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Dulci-More Festival 17 www.dulcimore.org
BSA Camp McKinley, Lisbon, OH 44432
Memorial Day Weekend, May 27-29, 2011

Gary & Toni Sager **Jesse Isley** **Guy & Sharrie George**
The Hired Hands **David Ferrard** **Linda Sigismondi**
Marge Diamond **Sutch Sounds** **Janet Harriman**
Alice & Earl Whitehill **Jan Hammond & Tom Conner**
Mini-Concert by Dulci-More Little Eagles

Evening Concerts, *Mini-Concerts*,
Over 50 Workshops, *Children's Workshops*,
Open Stages, *Clubs Open Stages*,
Name that Old-Time (or Other) Tune Contest,
***Non-Denominational Worship Service*,**
Hymn/Gospel/Spiritual Sing,
***Song Circles*, Jamming, *Campfires*, Vendors, Food,**
Primitive Camping, *Group Rates Available*,
Children Welcome

Hosted by Dulci-More: Folk & Traditional Musicians
With Support for Dulci-More Festival for Schools from
Folknet, Dulci-More, & United Local Elementary School
Program Subject to Change if Needed

Dulci-More Festival 17 Schedule of Events

Friday, May 27, 2011

- 5:00-9:00 PM Registration
6:00-6:45 PM Coverdish Dinner (Open to All)
7:00-9:15 PM Evening Concert **Dulci-More** and
Doug Berch and **Stephen Humphries (with Jesse Isley)**
9:30 PM on Song Circle/Jamming/Campfire

Saturday, May 28, 2011

- 8:00 AM on Registration
8:00-9:00 AM Breakfast Time
9:00-10:00 AM Workshop Cluster 1
10:15-11:15 AM Workshop Cluster 2
11:30-1:30 PM Lunch Time/Mini-Concerts
1:45-2:45 PM Workshop Cluster 3
3:00-4:00 PM Ability Level Jamming Workshops
4:15-4:45 PM Name that Old-Time (or Other) Tune Contest
5:00-6:30 PM Dinner Time/Open Stage/Clubs Open Stage/Mini-Concerts
7:00-9:15 PM Evening Concert **Dulci-More** and
Stephen Seifert and **Alex Bevan**
9:30 PM on Song Circle/Jamming/Campfire

Sunday, May 29, 2011

- 8:00 AM on Registration
8:00-9:00 AM Breakfast Time
9:00-10:00 AM Hymn/Gospel/Spiritual Sing
10:15-11:15 AM Workshop Cluster 4
11:30-1:30 PM Lunch Time/Mini-Concerts
1:45-2:45 PM Workshop Cluster 5
3:00-4:00 PM Workshop Cluster 6
4:05-4:35 PM Non-Denominational Worship Service
5:00-6:30 PM Dinner Time/Open Stage/Clubs Open Stage/Mini-Concerts
7:00-9:15 PM Evening Concert **Dulci-More** and
Jim & Cheri Miller and **Matt Watroba**
9:30 PM on Song Circle/Jamming/Campfire

Monday, May 30, 2011

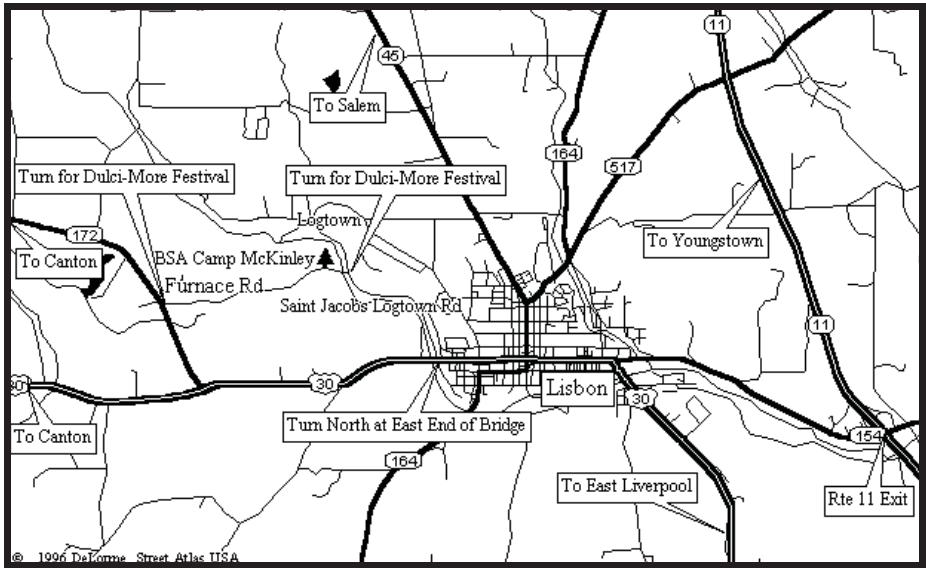
Final Pack up & Cleanup

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Many bring lawn chairs for comfortable seating at workshops during the festival.

Dulci-More Festival for Schools (in its ninth year) lets many area students learn more about folk music with some of our performers thanks to generous donations from **Folknet**, **Dulci-More**, and **United Local Elementary School**.

Dulci-More Little Eagles, students in an after-school program at **United Local Elementary School** conducted by a few **Dulci-More** members are again expected to perform prior to the Sunday evening concerts.



Festival Location (See Map)

BSA Camp McKinley, 37748 Furnace Rd., Lisbon, OH

From the center of Lisbon, OH (intersection of US 30 & SR 45), follow US 30 west (Lincoln Way), turn right (north) just before the bridge at edge of town, follow Logtown Rd. (St. Jacob's Logtown Rd.), turn left on Furnace Rd., cross the bridge to festival. Follow McKinley Scout Camp or Folk Festival signs.

Per BSA policy, no alcohol permitted at festival

Children Always Welcome with Responsible Adults

On-site Camping is primitive, meaning that there are no hook-ups available. Bunk spaces in Zaplata Cabin (many have commented that it is too moldy for them) at camping rates are available until all are taken (no facilities in cabin, but an outhouse is close). Flush rest rooms for all and showers for campers are available at the camp.

Campers wanting hook-ups should make their own reservations at another campsite. The Number for Lock 30 Campground outside Lisbon is 330-424-9197.

Non-campers may want to make reservations at a local motel. In Lisbon are: Frola at 330-424-3590, Lisbon Days Inn at 800-329-7466 or 330-420-0111, and Trail's End at 330-424-7593. Several in other communities are within an easy drive to the festival.

All children in a family attend for all weekend for just \$5 total, whether two, four, or more.

Evening Concert/Workshop Performers

Doug Berch is the 1983 National Champion in both the Hammered Dulcimer and the Mountain Dulcimer. For many years he toured, performed, and recorded as a solo act and as part of the Celtic ensemble, Colcannon. Doug is a luthier who makes beautiful dulcimers, and he plans to have some for sale as a vendor at our festival. Doug is now from Okemos, MI. This is his first Dulci-More Festival.

Alex Bevan has been a vital part of the Northeast Ohio acoustic music scene for over forty years. First known as the "Skinny Little Boy" from Cleveland, Ohio, his singing and excellent guitar playing songs combine with his imaginative and honest songwriting. His recordings span the gamut from folk to folk rock to pop to children's music. Alex lives in Madison, OH. This is his first Dulci-More Festival.

Stephen Humphries is the 2007 National Hammered Dulcimer Champion. He is currently living in Chattanooga and pursuing a Masters Degree in Music Education at Lee University in Cleveland, TN. He has released four CDs. Stephen brings a solid percussive, classical, and contemporary approach to the dulcimer as a trained percussionist. He and Jesse Isley return after being at Dulci-More Festival 16.

Jim & Cheri Miller are from Hampton, TN, but Jim is originally from Hanoverton and still has relatives in the area. Jim was here for Dulci-More Festival 11. He is looking forward to returning to United Local school this trip to perform at our Festival for Schools (he graduated from there 40 years ago). His wife, Cheri, records with him. Jim is a multi-instrumentalist known for off the wall inventions.

Stephen Seifert is from Nashville, TN. This is his first Dulci-More Festival, but he has been with us for our concert and workshop series before. As a mountain dulcimer specialist, he has performed with symphony orchestras and was Adjunct Instructor of Mountain Dulcimer with David Schnauffer at Vanderbilt's Blair School of Music from 1997-2001. He has many books, CDs, and videos.

Matt Watroba is a singer, a guitarist, a songwriter and an interpreter of the songs of others. He has been doing folk music radio for over 20 years. He has interviewed and shared the stage with most of the best known folk performers. He is the host of Sing Out! Radio Program heard nationally and has recently joined the staff of folkalley.com. This is his first Dulci-More Festival. He is from Hartland, MI/Kent, OH.

Dulci-More Members will add short opening sets for each evening concert.

Bill Schilling of Salem will again be our performing emcee for the concerts. He is a folk-style singer and multi-instrumentalist, leader of Dulci-More, and director (from the start) of the Dulci-More Festivals. Bill has several books and a recording with Linda Sigismondi. He is Music Coordinator and a regular instructor for Folk Music at Weatherbury Farm.

Mini-Concert/Workshop Performers

Mountain Marge Diamond is a Dulci-More member and founder of a group in Oberlin. She is celebrating 25 years of playing mountain dulcimer. She returns from Elyria with several lap dulcimers, tunes, and techniques. She has played at all of our festivals. Marge now does airbrushed artwork of instruments on shirts.

David Ferrard is from Edinburgh, Scotland. He will be finishing his first US tour at our Dulci-More Festival 17. Born to a Scottish father and an American mother, David blends his own guitar and songwriting with traditional material from both sides of the Atlantic. His music is accessible and meaningful with a commitment to social issues.

Guy & Sharrie George are from Concord, Ohio. Guy has been with us nine times before and Sharrie about three times. Guy plays hammered dulcimer,

saxophones, flute, whistle, steel drum, and keyboard. Sharrie plays guitar, and they sing together. This is Guy's eighth year as one of our vendors.

Jan Hammond & Tom Conner are from Wadsworth and North Canton. Jan is a mountain dulcimer player, composer, lyricist, and singer who worked with us for Dulci-More Festival 13. Tom is a finger-style guitarist, and this is his first Dulci-More Festival. They have one CD together and various products individually.

Janet Harriman returns from North Chili, NY. She joined Dulci-More when living in our area. Now she plays with Striking Strings at Eastman Community Music School in Rochester, NY with Mitzi Collins. She has three books. Janet has given workshops at several Dulci-More Festivals and solo mini-concerts three times.

The Hired Hands are the Miller sisters from Lisbon. Their Celtic Music includes a National Scottish Harp Champion of America (and a runner-up). **Allison** and **Sairey** play harp, with **Laura** (16) on fiddle, **Micah** (15) on concertina, and **Maggie** (13) on whistles. They have a CD. They played Dulci-More Festivals 15 & 16.

Jesse Isley is a singer/songwriter and guitarist from Columbia, SC. His songs are derived from personal accounts with the intent to be heartfelt. Although he is a rock musician, Jesse plays many styles of music and will share his acoustic side and also collaborate with Stephen Humphries again. Jesse played Dulci-More Festival 16.

Gary & Toni Sager are known in the dulcimer world for vending Prussia Valley Dulcimers and now their Acoustic Music Shop in Waverly, OH as well (and this is their sixth time vending here). Gary plays mountain dulcimer and Toni plays autoharp. They have a CD.

Linda Sigismondi is a mountain dulcimer player (and multi-instrumentalist) and folksinger from Gallipolis. She directs the Fort New Salem Dulcimer Festival. She has several books with companion CDs and a recording with Bill Schilling. A Dulci-More member, she has played all our festivals.

Sutch Sounds consists of Adam Sutch (from Daisytown, PA) on lead hammered dulcimer (has placed 2nd and 3rd nationally); his grandfather, Ron Howes on guitar; and probably his grandmother, Darlene Howes on guitar, and his brothers, Aaron & Austin, on marimbula and bodhran. They played Dulci-More Festivals 12, 14, & 15.

Alice & Earl Whitehill return again as Dulci-More members from Hookstown, PA. They sing. Earl plays dulcimer and Alice plays dulcimers and more. Alice has been joined by several others at our festivals. Alice is one of our vendors. Alice has been part of all of our Dulci-More Festivals.

Additional workshops are likely to be given by some of our Dulci-More members and others as needed. Some of those who are scheduled to help this year are:

Don Blair, Leanna Dugan, John McAuliffe, Lynn McLeish, Jim Miller, Jerry Rockwell, and Jim Stone.

Just Plain Folk from **WAPS 91.3 FM** in Akron again expects to do radio interviews as featured workshops for later broadcast with host **Tom Ball**, and maybe engineer **Jim Stone**, and some of our performers. They also host Bill Schilling with recordings and sometimes other live guests on the show the week of the festival.

Dulci-More Little Eagles are a few students from United Local Elementary School in an after-school program led by Norma Firth and Bill Schilling.

Dulci-More Festival 17 Vendors

Alice Whitehill from Georgetown, PA with **Stitches & Strings** at stitches@raex.com

Doug Berch from Okemos, MI at www.dougberch.com

Guy George from Concord at www.guygeorge.com or hdggeorge@aol.com

Michael Allen with ~**Cloud Nine~ Instruments** from Ostrander with handmade hammered dulcimers and marimbulas at www.cloudninemusical.com

Paul A. Kerns from Logan with mountain dulcimers at 740-380-2840 or klaerkerns@aol.com

Lynn McLeish from Rayland with musical accessories

Lois & Ken Mountz with **Mountz Gallery** at 14996 Garfield Road, Salem, OH 44460 or www.mountzgallery.com or lm@mountzgallery.com

Gary & Toni Sager with **Prussia Valley Dulcimers Acoustic Music Shop** at 122 North Market Street, Waverly, OH or www.prussiavalley.com

Paul Conrad with **Timbre Hill Dulcimers** in Holmes County makes mountain dulcimers at www.timbrehilldulcimers.com

Marge Diamond with **Winsome Expressions** from Elyria, OH at mtmarge7@alltel.net or www.winsomeexpressions.com

Dulci-More Festival Information

The activities listed here show the purposes for the festival, as with the club, are for people to jam (from the workshops to song circles, jamming, campfires, and gospel sing), to learn (workshops), to listen (concerts and mini-concerts), and to perform (open stages of two types). We run a children's workshop area for kids of all ages during all workshop clusters.

This is our fifteenth year at beautiful and historic BSA Camp McKinley. The indoor and covered facilities let us enjoy all events despite continuous and heavy rain during Festival 3 and other questionable weather over the years.

The evening concert performers, mini-concert performers, and others instruct workshops during the day on Saturday and Sunday for anyone interested in learning basics or advanced techniques (beginner, advanced beginner, intermediate, advanced, and general levels) in playing instruments, singing, or other subjects. Most workshops offer hands-on learning, but some are for entertainment and education. Bring instruments to fully participate in the festival by being a part of the workshops or of jams happening during the day or late into the evening. Some instruments are available for loan so that anyone can get in on the fun and learning.

Pre-registered group discounts are available before the festival.

Children are always welcome with responsible adults.

Dulci-More Information

Dulci-More: Folk & Traditional Musicians is a club that started in January 1993, at the First United Methodist Church of Salem and continues to meet there on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. The purposes of the club are to have fun with folk-style music and to share that music with others. All levels of acoustic instrumentalists and singers are always welcome at meetings to jam, to learn, to listen, or to perform. Since starting to perform publicly in March 1993, Dulci-More has averaged over two performances per month for civic groups, nursing homes, churches, schools, coffee houses, festivals, and others. The club has over 100 members with as many as 40 attending some meetings or activities. Mountain and hammered dulcimer, guitar, autoharp, harmonica, whistle, flute, recorder, fiddle, mandolin, ukulele, cello, bass, bowed psaltery, banjo, keyboard, percussion, jug, and others are played when the club meets. Check www.dulcimore.org for more.

Dulci-More Festival 17 Registration Form

Name(s) _____

Address _____

Phone _____

E-Mail _____

Use this form, duplicate it, or give this information on another sheet.

Please mail pre-registrations by Monday, May 23, 2011. Send to Bill Schilling, 984 Homewood Avenue, Salem, OH 44460-3816 with check payable to Dulci-More. **For more information or for pre-registered group discounts, contact Bill at 330-332-4420 or bill@dulcimore.org.**

Notes: Meals are not included in the package prices. However, meals and snacks will be available for purchase at the festival at reasonable rates.

Online registrations at www.dulcimore.org. *Pre-registrations help things run more smoothly*, but all are welcome to register at the festival. There are pre-registration price breaks for full weekend registration and for campers.

Dulci-More Festival 17 Registration	Regular	#	All Children	#		
Friday Evening Concert	\$10		\$2 Total			
Saturday Daytime	\$8		\$2 Total			
Sat. Evening Concert	\$10		\$2 Total			
Sat. Daytime & Concert	\$15		\$2 Total			
Sunday Daytime	\$8		\$2 Total			
Sun. Evening Concert	\$10		\$2 Total			
Sun Daytime & Concert	\$15		\$2 Total			
Full Weekend All Daytimes With All Concerts	\$35		\$5 Total			
Pre-registered Full Weekend	\$30		\$5 Total			
Registration Subtotal			\$			
Camping	Fri	#	Sat	#	Sun	#
Pre-registered/person/night	\$2		\$2		\$2	
At festival/person/night	\$4		\$4		\$4	
Camping Subtotal			\$			
Total Due			\$			

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