

THE COTTON PATCH RAG

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Happy New Year
2022



SECOND SATURDAY CONCERT
January 8, 2022 7:30pm

Albert and Gage



Please wear a face mask. Vaccination is highly recommended for our audience members.

Austin, Texas duo Albert and Gage (Christine Albert and Chris Gage) have a personal and musical chemistry that radiates from the stage. The joy they experience making music together is evident as they travel through their musical roots, moving from country and folk to blues and French chansons. The integrity of their musicianship and the rare blend of their voices create a unique and cohesive sound as Gage effortlessly

switches from guitar to piano and accordion throughout their set to follow the mood of the music. Austin songwriter Jimmy LaFave once described Christine as a “wondrous singer with a beautiful focus and unrestrained grace.” She had a prolific recording career as a solo artist before meeting Gage, including the acclaimed “Texafrance” series, a bilingual tribute to her European family roots. Chris Gage, the Academy of Texas Music’s “Musician of the Year 2011” is no stranger to a tour bus, spending many years on the road with Red Willow Band, Roy Clark and Jimmie Dale Gilmore and until recently played lead guitar on tour with Jerry Jeff Walker in addition to his Albert and Gage shows. He's a veteran of TV shows including Conan O'Brien, The Tonight Show and Hee Haw.

Second Saturday Concert is presented by the *Houston Folklore and Music Society*, a non-profit organization dedicated to the preservation of folklore and acoustic music. Light snacks and refreshments are available for purchase. Tickets sold at the door (cash or check only) - adults \$18, seniors (65) and students \$14, children under 12 free. All profits go to the artists. Concerts are held the second Saturdays of each month (summers and December off) in the **West University Community Building at 6104 Auden** (intersection of Auden. and Rice Blvd.) Contact Carolyn Davis (281-240-9797) for more concert information or visit our website at: www.houstonfolkmusic.org.

February 12, 2022 - Anne Hills

March 12, 2022 - Daniel Boling

April 9, 2022 - Paul Sachs

OTHER HFMS EVENTS

DEAR MEMBERS OF THE HOUSTON FOLKLORE & MUSIC SOCIETY. We will **follow the guidelines required by each venue** regarding mask, vaccines and distancing requirements. Please continue to check links for possible changes or cancellations.



JANUARY

MEETING and SONG CIRCLE

We will meet at *JP Hops House*,

TUESDAY, January 4th, 2021 - 7p



Please help Support Houston Folklore and Music Society

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After that, go to smile.amazon.com **each time you shop** and Amazon will automatically donate 0.5% of the amount of your purchase to HFMS. Every little bit helps! Please send this information to everyone you know who might be willing to support our organization in this way. It only takes a minute and will help us continue the HFMS tradition.

AND/OR

CONSIDER A GIFT TO HFMS. MAKE A TAX DEDUCTIBLE DONATION!! HFMS is a 501(c)3 organization. Your contribution to support our organization can be claimed as a charitable donation. Contact Paul Cooper, Treasurer at 713-204-1207 or pcooperowls0@gmail.com. **Thank you for your contributions over the past year and half; you have our deepest appreciation!**



FROM THE EDITOR

It's ba-aaack.... Pandemic phase 3? And Happy New Year! Looks like things may go back to virtual for a while. At least where big crowds are concerned. Let's hope that 2022 will bring us a final resolution to this ugly beast! And loads of wonderful opportunities to make wonderful music TOGETHER! Wouldn't that be something? Stay safe and well everyone!

If you know of anyone in need don't hesitate to use the email below to reach out. If we can't help, we will find someone who can!

If you know of any local or virtual events coming up that you'd like to share, or if you have an article you think may be of interest to the folk music community, please email Cehlina: Celtic.Music@aol.com and be sure to include LOCAL EVENTS (or CPR Article) in the subject line; we'll do our best to include it in the next issue.


JANUARY FEATURED SONG *by Paul Cooper*
A TROUBLED MIND CAN KNOW NO REST

This is a Canadian folk song, though it was first published on song sheets in America in the 1820s. It became better known when it was referred to in a serialized story in Vanity Fair magazine called The Pimpenny Family in 1861. It has been recorded by an imposing list of Celtic and folk artists, including The Clancy Brothers, The Dubliners, The Chieftains, and Sinaed O'Connor. You can hear a beautiful version of this song by Malachi Cush and Dierdre Bonner at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NwZG3aDhsMw>, or on the HFMS Audio Archive page at http://www.houstonfolkmusic.org/HFS_Audio_Archive.html. To play along with the recording, Capo II.

PEGGY GORDON

C G C G F
 O Peggy Gordon, you are my darling

C G
 Come sit you down upon my knee

F C Am G
 And tell to me the very reason

F C Am G C
 Why I am slighted so by thee

C G C G F
 I'm deep in love but I dare not show it

C G
 My heart lies smothered in my breast

F C G C G
 But it's not for you to let the world know it

F C Am G C
 A troubled mind can know no rest



I laid my head on a cask of brandy
 It was my fancy, I do declare
 For when I'm drinking, I'm always thinking
 And wishing Peggy Gordon was here

CHORUS

I wish my love and I were sailing,
 Far from land as far could be;
 Sailing on the deep blue waters,
 Where I'll have no more to trouble me.

I wish I was in some lonesome valley
 Where womankind cannot be found
 Where little birds sing upon the branches
 And every moment has a different sound



JANUARY 2022



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
26 DECEMBER HAPPY BOXING DAY AND FEAST OF ST. STEPHEN  	27 DECEMBER <u>EL LAGO IRISH SESH</u> 6P CHELSEA WINE BAR	28 DECEMBER <u>ACOUSTIC OPEN MIC</u> 6P SWANNY'S GRILL	29 DECEMBER <u>BLUEGRASS JAM 6P</u> WEST U	30 DECEMBER <u>HAYDEN JONES 7P</u> THE RUSTIC - PO	31 DECEMBER <u>ULLA WITH PIPER JONES</u> THE IRISH INVASION NYE IN IRELAND 4:30P MUCKY DUCK  <u>SHAKE RUSSELL, MATT HARLAN, KEN & WAYNE 8:30P</u> ANDERSON FAIR	1  <u>ADAM BRICKS 4P</u> THE RUSTIC - PO <u>ANNUAL TOWNES VAN ZANDT WAKE 5P</u> OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TX
2	3	4 <u>ACOUSTIC OPEN MIC</u> 6P SWANNY'S GRILL <u>HFMS SONG CIRCLE 7P</u> JP HOPS HOUSE	5 <u>RANDY C MOORE 7:30P</u> DOSEY DOE-BREAKFAST BBQ & WHISKEY BAR	6	7 <u>SCOTT H BIRAM 8P</u> OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS	8 <u>SHANNA IN A DRESS 7P</u> MILLBEND COFFEE HSE WOODLANDS, TEXAS <u>ALBERT & GAGE 7:30P</u> HFMS 2ND SATURDAY <u>LISA MORALES 8P</u> OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS
9	10 <u>BLUEGRASS JAM 6P</u> CYPRESS TX <u>EL LAGO IRISH SESH</u> 6P CHELSEA WINE BAR	11 <u>ACOUSTIC OPEN MIC</u> 6P SWANNY'S GRILL	12	13	14 <u>JOHN EARLE MAINORD</u> 6P THE RUSTIC - PO <u>JEFF PLANKENHORN 8P</u> OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS <u>MATT HARLAN WITH JONNY BURKE 8:30P</u> DOSEY DOE-BREAKFAST BBQ & WHISKEY BAR	15 <u>JB BARNETT 12:30P</u> THE RUSTIC - PO <u>NHC DULCIMER JAM</u> 2PM ADVENT LUTHERAN <u>JOSHUA RAY WALKER</u> 7P MUCKY DUCK <u>JACKIE VENSON 8P</u> OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS <u>KINGSTON TRIO 8:30P</u> DOSEY DOE
16 <u>SHAKE RUSSELL AND MICHAEL HEARNE 5P</u> FULSHEAR HSE CNCRT RSVP REQUIRED	17 <u>BLUEGRASS JAM 6P</u> CYPRESS TX  <u>MLK GRANDE PARADE</u> <u>EL LAGO IRISH SESH</u> 6P CHELSEA WINE BAR	18 <u>ACOUSTIC OPEN MIC</u> 6P SWANNY'S GRILL	19	20 <u>MY ONE AND ONLY 8P</u> OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS	21 <u>REV. HORTON HEAT</u> 6:30P AND 9P OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS	22 <u>BLUEGRASS JAM 12P</u> KLEB WOODS NTR CNTR TOMBALL TX <u>KYM WARNER AND WARREN HOOD 7P</u> MUCKY DUCK <u>RICHARD O'TOOLE 8P</u> OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS
23	24 <u>BLUEGRASS JAM 6P</u> CYPRESS TX <u>EL LAGO IRISH SESH</u> 6P CHELSEA WINE BAR	25 <u>ACOUSTIC OPEN MIC</u> 6P SWANNY'S GRILL <u>GUILIA MILLANTA & AMANDA PASCALI 7P</u> MUCKY DUCK	26 <u>AMANDA PASCALI & GUILIA MILLANTA</u> OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC 7:30P GALVESTON, TX	27 <u>LESLIE MENDELSON 8P</u> OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC 8P GALVESTON, TX	28 <u>HEATHER LITTLE, TERRY KLEIN</u> STEFAN PRIGMORE OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS	29 <u>RACHAEL KILGORE & SCOTT COOK 8P</u> OLD QUARTER ACOUSTIC GALVESTON, TEXAS
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PLEASE CHECK LINKS FOR DETAILS, CHANGES OR CANCELLATIONS.

CALENDAR EVENTS MAY INCLUDE GENRES OTHER THAN FOLK MUSIC.

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Downtown and Uptown
(Post Oak) locations!

Houston's Premier Brew Pub
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in Texas

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

Drillers Reunion: Spindletop Anniversary
January 8, 2022 10a to 4p
Live reenactments. Live Music.
Blacksmithing and printing
demonstrations. Take part in crafts and
games. Live music and food!



Inside and Outside the Library
Live Music!

Galveston “Book Festival” - Library Book Sale
Games and kids activities
Petting zoo - Face Painting
Rummage sale – Own a piece of Library history!
2nd floor “treasure” hunt
Galveston Artists Abroad exhibit
Food trucks

HTX
Market
EAT. SHOP. ❤️ DO GOOD.

January Calendar



SATURDAY, JANUARY 15, 2022 AT 5 PM – 9 PM



Shake Russell & Michael Hearne

January 16th, 2022
At Fulshear House Concerts
RESERVATION REQUIRED



Start Date: 20 January, 2022
End Date: 30 January, 2022
will be digitally streamed due to
Coronavirus COVID-19.

**15th Annual Houston
Irish Stew Cook-off
and Music Festival!**

Saturday, February 5th, 2022
**11:00am to 6:00pm - Cook-off, Vendor
booths and Live Music**
5:15pm (outside) Awards and Raffles
6:00pm - 11:00pm - Live Music and DJs



CALL FOR VISUAL ARTISTS

Bayou City Art Festival Memorial Park • March 25 - 27, 2022
Application Deadline: December 5th Entry Fee: \$45

[Application](#)



**In-person dances for Houston have
been suspended (again).**
**Zoom dances from Houston and Austin
every Friday from 7:30-9:30**



HOUSTON DISTRICT

ROYAL SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE SOCIETY

**ONLINE ONLY CURRENTLY
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**
Tuesday evenings at 7:30pm
Scottish Country dance class!



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

For More Information!

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



San Francisco Folk Music Club

Friends and families making home-grown music together



Camp Harmony Online

We will again raise voices and mugs and merriment to ring in the New Year together.

Thursday 30th December 2021 through Sunday 2nd January 2022

JANUARY GATHERING & JOB FAIR

JANUARY 7-9, 2022

GIVES CLAN CAMPERS AND FRIENDS OF FAIRE EXTRA TIME TO WORK ON THEIR CAMPSITES BEFORE WE OPEN, AND GIVES PEOPLE WHO WISH TO WORK AT THE FAIRE A CHANCE TO MEET POTENTIAL EMPLOYERS



Expanding Your Folk Song

Repertoire with Shay Black

ONLINE – January 10, 2022 at 7:30pm

FREIGHT & SALVAGE



New England Folk Festival Assn's
Ralph Page Virtual Event
January 16, 2022
"Keeping the Flame Alive"! Let's
talk about sharing the dance and
music that we love.



Northern Roots
Traditional Music Festival!
Friday, January 28th, 2022 and
Saturday, January 29, 2022
Brattleboro Music Center
Brattleboro, VT 05301

Peter Yarrow and Noel Paul Stookey
(of Peter, Paul & Mary)
March 4th and 5th 2022





INTERNATIONAL FESTIVALS & TOURS



an eight-day celebration of music, arts and culture set in Derry's Cultural Quarter in Great James Street, and other locations throughout the city.

Winter School 2022
PITLOCHRY, SCOTLAND
20 Feb – 25 Feb
classes, social dances, tours and,
the famous ball at Blair Castle.



JUST FOLKING AROUND



[Handmade Music School](#) - A different lesson every week!



[Jan Seides](#) winner of Austin 2020 Music Instructor Award, piano, voice or guitar. Children and Adults.



[Freight & Salvage](#) education events!



[Become or find a Mentor](#) - learn or help someone learn traditional music!



[Join an Irish Fiddle Session](#)



[Ould Sod Virtual Traditional Irish Session](#)



[Santa Clara Valley Fiddlers Monthly Jam](#)



[Old Time Jams and Other Genres \(Calendar\)](#)



[Su & Jules's Online Old Time Session](#)



[Golden Link / Webster Folk Jam Online](#)



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



[Golden Link Folk Singing Society Virtual Sing Arouds](#)



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



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[North Bay Country Dance Saturday Evening Waltz Parties on Zoom](#)



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[Folklore Society of Greater Washington - Dances](#)



[Folk Alliance Internation Live Stream Concerts Calendar](#)



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[Virtual Dream Café - concerts](#)



[Any Sunday Songwriters - concerts](#)



[Southwest Pickers Covenant Series 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)



**PLEASE KEEP OUR HISTORIC ORGANIZATION ALIVE DURING THIS PANDEMIC.
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/acoustic music. Activities include the following monthly events: *Second Saturday Concerts*, **Monday night song circle/meetings**, and **Pickin' Parties**. **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/acoustic music and other folklore activities in the greater Houston area.**

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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 Enclosed is additional tax deductible donation to nonprofit organization.

For information contact:

Thank you!

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