

THE COTTON PATCH RAG

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SECOND SATURDAY CONCERT

Presents
Anne Hills

May 14 , 2022 7:30pm

West University Community Building, 6104 Auden (at Rice Blvd), Houston



About our artist:

We are familiar with the line "Let them judge me by my company of friends." Anyone who applies this philosophy to **Anne Hills** will certainly make every effort to attend her Second Saturday Concert performance on May 14th, even if they are unfamiliar with Anne's huge body of individual work. This gifted singer/songwriter has recorded and toured with many other heroes of

folk/singer-songwriter music, including Tom Paxton, Michael Smith, Cindy Mangsen, Steve Gillette, Bob Gibson and more. As Tom Paxton says, "Anne Hills is such an exquisite singer that it's understandable that people might be swept up in the pure beauty of her voice and thereby overlook her writing. That would be a mistake. For me, Anne's writing is as direct, melodic and deep as any work being done today. She is quite simply one of my absolute favorite songwriters."

Anne's newest album, Accidental August (2021) was the product of her "pandemic collaboration" with Al Power. Al will join Anne on stage for several of their new songs. For more information about Anne, see <https://annehills.com>.

Second Saturday Concert is presented by the **Houston Folklore and Music Society** a non-profit organization dedicated to the preservation of folklore and folk/acoustic music. Light snacks, and hot and cold drinks available for purchase/donation. Tickets sold at door (cash or check only) - adults \$18, seniors (65) and students \$14, children under 12 free. All profits go to the artists. Visit www.houstonfolkmusic.org or, contact Carolyn Davis at carolynadavis@aol.com or 281-240-9797 with questions. COVID vaccination and face covering requested but not required.

Please check www.houstonfolkmusic.org for any updates regarding the concert.

UP NEXT

⚠️SUMMER BREAK⚠️

September 10, 2022 – [Albert & Gage](#)





MAY FEATURED SONG



by Paul Cooper 

LET ME BE A MAN AND TAKE IT

Otto P. Kelland wrote this song in 1947. Kelland was a prison warden at St. John's Penitentiary in Newfoundland when he decided to set to music a conversation he once had with a sea captain about a sailor longing for his southeastern Newfoundland home.

You can listen to Stan Rogers perform the song here <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wrBdEog9oAQ>, or on the HFMS Audio Archive page at http://www.houstonfolkmusic.org/HFS_Audio_Archive.html. Stan sings it quite low in open G. You can capo up to fit your voice.

Let Me Fish Off Cape St. Mary's

by Otto P Kelland

G **Bm** **Em**
 Take me back to my western boat,
 A **D**
 Let me fish off Cape St. Mary's,
 C **G** **Bm** **Em**
 Where the hagdowns* sail and the foghorns wail
 G **C** **D** **G**
 With my friends the Browns and the Clearys
 Em **C** **D**
 Let me fish off Cape St. Mary's.



* A sea bird like a puffin

** An oilskin hat with a long bill in back

Let me feel my dory lift
 To the broad Atlantic combers,
 Where the tide rips swirl and the wild ducks whirl
 Where Old Neptune calls the numbers
 'Neath the broad Atlantic combers....

Let me sail up Golden Bay
 With my oilskins all a 'streamin'....
 From the thunder squall - - when I hauled me trawl
 And my old Cape Ann** a gleamin'
 With my oil skins all a 'streamin'....

Let me view that rugged shore,
 Where the beach is all a-glisten
 With the Caplin*** spawn where from dusk to dawn
 You bait your trawl and listen
 To the undertow a-hissin'.



When I reach that last big shoal
 Where the ground swells break asunder,
 Where the wild sands roll to the surges toll.
 Let me be a man and take it
 Where my dory fails to make it.

Take me back to that snug green cove
 Where the seas roll up their thunder.
 There let me rest in the earth's cool breast
 Where the stars shine out their wonder - -
 And the seas roll up their thunder.



*** Capelin; a forage fish of the smelt family

MAY 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1  WYLDE MEADE AND THE SISTERS & FRIENDS 3PM EQ HEIGHTS IRISH SESSION 4P PENNY WHISTLE LISA MORALES 5P FULSHEAR HOUSE CNGRTS KEVIN SWANSON 6P GREEN OAKS TAVERN	2 BLUEGRASS JAM 6PM CYPRESS, TEXAS EL LAGO IRISH SESH 7:30P CHELSEA WINE BAR SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE SPRING TX 7:30P HTOWN INT'L FOLK DANCE INTRODUCTORY DANCE	3 ACOUSTIC OPEN MIC 6P SWANNY'S GRILL HFMS SONG CIRCLE 7P JP HOPS HOUSE SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE HOUSTON 7:30P	4 BLUEGRASS JAM 6P WEST U IRISH SESSION 7:30P MUCKY DUCK	5  MARY GAUTHIER & JAMIE HARRIS 7P MUCKY DUCK KEN GAINES WITH WAYNE WILKERSON 8:30P ANDERSON FAIR	6 HEATHER LITTLE AND KAYLA RAY 8P OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS CURTIS MCMURTRY 8:30P ANDERSON FAIR HTOWN INT'L FOLK DANCE REQUEST DANCING	7 JOHNNY FALSTAFF 8P OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS LISA MORALES 9:30P MUCKY DUCK
8  IRISH SESSION 4P PENNY WHISTLE DERMODY & FOTUSKY 6P w/ RICH DELGROSS GREEN OAKS TAVERN HUMBLE, TEXAS NEFESH MOUNTAIN 7P DOSEY DOE - BBQ&WB	9 BLUEGRASS JAM 6PM CYPRESS, TEXAS EL LAGO IRISH SESH 7:30P CHELSEA WINE BAR SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE SPRING TX 7:30P HTOWN INT'L FOLK DANCE INTRODUCTORY DANCE	10 ACOUSTIC OPEN MIC 6P SWANNY'S GRILL LIBBY KOCH 7P MUCKY DUCK SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE HOUSTON 7:30P	11 BLUEGRASS JAM 6P WEST U IRISH SESSION 7:30P MUCKY DUCK	12 SAWYER FREDERICKS 8:30P DOSEY DOE - TBB	13 JAMES MCMURTRY 8P MAIN STREET CROSSING TOMBALL, TEXAS GRANT PEEPLES 8P OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS	14 ANNE HILLS 7:30P HFMS 2ND SATURDAY EMILY SCOTT ROBINSON 7P MUCKY DUCK JOHNNY FALSTAFF 8P DOSEY DOE - BBQ&WB KEITH & THE PALM TREES 8P OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS JEFF PLANKENHORN AND SCRAPPY JUD NEWCOMB 9:30P MUCKY DUCK
15 LARRY WINTERS CELEBRATION OF LIFE 2P CONTINENTAL CLUB BENEFIT FOR UKRAINE 3PM MUCKY DUCK IRISH SESSION 4P PENNY WHISTLE HAMILTON LOOMIS 5P GREEN OAKS TAVERN	16 BLUEGRASS JAM 6PM CYPRESS, TEXAS EL LAGO IRISH SESH 7:30P CHELSEA WINE BAR SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE SPRING TX 7:30P HTOWN INT'L FOLK DANCE INTRODUCTORY DANCE	17 ACOUSTIC OPEN MIC 6P SWANNY'S GRILL SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE HOUSTON 7:30P	18 BLUEGRASS JAM 6P WEST U IRISH SESSION 7:30P MUCKY DUCK	19 PAT BYRNE 8P OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS NOEL MCKAY AND JAMES STEINLE 8P DOSEY DOE - BBQ&WB	20 HTOWN INT'L FOLK DANCE REQUEST DANCING JOHN DOE FOLK TRIO 7P MUCKY DUCK NOEL MCKAY AND JAMES STEINLE 8:30P OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS NICK SHOULDERS 8:30P DOSEY DOE - TBB SARA VAN BUSKIRK 8:30P ANDERSON FAIR	21 NHC DULCIMER JAM 2P ADVENT LUTHERAN AARON STEPHENS 8P OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS JACK BARSDALE 6PM 5 & DIME, SPRING TX
22 NICK SHOULDERS 3P OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS IRISH SESSION 4P PENNY WHISTLE CAROLINE SPENCE 7:30P DOSEY DOE - TBB	23 BLUEGRASS JAM 6PM CYPRESS, TEXAS EL LAGO IRISH SESH 7:30P CHELSEA WINE BAR SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE SPRING TX 7:30P HTOWN INT'L FOLK DANCE INTRODUCTORY DANCE	24 ACOUSTIC OPEN MIC 6P SWANNY'S GRILL SARA HICKMAN 7P MUCKY DUCK SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE HOUSTON 7:30P	25 BLUEGRASS JAM 6P WEST U IRISH SESSION 7:30P MUCKY DUCK	26 GOLDPINE 7P MUCKY DUCK	27 HTOWN INT'L FOLK DANCE REQUEST DANCING HAMILTON LOOMIS 7P MUCKY DUCK DARDEN SMITH 8:30P OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS AMANDA PASCALI 8:30P ANDERSON FAIR	28 OLD TIME & BLUEGRASS JAM KLEB WOODS NATURE CNTR 1PM TOMBALL, TX WILLIE EDWARDS 8:30P OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS
29 IRISH SESSION 4P PENNY WHISTLE IRISH SESSION 4P PENNY WHISTLE GRITTY FISH & JM & THE HONEYBADGERS 5P OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS SWEARINGEN & KELLI 6P MAIN STREET CROSSING TOMBALL, TEXAS BEN DANAHER 8P DOSEY DOE - BBQ&WB	30  BLUEGRASS JAM 6PM CYPRESS, TEXAS EL LAGO IRISH SESH 7:30P CHELSEA WINE BAR SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE SPRING TX 7:30P HTOWN INT'L FOLK DANCE INTRODUCTORY DANCE	31 ACOUSTIC OPEN MIC 6P SWANNY'S GRILL SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE HOUSTON 7:30P	JUN 01 BLUEGRASS JAM 6P WEST U IRISH SESSION 7:30P MUCKY DUCK	JUN 02	JUN 03 GABE WOOTEN, BILLY HARTMAN, & ZACH PACK 8:30P OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC, GALVESTON, TX THESE FINE MOMENTS 9:30P RED BRICK TAVERN HTOWN INT'L FOLK DANCE REQUEST DANCING	JUN 04 KINGSTON TRIO 7P MAIN STREET CROSSING TOMBALL, TEXAS BRIGHTWIRES & GRIFTERS & SHILLS 8:30P OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS

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 CALENDAR EVENTS MAY INCLUDE GENRES OTHER THAN FOLK MUSIC.

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Celebrate Spring
Sunday, May 1st at  3p to 5p
featuring...
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No Cover - Your generous tips are greatly appreciated!
1030 Heights Blvd
Houston, Texas

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HTX
Market
EAT. SHOP. ❤️ DO GOOD.
May Calendar




12:00 - 6:00 PM SATURDAY, MAY 7
FREE ADMISSION
ART - FOOD - MUSIC - CULTURA
A 5 DE MAYO FIESTA
FOR THE EAST END FAMILY
NAVIGATION ESPLANADE
2600 NAVIGATION BLVD, HOUSTON, TX 77003



SAT MAY 7TH, 2022
LAST CONCERT CAFE
HOUSTON, TX last concert
Grateful Dead
Bluegrass Tribute
With Hellina Bucket
7pm

BAY DAY FESTIVAL

May 14, 2022 11am to 4pm Kemah Boardwalk

ILLENIUM **GRIMES** **JAPANESE BREAKFAST**
DUCK SAUCE **CL** **POPPY**

ALICE LONGYU GAO · ANJA SCHNEIDER · COMBO CHIMBITA
 FAT TONY · HURRAY FOR THE RIFF RAFF · JUN · JPEGMafia
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ALIEN EYELOD · CALERO · GRACIE CHAVEZ · KONA FN
 LOVELESS · PEARLEARN · PEYTON · TEEYEE
 MORE ARTISTS TO COME

THE DOLLHOUSE BRAG BRUNCH
 PRESENTED BY GRAND PRIZE BABY

MAY 14+15, 2022 · ELEANOR TINSLEY PARK · HOUSTON, TX
 Tickets + More info: waomusicfest.com

TEXAS FOLKLIFE AND AXELRAD PRESENT

Accordion Kings & Queens Silent Auction and Benefit

FEATURING A PERFORMANCE FROM GOATLEATHER

May 21, 2022 · 4:00 - 6:00 PM
<https://qr.coda/akqbenefit22>
 AXELRAD BEER GARDEN
 1517 ALABAMA ST, HOUSTON, TX 77004

HOUSTON FOOD FEST

May 28th 2022
 2p to 10p
 Midtown Park
 2811 Travis Street
 Houston, TX 77006

June 10 - 12, 2022
 University of St. Thomas
 Houston TX
 Instructors from -

HOUSTON SCHOOL OF IRISH MUSIC

Instrument classes, Irish Journeys and evening faculty concert

HOUSTON AREA TRADITIONAL DANCE SOCIETY

All HATDS in-person events remain suspended until further notice.

For More Information!

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





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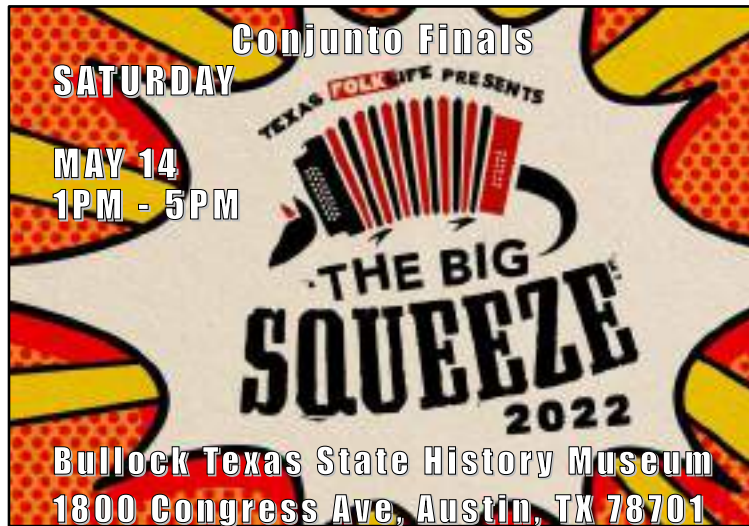


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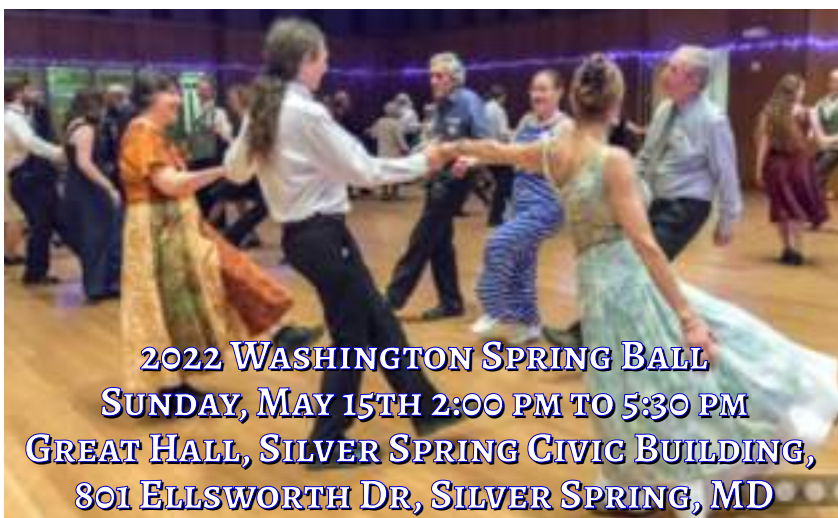
Conjunto Finals
SATURDAY
MAY 14
1PM - 5PM

TEXAS FOLK LIFE PRESENTS
THE BIG SQUEEZE
2022

Bullock Texas State History Museum
1800 Congress Ave, Austin, TX 78701

Preview:
50th Kerrville Folk Festival
Sunday, May 15 2:30 p.m.
on the Bill Muse Stage at the Trailhead
on Schreiner University Campus
Free of charge

Shake Russell & Susan Gibson & Bob Livingston & Sarah Lee Guthrie



2022 WASHINGTON SPRING BALL
SUNDAY, MAY 15TH 2:00 PM TO 5:30 PM
GREAT HALL, SILVER SPRING CIVIC BUILDING,
801 ELLSWORTH DR, SILVER SPRING, MD

Cumann na h-Piobairí San Francisco
Tionól 2022



**UILLEANN PIPING
REED-MAKING
AND A NEW FIDDLE CLASS!**

The San Francisco Pipers' Club presents an in-person San Francisco Tionól on May 20-22, 2022.



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May 26, 2022 through June 12, 2022

San Francisco Folk Music Club

Friends and families making home-grown music together

2022 Memorial Day Weekend Campout

1pm Friday, May 27 – 3pm Monday, May 30

Camp Hems – High in the El Cerrito Hills

1100 James Place, El Cerrito, CA



Summer Toot 2022 registration is open!

May 29 - Jun 4, 2022



July 9-15 and July 16-22, 2022

March 12, 2022 **Palo Alto, California**

**California Coast
Music Camp 2022
Registration Now
Open**

Young Performers Festival
In-Person for 2022
**as part of the Berkeley Festival &
Exhibition, June 5-12, 2022**

2022 AFTM Scholarship

Applications are open!



The Austin Friends of Traditional Music (AFTM) is now offering to pay tuition, housing, and meals for attendance at the [Swannanoa Gathering Old Time Week](#), July 17-23, 2022. This is a one-week training opportunity for traditional musicians.

NEWPORT
FOLK
JULY 22-23
2022

ALL 2022 TICKETS ARE SOLD OUT

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Beltane Fire Festival

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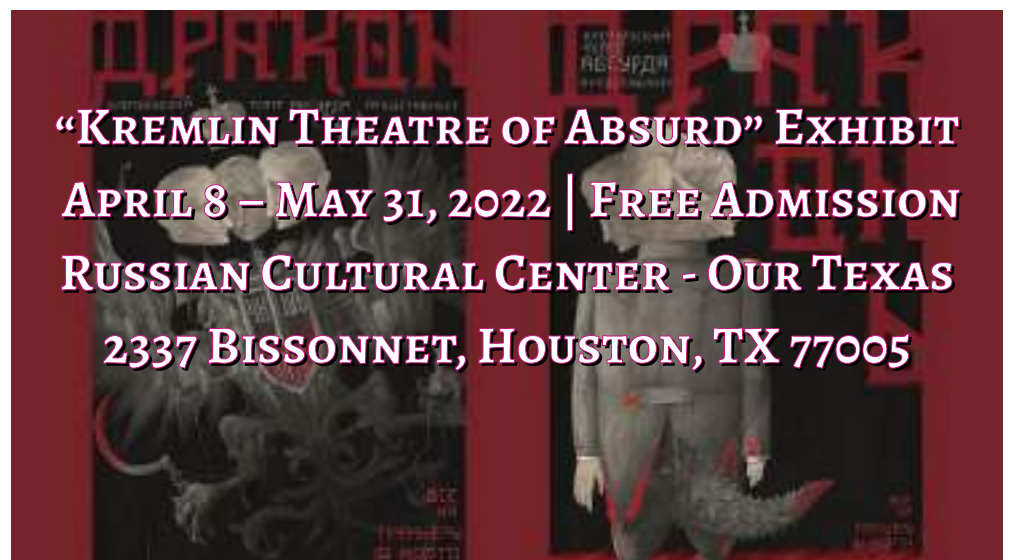
7:30pm to 1:00am May 1
30th April, 2022, Calton Hill, Edinburgh

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Featuring special guest-artist Hugh Morrison!


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 [Join an Irish Fiddle Session](#)

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 [Monthly 'chantey sing' to support the SF Maritime National Park](#)

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 [San Francisco Folk Music Club Community Calendar](#)

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 [Golden Link Folk Singing Society Concerts](#)

 [Any Sunday Songwriters - concerts](#)

 [Folklore Society of Greater Washington Online Concert Series](#)



[Google Map of Old Time Jams, Festivals, Fiddle Contests, Irish Sessions, and Contra Dance Bands in the US and Around the World!](#) (confirm local listings)

**INVITE YOUR FRIENDS TO JOIN HOUSTON FOLKLORE AND MUSIC SOCIETY
OR BUY THEM A GIFT MEMBERSHIP!**

HFMS is a non-profit, membership organization dedicated to the preservation and promotion of folklore and folk music. **Dues are \$20 a year for a membership. Members receive our monthly digital newsletter (The Cotton Patch Rag) and the satisfaction of supporting and promoting live folk and acoustic music, and other folklore activities in the greater Houston area.**

Fill-out, print, and mail this page along with a check payable to *Houston Folklore and Music Society*, P.O. Box 542348, Houston, TX 77254 , OR visit our website and join on-line at houstonfolkmusic.org

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

New Membership Renewal Re-Joining

Is this a new address? Yes No Today's Date:

NAME

STREET

CITY STATE ZIP

PHONE (wk)

E-MAIL:

Enclosed is \$20 Annual Dues

Thank you!

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