

Upcoming events of old time music interest in the SF Bay Area:

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11/9/22

NEWS

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\* Upcoming oldtime jams at the Freight:

Sunday November 20 (3rd Sun) 3-5pm

special Old Time Shred Sesh with Evie Ladin, Michelle Yu and Rowan McCallister.

No oldtime jam in December

<https://secure.thefreight.org/events?k=jams&view=list>

\* Upcoming oldtime jams at the Way Station (Fairfax)

Sunday November 20 1pm-3:30pm

\* Brittany Haas with Paul Kowert and Mike Gaisbacher will lead the 11/11 slow jam fizz (online)

HIGHLIGHTS THIS MONTH

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- California Bluegrass Reunion
- Jake Blount
- 20th Anniversary Sonoma County Bluegrass & Folk Music Festival

SAVE THE DATE

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\* Molsky Mountain Drifters Freight Feb 16 2023

\* Return of the Olympia Old-Time Music Festival Feb 17-19 2023  
(Presidents Day Weekend)

GENERAL INFO:

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To keep up with old time happenings in the Bay Area, join the oldtimesf groups.io group (formerly a Yahoo group):

Go to <https://groups.io/g/oldtimeSF/>

This calendar is also available at the BOTMC (Berkeley Old Time Music Convention) website under the "Other Events" menu item.

<http://www.berkeleyoldtimemusic.org>

My monthly (more or less) calendar of Celtic (Irish, Scottish, Cape Breton, Quebecois, etc) music events in the SF Bay Area is posted to the CelticSF groups.io group, and can be found at:

<https://sites.google.com/site/davbrown2/celtic>

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Key to the calendar section:

\* I have moved info about online events to after the live events calendar

\* If you see a date for 2022, that event has has been scheduled for this year (at least according to its website), and I indicate "online" for those such events.

\* If you see a month without a year, I found no definitive information on the website, but I would suggest you assume that the event is canceled for this year unless you find out otherwise.

UPCOMING

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Thurs Nov 10 2022 12pm-2pm FREE

Propagators: Evie Ladin, Rowan McCallister, Michelle Yu & Keith Terry.  
Salesforce Park SF

Thurs Nov 10 2022 7pm

California Bluegrass Reunion

Bill Evans, Darol Anger, John Reischman, Sharon Gilchrist, Jim Nunally & Chad Manning  
Side Door, Sacramento

Fri Nov 11 2022 5:30pm online

Slow Jam Fizz: Brittany Haas with Paul Kowert and Mike Gaisbacher  
<https://www.berkeleyoldtimemusic.org/slow-jam-fizz>

Fri Nov 11 2022

California Bluegrass Reunion

Bill Evans, Darol Anger, John Reischman, Sharon Gilchrist, Jim Nunally & Chad Manning

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<https://www.billevansbanjo.com/schedule.php>

Sat Nov 12 12pm-10pm

20th Anniversary Sonoma County Bluegrass & Folk Music Festival

California Bluegrass Reunion, Ramblin' Jack Elliott, Waddie Mitchell, Rita Hosking & Cowboy Scott Gerger

Sebastopol Community Cultural Center

<https://seb.org/bluegrass-2022/>

<https://socofofo.com/event/20th-anniversary-sonoma-county-bluegrass-folk-music-festival/>

Sunday, November 13 2022 7 p.m. Pacific

California Bluegrass Reunion

Bill Evans, Darol Anger, John Reischman, Sharon Gilchrist, Jim Nunally & Chad Manning

guitar, banjo, & mandolin workshops 2pm-3:30pm  
Freight

Tues November 15 2022 7 p.m. Pacific  
California Bluegrass Reunion  
Bill Evans, Darol Anger, John Reischman, Sharon Gilchrist, Jim Nunally &  
Chad Manning  
United Methodist Church, Monterey  
<https://otteropry.org/>

Tues Nov 15 2022  
Jake Blount  
Freight

Thurs Nov 17 2022 7pm  
Jake Blount  
Kuumbwa Jazz Center, Santa Cruz

Sun Nov 20 2022 1pm-3:30pm  
oldtime jam at the Way Station, 2001 Sir Francis Drake Blvd. Fairfax  
BBQ and beer, a lovely outdoor patio. Bring your instrument, a chair,  
wear layers, sunscreen

Sun Nov 20 2022 3pm-5pm  
oldtime jam (3rd Sunday)  
special old time shred sesh with Evie Ladin, Michelle Yu and Rowan  
McCallister.  
Freight  
<https://thefreight.org/learn-to-play/jams/>

Sun Nov 27 2022 1:30pm-5pm  
Cal. State Old-Time Fiddlers District 9 Jam  
United Methodist Church, 19806 Wisteria Street,  
Castro Valley

Dec 1 2022  
Loretta Lynn Tribute Concert  
Freight

Sun Dec 4 2022 1pm-5pm  
Santa Clara Valley Fiddlers Association  
Municipal Rose Garden Park (summer) or Hoover School (rest of the year)  
San Jose  
<https://www.fiddlers.org/>

Dec 8 2022 12pm-2pm FREE  
Evie Ladin & Alisa Rose  
Salesforce Park, SF

Dec 2022-Jan 2023  
Camp New Harmony ONLINE  
SF Folk Music Club  
<https://www.sffmc.org>

Jan 7 2023  
Evie Ladin Band, The Musers  
Occidental Center for the Arts

January 11-15 2023 (MLK weekend)  
Portland Old-Time Music Gathering  
<http://www.bubbaguitar.com/gathering/>  
<https://www.facebook.com/portland.gathering>

Jan  
Bluegrass on Broadway Festival  
Redwood City - various locations  
<https://ncbs.info/events/bob/>

Feb 17-19 2023 (Presidents Day Weekend)  
Olympia Old-Time Music Festival, Olympia WA  
dances, concerts, workshops, jamming  
<http://olyoldtime.weebly.com/>

February 14 2023  
Newberry & Verch  
Chico House Concert / Chico, CA US.  
officeATaprilverchDOTcom

February 15 2023  
Newberry & Verch  
Miners Foundry Cultural Center / Nevada City, CA US.  
<https://minersfoundry.org/>

February 16 2023  
Newberry & Verch  
Cloverdale Arts Alliance / Cloverdale, CA US.  
<http://www.cloverdaleartsalliance.org/>

February 16 2023  
Molsky's Mountain Drifters Freight

February 17 2023  
Newberry & Verch, Kathy Kallick Band  
Sebastopol Community Center Annex / Sebastopol, CA US.  
<https://seb.org/venue/sebastopol-community-cultural-center-annex>

February 18 2023  
Newberry & Verch  
The Strum Shop / Roseville, CA US.  
<https://www.thestrumshop.com/>

February 19 2023  
Newberry & Verch, Kathy Kallick Band  
Freight & Salvage / Berkeley, CA US.

Feb 22 2023  
April Verch & Joe Newberry  
Mt View house concert

Silicon Valley House Concerts  
Reservations: SV.houseconcerts AT gmail.com

Spring  
Cloverdale Old Time Fiddle Contest Festival  
<http://cloverdalefiddles.com/>

Spring  
Berkeley Old Time Music Spring Situation  
(typically Open house at the Freight 12pm-4pm)  
<http://www.berkeleyoldtimemusic.org/spring-situation>

March (typically 2nd Sat of March)  
Sonoma County Bluegrass & Folk Festival  
Sebastopol Community Cultural Center, 390 Morris, Sebastopol  
<https://www.cbaweb.org>  
<http://www.socofoso.com>

March 2-5 2023 (1st full weekend in March)  
Southwest Old Time String Band Gathering  
Hacienda Program Center (Girl scout camp)  
Tucson, AZ  
<http://swotgathering.com>

March 31- Apr 2 2023  
Epicenter contra dance weekend  
Mill Valley  
<http://www.nbcds.org>

April 13-16 2023  
Fiddle Hell online.  
Recordings available for 4 months  
<https://www.fiddlehell.org/>

Apr 2023?  
Spring Harmony online  
<https://www.sffmc.org/>

April 13-16 2023  
Walker Creek Music Camp - bluegrass, old time, and more  
Walker Creek Ranch (west Marin)  
email: info AT walkercreekmusiccamp.org  
<http://www.walkercreekmusiccamp.org/>

April 2023  
CBA Spring Campout  
combined with  
California State Old Time Fiddle Contest (formerly in Oroville)  
Lodi Grape Festival Fairgrounds, Lodi  
<https://californiabluegrass.org/california-bluegrass-events/>

April typically 4th Sunday Noon-5pm  
San Francisco Festival of the Mandolins  
Croatian American Cultural Center

60 Onondaga Ave San Francisco, CA 94112  
2020 (canceled): [http://croatianamericanweb.org/event\\_details.php?id=248](http://croatianamericanweb.org/event_details.php?id=248)  
2019: [http://www.croatianamericanweb.org/event\\_details.php?id=242](http://www.croatianamericanweb.org/event_details.php?id=242)

May 2023  
Berkeley Bluegrass Festival  
Freight  
2022: <https://thefreight.org/2022bluegrass>

May 2023  
Julian Family Fiddle Camp  
<http://www.familyfiddlecamp.com/>

May 2023 (typically Mothers Day weekend)  
Parkfield Bluegrass Festival  
<https://parkfieldbluegrass.org/>

May 11-14 2023  
Willamette Valley Old-Time Social  
Eugene OR  
<https://mudcityoldtime.org/>  
<https://www.facebook.com/MudCityOldTime/>

May Noon-6pm FREE  
Santa Cruz Bluegrass Fair  
Duck Pond, San Lorenzo Park  
<http://www.scbs.org>

May 2023 Noon-5pm  
Bluegrass Pickin' Picnic  
hosted by Chuck & Jeanie Poling  
in Golden Gate Park/Dahlia Picnic Area  
Just east of the Conservatory of Flowers  
<http://sfrecpark.org/destination/golden-gate-park/dahlia-dell-picnic-area/>

May 2023?  
Berkeley Dulcimer Gathering  
2022 was online  
<http://www.berkeleydulcimergathering.com/>

May  
LA Old Time Social  
typically same weekend as Topanga Contest  
Los Angeles, CA  
<http://losangelesoldtimesocial.com>  
<https://www.facebook.com/losangelesoldtimesocial>

May 2023 (typically 3rd Sun in May)  
Topanga Banjo & Fiddle Contest  
Agoura Hills, CA  
<http://www.topangabanjofiddle.org/>

May 16-23 2023

California Autoharp Gathering  
2023 theme: a tribute to Kenny Hall - 100 Years  
St. Nicolas Ranch, Dunlap CA  
<http://calautoharp.com/>

May 2023 Noon-4pm  
Fresno World Fiddle Day  
Sponsored by the Fresno Folklore Society  
Big Red Church of Fresno, 2131 N Van Ness Blvd Fresno  
2022: <https://www.facebook.com/events/345600374190707>

May 2023 (Memorial Day weekend)  
SF Folk Club Campout  
Camp Herms, El Cerrito  
<https://www.sffmc.org/>

May (Memorial Day weekend)  
Landregan Festival of the Arts (formerly Hickstival) bluegrass  
festival/campout  
Bolado Park, Tres Pinos (near Hollister)  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1405392716374701/>

May 2023 (Memorial Day Weeknd)  
Northwest Folklife, Seattle  
online & in-person  
<https://nwfolklife.org/festival/>

Sun Jun 4 2023 7pm (postponed from 2022)  
Don Burnham - 75th birthday concert/album launch (Western swing)  
Freight

Summer 2023  
River Tunes  
<http://rivertunes.net/>

June or July 2023  
San Francisco Free Folk Festival  
(typically Everett Middle School, 450 Church St (at 16th) SF)  
<http://www.sffolkfest.org/>

June 2023  
CBA Music Camp  
Grass Valley  
(Sun-Wed before CBA Fathers Day Festival)  
<http://www.cbamusiccamp.org>

June 2023  
CBA Father's Day Bluegrass Festival  
Grass Valley  
[https://californiabluegrass.org/fathers\\_day\\_festival/fdf-home/](https://californiabluegrass.org/fathers_day_festival/fdf-home/)

June 2023  
Faultline Frolic (contra dance weekend)  
Santa Rosa

<http://www.nbcds.org>

June 2023

Redwood Music Camp  
day camp in 2022

Monte Vista Christian School campus in Corralitos, California  
typically Monte Toyon, Aptos

<https://www.communitymusicsschool.org/redwood-music-camp>

Jun 2023

Sierra Fiddle Camp

Nevada City

<http://www.sierrafiddlecamp.org/>

June 23 2023

Stickerville (Weiser Friends of the Fiddle) campout

Weiser ID

The opening day for Stickerville 2023 is Thursday, June 15th!

Any folks coming earlier will be part of the setup crew.

The (mostly) old time campout at Stickerville starts earlier than  
the fiddle contest.

<http://www.stickerville.org/>

June 2023 (3rd full week of June)

National Oldtime Fiddlers Contest & Festival

Weiser, ID

<http://www.fiddlecontest.com/>

June 2023

Big Sur Fiddle Camp

<https://www.bigsurfiddlecamp.org>

June or July

Fiddlekids

(typically Berkwood Hedge School, Berkeley)

<http://www.thefreight.org/learn-to-play/fiddlekids-summer-camp/>

June

Bluegrass Pride at SF Pride Parade?

June 2023

Voice Works (vocal workshop week)

Port Townsend WA

<http://centrum.org/voice-works-a-workshop-for-singers/>

June 25-July 1 2023

BACDS Family Week Camp

Monte Toyon (Aptos, near Santa Cruz)

<http://www.bacds.org/familyweek>

July 2023

SF Folk Club campout

Camp Herms, El Cerrito

<https://www.sffmc.org/>



July 2023

Festival of American Fiddle Tunes

Fort Worden State Park, Port Townsend WA

select workshops & concerts will be available online

<https://centrum.org/festival-of-american-fiddle-tunes-the-workshop/>

July 2023

"Mule Barn Camp"

Jefferson County Fairgrounds (next to Fort Worden)

concurrent with Fiddle Tunes

Port Townsend WA

<http://www.mulebarncamp.com/>

July

Annual Rocky Mountain Old-Time Music Festival (CROMA)

Colorado (location TBA)

<http://www.theCROMA.org>

July

Shasta String Summit

hosted by Tristan & Tashina Clarridge

Weed Palace Theatre

<http://www.summerstringsummit.com>

July

Shasta String Celebration

Berkeley concert - date & venue TBA

hosted by Tristan & Tashina Clarridge

<http://www.summerstringsummit.com>

JULY 2023

California Coast Music Camp

<https://www.musiccamp.org/>

July 2023

Washington Oldtime Fiddlers Association workshop

fiddle, guitar & mandolin workshops

Moses Lake, WA

<http://fiddlecamp.wotfa.org/>

July 2023

Whole Music Camp

Soda Springs CA

<https://www.wholemusiccamp.com>

July-Aug 2023

Puget Sound Guitar Workshop - Bremerton, WA

<http://www.pugetsoundguitarworkshop.org/>

July 2023?

West Marin Fiddle Camp

Commonweal Gardens, Bolinas

<https://www.facebook.com/westmarinfiddlecamp/>

July 28-Aug 5 2023  
Lark in the Morning Camp  
Mendocino  
<https://www.larkcamp.org>

Aug 2023  
Port Townsend Acoustic Blues Festival & Workshop  
<http://centrum.org/port-townsend-acoustic-blues-festival-workshop/>

Aug 2023 (1st weekend of Aug)  
Pickathon Roots Music Festival  
Pendarvis Farm near Portland.  
<http://www.pickathon.com>

Aug 2023  
Rocky Mountain Fiddle Camp  
<http://www.rmffiddle.com>

Aug 2023 (2nd weekend of August)  
Good Old Fashioned Bluegrass Festival, Hollister  
San Benito County Historical Park in Tres Pinos  
<https://ncbs.info/gof/>

Aug 2023 (2nd weekend of August)  
Subdued Stringband Jamboree  
Bellingham WA  
<http://www.stringbandjamboree.com/>

Aug 2023 (typically 2nd weekend of August)  
Balance the Bay (in-town contra dance weekend)  
Sunday evening dance is open to the public  
Janet Pomeroy Center, SF (near the zoo)  
<http://www.bacds.org/camps/btb>

Aug 2023  
Historic Sutter Creek Ragtime Festival  
Sutter Creek CA  
<http://www.historicsuttercreekragtimefestival.com/>

August 2023  
second Sunday in August through the third Sunday.  
Centralia Campout  
Centralia WA  
<http://www.centraliacampout.com/>

Aug 2023  
NimbleFingers Bluegrass & Old-Time Workshop  
Sorrento BC  
<http://www.nimblefingers.ca>

Aug 2023  
Musical Saw Festival  
Santa Cruz, Roaring Camp (Felton)

<http://www.sawplayers.org/festinfo.html>

Aug 2023

Redwood Dulcimer Day

typically Aptos United Methodist Church 221 Thunderbird Drive, Aptos CA

<http://www.redwooddulcimerday.org/>

<https://www.communitymusicschool.org/dulcimer-day/>

Aug 2023

19th International Jug Band Festival

Aug 2023

CBA Golden Oldtime Campout

<https://californiabluegrass.org/goc/home/>

August

(this typically happens Thurs before Valley of the Moon Scottish Fiddle Camp, but not in 2022)

Fiddle Summit w/ Scottish Fiddle Camp faculty

Freight, Berkeley

Aug-Sept 2023

Valley of the Moon Scottish Fiddle Camp

(typically Fri through following Sat, week ending in Labor Day weekend)

Camp Campbell, Boulder Creek

<http://www.valleyofthemoon.org>

Sept (Friday of Labor Day Weekend)

Valley of the Moon Scottish Fiddling School Concert

Santa Cruz Civic Auditorium, 307 Church Street, Santa Cruz.

<http://www.celticsociety.org>

Sept 2023 Labor Day Weekend

Plumas Americana Music Festival

Plumas Sierra County Fairgrounds

204 Fairground Rd, Quincy, California 95971

<http://www.plumasamericana.com/>

Sept

Féile Parkfield

Irish & American music

[www.feileparkfield.com](http://www.feileparkfield.com)

Sept 2023 (Labor Day Weekend)

SF Folk Club campout

Camp Herms, El Cerrito

<https://www.sffmc.org/>

Sept 2023 (Labor Day Weekend)

Zigzag Old Time Music Campout

Zagzag Mountain Farm

on Mount Hood about an hour from Portland OR

<https://bubbaguitar.com/zig-zag-old-time-camp/>

<https://www.zigzagmountainfarm.com/>

Sept (Labor Day) Noon-4pm  
Ladies Banjo Society of California Labor Day Picnic  
the usual place  
Bring and take your own everything.

Sept 2023  
American Banjo Camp  
Pilgrim Firs Conference Center, Port Orchard WA  
<http://www.americanbanjocamp.com/>

Sept 2023  
Fiddler's Jam 11am-4pm  
music & street fair  
Fiddletown CA (foothills, Amador County)  
<http://fiddletowncc.org/events/>  
<https://fiddletown.info/events>  
<https://www.facebook.com/fiddletown/photos/a.227190737329876/5133021760080058/>

Sept 2023? 2pm-5pm  
Heirloom Expo "Fiddle-Off" Contest  
Sonoma County Fairgrounds  
1350 Bennett Valley Rd, Santa Rosa, CA 95404  
<http://www.csotfa10.org/heirloom.html>  
<http://theheirloomexpo.com>

Sept 2023  
Echo Summit contra dance weekend  
Camp Sacramento  
<https://sactocds.wordpress.com/echo-summit-dance-camp-2022/>

Sept Noon-4pm  
Barn Dance  
Garin Apple Festival  
Garin/Dry Creek Pioneer Regional Parks, Hayward  
<http://www.ebparks.org/parks/garin>

Sept  
McCloud Mountain Bluegrass Festival  
2019:  
<https://www.mccloudchamber.com/mccloud2019events#!event/2019/9/13/mccloud-mountain-bluegrass-festival>  
<https://www.facebook.com/McCloudChamber>

Sept 2023?  
annual jam at SF Botanical Garden's Flower Piano  
Golden Gate Park Arboretum; 9th Ave & Lincoln  
Contact Dinah Stroe at [dinahbeatrice AT gmail.com](mailto:dinahbeatrice@gmail.com).  
<https://sfbotanicalgarden.org/flowerpiano/>  
<http://sunsetpiano.com/flowerpiano/>

Sept 20-24 2023  
Berkeley Old Time Music Convention

<http://www.berkeleyoldtimemusic.org>

Sept 2023

36th Annual Fiddle & Bango (sic) Contest & Chili Cook-off  
Columbia State Historic Park

<http://www.visitcolumbiacalifornia.com/events-2022/>

Oct 2023

Hardly Strictly Bluegrass Festival

<https://www.hardlystrictlybluegrass.com/>

Oct 2023

Santa Barbara Old-Time Fiddlers' Festival

Stow House, Goleta

<http://fiddlersfestival.org/>

<https://www.facebook.com/TheOldTimeFiddlersConventionAndFestival/>

Oct 2023

El Cerrito Free Folk Festival

new location: El Cerrito Community Center, 7007 Moeser Lane El Cerrito

<https://elcerritofreefolkfestival.org/>

Oct 2023?

Bluegrass Day?

Smith Family Farm Brentwood

<https://smithfamilyfarm.wixsite.com/smithfamilyfarm>

Oct 2023

CBA Fall Campout

Lodi Grape Festival & Harvest Fairgrounds

413 East Lockeford Street, Lodi CA

<https://californiabluegrass.org/fall-campout/home/>

Oct 2023

Annual Harvest Home: A Festival of Traditional Americana Music

River Center Fresno

on the San Joaquin River

<https://www.riverparkway.org/>

Nov 2023

Banjo Gathering

2022 was hybrid

<https://banjogathering.weebly.com/>

Nov 2023 (no gathering in 2022 due to renovations) - Veterans Day Weekend

Pozo Saloon Oldtime Music Gathering

Pozo CA

Camping available nearby at Santa Margarita Lake

<https://www.facebook.com/pozosaloonoldtimegathering/>

<https://pozooldtime.com>

Nov (no event in 2022)

Dare to be Square West

<http://www.daretobesquarewest.org>

Nov  
Kauai Old Time Gathering  
Kokee Lodge  
<https://www.kauaioldtime.com/>

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ONGOING ONLINE EVENTS:

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\* This Facebook group and its associated Google calendar is a good resource for online jams (Zoom jams, where one person leads while everyone else mutes; old time & Irish)

Old Time Open Jams  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/390588871395459>  
<https://calendar.google.com/calendar/u/0/r?cid=MGQzY2thZXZxcjQldGVscWl0dWxiYTZpcmNAZ3JvdXAuY2FsZW5kYXIuZ29vZ2xlLmNvbQ>

\* Andronico's jam (online)  
Tues 7pm  
Contact Dinah Stroe at [dinahbeatrice AT gmail.com](mailto:dinahbeatrice@gmail.com).

\* Freight classes online (Evie Ladin, Erik Hoffman, etc). Some classes have resumed in person.  
<https://www.thefreight.org/learn-to-play/classes/>

\* Quarantine Happy Hour has ended, but all the videos are archived and available. An organized view of the archives is available at  
<https://slowerthandirt.org/QHH/>

\* Charlie Walden & Patt Pluckett  
several events per week  
<https://www.youtube.com/charliewalden>

\* Whiskey Deaf (Annie Staninec & John Kael plus occasional guests) continue to stream on Facebook (Muddy Rudder Down Home Music Hour) every Thursday 7pm PT. Recordings of past sessions are available.  
<https://www.facebook.com/whiskeydeaf>  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1131976880487340/media/videos>

ONLINE SPECIAL EVENTS:

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Passim (Boston) - <https://www.passim.org/live-music/>  
shows typically start at 5pm PT and are live-streamed only (no recording available)  
Tickets for Live Stream go on sale starting about 2 weeks before the date.

\* Abbie Weisenbloom house concerts in Portland OR are available as  
streamed. Previous concerts available on YT.  
<https://froggie.com/livestream/>  
1/29/23 Bill Evans & Dan Crary  
2/7/23 Joe Newberry and April Verch

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Other lists:  
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Peter Thompson's Bluegrass Signal event page:  
<http://www.bgsignal.com>  
especially listing of live jams that are starting up:  
<http://www.bgsignal.com/jams--instruction.html>

SF Folk Music Club calendar  
<https://www.sffmc.org/community-folk-calendar/>

CDSS Events Calendar  
<https://www.cdss.org/community/events-calendar>

General Resources:  
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Slippery Hill - huge searchable collection of source recordings  
<https://www.slippery-hill.com/>

OldTime Central - useful resource lists for fiddle, banjo, guitar, other  
articles  
<https://oldtime-central.com/>

Mossy Roof - recordings & banjo tabs from the Seattle stringband class  
(taught by Greg & Jere Canote & Candy Goldman)  
<http://stringband.mossyroof.com/>

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ONGOING SESSIONS:

EAST BAY:

monthly - Sunday afternoon jams at the Freight & Salvage  
oldtime jam hosted by Tony Phillips (typically 2nd Sunday, but check  
website for dates)  
Bluegrass/Country Jam w/Richard Brandenburg  
Swing Jam with Olivier Zyngier  
<https://thefreight.org/learn-to-play/jams/>

The 1st, 3rd & 5th Thurs Berkeley contra dances are considered open band  
(unless there is a special band)

<http://www.bacds.org>

1st Tues 8pm:

In Harmony's Way - monthly singing session  
Proof of vaccination and negative Covid test required  
BFUU, 1606 Bonita Ave. (cross street Cedar), Berkeley, CA  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/InHarmonysWay/>

4th Sun 1:30pm-5pm (usually 2nd Sunday in December):

California State Old Time Fiddlers Association District 9  
United Methodist Church 19806 Wisteria Ave. Castro Valley, CA  
<http://www.csotfa9.org/>

MARIN:

\* oldtime jam one Sunday of the month 1pm-3:30pm  
Way Station, 2001 Sir Francis Drake Blvd. Fairfax  
BBQ and beer, a lovely outdoor patio. Bring your instrument, a chair,  
wear layers  
For more information, contact Dinah Stroe at [dinahbeatrice AT gmail.com](mailto:dinahbeatrice@gmail.com).

SOUTH BAY:

1st Sun 1-5pm::

Santa Clara Valley Fiddlers Association  
summer: Rose Garden Park on Naglee  
(typically at Hoover Middle School, 1635 Park Ave., San Jose 95126 corner  
of Naglee and Park)  
<http://www.scvfa.org/> (<http://www.fiddlers.org>)

Old Time Monday 7-9 and Wednesday B'grass / Americana 7-9  
Unitarian-Universalist Church 505 E. Charleston Rd.  
South Bay Old Time <[south-bay-old-time@googlegroups.com](mailto:south-bay-old-time@googlegroups.com)>  
<http://www.showman.org/jams/oti/index.htm>

4th Sunday 1pm

Ocean View Park, Santa Cruz  
<https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/santacruzjam>

EAST:

4th Sunday 2pm

Wild Eye Pub, Grass Valley  
hosted by Geff & Masha Crawford  
<https://www.wildeyepub.com/>

ONGOING PERFORMANCES:

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Bernal Star on Cortland in downtown Bernal Heights has music on most  
Saturdays or Sundays 3-5 PM  
Check <https://www.kareneliaheil.com/schedule>



Located in the back patio behind the main restaurant, 410 Cortland Ave SF.

Full cafe menu, outdoor dining, overhead heaters. either:

\*Old-time with the Knuckle Knockers (Bill Foss, Martha Hawthorne and Karen Celia)

or

\* Old-Time with Karen Celia and Special Guest(s)

or

\*Duo Pizzicato (Bill Foss & Martha Hawthorne) play Italian music

Skillet Licorice with special guests play Happy Hour at the Page 298 Divisadero SF

every Tuesday 5pm

<https://www.skilletlicorice.com/shows>

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#### ARCHIVE:

everything from here on is for reference purposes - these are events that were happening pre-COVID.

As in-person events resume, their entries will be moved to above.

#### EAST BAY:

3rd Sunday

Old Time Shred Sesh

hosted by Evie Ladin & friends

Starry Plough, Berkeley

<http://www.thestarryplough.com/>

1st & 3rd Thurs 7:30pm-10pm (no longer meeting on 5th Thursday)

old time session at

Niebyl Procter Marxist Library

6501 Telegraph near Alcatraz Oakland

First Saturday 2pm-4pm

Old time & bluegrass

Lamorinda Music Store, 81 Lafayette Circle, Lafayette.

coordinated by John Gruenstein, with slow jam for the 1st

1/2 - 1 hr (depending on interest) with regular jam for the

remaining time. john AT lamorindamusic.com or call the store: (925) 385-0963.

Quebecois (French Canadian) Jam

monthly, weekend afternoon

(usually, not always, near the end of the month)

<https://groups.io/g/QueTradSF>

Cajun/Creole jam

monthly, 3rd Sunday (verify) 1:30pm

Ashkenaz

#### SAN FRANCISCO:

1st, 3rd & 5th Tues 7pm-10pm:  
Coffee Shop at the Safeway Community Market (formerly Andronico's)  
Funston between Lincoln & Irving  
For more information, contact Dinah Stroe at dinahbeatrice AT gmail.com.

NORTH BAY:

4th Sundays 3pm-5pm  
Redwood Cafe 8240 Old Redwood Highway, Cotati, Ca 94931  
For info, contact Chris Carney at knccarney AT yahoo.com  
or Janette Duncan jdfiddler AT yahoo.com.

4th Thurs 6:30pm-8:30pm  
Barlow Market in the Barlow Center in Sebastopol  
Info: Lisa Waltenspiel - peachfigpear AT gmail.com

FOOTHILLS:

First Sunday of the month.  
Lobby of the National Hotel, Nevada City  
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/mountain-fiddlers> (is this now a Google group?)

ONGOING DANCES

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First & Third Friday 8-10pm  
North Oakland Square Dance  
Niebyl Procter Marxist Library  
6501 Telegraph near Alcatraz Oakland  
<http://squirrellystringband.com/first-friday-north-oakland-square-dance/>  
<https://www.facebook.com/NorthOaklandSquareDance>  
<http://facebook.com/groups/secretsquaredance>

Fourth Friday 7:30-9:30pm  
4th Friday Feral Square Dance  
Alley Cat Books  
3036 24th St (center of the burrito universe) SF CA  
<https://www.facebook.com/FeralFourthFridayDance/>

occasional  
Santa Cruz square dance  
Santa Cruz Old Time Music Collective  
<https://www.facebook.com/scoldtimemusiccollective/>

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ONGOING CLASSES:

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FREIGHT CLASSES:

Freight classes are typically held in 6 week sessions - see the current schedule at:

<https://www.thefreight.org/learn-to-play/classes/>  
<https://www.thefreight.org/learn-to-play/workshops/>

Some of the regular instructors:

Erik Hoffman - fiddle

Evie Ladin, Erik Pearson and/or Jordan Ruyle - clawhammer banjo

Eric Thompson - mandolin and guitar

String Band Class:

\* Weekly string band classes are held in 6 week sessions on Sunday afternoon at Lamorinda Music in Lafayette.

The current instructors are Harry Liedstrand (fiddle), David Brown (banjo), and Cindy Liedstrand (guitar).

Instructors of previous series have included Allegra Yellin (guitar), Jordan Ruyle or Heath Curdts (banjo), and Amy Hofer, Suzy Thompson, Karen Celia Heil or Harry Liedstrand (fiddle).

Contact Harry at [harry.liedstrand AT gmail.com](mailto:harry.liedstrand@gmail.com) for more information and to be notified when the next session is scheduled.

\* Suzy Thompson occasionally teaches a String Band Blues class - email [suzy AT ericandsuzy.com](mailto:suzy@ericandsuzy.com) for details.

#### OTHER CLASSES

Allegra Yellin teaches a Carter Family Songs class and 4 levels of folk/rock guitar classes - email [yallegra AT hotmail.com](mailto:yallegra@hotmail.com).

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Local Bands:

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Squirrelly Stringband:

<http://squirrellystringband.com/>

Crooked Jades:

<http://www.crookedjades.com>

Evie Ladin and Evie Ladin Band

<http://www.evieladin.com/>

Skillet Licorice (Matt Knoth & Elise Engleberg)

<http://www.skilletlicorice.com/>

Eric & Suzy Thompson, Thompsons' String Ticklers, Bluegrass Intentions, Thompsonia, Blue Diamond Strings, etc.

<http://www.ericandsuzy.com>

Bearcat Stringband & Duo  
<http://www.bearcatstringband.com/>

Robin Fischer  
<http://www.robinrfischer.com/>

Rowan McCallister  
<http://www.rowanmccallistermusic.com>

Karen Celia Heil  
<https://www.karenceliaheil.com>

Undone in Sorrow  
<http://undoneinsorrow.com/>

Jody Stecher & Kate Brislin  
<http://www.jodyandkate.com/>

Ray Bierl  
<http://raybierl.com/>

Worried Man String Band  
<https://www.facebook.com/pg/worriedmanstringband>

Lonesome Holler String Band  
(formerly Acme String Ensemble)  
<http://www.carneyscorner.com/lhsb.html>

Roadoilers:  
<http://www.roadoilers.com>

Darling Clementine  
<http://www.darlingclementinemusic.com/>

New Vintage Revelers (Harry Liedstrand, Paul Kotapish, Dan Warrick)  
<https://www.facebook.com/NewVintageRevelers>

Harry Liedstrand, Liedstrand Family, Dos Valley Trio  
<http://www.harryliedstrand.com> or <http://www.mtwow.com>

Mt. Diablo String Band  
<http://www.myspace.com/mtdiablostringband>

The Easy Winners  
<https://www.easywinners.band/>  
[www.facebook.com/TheEasyWinners.mandolinandguitar/](http://www.facebook.com/TheEasyWinners.mandolinandguitar/)

Hook N Line Stringband (Thomas Angell, Chris Miller, Drew Congdon)  
<https://www.facebook.com/hooknlinestringband>

Sons of Liberty (Santa Cruz)  
<http://sonsoflibertyoldtime.weebly.com/>

<https://www.facebook.com/Sonsoflibertyoldtime>

The Baybillies

Craig Ventresco & Meredith Axelrod

<http://www.craigventresco.com>

<http://meredithaxelrod.com>

Rivertown Skiffers (jug band - Marin & Sonoma Counties)

<http://www.rivertownskiffers.com/>

Earl White String Band (formerly of Santa Cruz)

<http://fiddlersjam.westcliffinc.com>

<http://fiddlersjam.com/>

<https://www.facebook.com/earlwhitestringband>

Seabright Serenaders, Rhythm Rangellers, Paul & Emily

<http://www.rhythmrangellers.com>

Santa Cruz Percolators

<http://www.santacruzpercolators.com/>

Jubilee American Dance Theatre

<http://sites.google.com/site/jubileedance/>

Sacramento:

Piney Creek Weasels

Foothills:

Buffalo Gals West (Nevada City/Grass Valley)

<https://www.facebook.com/Buffalo-Gals-West-190000911060192/>

<http://www.buffalogalswest.com>

Ragged but Right (Grass Valley)

<http://www.raggedbutright.us/>

Old Soles (Geff & Masha Crawford)

<http://www.OldSolesMusic.com>

Orange Possum Special (Geff & Masha Crawford & John Hoffman)

<http://www.OrangePossumSpecial.com>

Central California and Valley:

Red Rag Andy Band (Fresno):

Andy Brown, Terry Barrett, Mark Olson, Penny Critchlow, and Barbara LaRae

Southern California:

Echo Mountain (Los Angeles)

<https://www.facebook.com/echomtn/>

Triple Chicken Foot (Los Angeles)  
<https://www.facebook.com/Triple-Chicken-Foot-182408557113/>

Have More Fun Stringband (LA)  
<https://www.facebook.com/havemorefunstringband/>

Modal Tease (Los Angeles)  
<http://www.ModalTease.com>

Brainstormers (Tom Sauber, Patrick Sauber, Mark Graham) (LA, Seattle)

Sausage Grinder (LA)  
<http://sausagegrindermusic.com/>

Honeysuckle Possums (LA)  
<http://www.honeysucklepossums.com/>

Defunct/Inactive bands:

Uncle Dave (Kathrine Gardner, Dave Courchaine, David Brown)  
<http://uncledavemusic.wordpress.com/>

Get Happy String Band (Meredith Axelrod and Darcy Noonan)  
<http://www.thegethappystringband.com>

Ragtime Skedaddlers  
<https://www.facebook.com/RagtimeSkedaddlers/>  
<https://ragtimeskedaddlers.bandcamp.com/>

Stairwell Sisters:  
<http://www.stairwellsisters.com>

Knuckle Knockers  
<https://www.karenceliaheil.com/the-knuckle-knockers>

Organizations/List:  
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OldtimeSF groups.io group  
<https://groups.io/g/oldtimeSF/>

Santa Cruz Old Time Music Collective  
<https://www.facebook.com/scoldtimemusiccollective>

Berkeley Oldtime Music Convention (BOTMC):  
Sept & Spring  
<http://www.berkeleyoldtimemusic.org/>

Northern California Bluegrass Society: <http://www.scbs.org/>

California Bluegrass Association (CBA) <https://californiablugrass.org/>

California Bluegrass Association Music Camp (June)  
<http://www.cbamusiccamp.org/index.html>

Walker Creek Music Camp (April & fall)  
<http://www.walkercreekmusiccamp.org>  
<https://www.facebook.com/WalkerCreekMusicCamp>

North Oakland Square Dance  
<https://www.facebook.com/NorthOaklandSquareDance>  
<http://squirrellystringband.com/first-friday-north-oakland-square-dance/>

Bay Area Semi-Secret Squaredance Society  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/Secretsquaredance>  
email semisecretsquaredance AT gmail.com

Hipster Hoedown - bluegrass in San Francisco  
includes a consolidated calendar  
<http://www.hipsterhoedown.com>

Hicks with Sticks (twang country)  
<http://www.hickswithsticks.com>

Bay Area Country Dance Society (BACDS): <http://www.bacds.org>

North Bay Country Dance Society: <http://www.nbcds.org>

San Francisco Bay Queer Contra Dance and Circle Left  
<http://www.lcfd.org/sf/>

Consolidated California Contra Dance Schedule  
[http://www.contradancelinks.com/schedule\\_CA.html](http://www.contradancelinks.com/schedule_CA.html)

Convenient Contra Calendar (consolidated calendar for Greater SF Bay Area)  
<http://contra.sf.ca.us/>

Sacramento area contra dances  
<http://www.sactocds.org/>

Traditional Dancers of Santa Cruz  
<http://santacruzdance.org/>

Monterey Country Dance Community  
<http://montereycdc.webs.com/>

San Francisco Free Folk Festival: <http://www.sffolkfest.org/>

El Cerrito Free Folk Festival  
<https://www.elcerritofreefolkfestival.org/>

Shelby Ash Presents <http://www.shelbyashpresents.net/>

Ladies Banjo Society of California

Storytelling Association of California  
<http://www.storysaac.org/>

California State Old Time Fiddlers Association  
<http://www.csotfa.org/state/index.html>

California State Old Time Fiddlers Association District 9 (Castro Valley)  
<http://www.csotfa9.org/>

California State Old Time Fiddlers Association District 10  
(Sonoma, Lake & Mendocino Counties)  
<http://www.csotfa10.org>

Sonoma County Folk Society  
<http://www.socofoso.com/>

Cloverdale Old Time Fiddle Contest Festival  
<http://cloverdalefiddles.com/>

Fiddling Cricket (concert series in the south bay)  
<http://www.fiddlingcricket.com>

Wisteria Ways (house concert series in North Oakland)  
<http://wisteriaways.org/>

Community Concerts/Creative Musical Alternatives  
(concert series in Concord, Vallejo, Martinez, Antioch, etc)  
<http://www.communityconcerts.com>

Brookdale Bluegrass Festival (Santa Cruz mountains)  
<http://brookdalebluegrass.com>

Venues:  
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CENTRAL EAST BAY (Berkeley, Oakland, etc):

These venues are open (post-COVID):

Freight & Salvage 2020 Addison St. Berkeley  
<http://www.freightandsalvage.org>

The Back Room 1984 Bonita Ave Berkeley  
<http://backroommusic.com>

Fifth Street Farms, Berkeley  
<http://www.fifthstfarms.com/>

Starry Plough  
3101 Shattuck Ave. Berkeley (510)841-2082  
<http://www.starryploughpub.com/>

Sláinte Irish pub  
131 Broadway, Oakland



<https://slainte oakland.com/>

Ashkenaz 1317 San Pablo Ave Berkeley (at Gilman)  
<http://www.ashkenaz.com>

Cato's Ale House  
3891 Piedmont Avenue, Oakland, CA 94611  
(510) 655-3349  
<http://www.catosalehouse.com>

Status of these venues to be determined:

Poplar Playhouse (Berkeley House Concerts)  
<https://www.facebook.com/PoplarPlayhouse/>

Strings, Emeryville: <http://www.strings.org/>

Jupiter Pub 2181 Shattuck Ave Berkeley  
just south of Center St. and the BART station  
<http://www.jupiterbeer.com>

Niebyl Proctor Library  
6501 Telegraph near Alcatraz Oakland  
<http://www.marxistlibr.org/>

Caffe Chiave  
2500 San Pablo Ave, Berkeley CA (formerly Cafe Trieste)  
4065 Piedmont Ave, Oakland, CA 94611  
<https://caffechiave.com>

Pacific Coast Brewing Company  
906 Washington St, Oakland, CA 94607  
<http://www.pacificcoastbrewing.com>

Goorin Brothers Hats  
2926 College Ave, Berkeley, CA

Le Bateau Ivre Cafe/Restaurant  
2629 Telegraph Avenue Berkeley California 510-849-1100  
<http://www.lebateauivre.net/>

Temescal Cafe  
4920 Telegraph Avenue, Oakland, near 51th. 510-595-4102.

Aunt Mary's Cafe  
4307 Telegraph Ave, Oakland  
<http://www.auntmaryscafe.com/>

Humanist Hall, 309 27th St. Oakland (btwn Telegraph & Broadway)  
<http://www.humanisthall.net/>

Julie's Coffee and Tea Garden  
1223 Park Street Alameda, California 94501

<http://juliestea.com/>

Point Richmond Acoustic  
First Methodist Church of Point Richmond  
201 Martina Avenue. Point Richmond  
<http://www.pointacoustic.org>

Catahoula Cafe  
12472 San Pablo Avenue, Richmond, California 94805  
<http://www.catahoulacoffee.com>

SAN FRANCISCO:

These venues are open (post-COVID)

The Plough & Stars  
116 Clement Street San Francisco (2nd Ave)  
(415)751-1122  
<http://www.theploughandstars.com/>

Bernal Star (formerly the Liberty Cafe)  
410 Cortland Ave. SF, CA 94110 | 415.695.8777  
<http://bernalstar.com/>

United Irish Cultural Center  
2700 45th Ave, San Francisco  
<http://www.irishcentersf.org/>  
<http://sf.ccewest.org>

Amado's  
998 Valencia St, SF  
<http://www.amadossf.com/>

Lost Church  
65 Capp St SF (near 16th St BART)  
<https://www.facebook.com/TheLostChurch/>  
<http://www.thelostchurch.com/>

Status of these venues to be determined:

Driftwood  
1225 Folsom St, San Francisco, California 94103  
<http://www.driftwoodbarsf.com/showCal.php>

Velo Rouge Cafe  
798 Arguello Boulevard San Francisco, CA 94118-4066 (415) 752-7216  
<http://www.velorougecafe.com>

Make-Out Room  
3225 22nd St. SF (between Mission and Valencia)  
415-647-2888  
<http://www.makeoutroom.com/>

Atlas Cafe  
3049 20th St. San Francisco (20th St. @ Alabama)  
phone: 415.648.1047  
<http://www.atlascafe.net>

Red Hill Books Bennington & Cortland Bernal Heights San Francisco  
415-648-5331  
<http://www.dogearredbooks.com/redhill/index.php>

Bird & Beckett Books (Glen Park)  
653 Chenery St., San Francisco  
<http://www.bird-beckett.com/>

Mission Pie  
2901 Mission St. at 25th Street  
San Francisco, CA 94110  
1.415.282.4PIE, 1.415.282.1500  
<http://missionpie.com/>

SoCha Cafe  
3235 Mission Street at Valencia San Francisco, CA 94110  
415-643-6848  
<http://www.myspace.com/sochacafe>

International Cafe  
508 Haight St San Francisco (Haight & Fillmore):

The Lucky Horseshoe  
453 Cortland St  
(between Wool St & Andover St)  
San Francisco, CA 94110  
Bluegrass on Sundays

Charlie's Cafe 3202 Folsom St, SF  
<https://www.facebook.com/CharliesCafeSF/>

Bazaar Cafe  
5927 California Street San Francisco, CA (415) 831-5620  
<http://www.bazaarcafe.com>

Bottom of the Hill. 1233 17th Street San Francisco (17th @ Missouri)  
<http://bottomofthehill.com>

The Argus 3187 Mission San Francisco 415.824.1447 (at Valencia)  
<http://www.arguslounge.com/>

Women's Building  
3543 18th Street San Francisco  
<http://www.womensbuilding.org>

SF Live Arts at Cyprian's (formerly Noe Valley Music Series)  
2097 Turk Street, San Francisco, CA 94115  
<http://sflivearts.org/>

Hotel Utah  
500 Fourth Street San Francisco, CA 94107  
(415) 546-6300  
<http://thehotelutahsaloon.com>

Cafe Du Nord  
2170 Market St. San Francisco, CA 94114  
(415) 861-5016  
<http://www.cafedunord.com/>

Hemlock Tavern 1131 Polk SF  
<http://www.hemlocktavern.com>

The Riptide  
3639 Taraval St. @ 47th, San Francisco  
<http://www.riptidesf.com>

Croatian American Cultural Center  
60 Onondaga Ave San Francisco, CA 94112  
<http://www.croatianamericanweb.org>

Rickshaw Stop  
155 Fell Street, San Francisco, California 94102  
<http://www.rickshawstop.com>

SFJAZZ Center, Miner Auditorium  
201 Franklin Street, San Francisco  
<http://www.sfjazz.org/events-calendar>

OTHER EAST BAY:

Mighty Fine Guitars (next to Lamorinda Music)  
85 Lafayette Circle Lafayette, California 94549  
Phone 925.268.8226 (YAK.ANT.TACO)  
<http://www.mightyfineguitars.com>

Devil Mountain Coffeehouse  
Mt. Diablo Unitarian Universalist Church 55 Eckley Lane Walnut Creek, CA  
<https://mduuc.org/news/devil-mountain-coffee-house/>

Armando's  
707 Marina Vista, Martinez, CA 94553

First Street Cafe  
440 First Street Benicia  
(707) 745-1400  
<http://www.firststcafe.com>

Livermore Valley Performing Arts Center (Bankhead Theater)  
2400 First Street, Livermore  
<http://livermoreperformingarts.org/>

Mission Pizza, 1572 Washington Blvd. Fremont

510-651-6858  
<http://missionpizza.com>

SOUTH OF SF:

Pacifica Performances  
1220 Linda Mar Blvd Pacifica, CA 94044  
<http://pacificaperformances.org/>

Cafe Zoë  
1929 Menalto Ave Menlo Park, CA 94025  
<https://www.cafezoehub.com>

The Woodshed at Keith Holland Guitars  
16905 Roberts Road  
Los Gatos, California 95035  
408-395-0767  
<https://www.facebook.com/keithhollandguitars/>  
<http://www.keithhollandguitars.com/events.html>

SANTA CRUZ

These venues are open (post-COVID)

Kuumbwa Jazz Center  
320 Cedar St., Santa Cruz, CA  
<https://www.kuumbwajazz.org>

Felton Music Hall  
(formerly Flynn's Cabaret, Don Quixote's International Music Hall)  
6275 Highway 9, Felton, CA 95018  
(831) 704-7113  
<https://feltonmusichall.com/>

Michael's on Main  
2591 Main St, Soquel, CA  
<http://www.michaelsonmainmusic.com/>

MARIN & SONOMA COUNTIES:

Sweetwater Music Hall  
19 Corte Madera Ave, Mill Valley, California 94941  
<http://www.sweetwatermusichall.com/>

Lark Theater  
549 Magnolia Ave, Larkspur 415 924-5111  
<http://www.larktheater.net>

Schoenberg Guitars  
106 Main St, Tiburon 415-789-0846  
<http://www.om28.com/>

Peri's  
29 Broadway, Fairfax

19 Broadway  
19 Broadway Fairfax  
<http://www.19broadway.com/>

Iron Springs Pub and Brewery  
765 Center Boulevard Fairfax, CA 94930  
(415) 485-1005  
<http://ironspringspub.com/>

Murphy's Irish Pub, 464 First Street East, Sonoma. (707) 935-0660.  
<http://www.sonomapub.com/>

Lagunitas Taproom  
1280 North McDowell Boulevard in Petaluma  
<http://www.lagunitas.com/taproom/index.html>

Sebastopol Community Center  
390 Morris, Sebastopol

Subud Hall  
234 Hutchins Avenue Sebastopol

Occidental Center for the Arts  
3850 Doris Murphy Court, Occidental, CA  
(Bohemian Hwy & Graton Rd)  
707-874-9392.  
<http://occidentalcenterforthearts.org/>

Dance Palace Community Center  
503 B Street Pt Reyes Station  
415-663-1075  
<http://www.dancepalace.org>

Rancho Nicasio  
On the Town Square, Nicasio CA 94946  
415-662-2219  
<http://ranchonicasio.com/>

Farmstead Restaurant  
738 Main Street, St. Helena, CA (707) 963-9181  
<http://www.longmeadowranch.com/Farmstead-Restaurant>

#### CENTRAL VALLEY:

Open (post-COVID):  
The Side Door @ Fifth String Music, 2900 Franklin Blvd, Sacramento  
<https://www.thesidedoor.net>  
<https://www.facebook.com/Sidedoorproductions/>

Not open yet:  
The Palms, Winters

<http://palmsplayhouse.com/>

RESOURCES:

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Local music stores:

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Gryphon Stringed Instruments, Palo Alto  
<https://www.gryphonstrings.com/>

Lark in the Morning, Berkeley  
<https://larkinthemorning.com/>

Timbre Folk & Baroque Instruments, Berkeley  
<https://timbrefolk.com/>

Subway Guitars, Berkeley  
<http://www.fatdawg.com/>

Marc Silber, Berkeley (by appt only)  
<http://www.marcsilbermusic.com/>

John Mello, Kensington (by appt?)  
<https://www.johnfmello.com/>

Lamorinda Music, Lafayette  
<https://www.lamorindamusic.com>

Mighty Fine Guitars, Lafayette  
<http://mightyfineguitars.com/>

Schoenberg Guitars, Tiburon (Marin)  
<https://www.om28.com/>

Amazing Grace Music, San Anselmo (Marin)  
<http://www.amazinggracemusicmarin.com/>

Tall Toad Music, Petaluma  
<https://www.talltoadmusic.com/>

People's Music, Sebastopol  
<https://www.peoplesmusic.com>

Banana at Large, San Rafael & Santa Rosa  
<https://www.bananas.com>

Rockin' Robbie's (formerly Music Works), El Cerrito & Concord  
<https://www.rockinrobbies.com/>

Guitar Center  
Emeryville, SF, Concord, Dublin, San Mateo, San Jose, South San Jose

<https://www.guitarcenter.com/>

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Harmony list (SF Folk Music Club email list):

<https://groups.io/g/harmony>

CelticSF groups.io group:

<https://groups.io/g/celticSF/>

Quebecois music:

<https://groups.io/g/QueTradSF>

Bluegrass etc:

<http://groups.io/g/bluegrassSF>

<http://groups.io/g/SFBayMando>

Peter Thompson's Bluegrass Calendar:

send an email to [bgsignal AT comcast.net](mailto:bgsignal@comcast.net) to receive the monthly calendar,  
or visit:

<http://www.bgsignal.com>

BACDS (Bay Area Country Dance Society) email lists

<http://www.bacds.org/email/>

CBA Message Board:

<http://www.cbaweb.org/MessageBoard>

Bay Area Calendar of Cajun-Zydeco Dances

<http://calendar10.tripod.com/>

Oldtime music in Nevada City/Grass Valley

mountain-fiddlers Google Group

4th Sunday jam 2pm-4pm Wild Eye Pub, Grass Valley

Mud City Old-Time Society

Old-Time Music and Dance events in the South-Central Willamette Valley.

Eugene OR & vicinity

<https://mudcityoldtime.org/>

<https://www.facebook.com/MudCityOldTime/>

Oldtime Music in Seattle

<https://groups.io/g/oldtimeseattle>

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/oldtimeseattle>