An Evening of Advanced Dancing with Swallowtail!

Saturday June 7, 8 to 11 pm Lovely Lane Church 2200 St Paul St., Baltimore

\$10 BFMS members/\$13 Non-members

The Baltimore Folk Music Society is excited to be hosting an evening of advanced dances with Swallowtail. Put on your dancing shoes and get ready to move -- we won't be standing in line for walk-throughs this evening! George Marshall and Tim Van Egmond plan to call a series of challenging dances with minimal teaching. Expect to do all your favorite contra dance figures, including contra corners.



Swallowtail, a New England-based band that has long been a contra dance favorite, features the music of David Cantieni on woodwinds, George Marshall on concertina and bodhran, Ross Grosslein on fiddle, Tim Van Egmond on hammered dulcimer, and Timm Triplett on keyboards. This is a dance you won't want to miss!

Catoctin Mountain Music & Dance Weekend

Friday June 20 - Sunday June 22 Camp Misty Mount, Thurmont, MD See enclosed flier for pricing

For more information, contact Alan at 410-647-2374.

Join us for the twenty-third annual spring Catoctin Weekend! Music, dancing, workshops, hiking, great food, and so much more! See the enclosed flier for details. Bring the whole family!

Have an idea for a workshop? Want to share your musical or other talents? Willing to help out but not sure what you can do? Contact Mike Franch at franch@juno.com

BFMS Sponsored Dances

BFMS English Country Dance*

St. Mark's on the Hill, 1620 Reisterstown Road, Pikesville

1/3 mile inside the Baltimore Beltway, at Exit 20 South

Monday evenings, 8 - 10:30 pm; New dancer workshop 7:45 pm on the first Monday of each month

English Country Dancing: Jane Austen did it (and wrote about it). George Washington did it (but not with Jane Austen). You can do it too! Each dance is taught and walked through. You don't have to bring a partner. We always have live music and friendly dancers ready to welcome and teach new dancers. Admission: \$10/\$7 for BFMS members & affiliates. Info: engdance@bfms.org or www.bfms.org

June 2

Michael Barraclough calling with Julia Gorka on piano, Walt Robinson on recorders, and Beck Ross on fiddle.

June 9

Sharon McKinley calling with the big band sound of The Geud Band of Baltimore.

June 16

Susan Taylor calling to tunes by Michael Friedman on piano, Carl Friedman on fiddle, and Robin Wilson on flute and concertina.

June 23

Rich Galloway calling with Jeff Steinberg on fiddle and Liz Donaldson and Jonathan Jensen taking turns playing piano and other instruments, including accordion, ocarina, and whistles.

June 30

Mike Franch calling to Judy Meyers on piano, Edie Stern on fiddle, and Marty Taylor on recorders, whistles, and concertina.

BFMS Board Meeting *

Tuesday, June 3, 7:30 pm

Board meetings are held on the first Tuesday of each month. Meetings are open to all BFMS members, and all are encouraged to attend. Ice cream social follows meeting. For directions, agenda, and other information, please contact the President (see page 7).

The June Board Meeting will include the official start of term of the newly elected board members (see page 7 for updated list).

BFMS American Contra & Square Dance*

Historic Lovely Lane Church, 2200 St Paul St., Baltimore

Wednesday evenings, 8 - 10:30 pm

New dancer orientation: 7:30 pm on 2nd and 4th Wednesdays each month

Music and dance styles include New England, Southern Appalachian, and Celtic. Nationally-known musicians and callers appear regularly, as well as local favorites. Dances are taught and walked through. No partner necessary. New dancers always welcome.

Admission: \$12/8 BFMS members and affiliates. Full-time students receive a \$3 discount. Snack contributions for the break are welcome. Info: amdance@bfms.org or www.bfms.org

June 4

Kathy Angell calls an evening of dances to local favorites Mortal Wombat: Carl Friedman on fiddle, Robin Wilson on flute and concertina, Ralph Barthine on guitar, and Michael Friedman on piano.

June 11

Open Band Night. Join local musicians as they put together an evening of fun tunes to accompany the calling of **Michael Barraclough**.

June 18

Ann Fallon calls to the Pillows of Society. Featuring Chris Romaine on fiddle and banjo, Paul Brown on banjo and fiddle, and Bruce Hutton on guitar.

June 25

DeLaura Padovan calls to the wonderful sounds of **Hickman, Glickman & Devine**: **Steve Hickman** on fiddle, **Marc Glickman** on piano, and **John Devine** on guitar.

Directions to Lovely Lane

From the north: Take I-83 south to the 28th Street/Druid Hill exit. Bera left and take 28th St. to Maryland Ave. Turn right on Maryland Ave then left on 23rd St.

From the south: I-95 to I-395, exiting for downtown baltimore onto S. Howard and turning right onto Pratt. Once on Pratt, turn left onto Charles and then right onto 23rd St.

Use parking lots on either side of 23rd St at St Paul. The church is on the right.

BFMS and Member Sponsored Dances & More

English Open Band Practice ‡

Sunday, Date TBA, 4-6 pm

This is a rehearsed open band for English dancing. Newcomers welcome. For information, contact Eileen Franch, 410-889-3252 or franch@juno.com. If you have given Eileen your email address and not heard from her, please contact her again. Some addresses were lost due to human error.

Baltimore Open Band Practice ‡

Sunday, June 8, 4 to 6 pm

Come toot, snap. fiddle, and plink with the ever-lovin' Baltimore Open Band. This group is a community gem whose members meet on the second Sunday of each month in Catonsville. All ages, instruments, and levels are truly welcome. For more info, contact Susan Taylor at 301-982-1107 or susantaylor@greenbelt.com

The Friendly Coffeehouse *

Friday, June 13, 8-11 pm

New venue! Calvary Baptist Church, 120 W Pennsylvania Ave., Towson

Acoustic performers, poets, storytellers, and others are invited to join us for our second Friday open mike night each month. Performers are asked to limit their slots to three songs or ten minutes. Friendly, supportive atmosphere with a music-loving audience that really listens! Refreshments available.

Join us for our debut at our cool new venue: Calvary Baptist Church, 120 W. Pennsylvania Ave., Towson. Parking lot in the back (yay!); piano inside (bravo!),

For info, call 410-825-0948; email <u>leahu@earthlink.net</u>; or check our website at <u>www.friendlycoffeehouse.org</u> on the day of the event for any last minute changes.

First Thursday Cajun Dance & Concert Series ‡

Thursday, June 5, 7:30 - 10:30 pm Los Arrieros, 7926 Georgia Ave, Silver Spring, MD

Squeeze Bayou with Brian Simms. Admission is \$10 per person; call 301-585-8813 for more details.

BFMS Family Dance *

Saturday, June 14, 5 pm, potluck at 6:30 St Mark's on the Hill, 620 Reisterstown Rd., Pikesville MD

We have a terrific family dance season finale planned! David Smukler from Syracuse, NY will delight all with his sense of humor, his great teaching ability, and his wide repertoire of dances. We are equally pleased to have Mortal Wombat sharing their music for this dance. As one young person said: "Mortal Wombat makes contra dance music rock". The band is Carl Friedman on fiddle and Irish flute, "Uncle" Ralph Barthine on guitar, Robin Wilson on concertina and flute, and Michael Friedman on piano and French-Canadian foot percussion. In honor of Flag Day, patriotic attire is encouraged. If the weather cooperates, bring a blanket and we will eat outside on the beautiful grounds of St. Mark's. Family dances take a break for the summer, but resume in September for our 15th anniversary. Admission is: \$5 members \$20 maximum member families, \$7 non-members \$28 maximum non-member families. No Experience necessary; you don't need to bring a partner.

For more information call the **BFMS** hotline at 410-366-0808 or Diane at 410-321-8419.

BFMS Second Saturday Contra Dance *

Saturday, June 14, 8 - 11 pm; new dancer orientation at 7:35 pm

St Mark's on the Hill, 620 Reisterstown Rd., Pikesville MD

On June 14th **David Smukler** of Syracuse. N.Y. will be joining with our favorite local marsupial band, **Mortal Wombat** for a fun evening of dancing. David's warmth, enthusiasm, and relaxed calling and teaching ensure that everyone has a terrific time. The evening will be full of delightful surprises because David is highly versatile in so many kinds and styles of dancing. Mortal Wombat's high energy and varied medleys are a good match for David's calling. Band members are: **Carl Friedman** on fiddle and Irish Flute, **Ralph Barthine** on guitar, **Robin Wilson** on concertina and flute, and **Michael Friedman** on piano and French Canadian foot percussion. This is an evening that you will not want to miss! Feel patriotic for Flag Day, wear patriotic attire or bring a special red, white, or blue treat to share at the break.

Admission: \$8 BFMS Members & Affiliates, \$12 non-members. Under 21 and full-time students with ID: \$5 members, \$6 non-members. Beginners, singles, couples, and families are welcome.

For more information call the **BFMS** hotline at 410-366-0808 or call Diane at 410-321-8419.

BFMS & Member Sponsored Dances & More

Fourth at Four Storyfolk *

Sunday, June 22, 4 pm

Towson Unitarian Universalist Church, 1700 Dulaney Valley Rd., Towson (One mile north of the Baltimore Beltway at Exit 27)

Storytellers and story enthusiasts get together to swap stories and performance ideas each month. This is an ideal place to try out new stories in front of a friendly and supportive audience. The Fourth at Four also plans and publicizes interesting performance opportunities in the greater Baltimore area. Please bring a beverage or a snack to share during the break. Everyone is welcome to join us, but we appreciate RSVPs so we don't inadvertently lock you out of the hall!

For information or to be added to our newsletter, contact B a r b a r a Woodey at 410-252-1438 or bellwoodey@prodigy.net; to RSVP, please contact Diane at 410-321-8419.

Buffalo Jambalaya Music & Dance Camp *

August 7 - 10 Camp Ramblewood, Darlington, MD www.buffalojambalaya.org

We are very excited to have you share with us our 20th anniversary. In 1989 our camp was called Buffalo on the Bayou and **The Mamou Playboys** was one of our first bands. How fitting that on our 20th year they are going to be with us to help celebrate!

Our camp is now located at Camp Ramblewood in rural Darlington, Md. We strive to introduce and educate our campers in the traditions of the Cajun and Creole cultures with our culture corner, cooking exhibitions, jam sessions with the musicians and music lessons on the accordion, fiddle, guitar, fratoire and triangle. We also offer voice lessons sung in the French Creole and Cajun dialects. There are dance lessons during the day as well as our "fais do do" (afternoon dance) and evening dances throughout the weekend.

And the food... Cajun./Creole food served for breakfast, lunch and dinner as well as an evening snack. You can dance all day and night or just relax and socialize with your friends and the musicians. Most of our campers have been coming to Buffalo Jambalaya for many, many years. We always have "first-timers" who become regulars.

Buffalo Jambalaya is a wonderful magical place where you make friends and enjoy seeing old friends.

International Folk Dancing:

Saturdays, 7:30-10:30 pm. Lesson in first hour. Homewood Friends Meeting House, 3107 N. Charles St.

Dances from Europe, Israel and other countries of the Near and Middle East. Beginners welcome; no partner necessary. Admission \$2; first time free. Al & Hildy Saunders 410-484-9392 (check answering machine message to confirm dancing is on) or Paul & Elise Kreiss 410-367-8194 (evenings & weekends) or pkreiss@toadmail.net Across Charles St. from Museum Drive (just east of Johns Hopkins). Enter down outside stairs from side porch. Call to arrange handicapped access.

Marriage Celebration Contra Dance ‡

Saturday, July 5, 2008, Time TBA Lovely Lane, 2200 St. Paul St.

Celebrate the new marriage between **Susanna Ruspi** and **Perry Shafran** with some hot contra dancing! We have one of Perry's favorite bands providing the hot party tunes, DC's own **Gypsy Meltdown**, featuring **Colleen Reed** on flute, sax, and percussion; **Kathy Kerr** on fiddle and mandolin; and **Keith Gillis** on guitar. **Dave Colestock** calls the figures. No gifts, please, but bring some desserts and snacks to share with the happy couple. Oh, did we mention that the dance is FREE? Come on down and enjoy some dancing on us!

Norwegian Dancing House Party ‡

Saturday June 21, potluck 6:30 pm, dancing 8 pm 6212 Twenty Year Chase, Columbia, MD

Norwegian springars are quite different from the familiar Swedish Hambo. Mesmerizing live music by Loretta Kelley (foremost in US) on the unique Hardanger fiddle (w/4-5 sympathetic strings located underneath the bowed strings-see hfaa.org). Beginners welcome--we'll show you the moves. Bring clean shoes, food to share, and \$\$ to contribute. Host is Debbie Weinreich: 410-953-0030. Info/directions: Jenny, pi@xecu.net, (301) 371-4312.

Other Contra & Square Dances

Friday Night Dancers

Fridays, 8:30 - 11:30 pm, Beginner Workshop 7:30 Spanish Ballroom, Glen Echo Park, MD

Contras with occasional squares. Live music. Beginners welcome. Admission is \$9, info@fridaynightdance.org

June 6

Kathy Anderson calls to Raise the Roof (Matthew Clarke, Pete Soloway, Judi Stellar, and Kathy Talvitie).

June 13

Dave Smukler calls to the fabulous Glen Echo Open Band.

June 20

George Marshall calls to Wild Asparagus. This band features Ann Percival on piano and guitar; David Cantieni on flute, whistles, sax, and bombard; Becky Tracy on fiddle; and George Marshall on concertina and bodhran.

June 27

Cis Hinkle calls to Hotpoint, who are Mark Burhans on fiddle, Hilarie Burhans on banjo, Marlene Shostak on piano, Mark Hellenberg on percussion, and Nick Weiland on bass.

Annapolis Traditional Dance Society Contra

Saturday, June 21, 7:00 p.m.; workshop 6:30 pm Annapolis Friends Meeting Hall, 351 Dubois Road

Gypsy Meltdown (Kathy Kerr, fiddle; Colleen Reed, flute; Keith Gillis, guitar) provides high energy music for dances called by a cadre of callers coordinated by Laura Brown.

All ages welcome. All dances taught and walked through. No experience or partner required. Snacks to share at the break are welcome!

\$8.00 members; \$10.00 non-members. 301-717-6454 or pshaf@yahoo.com; www.contradancers.com/atds

Frederick Contra Dance

Saturday, June 28, 8 pm; workshop 7 pm Trinity School, Frederick (by Harry Grove Stadium)

Cis Hinkle calls to Hotpoint String Band: Mark Burhans on fiddle, Hilarie Burhans on banjo, Marlene Shostak on piano, Mark Hellenberg on percussion, and Nick Weiland on bass.

Admission: \$8 general; \$5 Students; \$4 ages 12 and under. www.contradancers.com or call Boe Walker at 301.694.6794.

FSGW Sunday Night Squares & Contras

Sundays, 7:30 - 10:30 pm, Beginner Workshop 7 pm Glen Echo Park, MD

Contras and squares for new and experienced dancers. No partner necessary. New dancers please arrive early. Admission \$12, \$9 for members, \$4 ages 17 and under. For info contact Robert Cox dance@fsgw.org or www.fsgw.org

June 1 - In Spanish Ballroom

Swallowtail: David Cantieni on woodwinds; George Marshall on concertina, bodhran, & calling; Ron Grosslein on fiddle, Tim Van Egmond on hammered dulcimer & calling; and Timm Triplett on keyboards.

June 8 - In Bumper Car Pavilion

Kathy Anderson will be visiting from Ohio, bringing her great dances with her. The evening's music will be brought to you by some of our finest local talent, with **Marc Glickman** on keyboards, **Steve Hickman** on fiddle, and **John Devine** on guitar.

June 15 - In Bumper Car Pavilion

Atlantic Crossing, with the twin fiddling of Vivika Fox and Peter MacFarlane, plus Rick Klein on guitar and Brian Perkins on multiple instruments will bring their Vermont styling to the dance, with the terrific calling of Donna Hunt.

June 22 - In Spanish Ballroom

Wild Asparagus! Ann Percival on guitar and piano, Becky Tracy on fiddle, David Cantieni on woodwinds, Harry Aceto on bass, and George Marshall on concertina, bodhran, and calling.

June 29 - In Spanish Ballroom

Cis Hinkle of Atlanta calls to HotPoint String Band: Mark Hellenberg on percussion and banjo uke, Nick Weiland on bass, Marlene Shostak on piano, Hilarie Burhans on claw-hammer banjo. and Mark Burhans on fiddle.

Hot Squares, Summer Series

Thursday, June 12, 8 - 10:30 pm (new time!).

Glen Echo Park Bumper Car Pavilion (new place!)

The Hot Square Babes call squares to the sizzling music of **Tom & Matt & Geff** (**Tom Lyons**, fiddle; **Matt Levine**, guitar; **Geff King**, bass) Pack up a picnic dinner and dine *al fresco* before the dance.

All are invited to this party. Mark your calendars for future dances on July 10 and July 31. Admission: \$8:00. Refreshments to share are welcome. For info call 410-268-0231 or 301-947-2231, or visit www.hotsquares.info

Lancaster Contra dance

June 21, 7 to 10 pm; beginner workshop 6:15 pm. Lancaster County Park, Pavilion 11. Lancaster, PA

Contra dance featuring **Dan Black** calling to music by **All Hat** No Cattle. Potluck supper at 5:30 pm. \$7/\$4.

For information call Shane at (717) 431-7417 or www.lancastercontra.org.

Locust Lane Contra Dance

2nd & 4th Friday, 8 - 11 pm, Free workshop at 7:30 Christ the Savior Orthodox Church, 5501 Locust Lane, Harrisburg PA

Admission \$9/\$8 members. For more info or directions, contact Dave Colestock at 717-770-1477 or LocustLaneContra.freeservers.com

June 13

Dave Colestock calls to Miss Marty and SGB: Marty Blodgett on fiddle, Joe Crum on bass, Jess Youngquest on guitar and mandolin, and Rick Hoyt on mandolin and guitar.

June 27

Ann Fallon calling to the Gnutones: Bruce Young on fiddle, Peg Shutes on piano, and Henry Koretsky on guitar and mandolin.

Elverson Contra Dance

Saturday, June 7, 7:30 − 10:30 pm St Mary's Episcopal Church, 61 Morningside Dr, Elverson, PA

New England style contra dances, traditional squares, waltzes and more. No partner necessary. New dancers welcome. Beginner class at 7 pm. Children must be chaperoned.

Admission \$8.00; \$5.00 students (high school and younger) and seniors (65 and older). For more information, contact Nancy Katzen at 610-780-5667 or visit Ted Crane's website at http://tedcrane.com/PA/ECD/.

Arden Contra Dance

Sunday, June 1, 2 - 5 pm; lesson at 1:30 pm Arden Gild Hall, Arden, DE.

Tori Barone calling to Raise the Roof.

Admission \$9/ \$9 members. For info: (302) 478-7257 or http://www.taylorsmill.com/musicweb/ardnschl.htm

Other Dances

Glen Echo Afternoon Waltz

1st & 3rd Sundays, 3 pm lesson, 3:30 - 6 dancing. Spanish Ballroom, Glen Echo Park, Glen Echo, MD

Dance to a lively mix of folk waltzes with a few other couples dances, including Hambo, Schottische, Swing, Tango, and Admission is \$8 per person. For info: go to www.WaltzTimeDances.org, e-mail info@WaltzTimeDances.org, or call Glen Echo Park at 301-634-2222.

Sunday, June 15 **Rhapsody Dance Band**

Sunday, June 29 The Waltztrons

Scandinavian Dance Classes

Tuesdays and some Thursdays NIH, Bethesda, MD (ID required to enter facilities)

In the Beginning Class, learn Hambo, Schottish, Waltz, Zwiefacher, and other couple turning dances. Some Hambo is done every time. Tuesday, June 10, 7:30 - 9:30 pm. In the Advanced Class, learn dances from Boda, Orsa, Rättvick, Ragunda, and Föllinge, as well as Finnskogspols, Nigpolska, Gammalvänster, Springleik, and requests. Tuesdays June 3 and July 8, 7:30 - 9:30 pm

Singles, couples, beginners, and advanced dancers welcome. Sometimes live Swedish fiddle music. Wear smooth-soled shoes for turning, not running shoes. Air-conditioned! \$5.

Info: Lisa Brooks at 240.731.1935, lisa@HamboDC.org, or www.HamboDC.org.

FSGW Family Dance

Sunday, June 15, 3 pm Bumper Car Pavilion, Glen Echo Park

Atlantic Crossing, with the twin fiddling of Vivika Fox and Peter MacFarlane, plus Rick Klein on guitar and Brian Perkins on multple instruments will bring their Vermont styling to the dance, with the terrific calling of **Donna Hunt**. Admission \$5 for ages 4 and older. fsgw.org.

FSGW English Country Dancing

Wednesdays 8-10:30 pm

Glen Echo Town Hall, 6106 Harvard St, Glen Echo MD.

\$9/\$7 FSGW members. More info: 301-320-2469, 301-229-3577, or English@fsgw.org.

June 4

Melissa Running calls to the music of Liz Donaldson (piano), Jeff Steinberg (fiddle), and Anna Rain (recorders).

June 11

Becky Ross (fiddle), Melissa Running (piano) and Paul Oorts (mandolin) play the tunes while Martha Seigel calls.

June 18

Tom Spilsbury leads the dancing while Jesse Hazzard-Watkins (trumpet), Liz Donaldson (piano) and David Knight (fiddle) make the music.

June 25

Dan Gillespie calls while Julie Gorka (piano), Colleen Reed (flute) and Ralph Gordon (cello) play the tunes.

Hot Dance Sunday Afternoon

Sunday, June 22, 3-6:30 pm Spanish Ballroom, Glen Echo Park, MD

New Hots Jazz Orchestra. No partner or experience necessary. Half hour rhumba lesson at 3:00. Swing, waltz and ballroom dance to music of the 20's, 30's, 40's and more. \$10. Info: www.newhotsjazz.com or info@newhotsjazz.com

Somebody Scream Productions Corey Ledet and His Zydeco Band

Friday, June 6, lesson at 8, dancing 9 - midnight Fish Head Cantina, 4802 Benson Ave., Arbutus In the Paradise Concert Pavilion

Full Bar and Menu, Ample Parking . Admission: \$15. Dance Lesson with Ben and Debbie at 8 pm, Music 9-12. No BYOB of any kind allowed.

For more information call 410-935-6002 or email patyaffe@yahoo.com or visit wherewegotozydeco.com

Concerts

Perry Hall Folk Music Night

Saturday, June 7, 7:30-10 pm Perry Hall United Methodist Church, 9515 Belair Rd., Baltimore, MD 21236

Featured Performer Karyn Oliver http://www.karynoliver.com/ Admission is free, but donations are welcome. This is an "open mike" event. For more information, see www.perryhallumc.org or contact ndzimmer@comcast.net or 410-529-7176

Montpelier Arts Center Folk & Blues Series

Fridays, 8 pm 9652 Muirkirk Road, Laurel

June 6 - David Cole

Tickets \$20 each. Members and Seniors get 10% discount. For more information call 301-953-1993

Hokum's Heroes

Tuesday, June 10, 8 pm FSGW House Concert, Derwood, MD

Hokum's Heroes, a Boston based 6 piece band, will be sweeping through the DC area on a heroic Southern tour. Hokum's Heroes perform early 20th Century Pop music, twining together the roots of early jazz, vaudeville, hokum, string band, jug band, gospel, and blues. The Heroes are: Bruce Millard, bandleader, guitarist and mandolin; Samoa Wilson, vocals; Geordie Gude, harmonica; Matthew Berlin, bass; Jerome Deupree, drums; and Matt Leavenworth, fiddle.

Reserve a seat at the Reitz Ranch (in Derwood, between Rockville and Olney) by contacting Marv or Kathy Reitz at 301-670-6716 or reitz@verizon.net. They'll give you driving directions. Doors open 7:30, show 8-10.

Jon Bartlett

Monday, June 16, 8 pm FSGW House Concert, Largo, MD

Jon Bartlett is one of the most knowledgeable resources on the folk music of British Columbia and the Pacific Northwest. He's got a great voice, too.

For reservations or directions, contact Andy or Sondra Wallace by phone 301-324-7311 or e-mail (andy.sondra@verizon.net).

Uptown Concerts at Baldwin's Station

8 pm (dining room opens 6:30) 7618 Main Street, Sykesville

June 12 John Flynn Tickets \$16.00

June 26th
Robin Bullock Tickets \$17.00

Tickets & reservations: 410-795-1041 or contact uptownconcerts@gmail.com

Workshops

Mandolin Workshop with Orrin Star

Saturday June 7, Noon - 2 pm Cheverly, MD

Cowboy Mando: "Ghost Riders in the Sky". 'Ghost Riders' has it all: an iconic melody that makes full use of the mandolin's tonal range; interesting chords; and very natural overall feel on the mandolin. We also get into some tremolo and some essential double-stops along the way.

Limited to 12 participants, includes written hand-out, \$40 fee. Geared to beginner through intermediate level players. Complete info at: http://orrinstar.com/Pages/MandoShops.html. Contact: orhay@aol.com or 301-773-6149.

SummerTunes 2008 Saturday, August 23, 10 am until....

Come join us at **SummerTunes 2008**, for an all-day music workshop with fiddler **Andrea Hoag** and pianist **Liz Donaldson** and play that evening for the Mid-Maryland Folk Arts Council (MMFAC) contra dance in Frederick, Md., with caller **Ann Fallon**. The experience is friendly, exhilarating, educational, and just plain fun, so we hope to see you there. All instruments are welcome. Information: http://www.contradancers.com/mmfac/, or contact Liz Donaldson - https://www.contradancers.com/mmfac/, or contact Liz Donaldson - https://www.contradancers.com/mmfac/, or contact Liz Donaldson - https

Festivals

Washington Folk Festival May 31 & June 1, noon - 7 pm Glen Echo Park, Glen Echo

Music, dance, crafts, & much more! See www.fsgw.org for schedule and list of performers.

Upcoming Camps & Weekends

Frolic in the Fall

Saturday, September 27, 11 am - 11 pm Near Harrisburg, PA

The Second Annual Frolic in the Fall will take place at YWCA Camp Reily, just outside of Harrisburg, PA, a 5-acre camp where we dance in a rustic lodge with a wood floor, surrounded by Nature in the Appalachian Mountains of PA. Music from Late for Supper and Dancewiz, calling by Tom Hinds and Dave Colestock. Waltzing from 11-12, then Contra Dancing from Noon-11. HOUR LONG Dance Medley. \$25/person, limited to 100 dancers, advance registration highly encouraged.

Register online or by mail by 9/13/08. <u>fallfrolic@yahoo.com</u> or www.frolicinthefall.freeservers.com

Nordic Fiddles & Feet Camp

Sat June 28-Sat July 5, or just-weekend option June 28-July 1

Buffalo Gap Camp, Capon Bridge, WV

The only folkie event still at magical Buffalo Gap Camp is this celebration of Swedish & Norwegian music & dance. So, whether or not you know a Hambo from ham-bone, don't miss this chance to visit the place that's so dear to us. All live music. Excellent Scandinavian Dance Basics class by Roo Lester & Larry Harding. Swedish dances from Föllinge with Berit Bertilsdotter and Petter Johansson. Norwegian dance from Valdres with Dag Hamre and Brit Berthelsen Totland. Fiddle, hardingfele, & nyckelharpa classes w/top US and foreign teachers, too. Scandi craft & culture sessions. Fabulous food. Nightly dance parties. And ooh that sauna.... www.nordicfiddlesandfeet.org. Meg, (865) 522-0515.

Historical Dance Summer Workshop

June 16 - 22 Goucher College, Baltimore

The **Historical Dance Summer Workshop** is a unique gathering of dance historians and recreational vintage dancers. Here is a rare chance to explore the earlier centuries, with both Introductory and Intermediate/Advanced classes in Renaissance, Baroque, 19th and early 20th Century dance forms, all emphasizing **couple** dances.

http://www.nybaroquedance.org/htmls/classes.html#workshop or http://socialdance.stanford.edu/Goucher.htm

Baltimore Folk Music Society Membership Application

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Board Meetings are held on the first Tuesday of each month. Meetings are open to the public and members are encouraged to attend. Please call or email the president (see right-hand For more information column). on any BFMS event, call the Hotline at 410-366-0808, or visit our web site: www.bfms.org.

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newsletter@bfms.org

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Student: 1 year (\$20) (no newsletter delivery)	S
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Family: 1 year (\$37) 2 years (\$71) 3 years (\$93)	S
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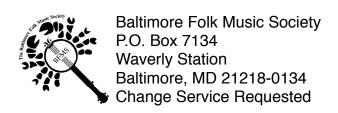
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