



# Corvallis Folklore Society

Oct-Nov  
2020

**BIG CFS EVENTS COMING SOON**

Nov 9 Hoolyeh (cancelled)

Hoolyeh online dancing every Tuesday  
from 5 pm to 6:30 pm. Please contact

Denis White ([capeblanco@peak.org](mailto:capeblanco@peak.org))

Nov 10 LOCAL FOLK (cancelled)

*The Covid-19 situation has cancelled most events. I have listed some in this newsletter but the CFS web will be more current.*

<https://corvallisfolklore.org/>



Song Circle Info

<https://corvallisfolklore.org/home/song-circles/>

## CONCERT BOOKING UPDATE

The booking web page is:

<https://corvallisfolklore.org/home/booking-cfs-concerts/booking-cfs-concerts/>

Not much is being booked due to the Covid 19 uncertainty.

Contact Chere [cherep@comcast.net](mailto:cherep@comcast.net)

NOTE: The Corvallis Calendar Links page has been updated and has a slightly changed URL :

<http://people.oregonstate.edu/~thiesr/xway/corvallis-calendar-links.html>

The old link is still active to direct to the new URL.

Check out the **On-Line Concerts** page on the CFS website:

<https://corvallisfolklore.org/home/on-line-concerts/>



1st Methodist Church

## The Best Cellar CoffeeHouse

*Whenever we are able to resume the Best Cellar I'll be working to book all the acts that I've had to cancel. But I'd like, if possible, to kick it off with the Beatle Fest we had to cancel at the beginning of summer. Seems like it'd be a great way to get live music going again. I know this is months away, at least, but just thought I'd let you know that a Beatle Fest is still in the plans... Just don't have any ability to plan, at this point. Mark Weiss*

Best Cellar is held on the last Friday of each month of the school year. Admission is a sliding scale, 2-10 dollars, your choice. Kids are free and welcome. Cookies, gluten free cookies, coffee and tea are available for fifty cents each. Usually in the cellar of the Methodist Church, on 11th and Monroe, in Corvallis. For more information contact Mark Weiss at [mjweiss@cmug.com](mailto:mjweiss@cmug.com)

Keep up on  
the folk scene  
Other links

The CFS homepage <https://corvallisfolklore.org/home/>

The Best Cellar <https://corvallisfolklore.org/home/coffeehouse/>

<http://people.oregonstate.edu/~thiesr/xway/corvallis-calendar-links.html>

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## Oct -Nov 2020 Corvallis Folk Events

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Oct 30 [Pint & Dale Halloween Special online](#)

Nov 9 (Mon) **UUSH**, Hoolyeh International Folk Dance,  
(Cancelled until deemed safe)

**NOTE: Hoolyeh online dancing every Tuesday**

There is weekly international folk dancing online led by Hoolyeh folks. Every Tuesday from 5 pm to 6:30 pm. Please contact Denis White ([capeblanco@peak.org](mailto:capeblanco@peak.org)) for playlists and details for joining zoom broadcasts.

Nov 9 (Mon) - CFS NewsletterDeadline

Nov 10 (Tue) CAC LOCAL FOLK Cancelled

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≈ CFS sponsored events listed in bold type ≈

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### Locations in Corvallis:

**GH:** Gatton Hall, First Congregational Church, 4515 SW West Hills Rd

**CAC:** Corvallis Arts Center, 700 SW Madison.

**IC:** Imagine Coffee, 5460 SW Philomath Bv

**FPC:** First Presbyterian Church, 114 SW 8th St.

**MC:** Methodist Church: 1165 NW Monroe

**OFH:** Odd Fellows Hall, 223 SW 2nd 3rd St., Corvallis

**T Troubadour Music, 521 SW 2nd St, Corvallis**

**UU:** Unitarian-Universalist Fellowship, 2945 NW Circle Bv

**UUSH:** Unitarian-Universalist Fellowship, 2945 NW Circle Bv, Social Hall

**W:** Whiteside Theatre, 361 SW Madison

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\* advanced tickets at **Grass Roots Books**, 227 SW 2nd and Ticket Tomato or (for Whitesides, [Brownpapertickets](#) )

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## Repeating Out of Town Events (most if not all of these are cancelled for now)

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Every Tuesday — Irish Ceili Dance Lessons (Salem)

6:30 – 8:30pm, Ceili & set dance

\$5, VFW Hall, 630 Hood St., NE, Salem

Every Wednesday — Scottish Country Dance

7-8pm beginner, 8-9pm basic-advanced, \$5 or \$15/month

Santa Clara Grange Hall, 295 Azalea Drive, Eugene

FMI: Kalindi at 541-515-4433

1st Wednesday — [Eugene Folklore Society](#) Song Circle

FMI: 541-461-3786

2nd Wednesday of each month — Zydeco Dance

6:30pm lesson, 7-9pm dance, free

World Cafe, 449 Blair Blvd, Eugene. [Eugene Folk Soc](#)

Every Thursday — English Country Dance Classes (McMinnville)

7:00 - 8:30pm, McMinnville Grand Ballroom \$3 FMI: <http://www.portlanddancing.com/moreinfo.aspx?moreinfo=1510>

Every Thursday — Morris Dancing in Eugene

FMI: <http://www.tworiversmorris.com/>

2nd, 4th and 5th Thursday — String-Band Jam

Calapooia Tavern, Albany FMI:<http://calapooiabrewing.com/blog/live-music-and-events/>

2nd Friday — Ceili, 7-8pm lesson, 8-11 Ceili, \$10 VFW Hall, 630 Hood St., NE, Salem, <http://www.ceiliofthevalley.org>

3rd Friday – English Country Dances, Santa Clara Grange Hall, 295 Azalea Drive FMI: 541 935 6051

2nd & 4th Saturdays – [EFS](#) Contra Dance 7pm lesson, 7:30pm dance, \$8 public, \$6 EFS/CFS, -\$1 before 7:30pm&students (w/ ID), The Dunn School, 3411 Willamette St., Eugene FMI: 541-302-2628

3rd Saturday — Contra Dance 7:00-9:30pm dance Greenacres Grange, 93393 Greenacres Lane, Coos Bay

Last Sunday – Old Time Jam 4:00pm, free

Cozmic, 8th and Charleton, Eugene, FMI:541-228-1644

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**Calendar Contact:** [calendar@corvallisfolklore.org](mailto:calendar@corvallisfolklore.org)

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**CFS Newsletter :** [newsletter@CorvallisFolklore.org](mailto:newsletter@CorvallisFolklore.org)

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Every Tuesday **IC** – Celtic Jam, 7:00pm, free <http://imaginecoffee.net/>

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## Folk music on the internet From Chere Pereira:

There are many musicians who are performing on facebook.

Here are two great ones:

**Sally Rogers Music** (a song a day; and there is an exceptional version of Lovely Agnes with Claudia Schmidt)

**Susan Werner** (has something every Sunday at 4 PM).

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## Folk music on the internet

If you miss baseball or **John McCutcheon**, check out

<https://www.facebook.com/Institute.of.Musical.Traditions/videos/2993769944046742/>

John is doing an online concert each Sunday at noon PDT – check out his facebook

page <https://www.facebook.com/John-McCutcheon-166909916655518/>

See also: <https://corvallisfolklore.org/home/on-line-concerts/>

\*\*\*From Dick Thies

WILLIAM PINT & FELICIA DALE <https://www.pintndale.com/>

**Oct 30, 2020 Halloween Special, 2:30 pm (pacific time)**

**Spooky Songs of the Sea**

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The song circles are not active now, but here is a song to savor.

## The Song Circle Disclaimer Talking Blues

by Dick Thies ([click here or the link to hear it](#))

<https://corvallisfolklore.org/home/rwttest/>

Now ya go to song circle, let me tell you what to do  
Gotta find a disclaimer that's right for you  
Something that's fun, but sorta true  
Something that explains what you can't do  
For lack of abilities There's lots of possibilities

Ya know I'm getting' kinda old and I forget some stuff  
My brain can't work on the lines that are tough  
I could read the words from the old Blue Book  
But my eyesight's kinda shaky so its hard to look  
That font's kinda small I think they changed the words

My right shoulder's acting up and it makes me kinda blue  
Got some rotator cuff damage with some tendonitis too  
I could hardly make my fingers go, to do my banjo pickin'  
And holding that heavy banjo it, well it bothered like the dickens  
So I'm doing my therapy, tryin' to work on my dexterity

Now before I give it up, I could just play a tune  
But my fingers get confused & don't know what their doin'  
And yesterday's carpentry was goin' pretty slick  
'Til I hammered thumb now its kinda hard to pick

But it might be OK if my strings weren't old  
And I didn't have to worry that this capo won't hold  
Maybe I could just do one a cappella

# Let's Dance!

Sponsored by the **Corvallis Folklore Society**

**Contras 1st and 3rd Saturdays** (September to June) in Corvallis

**CFS Contra dances are CANCELLED for now**

We dance regularly at **Gatton Hall, 4515 SW West Hills Road**, Corvallis, Oregon, 97333. From downtown, take Western Ave. After the light at 35th, Western Ave veers left, stay right on West Hills Rd. Gatton Hall is at First Congregational Church on the right.

For more information, visit: [corvallisfolklore.org](http://corvallisfolklore.org)

Regular dances start at 7:30 pm, newcomer's instructions at 7:00 pm.

**Price is \$8-10 sliding scale**; CFS members/students-\$2 off; bikers/walkers- \$1 off  
**18 & under get in free. OSU Contra Club members: \$5**

No partners needed. Kids welcome. Please bring clean soft-soled shoes.

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**LOCAL FOLK!** is cancelled until further notice.

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**Announcement.** The **Hoolyeh International Folk Dancers** are now meeting once a month on the 2nd Monday at the UU Fellowship Social Hall, 2945 NW Circle Blvd, Corvallis, OR 97330. They will meet from 6:30 to 9:30 with beginning teaching from 6:30 to 7:15, program dancing from 7:15 to 8:00, intermediate teaching from 8:00 to 8:15 or 8:30, and request dancing from 8:30 to 9:30.

**Hoolyeh will not dance offline again until it is safe' (Nov is cancelled)**

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**The John McCutcheon show which was scheduled for Oct 9 has been cancelled.**

There is a possibility of an online Oregon show so watch for an announcement about that if it happens. Check his website for information about all his online shows and projects. [www.folkmusic.com](http://www.folkmusic.com)  
We are working on 2021 dates for a live show.

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CFS is collaborating with the Whiteside Theatre to bring some Celtic groups to Corvallis

<https://www.whitesidetheatre.org/live-events.html>

Contact for info or to volunteer: Rob Gandara [rgandara@whitesidetheatre.org](mailto:rgandara@whitesidetheatre.org)

## Whitesides Celtic Music Series

<https://corvallisfolklore.org/home/whitesides-celtic-music-series/>

## Whiteside Theatre presents: The Wailin' Jennys

**This concert has been RESCHEDULED FOR March 9, 2021**

Tickets sold for May 5, 2020, are still good for March 9, 2021.

7:00 pm, Doors open at 6:00 pm Tickets \$40-\$55

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The CFS web link for **membership**: <https://corvallisfolklore.org/home/membership/>

Information and a description of the Memberplanet system is posted there.

**Make sure we have your e-mail address if you want to receive the newsletter.**

\* please contact: [membership@CorvallisFolklore.org](mailto:membership@CorvallisFolklore.org)

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### **Membership Changes: member database is now an online service: Memberplanet.com**

What this means for Corvallis Folklore members:

- \* You must have and use an email address to create or update your membership profile, and to receive notices from Corvallis Folklore
- \* You will be getting Corvallis Folklore newsletters and updates via email
- \* You will be able to renew your membership completely online using a credit card to pay
- \* Alternatively, you can send in a paper check to the address at the bottom
- \* Note the new fee structure below; Member Planet may not have that correct yet (send a check)
- \* If we have your email, you should have gotten an invitation to "join" Corvallis Folklore Society at memberplanet.com. Please do go there to update your profile and create a unique password. If you have not gotten this email, or have discarded it, please contact: [membership@CorvallisFolklore.org](mailto:membership@CorvallisFolklore.org)
- \* If we do NOT have your email, you will have to give it to us: Send email to [membership@CorvallisFolklore.org](mailto:membership@CorvallisFolklore.org) stating your name, your family members' names (if any) and your email. We'll create your account and send you an invitation to "join" as above.

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## **The CFS Fee Structure**

As of July 1, 2018, CFS membership is free for the children of members and **each adult membership will be associated with a single email, with a fee of \$10 per year.** When your membership renewal notice comes to you, please choose the new "one size fits all" fee. If you and your family each wish to have their own membership, you should each sign up individually using your own email. As always, you may sign up or renew online or send in a check to CFS along with your contact information (or renew/sign up at an event).

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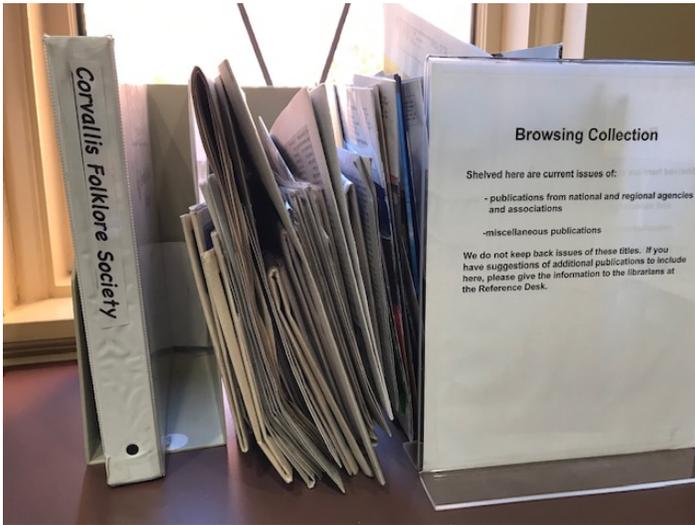
## Newsletter Changes:

The monthly CFS Newsletter is now created in PDF format. An email link to current issue is automatically sent to members. (You need to have a reader app, such as the free Adobe Reader, to display the PDF). See also: <https://corvallisfolklore.org/home/newsletter-concerts-and-information/>

Anyone who doesn't have a computer can go to the Corvallis Public Library to:

-Ask reference staff to help you get online to look at the newsletter at: [CovallisFolklore.org](http://CovallisFolklore.org)

AND/OR View the hard copy on file in CFS notebook the Library Reading Room Monthly Newsletter in Library Reading Room



The CFS Newsletter Archive at the public library has been moved. The "Browsing Collection" of community publications is now located in the room with back issues of magazines, in the room north of the main reading room. Copies of current and past issues are in a white binder on the window ledge at the far end (west wall). A limited number of complimentary Newsletters are still located in the public info area near the meeting room.

It is also posted on the CFS website.

## Membership Form

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_



Check one:  New Member  Renewing  Renew after lapse  Address change only

Dues per year: \$10 per e-mail (OK to pay several years)

Pay on-line ("one size fits all" fee) or

Please fill out this form

and mail with your dues check to:

**CFS Membership**

**PO Box 1690, Corvallis, OR 97339**

| Position     | Name            |
|--------------|-----------------|
| President    | Jason Schindler |
| Vice Pres.   | Van Fister      |
| Secretary    | Anne Smith      |
| Treasurer    | Bill Pfender    |
| Contra Dance | Jennifer Carlin |
| Folk Dance   | Denis White     |

| Position    | Name            |
|-------------|-----------------|
| Concerts    | Chere Pereira   |
| Best Cellar | Mark Weiss      |
| Newsletter  | Dick Thies      |
| Calendar    | Dave Rabinowitz |
| Membership  | Van Fister      |
| Website     | Frank Griswold  |

Full CFS contacts are at: <https://corvallisfolklore.org/home/contact/>

Volunteers are always needed! Please go to the above link to contact those responsible for the areas of interest to you.

The newsletter deadline is 5:00 PM on the 2nd Monday of the month. Send by e-mail to: [newsletter@CorvallisFolklore.org](mailto:newsletter@CorvallisFolklore.org). Text in the e-mail or most other word processor programs will work if you send them in a version that is not too new. My translator might not do the latest version. Non-CFS concert info can run no more than one-half page and won't be run opposite a CFS event.

The deadline for calendar items is 5:00 PM on the Sunday before the 2nd Monday of the month. Notices for the web calendar can be submitted any time. Submit to [calendar@corvallisfolklore.org](mailto:calendar@corvallisfolklore.org)

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**Folk Contacts :** Corvallis Folklore Society: <https://corvallisfolklore.org/home/>  
Corvallis Calendar Links <http://oregonstate.edu/~thiesr/CorvallisCalendarLinks.html>  
Eugene Folklore Society: <http://www.eugenefolklore.org>  
Salem Folklore Community [www.westwindweekend.org](http://www.westwindweekend.org)  
Portland Folk Music Soc. <http://www.portlandfolklore.org>

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