

Balance the Bay



August 7-9, 2020

Join us for Northern California's premiere Contra Dance weekend: Hot dancing in the cool San Francisco summer! We're just half a mile from Ocean Beach so we can take full advantage of the sea breezes while the local dance community's warm welcome shines through the fog.

REGISTRATION OPENS APRIL 12

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

The Latter Day Lizards & The Syncopaths



The Latter Day Lizards are dedicated to igniting flames under dancing feet. **Dave Langford**, **Kate Barnes**, and **Bill Tomczak** will be joined by frequent collaborators **Corey DiMario** and **Mark "Pokey" Hellenberg** as they blend swing, rock-and-roll, and jazz influences with traditional foot-stomping dance music to make an innovative, spontaneous and rhythmically inflammatory sound.



The Syncopaths bring a fresh, contemporary spin to music and songs rooted in the Scottish, Irish, and American folk traditions. In a rhythmic interplay of fiddle, mandolin, rich vocals, piano, and bodhrán, the exuberant joy that **Jeff Spero**, **Ashley Broder**, **Ryan McKasson** and **Christa Burch** derive from the music and each other is palpable and contagious.

Calling by: Will Mentor and Lindsey Dono

Will Mentor is known for his clear teaching, upbeat wit, and relaxed stage presence. He loves to choreograph weekends with a variety of dances and tempos that at times surprises but always delivers, all the while keeping intact his guiding principle as a caller: "It's about the dancers!"



Lindsey Dono delights in sharing her love of dance with an ever-expanding "contra family." Known for her clear, serene, and sunny instruction, Lindsey draws on her twenty years of dancing a wide variety of styles to keep dancers energized and piqued with her sophisticated programming.

Registration and Info: www.bacds.org/btb

Questions? balancethebay@gmail.com / (707) 766-9244



Balance the Bay – Registration Form

August 7-9, 2020 at the Pomeroy Center, 100 Herbst Road, San Francisco

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REGISTER ONLINE: www.bacds.org/btb (or by mail using this form)

Registration Questions: cathypclary@yahoo.com / (707-766-9244)

(Please print name clearly)

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Name Tag:

First Name (or Preferred Name: _____)

Please do not print my city on the button

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

name city state 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, so sign up early to secure your space.**

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 in some way.

(Thanks! Our Volunteer Coordinator will get in touch before the event.)

Work-Trade

We have a limited number of work-trades for those who are willing to work (and miss some dancing) – \$80 for 4 hours of work – as assigned by our coordinator in advance of the weekend. Spots are limited, so sign up early if interested.

I'm interested in a regular \$80 work-trade.

I'd like more work for a bigger discount, if available.

Childcare:

We often have parents wanting to support childcare sessions during the weekend. Let us know if you are interested so we can contact you.

I'm interested in learning more about childcare options.

PAYMENT CALCULATION

Registration:

Adult \$165 \$ _____

Youth (18-30)

> sliding scale: \$80 to \$165 \$ _____

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

Work Trade Discount (4hrs work)* - \$80

Plus Donations:

Snack Fund \$ _____

General Fund \$ _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

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

Cathy Clary
813 Bantam Way
Petaluma, CA 94952

*Availability of work-trade slots is not guaranteed.

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

Food 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

Until Friday, July 17: Refund minus \$20 cancellation fee (\$10 for youth)

After July 17: No refund unless we can fill your slot.