 2:00 to 4:00 PM. Everyone is welcome! Songbooks provided.
- ◆ 25, 26 & 27 (Friday through Sunday) *HERITAGE FESTIVAL*. Downtown Downers Grove, IL. Fri., June 25 from 8:30-10:30 PM, MOJO AND THE BAYOU GYPSIES (North Main stage, at Franklin). Sat., June 26, 11:00 AM-5:00 PM, FOLK MUSIC FESTIVAL, featuring: Firehouse Stringband, Chris Vallillo, George Mattson, Jones Family, Sammy from Miami, Greg Trafidlo, Gallimaufry, Pete Norman & Susan Shore (Toon Lot at 4920 Main St.). Sat., June 26, Two family shows featuring TOM CHAPIN: Noon at the North Main stage at Franklin and 3:30 PM at the Tivoli Theatre. Sun., June 27, 6:00 PM, SPECIAL CONSENSUS (Tivoli Theatre).
- ◆ 28 (Monday) *MURIEL ANDERSON Guitar Workshop/Up-close*. Two Way Street Coffee House, 1047 Curtiss St., Downers Grove. 7:30 to 9:30 PM. \$25 (includes two free sets of GHS strings and assorted GHS wardrobe-t-shirts, hats, etc.). In this informal interactive workshop, Muriel Anderson will intersperse performance with lively discussion. This unique opportunity to discuss with her as she shares the inspirations behind some of her compositions and her heartfelt approach to music. This workshop will also explore techniques and tricks to better playing and becoming a better musician. Muriel will teach easy arrangements and accompaniments as well as some advanced harmonic techniques. Handouts will be provided, open to guitarists of all levels. You may bring (optional): tape recorder, small video camera, guitar, pen & paper. (Auditors accompanying performers may attend for \$8 each, on a space available basis.) Tickets and reservations available at: Tobias Music 630/960-2455.

JULY

- ◆ 10 & 11 (Saturday & Sunday) *WARRENVILLE FOLK MUSIC FESTIVAL*. Downtown Warrenville, [Rte. 56 (Butterfield Rd) & Batavia Rd]. 11 AM. LIZ CARROLL W/ JIM DEWAN/PAULA KNEELY; SMALL POTATOES; FREIDLANDER & HALL; SAM PACETTI; TRIO LOS CHALANES; BRIAN BOWERS; BALLROOM ROUSTABOUTS; LIVE BAIT; DEVIL IN THE WOODPILE; COOK COUNTY REFUGEES; JUST FOLK; FRUTELAND JACKSON; WHISKEY HOLLOW; SUSAN SMETEK; J-45 JUG BAND and more. For info: 630/717-8495 or 630/393-1247. Send SASE to WFMS Schedule, PO Box 248, Warrenville, IL 60555 for schedule of events and listing for the in-depth classes on Saturday.
- ◆ 10 & 11 (Saturday & Sunday) *GEBHARD WOODS DULCIMER FESTIVAL*. Gebhard Woods State Park, Morris, IL. 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM daily. MIKE ANDERSON; GERRY ARMSTRONG; LIZ CIFANI; RP HALE; DIANE IPPEL & ROB WILLIAMS; BILL ROBINSON & FRIENDS; ESTER KREEK; NEAL PECK; BILL & SHARON VAN DUSEN; THE JONES FAMILY; JUST FOLK; LEO KRETZNER; KIM MURLEY; STAY TUNED STRING BAND and more. Requested donation: \$12/day. For more info, call 708/456-6292 or 847/424-1740; or send SASE to: PO Box 59, Elmwood Park, IL 60707; or visit on the web: www.enteract.com/~rwilliam/gwdf/
- ◆ 17 (Saturday) *PLANK ROAD SING-A-ROUND*. Two Way Street Coffee House, 1047 Curtiss St., Downers Grove. 2:00 to 4:00 PM. Everyone is welcome! Songbooks provided.

Festival and Summer Listings, Continued

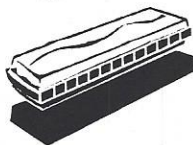
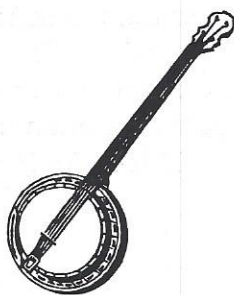
- ◆ 18 (Sunday) **WOODSTOCK FOLK FESTIVAL**. Woodstock City Square, Woodstock, IL. 12:30 to 6:30 PM. LIL' REV; CHRIS MCINTOSH & ALVIN MCGOVERN; AMY BETH & DELL HADAWAY; THE JONES FAMILY; ON THE MAINLINE; DOUBLE DECKERS (Storytelling); DAN ZAHN & CHRIS MCNAMARA. Admission: \$8, \$15 for families. For more info call 815/338-4245.
- ◆ 24 & 25 (Saturday & Sunday) **ILLINOIS STORYTELLING FESTIVAL**. Spring Grove, IL (5 miles north of Fox Lake on US 12). The festival runs Noon to 6:00 PM on Saturday, and 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM on Sunday (with sacred stories, etc. from 10:00 AM to Noon). Saturday evening: Square Dancing or Havdallah stories from 6:30-8:00 PM, followed by Ghost Stories from 9:00 PM-Midnight. Featured tellers are: LEN CABRAL, BILL HARLEY, CONNIE REGAN BLAKE, LAURA SIMS, JIM & KAREN DECKER (The Double Deckers), LUCINDA FLODIN & DENNIS FREDERICK (The Storyweavers). Sat. day, Sun. day or Sat. eve: Adults \$10, Sat. noon to midnight \$15. Saturday morning workshops \$35, advanced registration required. For more info, call 815/344-0181; or see www.storytelling.org; or write to: PO Box 249, McHenry, IL 60051.

AUGUST

- ◆ 1 (Sunday) **LAKE COUNTY FOLK FESTIVAL**. Paulus Park, Lake Zurich. 11:00 AM to 6:30 PM. JOEL MABUS, SMALL POTATOES, KAT EGGLESTON, INNESFREE, SAMMY FROM MIAMI, CHERYL WHEELER and more. Admission is \$8.00. For info: 847/949-5355 or see members.xoom.com/lakefolk
- ◆ 13, 14 & 15 (Friday through Sunday) 1999 **PLANK ROAD ANNUAL CAMPOUT**. White Pines Forest State Park, Mt. Morris, IL. Site reservations are first come first serve, so call now for an application! Or, come out for the day to visit those of us already out there! Saturday evening campfire and song circle, with pot luck dessert bar. For details &/or application, call Jennifer Shilt at 630/620-0688.
- ◆ 21 (Saturday) **PLANK ROAD SING-A-ROUND**. Two Way Street Coffee House, 1047 Curtiss St., Downers Grove. 2:00 to 4:00 PM. Everyone is welcome! Songbooks provided.
- ◆ 22 (Sunday) **DEDICATION OF THE PECK HOUSE MUSEUM**. Peck House, Grace St. & St. Charles Rd., Lombard. Celebrate the opening of Lombard's oldest house, including music from the 1830s, 1840s and 1850s. For more information, call 630/916-1356.

SEPTEMBER

- ◆ 5 & 6 (Sunday & Monday) **FOX VALLEY FOLK MUSIC & STORYTELLING FESTIVAL**. Island Park, Geneva, IL. (Rt. 38 & the Fox River) Many of the finest traditional & contemporary folk performers in a beautiful island setting. Concerts, workshops, storytelling, dance and plenty of jamming. Watch for more information at the summer festivals! For info, call 630/897-3655 or see www.mcs.com/~hammerd/fvfs/fvfs.html
- ◆ 10 & 11 (Friday and Saturday) **CHINQUAPIN FOLK MUSIC & STORYTELLING FESTIVAL**. BO-VEE & HEIL; MICHAEL PARENT; ARIANE LYDON; JOHN WHITE; ANDREW CALHOUN & KAT EGGLESTON; SADARRI SASKILL; LORNA CZARNOTA; TOM & CHRIS KASTLE; THE BUNK-HOUSE BUCKAROOS; A BUNCH OF TEETH; HEATHER HARLAN BACUS; THE RUSTY PICKUP BAND. For more information, call 309/686-3360.



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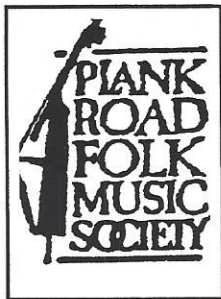
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