



# Baltimore Folk Music Society

Member, Country Dance & Song Society

February 2023

<http://www.bfms.org>

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Special Events are listed after the regular ones

## Wednesday Contra Dance

American Contra and Square Dancing at 8:00 p.m. on 1st, 3rd and 5th Wednesdays at Lovely Lane United Methodist Church, 2200 St. Paul Street, Baltimore, MD 21218. Admission is \$10 for members, \$15 for nonmembers. Under 21 and full-time students with IDs: \$7 for members, \$10 for nonmembers. All dances are taught and walked through beforehand. <http://www.bfms.org/squarecontra.php>

### February 01 2023

Janine Smith calls to tunes by Strings on Wings - Todd Clewell (guitar) and Barb Schmid (fiddle). Intro lesson at 7:30. Dance starts at 8 at Lovely Lane Church (now with air conditioning!). N-95/KN-95/KF-94 masks and proof of vaccination are required. Online payment only: <https://bfms.org/contradancepay.php>. Attendance is limited so pre-payment is encouraged to reserve your spot. No cash at the door

### February 15 2023

Andrea Nettleton calls to live music by Wombat Crossing - Carl Friedman (fiddle), Robin Wilson (flute, concertina, sax), Ralph Barthine (guitar), and Charlie Pilzer (piano). Intro lesson at 7:30. Dance starts at 8 at Lovely Lane Church (now with air conditioning!). N-95/KN-95/KF-94 masks and proof of vaccination are required. Online payment only: <https://bfms.org/contradancepay.php>. Attendance is limited so pre-payment is encouraged to reserve your spot. No cash at the door

### March 01 2023

Kappy Lanning calls to music by Terpsichore - Elke Baker (fiddle), Liz Donaldson (piano), and Ralph Gordon (bass). Intro lesson at 7:30. Dance starts at 8 at Lovely Lane Church (now with air conditioning!). N-95/KN-95/KF-94 masks and proof of vaccination are required. Online payment only: <https://bfms.org/contradancepay.php>. Attendance is limited so pre-payment is encouraged to reserve your spot. No cash at the door

## Monday English Dance

English Country Dance - 2nd and 4th Mondays from 8 to 10:30 pm English Country Dancing is lively movement to elegant music in a friendly, informal setting. All dances are taught and walked through. \$10 BFMS Members & Affiliates, \$15 non-members. Under 21 and full-time students with ID: \$7 for members, \$10 for nonmembers. Church of the Nativity, 6112 York Rd., 21212. Info: [engdance@bfms.org](mailto:engdance@bfms.org) <http://www.bfms.org/mondayDance.php>

### February 13 2023

English Country Dance: 8:00 - 10:30 pm Andrea Nettleton calls to the music of Jeff Steinberg (violin), Ben Hobbs (piano), Steve Epstein (clarinet). Location: The Church of the Nativity and Holy Comforter, 6112 York Rd, Baltimore, MD 21212. N-95/KN-95/KF-94 masks and proof of vaccination are required. On-line payments only. <https://bfms.org/englishcountrypay.php>

### February 27 2023

English Country Dance: 8:00 - 10:30 pm February 27 TROPICAL STAYCATION EVENING! Wish you were someplace warm? Join Emily Aubrey for the traditional Tropical Staycation dance to remind us that winter doesn't last forever! Emily will call to the music of Trio Con Brio: Elke Baker (violin), Paul Oorts (mandolin, concertina), Jonathan Jensen (piano) Location: The Church of the Nativity and Holy Comforter, 6112 York Rd, Baltimore, MD 21212. N-95/KN-95/KF-94 masks and proof of vaccination are required. On-line payments only. <https://bfms.org/englishcountrypay.php>

## Saturday Contra Dance

American Square and Contra Dancing on the 2nd Saturday of the month running from 8:00 'till 10:30 pm, with a short break in the middle. Admission is: \$10 BFMS Members & Affiliates, \$15 non-members. Under 21 and full-time students with ID: \$7 for members, \$10 for nonmembers. Beginners, singles, couples, and families are welcome. No Experience necessary; you don't need to bring a partner. Church of the Nativity, 6112 York Rd, Baltimore 21212. <http://www.bfms.org/saturdayDance.php>

### February 11 2023

8-10:30 PM Caroline Barnes calling to Contra Rebels ~ Henry Koretzky (guitar), Barb Schmid (fiddle) and Todd Clewell (fiddle) New dancer lesson: 7:30 Online payment only. Pre-payment is encouraged to reserve your spot. <http://bfms.org/secondsatpay.php> N-95/KN-95/KF-94 masks, and proof of vaccination are required. Location: The Church of the Nativity and Holy Comforter, 6112 York Rd, Baltimore, MD 21212 Admission is: \$10 BFMS members & affiliates, \$15 non-members. Under 21 and full-time students with ID: \$7 members, \$10 nonmembers. In case of inclement weather, check BFMS.org for an event cancellation notice.

## BFMS Song Swap

<http://www.bfms.org/songswap.php>

### February 14 2023

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