THE COTTON PATCH RAG

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Note from the Editor: This is my last issue as editor of the Cotton Patch Rag. I've been editor for 29 years, but I will be moving to Portland, Oregon in the middle of August. Carolyn Davis and Andy Longo will be taking over as co-editors. They will probably continue to print a few paper copies of the newsletter for two more months before continuing with an all-digital format.

There will be no Second Saturday Concert until September, but in September the volunteers who work the concert could USE SOME HELP! I won't be there to work at the food table, and neither Andy Longo nor Gayle Fallon will have returned from their summer travels. In addition, rumor has it that volunteers and board members Deb and Steve Baltzell are also moving out of Houston. Please consider volunteering so that the Folklore/Music Society can continue to produce these concerts. You can contact any of the Folklore officers listed on the back page of this newsletter if you would like more information – or you can just show up at 6 PM on the night of the concert and get to work. If you would rather not work, how about bringing a batch of cookies for sale at the food table?

Christine Hartman

Upcoming Second Saturday Concerts:

Sept 10: Still on the Hill Nov 12: Bettman and Halpin

AUGUST PICKIN' PARTY

Bob Livingston

Oct 8:

There will be a pickin' party on **Sunday**, **August 28** (fourth Sunday) at Anderson Fair 2-6 PM hosted by **Bob Felder** and some of the other volunteers at Anderson Fair. The host will provide a main dish, ice, soft drinks, plates & utensils, etc., and Anderson Fair will sell beer and wine to those who wish it. Don't forget your instruments! Guests are welcome. This is your chance to say: "I played at Anderson Fair"!

Directions: Anderson Fair is located at 2007 Grant at Welch, just off Montrose near Westheimer, behind Texas Art Supply. There is a map on their website: www.andersonfair.com.

HFMS BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

There will be a board of directors meeting on **Thursday, August 11** at 7:30 PM. The location is still undecided. Phone Paul at 713-204-1207 (cell) or Christine (landline) at 281-495-2923 for more information. The board members are Paul Cooper, Carl Brainerd, and Carolyn Davis, Christine Hartman, Andy Longo, Gayle Fallon, Rick Wilson, Steve Baltzell, and Debra Baltzell.

LAST MONTH'S HAPPENINGS

John and Lynn Latch hosted a pickin' party on Sunday, July 24. John had invited friends from the Cowboy Church he attends, so we had some new faces and some fine musicians in the circle. There was lots of good food (I hope eating fresh fruit counteracts all the desserts that I ate). The neighborhood center was a very nice facility for a party. The outside temperature was in the high 90s that day, and most home air conditioners can't handle a group of 20 or 30 people, but this building did. Thank you John and Lynn!

UPCOMING EVENTS

NAVASOTA BLUES FESTIVAL

The Navasota Blues Festival will take place August 12-13 at the Grimes County Expo Center in Navasota. Performers include: Hash Brown & The Browntones, Bernie Pearl & Mike Barry, Trudy Lynn, Rob Roy Parnell, Chris Beard Band, Peterson Brothers, Markey Blue Band, Justin Johnson, Matthew Robinson & The Jelly Kings, and Milton Hopkins.

Navasota Blues Fest Tickets are now on sale and can be reserved by emailing <u>tickets@navasotabluesfest.org</u>. for more information: <u>www.navasotabluesfest.org</u>. Admission: Friday Evening - \$20; Saturday - \$30; Both Nights - \$40.



HOT RIZE + RED KNUCKLES AND THE TRAILBLAZERS

Hot Rize and Red Knuckles will perform a free concert at Miller Theatre in Hermann Park on August 20 at 8:15 PM.

Hot Rize

Colorado band Hot Rize has not only climbed to the top of the world as the International Bluegrass Music Association's very first Entertainers of the Year, but their stature has been recognized with a nomination for a bluegrass Grammy, a four-star

album review in Rolling Stone, and tours across four continents. Tim O'Brien, Pete Wernick, Nick Forster, and Bryan Sutton make up Hot Rize. (Former member Charles Sawtelle passed away in 1999.)

The reasons for the acclaim remain obvious. Steeped in bluegrass tradition through long hours on the road spent listening to the genre's giants — their very name is a knowing nod to Flatt & Scruggs' long-time flour mill sponsor. Hot Rize's music is equally informed by a taste for the music of Leadbelly and Freddie King, swing, old-time Appalachia and more in ways that mirror the broad sweep of Bill

Monroe's influences. And while their respect for tradition is easy to hear (and, thanks to their suits and vintage neckties, easy to see), the fresh elements they bring were enough to earn them the devotion of audiences.

Hot Rize tours nationwide to please not only longtime fans of the band, but also countless new fans who've discovered bluegrass and Americana music in more recent times. Says the group's guitarist, Bryan Sutton, "Nobody's been a bigger Hot Rize fan than me, and that's a perspective I've tried to maintain as a member of the band. I'm excited about this new record, and I can't wait to introduce new fans to the Hot Rize experience."

Red Knuckles and the Trailblazers

Red Knuckles and the Trailblazers is a band that travels in the back of the Hot Rize bus and occasionally spells their employers on stage. The foursome (Red Knuckles, Wendell Mercantile, Waldo Otto, and Swade) plays 40's and 50's country music as well as you might expect from people who have mostly listened to the same jukebox for most of their lives. That jukebox, at the Eat Cafe in Wyoming, Montana, is where Red and the boys first met Hot Rize and agreed to leave their home to pursue fortune and fame.

The "fortune" part notwithstanding, the 'Blazers did become famous for their original brand of entertainment, featuring band choreography and Wendell's "take-off" guitar with fringe to match his outfit. There are people who say that Red Knuckles and Hot Rize are the same. No one knows where any of those people are now....

This is a ticketed event for the covered seating area. Free tickets are available (4 per person over age 16 while they last) at the Miller Outdoor Theatre box office the day of the performance between the hours of 10:30am-1pm. If tickets remain at 1pm, the box office will re-open one hour before show time to distribute the remaining tickets. As always, open seating on the hill.

MILLER OUTDOOR THEATRE

Miller Outdoor Theatre in Hermann Park. http://milleroutdoortheatre.com

August 2, 4, 6: Much Ado About Nothing. Shakespeare comedy produced by U of H. 8:15 PM

August 3, 5, 7: Henry V. Shakespeare drama produced by University of Houston. 8:15 PM

August 11 & 12: Little Women, The Musical, by AD Players. 8:30 PM.

August 17: Dance Theatre of Harlem

August 18: The Piano Men – Salute to Elton John & Billy Joel performed by Broadway veterans Craig A. Meyer and Donnie Kehr, accompanied by backup singers and The Rocket Band. 8:15 PM.

August 19: Classic Albums Live Presents David Bowie's Ziggy Stardust. 8:15 PM.

August 20: Hot Rize + Red Knuckles. 8:15 PM.

August 26: What's Going On: The Marvin Gaye Experience. Brian Owen's tribute to Marvin Gaye. 8 PM.

RADNEY FOSTER COFFEE HOUSE CONCERT

Radney Foster will perform at *Coffee House LIVE!* On August 25 at 7 PM. Coffee House Live is a musical outreach of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Doors open at 6:30 PM and the show is at 7:00 PM. As always, there is no cover charge. St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church is located at 5308 Buffalo Speedway at the corner of Bissonnet and Buffalo Speedway in West University Place.

Radney Foster is a legendary Texas singer-songwriter / producer with a perfect country voice. With a career spanning 30 years, he's had thirteen songs on the Billboard charts, including the Top Ten hits "Just Call Me Lonesome" and "Nobody Wins". He's written and produced songs for Randy Rogers, Jack Ingram, Kacey Musgraves, Wade Bowen, Josh Abbott, Pat Green, Cory Morrow and many others. His songs are regularly mined by superstar acts like Keith Urban ("Raining on Sunday," "I'm In,"), Sara Evans ("Real Fine Place," "Revival") and the Dixie Chicks ("Godspeed"). For more information, check out: http://www.radneyfoster.com

AUSTIN CITY LIMITS MUSIC FESTIVAL

The Austin City Limits Music Festival in Zilker Park, Austin will take place over two weekends in September and October. This festival usually sells out early, so if you are interested, book early!

Weekend 1: September 30-October 2, 2016

Weekend 2: October 7-9, 2016

11AM-10PM each day

Festival Location: Zilker Park, 2100 Barton Springs Rd, Austin, Texas 78704. There is a lot of information on the website www.aclfest.com. The massive performers line-up is listed at: www.aclfestival.com/lineup/.

REPRINT FROM COTTON PATCH RAG MARCH 1979

Will The Circle Be Unbroken

By Camilla Horne

The last surviving member of the Original Carter Family, Sara Dougherty Carter Bayes, passed away on January 8, 1979 at the age of 81. Her cousin, Maybelle Addington Carter, died less than three months earlier on October 23, 1978, age 69. A.P. (Alvin Pleasant "Doc") Carter, Sara's first husband, was also 69 years old when he died, on November 7, 1960.

The distinctive Carter Family sound, the basis of which was (1) A.P.'s collecting and arranging, (2) Maybelle's guitar, and (3) Sara's lead singing was influenced in part by a Negro named Lester Riddle, several of whose songs they recorded. Maybelle's guitar style copied the Negro one, and their voices were based on this. While A.P. did sing lead on occasion, normally Sara sang lead or solo while playing second guitar or autoharp behind Maybelle's lead guitar. A.P. did not play any instrument in their commercial recordings (although he did play some guitar on Texas radio and played the fiddle as well) but sang bass.

The trio began playing together in 1926 when Maybelle married A.P.'s brother Ezra and moved to Maces Spring, VA, where Sara and A.P. lived. In answer to a newspaper ad, they auditioned for Ralph Peer of the Victor Taking Machine Company (RCA) in Bristol, TN about 25 miles from their home. Their first recording was "Bury Me Under the Weeping Willow" and this plus the other five songs they cut on August 1, 1927 ("Little Log Cabin By the Sea," "The Poor Orphan Child," "The Storms Are On the Ocean", "Single Girl, Married Girl", and "Wandering Boy") were chosen for commercial release. They were the only group to have so many songs accepted from this historic session which also saw the

first recording of Jimmie Rodgers. They continued playing together after Sara's divorce from A.P. and recorded more than 250 songs until their final recording session on October 14, 1941. In their first recordings, Sara and Maybelle played guitar and sang behind A.P.'s bass singing.

For many years, The Carter Family theme song was "Keep On the Sunny Side." A.P.'s own compositions, such as "Jimmy Brown, the Newsboy" and "I'm Thinking Tonight of My Blue Eyes," along with their arrangements of traditional songs, became the standard versions among country singers.

Ralph Peer not only recorded them for RCA but secured the publishing rights for his Southern Music Publishing Company. He suggested that all their songs be copyrighted in A.P.'s name even though A.P. was not, and made no claim to be, the composer of most of the ones they recorded. [Peer did the same with Jimmie Rogers.] Peer's interest, of course, was in the financial gain to his own company but it set a precedent for copyrighting traditional music, or other people's songs which became highly controversial during the folk boom of the sixties.

A FOND FAREWELL AND HUGE "THANK YOU" TO A CORNERSTONE OF THE HOUSTON FOLKLORE AND MUSIC SOCIETY.

(by Carolyn Davis)

This month, August 2016, we bid farewell to one of the longest serving and hardest working members of the Houston Folklore and Music Society (HFMS). If you are an attendee of our Second Saturday Concerts, you will recognize her as one of the people who works the food concessions table, and you might know her for the delicious brownies and other fresh baked goods she makes each month. That task is just the tip of the iceberg of her volunteer service.

Christine Hartman has been a member of HFMS since about 1981. She has been editor of the Cotton Patch Rag since 1987. She assisted Gay Pangle with Second Saturday food concessions from 1990 until about 2009, at which point she took over the task of manager. Christine served as treasurer of the organization in 1995 and 1996 and, again, for the past twelve years. She created, and has since managed the data bases for membership, Second Saturday information and more. All the announcements about HFMS events, like Second Saturday and Pickin' Parties, have been sent by Christine. She has managed the arrangements for our first Monday meetings/song circles, and she has organized volunteer hosts for Pickin' Parties. She also hosted the HFMS Board of Directors meetings at her home for many years, and still brings her home-made rhubarb cake to the board meetings. Christine has provided all these, and many more volunteer services, with a smile and an efficiency that makes these important, sometimes challenging, and always labor intensive tasks look easy. When she announced in the HFMS Board of Directors meeting that she was moving out of state, the comment made was "It will take at least five volunteers to complete all the tasks that Christine has been doing for the organization." As the duties are now being assigned to other volunteers, it appears that was a gross underestimate. Her contributions have been priceless.

We wish Christine well on her new adventures. She has recently retired from her career as statistician and is moving, along with her lovely dogs, to Oregon this month. She will be sorely missed, not only for all the volunteer service she has provided, but for her kindness, her loyalty and her songs.

Thank you, Christine, for doing all you have done and for being who you are. You will be greatly missed.

THAT'S THE GEM OF IRELAND'S CROWN

This is another very traditional-sounding song that was actually written by a known composer. "Star of the County Down" was written by Cathal McGarvey, who was actually from County Donegal and lived from 1866 to 1927. The tune, however, is similar to several older pieces, including several hymns. A "boreen" is a term for a narrow, unpaved road in rural Ireland. My favorite version is the one recorded in 1988 by Van Morrison with The Chieftains, which you can hear at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QSvVVzH3O5E, or on the Audio Archive page of the HFMS website at https://houstonfolkmusic.org/HFS Audio Archive.html.

STAR OF THE COUNTY DOWN

By Cathal McGarvey

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G

Em

In Banbridge Town in Em	n the Co Bm	unty D	own
One morning last Jul	у,		
Em		G	D
From a boreen greer Em	n came a	a swee	t colleen
And she smiled as sl	he passe	ed me D	by.
She looked so sweet	t from he	er two l Bm	oare feet
To the sheen of her	nut brow G	n hair.	D
Such a coaxing elf, s	_	ook my	/self
For to see I was real	ly there.		
Chorus:			
G	D		
From Bantry Bay up	to Derry	' Quay	and
Em B	3m		
From Galway to Dub	lin Towr	٦,	
Em	G		D
No maid I've seen lik	e the br	own co	olleen
That I met in the Cou	inty Dov	vn	

As she onward sped, sure I scratched my head,
And I looked with a feelin' rare,
And I says, says I, to a passer-by,
"Who's the maid with the nut brown hair?"
He smiled at me and he says, says he,
"That's the gem of Ireland's crown.
Young Rosie McCann from the banks of the Bann,
She's the star of the County Down."

Chorus

At the Harvest Fair she'll be surely there
And I'll dress in my Sunday clothes,
With my shoes shone bright and my hat cocked right
For a smile from my nut brown rose.
No pipe I'll smoke, no horse I'll yoke
Till my plough turns rust coloured brown.
Till a smiling bride by my own fireside
Sits the star of the County Down

Chorus



The 32 traditional counties of Ireland

********CALENDAR FOR AUGUST, 2016*******

Compiled by Christine Hartman
See last page for phone numbers and addresses of clubs.

<< HFMS EVENTS>>

Monday, 08/01-----

• **Song Circle**, 7:30 PM, at the Jewish Community Center at 5601 South Braeswood Blvd 77096.

Thursday, 08/11 -----

 Song Board of Directors meeting, 7:30 PM. Location still unknown at this time.

Sunday, 08/28-----

 Pickin' party hosted by Bob Felder at Anderson Fair, 2007 Grant at Welch.

<<<<u>EVENTS AROUND TOWN>>></u>

Monday, 08/01-----

- **HFMS Song Circle**, 7:30 PM, at the Jewish Community Center at 5601 South Braeswood Blvd 77096.
- Open mic, Mucky Duck, 6:30 PM.

Tuesday, 08/02-----

- Bluegrass jam 1st Tuesday of month, 7 PM, Fuddruckers, League City.
- Scott Brown & Friends (7:30 PM). Dosey Doe Music Café
- Al Staehely (7:30 PM). Mucky Duck
- Blues Jam, Big Easy.
- Scottish Country Dancing every Tuesday, 7:30PM.
 Immanuel Lutheran Church in the Heights at 306 E. 15th Street.

Wednesday, 08/03 -----

- Curse & The Cure (7:30 PM). Dosey Doe Music Café.
- Hard Times Troubadours (7 PM). JP Hops House
- Bart Crow (8 PM). Main Street Crossing (Tomball)
- Irish session. Mucky Duck 7:30 PM.
- Bluegrass jam (6:30 PM). Hickory Hollow (Heights)
- Hard Times Soup and Music Kitchen with guest Bryan Hayes 7 PM. JP Hops House.

Thursday, 08/04-----

- Bob Pangle, Glen Pangle, Christine Hartman, and Barack Obama's birthday!
- Dana Cooper (8:30 PM). Dosey Doe Music Café.
- **John Conlee** (8 PM). Main Street Crossing (Tomball)
- Tres Womack (7 PM). Grand Old Grizzly (9:30 PM), Mucky Duck
- Open mic. Old Quarter, Galveston.

<u>Friday, 08/05</u>-----

- Jon Dee Graham & Jamie Lin Wilson (8 PM). Bugle Boy (LaGrange)
- Scott Mulvahill (8:30 PM). Dosey Doe Music Café.

- Shinyribs, Dosey Doe (Big Barn).
- Bluegrass Solution (7 PM). Hickory Hollow (Heights)
- Johnny & The Spinsations (8 PM). Main Street Crossing (Tomball)
- Wood & Wire (7 PM). Emily Gimble (9:30 PM). Mucky Duck
- Larry Joe Taylor. Old Quarter (Galveston)
- Jonas and Jane 9 PM. JP Hops House

Saturday, 08/06-----

- Joe King Carrasco, Danny B. Harvey, Linda Gail Lewis (8 PM). Bugle Boy (LaGrange)
- Dixie Chicks. Cynthia Woods Mitchell Pavilion.
- Harmonica Fest with Sonny Boy Terry. Dan Electro's Guitar Bar
- The Lettermen (dinner, show; 8:30 PM). Dosey Doe Big Barn.
- Bethany Becker. Dosey Doe Music Café.
- Tunasin (5:30 PM). Hickory Hollow (Heights).
- Shay Domann (8 PM). Main Street Crossing (Tomball)
- The Peterson Brothers (7 PM); Andrew Duhon (9:30 PM). Mucky Duck
- The Bells, Hank Schyma, Old Quarter (Galveston)

Sunday, 08/07-----

- NSAI open mic with T.C. Smythe. 6 PM. JP Hops House.
- Houston Songwriter Series (8-10 PM). Dean's Downtown

Monday, 08/08 -----

• Open mic, Mucky Duck, 6:30 PM.

Tuesday, 08/09-----

- Jerry Castle (7:30 PM). Mucky Duck.
- Open mic all-star competition. Dosey Doe Music Café.
 7 PM.

Wednesday, 08/10-----

- Irish Session. 7:30 PM., Mucky Duck.
- Bluegrass jam (6:30 PM). Hickory Hollow (Heights)
 Junior Gordon, Market Street Junction & David
 Grace (8 PM). Dosey Doe Music Café
- Open mic. Old Quarter, Galveston.
- Hard Times Soup and Music Kitchen guest Willie B and Kim Kyle, 7 PM. JP Hops House

Thursday, 08/11-----

- Robyn Ludwick (7 PM); Jerry Douglas (9:30 PM).

 Mucky Duck.
- Little Women, The Musical, by AD Players. 8:30 PM. Miller Theatre, Hermann Park. Free.

- Slim Bawb & The Fabulous Stump Grinders (8:30 PM). Dosey Doe Music Café
- Phil Vasssar (8 PM). Main Street Crossing (Tomball)

Friday, 08/12-----

- Charlie Faye & The Fayettes (7 PM); Max Stalling (9:30 PM). Mucky Duck.
- Little Women, The Musical, by AD Players. 8:30 PM.
 Miller Theatre, Hermann Park. Free.
- The Bells, Leslie Krafka (9 PM). Old Quarter (Galveston)
- Lonestar Bluegrass Band (7 PM). Hickory Hollow (Heights)
- Michael Grimm Band (dinner, show; 8:30 PM). Dosey Doe (Big Barn).
- Mike Donnell Band (CD release; 8:30 PM). Dosey Doe Music Café
- Moe Bandy (8 PM). Main Street Crossing (Tomball)
- Patrice Pike (8 PM). Bugle Boy (LaGrange)
- Texas Songwriter Showcase with guest Annie Benjamin and host Willie B, 9 PM. JP Hops House
- Hash Brown & The Browntones, Bernie Pearl & Mike Barry, Trudy Lynn, Rob Roy Parnell, Chris Beard Band, Peterson Brothers, Markey Blue Band, Justin Johnson, Matthew Robinson & The Jelly Kings, Milton Hopkins. Navasota Blues Festival.

Saturday, 08/13-----

- Jack Saunders (7 PM); Mike Stinson (9:30 PM). Mucky Duck.
- Cypress Creek Bluegrass (5:30 PM). Hickory Hollow (Heights)
- Traveler, Millbend Coffeehouse, The Woodlands.
- Robert Cline Jr., Al Staehely, John Staehely & Evelyn Rubio. Old Quarter (Galveston)
- **Big Bad VooDoo Daddy** (dinner, show; 8:30 PM). Dosey Doe (Big Barn).
- Uncle Lucius (9:30 PM). Dosey Doe Music Café
- Abbey Rode, Already Gone (8 PM). Main Street Crossing (Tomball)
- Frank Martin Gilligan (8 PM). Bugle Boy (LaGrange)
- Gary P. Nunn (8 PM). Redneck Country Club (Stafford)
- Moe Hansum Blues Band, 9 PM. JP Hops House

<u>Sunday</u>, 08/14-----

- Geno Delafose & French Rockin' Boogie, Step Rideau & the Zydeco Outlaws, Keyun & the Zydeco Masters (2 PM). St. Anne De Beaupre Catholic Church
- Silver Shoes (7 PM). Bernhardt Winery (Plantersville)
- **MacKenzie Phillips** (CD release; 7 PM. *10-year-old Christian singer*). Dosey Doe Music Café
- Houston Songwriters Association Meeting, 2 PM. Open Mic at 6 PM. JP Hops House
- Houston Songwriter Series (8-10 PM). Dean's Downtown

Monday, 08/15-----

- **Celtic song circle** (third Monday), 7:30 PM. Kelvin Arms.
- Open mic, Mucky Duck, 6:30 PM.

Open mic all-star competition. Dosey Doe Music Café.
 7 PM

Tuesday, 08/16-----

- Houston Storyteller's Guild meets on third Tuesdays,
 7:00-8:30 PM, Metropolitan Multi-Service Center, 1475
 W. Gray.
- Brant Croucher (7:30 PM). Mucky Duck.
- Open mic all-star competition finals. Dosey Doe Music Café. 7 PM.
- Scottish Country Dancing every Tuesday, 7:30PM.
 Immanuel Lutheran Church in the Heights at 306 E.
 15th Street.

Wednesday, 08/17-----

- Irish session 7:30 PM. Mucky Duck.
- Will Hoge, Levi Parham (8 PM). Main Street Crossing (Tomball)
- Hard Times Soup and Music Kitchen with guest The Better Halves, 7 PM. JP Hops House
- Mark Jungers (7:30 PM). Dosey Doe Music Café
- Bluegrass jam (6:30 PM). Hickory Hollow (Heights)

Thursday, 08/18-----

- **Jim Curry** presents the music of John Denver (8 PM). Main Street Crossing (Tomball)
- The Piano Men Salute to Elton John & Billy Joe. Miller Theatre, Hermann Park. 8:15 PM. Free.
- Tish Hinojosa (7 PM). Mucky Duck.
- Ed Jurdi & Jordi Quist. Old Quarter (Galveston)

Friday, 08/19 -----

- Adam Carroll & Chris Carroll (8 PM). Bugle Boy (LaGrange)
- Mystery Loves Company (8 PM). Old Quarter (Galveston)
- The Pedrito Martinez Group (dinner, show; 8:30 PM). Dosey Doe (Big Barn).
- Hamilton Loomis (8 PM). Main Street Crossing (Tomball)
- Kimberly M'Carver (7 PM). Hickory Hollow (Heights)
- 15th Annual Spudstock Day 1. Shake Russell. JP Hops House
- Chip Taylor & Carrie Rodriguez (7 PM); Adam Hood (9:30 PM). Mucky Duck.
- Chubby Knuckle Choir (8:30 PM). Dosey Doe Music Café

Saturday, 08/20-----

- Hot Rize and Red Knuckles and the Trailblazers,
 Miller Theatre, Hermann Park. 8:15 PM. Free.
- Shake Russell & Michael Hearne (7:30 PM), Mucky Duck.
- James McMurtry (8 PM). Main Street Crossing (Tomball)
- **Doug MacLeod** (8 PM). Bugle Boy (LaGrange)
- Pure Prairie League (dinner, show; 8:30 PM). Dosey Doe (Big Barn).
- Cody Jasper (8:30 PM). Dosey Doe Music Café

- 15th Annual Spudstock Day 2. Dodd Eastham,
 Remnants of Polaris and Hardtime Troubadours. JP
 Hops House
- **The Blenders** (5:30 PM). Hickory Hollow (Heights)
- North Harris County Dulcimer Society. Advent Lutheran Church, 5820 Pinemont Drive, Houston, 77092. Autoharp and hammer dulcimer starting at 2:00 PM, Mountain dulcimer at 3:00 PM, business meeting at 4 PM. Jamming 4:30-7 PM.
- Bay Area Bluegrass Association monthly meeting, concert, and jam session. Jamming begins about 5 and show continues to 11 PM. League City Civic Center, 300 Walker St., League City, TX. (Exit on FM 518 from I-45 and head east towards League City. Turn right on Hwy. 3, and turn right on Walker St.)

Sunday, 08/21-----

- Sawyer Fredericks Band (7:30 PM). Dosey Doe (Big Barn).
- Raul Malo (8 PM). Main Street Crossing (Tomball)
- Gospel Night with Old Fashion Sing. (6:30 PM). Dosey Doe Music Café.
- 15th Annual Spudstock Day 3 Spudrific. Open Mic 6 PM. JP Hops House
- Houston Songwriter Series (8-10 PM). Dean's Downtown

Monday, 08/22-----

Open mic, Mucky Duck, 6:30 PM.

Tuesday, 08/23-----

- Sunny Sweeney & Brennen Leigh (7:30 PM). Mucky Duck.
- Scottish Country Dancing every Tuesday, 7:30PM.
 Immanuel Lutheran Church in the Heights at 306 E.
 15th Street.

Wednesday, 08/24-----

- Irish Session. 7:30 PM. Mucky Duck
- Lyle Lovett & His Large Band. Hobby Center.
- Hard Times Soup and Music Kitchen with guest Keith Rea, 7 PM. JP Hops House
- Bluegrass jam (6:30 PM). Hickory Hollow (Heights)

Thursday, 08/25-----

- Radney Foster (7 PM). St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
- James Hand (7 PM); Cody Jasper, Hayden Jones, Libby Koch, Charlie Harrison, Matt Harlan, Charles Bryant (9:30 PM). Mucky Duck.
- Houston Blues Society Monthly Jam (with In Touch Band featuring Roger Valentine, 9:30 PM). Big Easy
- The Fixx (dinner, show; 8:30 PM). Dosey Doe (Big Barn).
- Walt Wilkins (8 PM). Main Street Crossing (Tomball)

Friday, 08/26-----

• Shake Russell & Michael Hearne. Anderson Fair.

- Jimmy Lafave (7 PM); South Austin Moonlighters (9:30 PM). Mucky Duck.
- Brian Owen's tribute to Marvin Gaye. 8 PM. Miller Theatre, Hermann Park. Free.
- Terri Hendrix & Lloyd Maines. Old Quarter (Galveston)
- Radney Foster (8 PM). Bugle Boy (LaGrange)
- Mark Chesnutt (dinner, show; 8:30 PM). Dosey Doe (Big Barn).
- Brandon Rhyder (8:30 PM). Dosey Doe Music Café
- Mike Zito (8 PM). Main Street Crossing (Tomball)
- Billy Joe Shaver (8 PM). Redneck Country Club (Stafford)
- Oddtoddler, 9 PM. JP Hops House
- Bordertown Ramblers (7 PM). Hickory Hollow (Heights)

Saturday, 08/27-----

- Ruby Jane & The Reckless (8 PM). Bugle Boy (LaGrange)
- Ken Gaines and Wayne Wilkerson, 9 PM. JP Hops House
- Max Stalling. Old Quarter (Galveston)
- Prophets & Outlaws (8:30 PM). Dosey Doe Music Café
- Lorrie Morgan (8 PM). Main Street Crossing (Tomball)
- Pat Gavin & the Buckaroo Band (5:30 PM). Hickory Hollow (Heights)

<u>Sunday</u>, 08/28-----

- Pickin' party hosted by Bob Felder at Anderson Fair, 2007 Grant at Welch.
- NSAI Song Swap 4 PM. Open Mic 6 PM. JP Hops House
- Houston Songwriter Series (8-10 PM). Dean's Downtown
- Lee Ann Womack (dinner, show; 7:30 PM). Dosey Doe (Big Barn).
- Chris Knight Band (7:30 PM). Dosey Doe Music Café

Monday, 08/29-----

• Open mic, Mucky Duck, 6:30 PM.

Tuesday, 08/30-----

- Jason Eady & Courtney Patton's Supper Club (7 PM).
 Dosey Doe Music Café
- Rich O'Toole (7:30 PM). Mucky Duck.
- Scottish Country Dancing every Tuesday, 7:30PM. Immanuel Lutheran Church in the Heights at 306 E. 15th Street.

Wednesday, 08/31-----

- Irish Session. 7:30 PM. Mucky Duck
- Bluegrass jam (6:30 PM). Hickory Hollow (Heights)
- Hard Times Soup and Music Kitchen with guest **Baizan** and **Zipper**, 7 PM. JP Hops House
- Summer Ashly (8 PM). Main Street Crossing (Tomball)

LIVE MUSIC IN THE HOUSTON AREA

*******INSIDE THE LOOP*******

ANDERSON FAIR - 2007 Grant. 832-767-2785. **ARMADILLO PALACE** - 5015 Kirby. 713-526-9700.

ARTERY - 5501 Jackson at Prospect St.

BAYOU MUSIC CENTER (Now Revention Music Center) - 520 Texas. 713-230-1666.

BIG EASY – 5731 Kirby. 713-523-9999.

BIG TOP LOUNGE - 3700 Main St.713-529-9899.

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