

Balance the Bay



August 11-13, 2017

Join us for Northern California's premiere Contra Dance weekend: Hot dancing in the cool of San Francisco summer! We're just half a mile from Ocean Beach overlooking Lake Merced, so we can take full advantage of the sea breezes and San Francisco's famous fog.

Registration Opens March 15th

Register online at www.bacds.org/btb/ **OR** by mail (see back)

We think you'll agree, the talent is fabulous! With music by:

Maivish and Great Bear



**Adam Broome, Matthew Olwell
and Jaige Trudel**

Playing music drawn from the British Isles, Ireland and America with a mix of original compositions, their performance is infused with lush vocal harmonies, inspired interplay, and captivating spirit.



**Andrew and Noah VanNorstrand,
Kim Yerton, Dana Billings, Rebecca
Bosworth-Clemens, & Chris Miller**

For more than sixteen years, GREAT BEAR has pushed the boundaries of modern contra dance music.

They're known all over North America for their epic dynamics, genre-transcending arrangements and deep dance grooves.

And the wonderful calling of:

Luke Donforth and Sarah VanNorstrand

Luke Donforth is becoming well-known across the US and Canada for his fun, warm, humorous, and helpful calling, and dancers enjoy the mix of dances from chestnuts to new compositions.



Sarah VanNorstrand has over 10 years' experience organizing and calling for Contra dances, including numerous weekends. She has a clear and engaging teaching style and a great repertoire of dances to share.

Registration and Info: www.bacds.org/btb

Questions? balancethebay@gmail.com / (907) 474-3946



Balance the Bay – Registration Form

August 11-13, 2017 at the Pomeroy Center, 207 Skyline Dr., San Francisco

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(Please print name clearly so we get your button right!)

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Name Tag: I would like it to include (check all that apply):

First Name (or Preferred Name: _____)

Last Name City, State

Roster: Please do NOT list my (check all that apply):

name street address city phone email

Registration Confirmation:

Registrations will be recorded in order of receipt and the Registrar will send you a confirmation email! There is no lottery this year. Registration is not complete until payment is received!

Volunteer!

Balance the Bay needs and appreciates its volunteers for set-up, clean-up, snacks, and many other tasks.

I'd be happy to help out in some way. (Thanks! Our Volunteer Coordinator will get in touch before the event.)

Work-Trade

We can provide a partial refund if you are willing to help out (and miss some dancing) – \$40 for about 2 hours of work. Work-Traders should expect to plan their work-trade commitment with our coordinator (Peggy) in advance of the weekend, *and* attend a brief Friday night orientation (or if not arriving Friday, to check in with Peggy when you do)

I'm interested in a regular \$40 work-trade.

I'd like more work for a bigger discount, if it's OK.

Our coordinator will get in touch!

Childcare: We have parents interested in organizing childcare together during the weekend, similar to last year.

I'm interested in learning more (Let us know so Katie can contact you)

PAYMENT CALCULATION

Registration:

Adult..... \$140 \$ _____

Youth (18-30) \$60 \$ _____

Youth (12-17)..... \$30 \$ _____

Work Trade Discount - \$ 40

Plus Donations:

Snack Fund \$ _____

General Fund \$ _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

Please mail this form along with a check made payable to BACDS to:

Claire Matthews
374 63rd St
Oakland, CA 94618

Saturday Supper

Saturday Supper is a catered community event, included in your registration price. You are on your own for breakfast and lunch.

Dietary restrictions: vegetarian vegan
 gluten-free dairy-free

Comments and Special Needs (allergies, etc.):

Housing Offers/Requests

I WOULD LIKE housing

I CAN PROVIDE housing

Describe Need or Availability: _____

Travel Mates: _____

Thanks! Our Hospitality Coordinator will be in touch!

Cancellation refund policy (full details on website)

Until Friday, July 14: refund minus \$25 cancellation fee

After July 14: no refund.

Donations are not refundable.