



The Cotton Patch Rag!



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April 13th, 2024

TIME 6:30p

SECOND SATURDAY CONCERTS

Presents



When Buddy's not on the road you can find him in Nashville but he grew up in Park Forest, Illinois, a suburb of Chicago. He didn't have a troubled childhood. His parents were nice to him. They paid for guitar lessons when he was ten and they never said, "when are you going to get a real job?" He sang Crosby, Stills and Nash songs with his sisters and answered his little brother's questions from the top bunk. He spent a few years away at college puzzling over Homer and Plato and then he was back, living in the big city this time, and playing open mics at Chicago's famed Earl of

Old town. He once opened for the amazing Steve Goodman there on New Year's Eve. Buddy was 21. Says he could have walked out of there that night and gotten hit by a bus and he wouldn't have felt like life cheated him at all. When Buddy made his first trip to Texas from his native Chicago, Guy Clark heard him singing under a tree at the Kerrville Folk Festival. Guy went back to Nashville, opened the door and said, "listen to this kid, he's good!" A publishing deal and a U-Haul headed south soon followed. In 1987 he was a New Folk Award Winner at Kerrville and released his first album called "On the Line". David Wilcox recorded "The Kid" on his first record for A&M. Buddy did some writing with Garth Brooks. Janis Ian asked him if he'd like to write with her. Their song "Amsterdam" got recorded by Joan Baez. Nanci Griffith asked Buddy to sing on a show she was taping for Irish television. She ended up liking it so much that she recorded "Comin' Down In the Rain" on her Grammy Award winning collection "Other Voices, Other Rooms." Garth became a star and "Every Now and Then" ended up on his album "The Chase." ~<https://www.buddymondlock.com>

Singer-Songwriter Selia Qynn will open!

Selia's music is contemporary acoustic with a folk-jazz flavor. Her vocals are soothing, expressive and hypnotic.

Her impressive log of material consists of a fun mix of classic oldies from the 20s through the 90s, from Sinatra to Dylan, jazz standards, folk, R&B, swing, seasonal and originals.

~<https://www.selia.com/selia-sings>



Selia Qynn

SECOND SATURDAY CONCERT IS PRESENTED BY THE HOUSTON FOLKLORE AND MUSIC SOCIETY, A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION DEDICATED TO THE PRESERVATION OF AMERICANA AND FOLK MUSIC. TICKETS, **\$20 PER PERSON**, WILL BE SOLD AT THE DOOR. CHILDREN UNDER 12 ARE FREE (MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT). HOT AND COLD DRINKS, AS WELL AS LIGHT SNACKS ARE AVAILABLE. CONCERTS ARE HELD IN THE [WEST UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY BUILDING](#). VISIT OUR WEBSITE, WWW.HOUSTONFOLKMUSIC.ORG OR CONTACT [JIM GILL](#) AT JIM@SAHOUSTON.COM FOR MORE INFORMATION.

NOTE: PRICES GO TO \$20 FOR ALL ADULTS STARTING IN APRIL 2024

UP NEXT ~

HFMS SONG CIRCLE

TUESDAY, APRIL 2ND, 2024

(FIRST TUESDAY) 7:00P

MIDTOWN BAR & GRILL UPSTAIRS

SUNDAY, April 28th, 2024

Honoring Joan Baez PICKIN' PARTY!

At the home of your host Gary Lust! CO-HOST'S TBA

518 Fair Oak Drive - Stafford TX 77477

<https://goo.gl/maps/V2QeqKCYtoc4R7Wo8>

Visiting starts at 2pm (snacks and beverages provided by our host)

Pickin' starts at 3p (sing anything you like; preferred 1st round Joan Baez songs)

Feel free to contribute to snacks and beverages!

Biography - "Joan Chandos Baez is an American singer, songwriter, musician, and activist. Her contemporary folk music often includes songs of protest and social justice. Baez has performed publicly for over 60 years, releasing more than 30 albums. Generally regarded as a folk singer, her music has diversified since the counterculture era of the 1960s and encompasses genres such as folk rock, pop, country, and gospel music... Her father was born in Puebla, Mexico... Her mother was born in Edinburgh, Scotland... While growing up, Baez was subjected to racial slurs and discrimination because of her Mexican heritage. Consequently, she became involved in social causes early in her career. She declined to play in any white student venues that were segregated, which meant that when she toured the Southern states, she would play only at black colleges." For more info on the fascinating life of this deeply influential folk icon go to: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Joan_Baez

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON HOSTING A PICKIN' PARTY
IN YOUR OWN HOME, OR TO CO-HOST AT GARY'S, JUST GIVE
HIM A HOLLER AT GARY4CAREER@HOTMAIL.COM

SECOND SATURDAY CONCERTS

May 2024 - Sarah Pierce

Brian Kalinec opens

June thru Aug 2024 - SUMMER BREAK! 🚤

MOVING TO SECOND **SUNDAYS** IN THE FALL AT

ST ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN

Sep 2024 - Scott Sean White

Narissa Bond opens

Oct 2024 - Helene Cronin

Jay Williams opens

Nov 2024 - George Ensle

pending opener

Dec 2024 - 2nd Annual HFMS Holiday Benefit!

APRIL FEATURED SONG

by Paul Cooper

THEY'RE GONE LIKE FLOATING DREAMS

I knew this song as a fiddle tune for a very long time until Andy Longo showed me that it had lyrics, and had been recorded by Kate Wolf. The song is generally credited to Texas fiddler Lucas "Red Luke" Thomasson, and was later made popular by his son Benny. Benny Thomasson says he remembers hearing his father and his uncle working on the tune on their front porch. That would have been around 1900. You can hear Kate's rendition [here](#) or on the [HFMS Audio Archive page](#). Kate does it in the traditional key of D, a favorite with old-time fiddlers.

MIDNIGHT ON THE WATER

by Lucas Thomasson

D
There are times when I am blue
G D
Thinking of you and me
G D
At midnight on the water
A7 D
And how it used to be

There are stars among the trees
And some old memories I know
At midnight on the water
Not so long ago



IMAGE BY PETE LINFORTH FROM PIXABAY



IMAGE BY SUSAN CIPRIANO FROM PIXABAY

Bm
Though they're gone like floating dreams
Bm
The scenes were there as in a mirror
Em
Made by the moon upon the water
Bm
And our love was never stronger
Gm
But the picture was broken
D
By the waves we left behind
G D
At midnight on the water
A7 D
Once upon a time

There are times when I am blue
Thinking of you and me
At midnight on the water
And how it used to be

In the stillness of the lake
Where these thoughts take me again
At midnight on the water
Do you remember when

Though they're gone like floating dreams
The scenes were there as in a mirror
Made by the moon upon the water
And our love was never stronger
But the picture was broken
By the waves we left behind
At midnight on the water
Once upon a time



APRIL 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
MAR 31	1	2	3	4	5	6
	<u>BLUEGRASS JAM 6P</u> <u>CYPRESS, TEXAS</u> <u>OPEN MIC 6P</u> <u>MUCKY DUCK</u>	<u>HFMS SONG CIRCLE 7P</u> <u>MIDTOWN BAR & GRILL</u> <u>OPEN MIC 6:30P</u> <u>Dosey Doe-BBQ, B & WB</u> <u>BLUEGRASS JAM 7P</u> <u>LUKAS – CLEAR LAKE</u> <u>JACK INGRAM 8P</u> <u>MAIN ST XING-TOMBALL</u> <u>SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE</u> <u>6P MCC – HOUSTON</u>	<u>UKELELE JAM 12:30P</u> <u>MENDENHALL CMTY CNTR</u> <u>BLUEGRASS JAM</u> <u>5:30 BUFFALO GRILLE</u> <u>JACK INGRAM 8P</u> <u>MAIN ST XING-TOMBALL</u> <u>IRISH SESSION 7:30P</u> <u>MUCKY DUCK</u>	 <u>JOHN LOMAX III</u> <u>SONGWRITER SHOWCASE 7:30P</u> <u>ANDERSON FAIR</u> <u>SUSAN GIBSON &</u> <u>PHOEBE HUNT 8P</u> <u>OLD QUARTER-GALVESTON</u>	<u>ACOUSTIC TRAILS</u> <u>LUCAS MARTIN</u> <u>6:30P KOJAK'S</u> <u>RYAN CULWELL 7:30P</u> <u>ANDERSON FAIR</u> <u>HOMEGROWN SONGWRITERS</u> <u>8P RED BRICK-CONROE</u> <u>REQUEST FOLK DANCE</u> <u>7:30P FIRST LUTHERAN</u>	<u>NHCDS WILL PLAY AT</u> <u>KATY FOLKLIFE FESTIVAL</u> <u>10A – 3P KATY, TEXAS</u> <u>JES SCHNEIDER</u> <u>12:30P RUSTIC-DT</u> <u>ERIC KORB 3P</u> <u>RUSTIC – DT</u> <u>THE MONTVALES 8:30P</u> <u>OLD QUARTER – GALVESTON</u>
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
<u>BLAGGARDS 2PM</u> <u>CONTINENTAL CLUB</u> <u>ENGLISH COUNTRY DANCE</u> <u>2:45P DAUNTLESS DANCE</u> <u>SOUTH AUSTIN MOONLIGHTERS</u> <u>7P RED BRICK-CONROE</u>	<u>OPEN MIC 6P</u> <u>MUCKY DUCK</u> <u>BLUEGRASS JAM 6P</u> <u>CYPRESS, TEXAS</u> <u>SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE</u> <u>7:30P WOODLANDS</u> <u>INTRODUCTORY FOLK DANCE</u> <u>7:30P ODDFELLOWS HALL</u>	<u>BLUEGRASS JAM 7P</u> <u>LUKAS – CLEAR LAKE</u> <u>OPEN MIC 6:30P</u> <u>Dosey Doe-BBQ, B & WB</u> <u>SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE</u> <u>6P MCC – HOUSTON</u>	<u>UKELELE JAM 12:30P</u> <u>MENDENHALL CMTY CNTR</u> <u>BLUEGRASS JAM</u> <u>5:30 BUFFALO GRILLE</u> <u>IRISH SESSION 7:30P</u> <u>MUCKY DUCK</u>	<u>HARDTIME TROUBADOURS</u> <u>6:30P KOJAK'S</u> <u>MAX GOMEZ 7P</u> <u>MUCKY DUCK</u> <u>JM STEVENS 8:30P</u> <u>OLD QUARTER-GALVESTON</u> <u>BASIC UKE 7P</u> <u>SCCC-SPRING, TEXAS</u> <u>SCA EARLY DANCE 6P</u> <u>MENDENHALL CMTY CNTR</u>	<u>ELI LEV 5:30P</u> <u>RED BRICK-CONROE</u> <u>SARA HICKMAN 7P</u> <u>MUCKY DUCK</u> <u>BOB LIVINGSTON 8P</u> <u>DOSEY DOE-B, BBQ, WB</u> <u>JM STEVENS 7:30P</u> <u>ANDERSON FAIR</u> <u>BLUEGRASS KNIGHT 6:30P</u> <u>CYPRESS, TEXAS</u> <u>THE MONTVALES</u> <u>9:30P MUCKY DUCK</u> <u>REQUEST FOLK DANCE</u> <u>7:30P FIRST LUTHERAN</u>	<u>BUDDY MONDLOCK!</u> <u>SELIA QYNN OPENS</u> <u>6:30P HFMS SEC SATURDAY</u> <u>PAPER MOON SHINERS 7P</u> <u>MILLBEND-WOODLANDS</u> <u>BEAT ROOT REVIVAL 7P</u> <u>MUCKY DUCK</u> <u>BRIGHTWIRE 5P</u> <u>MOD – GALVESTON</u> <u>CONTRA DANCE 7:30P</u> <u>DAUNTLESS DANCE</u>
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
<u>ANCIENT CAT SOCIETY 4P</u> <u>HOUSTON BOTANIC GARDEN</u> <u>JIMMY PIZZITOLA</u> <u>GABE WOOTTON 7P</u> <u>COWBOY SURFER</u>	<u>BLUEGRASS JAM 6P</u> <u>CYPRESS, TEXAS</u> <u>OPEN MIC 6P</u> <u>MUCKY DUCK</u> <u>SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE</u> <u>7:30P WOODLANDS</u> <u>INTRODUCTORY FOLK DANCE</u> <u>7:30P ODDFELLOWS HALL</u>	<u>UKE JAM 6P</u> <u>HUNTSVILLE, TEXAS</u> <u>BLUEGRASS JAM 7P</u> <u>LUKAS – CLEAR LAKE</u> <u>SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE</u> <u>6P MCC – HOUSTON</u>	<u>UKELELE JAM 12:30P</u> <u>MENDENHALL CMTY CNTR</u> <u>BLUEGRASS JAM</u> <u>5:30 BUFFALO GRILLE</u> <u>IRISH SESSION 7:30P</u> <u>MUCKY DUCK</u>	<u>JIM GILL</u> <u>BRIAN GIGEE</u> <u>GEOFF SIMPSON</u> <u>6:30P KOJAK'S</u> <u>CHRIS KNIGHT 8:30P</u> <u>DOSEY DOE-TBB</u> <u>BOB SCHNEIDER 7P</u> <u>AND 9:30P</u> <u>MUCKY DUCK</u> <u>SONGWRITER SHOW 7P</u> <u>RED BRICK-CONROE</u>	 <u>JEFF BLACK 7:30P</u> <u>ANDERSON FAIR</u> <u>REQUEST FOLK DANCE</u> <u>7:30P FIRST LUTHERAN</u>	<u>BRIAN KALINEC 6:30P</u> <u>EQ HEIGHTS</u> <u>SHAKE RUSSELL 7P</u> <u>MUCKY DUCK</u> <u>NHC DULCIMER JAM</u> <u>2P ADVENT LUTHERAN</u> <u>4P JAM 6P OPEN MIC</u> <u>7P FEATURED BAND 8P JAM BAND</u> <u>WEBSTER CIVIC CENTER</u>
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
<u>Happy Passover</u> <u>April 22 – 30</u> <u>CATTERINA 6P</u> <u>WHITE OAK MUSIC HALL</u> <u>ENGLISH COUNTRY DANCE</u> <u>2:45P DAUNTLESS DANCE</u>	<u>EARTH DAY</u> <u>BLUEGRASS JAM 6P</u> <u>CYPRESS, TEXAS</u> <u>OPEN MIC 6P</u> <u>MUCKY DUCK</u> <u>SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE</u> <u>7:30P WOODLANDS</u> <u>INTRODUCTORY FOLK DANCE</u> <u>7:30P ODDFELLOWS HALL</u>	<u>RODNEY CROWELL 7P</u> <u>AND SAM BAKER</u> <u>MUCKY DUCK</u> <u>BLUEGRASS JAM 7P</u> <u>LUKAS – CLEAR LAKE</u> <u>SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE</u> <u>6P MCC – HOUSTON</u>	<u>UKELELE JAM 12:30P</u> <u>MENDENHALL CMTY CNTR</u> <u>BLUEGRASS JAM</u> <u>5:30 BUFFALO GRILLE</u> <u>IRISH SESSION 7:30P</u> <u>MUCKY DUCK</u>	<u>PAUL HARDWICK</u> <u>6:30P KOJAK'S</u> <u>AMY SPEACE 7P</u> <u>MUCKY DUCK</u> <u>WORLD MUSIC JAM 7P</u> <u>HOPE EPISCOPAL</u> <u>SCA EARLY DANCE 6P</u> <u>MENDENHALL CMTY CNTR</u>	<u>DARDEN SMITH 7P</u> <u>MUCKY DUCK</u> <u>REQUEST FOLK DANCE</u> <u>7:30P FIRST LUTHERAN</u>	<u>BLUEGRASS JAM 1P</u> <u>KLEB WOODS NTR CNTR</u> <u>NHCDS AT THE</u> <u>NATURE DISCOVERY CENTER</u> <u>10A-2P BELLAIRE, TX</u> <u>AMANDA PASCALI 8P</u> <u>DOSEY DOE-B, BBQ, WB</u> <u>CONTRA DANCE 7:30P</u> <u>DAUNTLESS DANCE</u>
28	29	30	MAY 01	MAY 02	MAY 03	MAY 04
<u>SACRED HARP SINGING</u> <u>2P FIRST LUTHERAN</u> <u>HFMS PICKIN' PARTY</u> <u>2P PRE-PARTY SOCIAL</u> <u>3P EMAIL GARY</u>	<u>OPEN MIC 6P</u> <u>MUCKY DUCK</u> <u>BLUEGRASS JAM 6P</u> <u>CYPRESS, TEXAS</u> <u>SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE</u> <u>7:30P WOODLANDS</u> <u>INTRODUCTORY FOLK DANCE</u> <u>7:30P ODDFELLOWS HALL</u>	<u>KERRVILLE WINNERS</u> <u>6:30P MUCKY DUCK</u> <u>BLUEGRASS JAM 7P</u> <u>LUKAS – CLEAR LAKE</u> <u>SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE</u> <u>6P MCC – HOUSTON</u>	 <u>UKELELE JAM 12:30P</u> <u>MENDENHALL CMTY CNTR</u> <u>BLUEGRASS JAM</u> <u>5:30 BUFFALO GRILLE</u>	<u>CLAY PARKER &</u> <u>JODI JAMES 6:30P</u> <u>KOJAK'S</u>	 <u>REQUEST FOLK DANCE</u> <u>7:30P FIRST LUTHERAN</u>	<u>JOHN GORKA 6:30P</u> <u>ANDERSON FAIR</u> <u>CRYSTAL GAYLE 7P</u> <u>MAIN ST XING-TOMBALL</u> <u>CROW & GAZELLE 8P</u> <u>OLD QUARTER – GALVESTON</u>

NOTE: CLASSES MAY REQUIRE REGISTRATION OR FEES.
PLEASE CHECK LINKS FOR DETAILS, CHANGES OR CANCELLATIONS.
CALENDAR EVENTS MAY INCLUDE GENRES OTHER THAN FOLK MUSIC.

Thank you for supporting live music!



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(Post Oak) locations!

https://continentalclub.com/bigtop

https://www.danelectrosongs.com

https://continentalclub.com

https://www.millbend.org

*****MORE LOCAL EVENTS*****

ALL IMAGES ARE LIVE LINKS!

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April 6, 2024

Kenneth D. Welch Outdoor Learning Center
38th Annual Folk Life Festival
Saturday, April 6, 2024
10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m

HERMANN PARK
CONSERVANCY KITE
FESTIVAL

Sunday, April 7, 2024

10 am - 3 pm

Miller Hill and Jones Reflection Pool

2024 MUSIC LINEUP

TEXAS SANDFEST

Friday

Rich Lockhart 12:30 p.m. - 2 p.m.

Sarah Hobbs 3 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Bri Bagwell 5:30 p.m. - 7 p.m.

Saturday

Coastal Benders 10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

SA Lights 12:30 p.m. - 2 p.m.

Squeezebox Bandits 3 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Micky and the Motorcars 6 p.m. - 7 p.m.

Sunday

The Dunebillies 10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

The Selfless Lovers 1 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

John Elijah Band 3 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Spazmatics 6 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

APRIL 19-21, 2024

Galveston County Fair & Rodeo

SERVING GALVESTON COUNTY TEXAS YOUTH SINCE 1938

Experience The Tradition

GCFR 2024 - April 12-20

Chappell Hill, Texas

Bluebonnet Festival

April 13 & 14, 2024

CCMH Annual Czech
Spring Festival

Saturday, April 20, 2024

12:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Czech Center Museum

4920 San Jacinto Street

HTX
Market

EAT. SHOP. ♥ DO GOOD.

APR 2024

HOUSTON COUNTRY,
FOLK, & BLUES FESTIVAL

AT CYPRESS - KATY

PEACE, LOVE, & MUSIC

• APR. 20th, 2024

• MAJOR CONCERTS

• ARTS & CRAFTS

• FARMERS MARKET

• GOURMET FOOD

• CRAFT BEER & WINE

• \$5 ADMISSION

• FREE PARKING

APRIL 27 & 28

10 AM - 4 PM

SMART FINANCIAL CENTRE PLAZA

SUGAR LAND

ARTS
FEST

Presented by

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FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

WINE + TASTE + MUSIC

Art & Music Festival

General Sam Houston Day

Step back in time with the Sam Houston Memorial Museum and Republic of Texas Presidential Library for this one day event highlighting Sam Houston and his times (1793-1863).

10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Free admission.

For more specific details for the day of, visit: General Sam Houston Day (samhoustonmemorialmuseum.com)

⌚ Saturday, April 29, 2023 at 10:00am to 5:00pm

📍 Sam Houston Memorial Museum 1836 Sam Houston Avenue, Huntsville, Texas 77340

UPCOMING & UPDATED FOLKLORE AND
MUSICAL EVENTS around Texas & the US

15th Annual Sherwood Forest Faire

Open Weekends: Mar 2 - Apr 21, 2024

Also Open Friday, Mar 15th

10 am to Dusk — Rain or Shine — No Pets

39TH ANNUAL

TUCSON FOLK FESTIVAL

APRIL 5 - 7, 2024

April 5-6, 2024

Independence, Va

Legends of Grayson

Old-Time Weekend

5th Annual

WINTERWONDERGRASS

PALISADES TAHOE APRIL 5-7, 2024

Danedin Highland Games & Festival

Save the Date: April 6, 2024

10AM - 3PM

POTOMAC RIVER SHAPE NOTE SINGING CONVENTION

SATURDAY, APRIL 6, 2024 - SILVER SPRING, MD

SUNDAY, APRIL 7, 2024 - ARLINGTON, VA

SOUTHLAND BLUEGRASS MUSIC FESTIVAL

SUNDAY APRIL 7 2024

A HIGHLAND GAMES TO ECLIPSE THE ALL OTHERS

San Antonio

APRIL 6-7

HELOTES FESTIVAL GROUNDS

BLUEGRASS HERITAGE FESTIVAL

Dallas

and SOLAR ECLIPSE! Mon. April 8!

Walker Creek Music Camp

APRIL 11-14, 2024

ST AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA

THE 28TH ANNUAL GAMBLE ROGERS FOLK FESTIVAL

ST. JOHNS COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

APRIL 12-14, 2024

WARREN WILSON COLLEGE

FIDDLES & FOLKLIFE

APRIL 13, 2024 SWANNANOVA, NC

CALIFORNIA BLUEGRASS ASSOCIATION

SPRING CAMPOUT

Spring Campout

April 16 - 21, 2024

Campout and California State Old Time Fiddle & Pickin' Championships

Lodi Grape Festival Grounds, Lodi, CA



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SPRING SING

Find Your Voice,
Find Your People

April 18-21, 2024

Blackwater Falls State Park • Davis, WV



Plan to attend!

ROCKYFEST

April 20, 2024

Rocky Face Mountain Recreational Area
3451 Rocky Face Church Rd.
Hiddenite, NC

Bring an instrument for the picking tent!

Rock Climbing, Games, Food, Arts, Crafts & more

Music begins at 10:00a.m.

LUCKENBACH TEXAS

3rd Annual

BLUEGRASS



FESTIVAL

SAT, APRIL 20th, 2024 | OUTDOOR STAGE

RICKY SKAGGS

& KENTUCKY THUNDER

THE HILLSIDERS | HILLBILLY FEVER
FOUR FIGHTS PER PINT
JAKE MARTIN | BANJOY

TICKETS AND INFORMATION AT
WWW.LUCKENBACHTEXAS.COM

April 20-21

SEDGWICK COUNTY PARK
WICHITA, KANSAS
10:00 AM - 6:00 PM | SATURDAY & SUNDAY
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APRIL 24-26, 2024



MerleFest

Music. Moments. Memories.

April 25-28, 2024

Wilkesboro, NC

3rd Annual Stonehenge
Celtic Festival and Highland
Games!

Apr 27-28, 2024

JAMboree 2024

Ruhstaller Farm-Dixon, CA

WANNA JAM?

SPRING APRIL 28TH - MAY 1ST ~ FALL SEPT 22ND - 25TH

A Campout Music Making Jam Adventure!

April 19-21, 2024
RIVERFALLS, WI



BLUEGRASS

BOURBON & BREWS

STRICTLY RECORDER!

TRS Spring Music Workshop
Saturday, April 20, 2024
Durham, NC

April 20-21, 2024

BEAR ON THE SQUARE

Mountain Festival

Dahlonega, Georgia

Ormond Beach
Celtic Festival

Florida

April 20-21, 2024



APRIL 20-21, 2024
MCKINNEY, TEXAS



19th Annual Pocono DulcimerFest
April 26 & 27, 2024

Pocono Dulcimer Club

INTERNATIONAL FESTIVALS & TOURS



**56th MORPETH
NORTHUMBRIAN
GATHERING** 
APRIL 5 – 7, 2024



**Edinburgh
International
Harp
Festival**

5-9 April 2024

13 April 2024

Joint Morris Organisation's Day of Dance 2024 (Newark)

The JMO National Day of Dance is a collaborative event organised in turn by one of the three morris organisations in the UK – The Morris Federation, The Morris Ring, and Open Morris. The day of dance is a celebration of morris and traditional dancing held annually at a different location around the UK.

In 2024 the day of dance is on Saturday 13th April 2024 in Newark-on Trent, Nottinghamshire, hosted by Trentside Holmes Morris on behalf of The Morris Federation, and supported by Lincoln & Micklebarrow Morris Men (The Morris Ring) and Rattlejag Morris.

2024 FluteFling
Edinburgh
traditional
flute
& whistle
weekend
19-21 April



CROSSOVER FESTIVAL
3RD - 6TH MAY 2024
SHERBROOKE SCOUT CAMP, CALVERTON, NOTTINGHAM

**FILEY
FOLK
FESTIVAL**
MAY 3-5
2024

Upton-upon-Severn
3rd May to 6th May
Folk Festival

Scandimoot 2024

*This year's Scandimoot will take place from
Fri 3rd May to Mon 6th May (BH weekend)
in and around Clapham, North Yorkshire*



FifeSing2024

The Fife Traditional Singing Festival
Friday - Sunday 10, 11, 12 May

COMMUNITY ACTION

Emmit's Place needs your support

March 15th, 2024 by susan Cabral, Organizer

I guess ive put this off as long as i can. Im sitting here frozen. Ive been trying not to think about this for 2 weeks now. Change is scary. But im out of options. .. Emmits will not be able to make enough money to cover the yearly licenses this year. The last day we can legally serve alcohol will be May 31st.

I would like to put together some kind of fundraiser-but thats a lot of work for everyone. Im so thankful for all the people who have donated their time and money already. I dont feel right asking for help again... plus, im already over-doing it myself. (I just had a PET-scan that showed activity in a lymph node after my blood markers shot up, so i really need to be focused on my health.)

I hope to have a big 12 Year Anniversary/Closing Party on Memorial weekend, but aside from that, i hope we can just overbook and get a chance to listen to all the wonderful bands we can possibly squeeze in in the next 2 months.

Thank you so much to everyone who has helped us keep the music alive this last year. Emmits wouldn't be open today without you. And I know i wouldn't have made it through chemo without you. I will continue to work on the other music projects that we have started this year, and i will keep looking for other options-but as it stands, we have until the end of May.

Thanks for taking this journey with me over the last year. PLEASE DONATE TO HELP HER IF YOU CAN, CLICK HERE!



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