

BACDS DANCE CALENDAR Fall 2012

ASE — All Saints Episcopal Church, 555 Waverley St., Palo Alto, 7:30pm

CCB — Christ Church Berkeley, 2138 Cedar St. (near Oxford), Berkeley, 8pm
(4th Sat Berkeley English starts at 7:30pm)

DGK — DanceGround Keriak, 1805 Divisadero at Bush (3 blocks north of Geary), San Francisco, 7pm

FBC — First Baptist Church of Palo Alto, 305 N California Ave, Palo Alto, 7:30 pm

FSJ — First Unitarian Church of San José, 160 N 3rd St, San José, 2:30pm

FUM — First United Methodist Church of Palo Alto, 625 Hamilton at Webster, 8pm

DATE TYPE LOC CALLER MUSICIANS

OCTOBER

Wed 3 CONTRA CCB Erik Hoffman *Open band* led by **Right to Parlay** (Thomas Angell, Dan Kluger, Michael Francis Lewinski, Dane Miller)

Wed 3 ENGLISH FBC Bruce Hamilton **The Glory of the West** (Bill Jensen, Stan & Susan Kramer)

Fri 5 ENGLISH MT Mary Luckhardt **Nonesuch Country Dance Players** (Stan & Susan Kramer, Mary Tabor, Daniel Soussan, Rob Powell, Mark Daly) with Ruth Anne Fraley

Sat 6 CONTRA SF Celia Ramsay **Swing Farm** (Ray Bierl, Charlie Hancock, Markie Sanders)

Wed 10 ENGLISH CCB Sam Weiler David Strong, Judy Linsenber, Craig Johnson

BACDS Fall Frolic at Monte Toyon, Fri-Sun October 12-14
English & display dance weekend featuring Scott Higgs (PA), Joanna Reiner (PA), David Newitt, Jan Elliott (MA), Randall Cayford, Kalia Klivan
Music by Bonnie Insubl (L.A.), Charlie Hancock, Jim Oakden, Michelle Levy, Rebecca King, Shira Kammen, and more! — **Preregistration Required**
For more info see www.bacds.org/camps/fallwk2012/

Sat 13 CONTRA FUM Greg McKenzie **Whimsical** (Janette Duncan, Beth Christian, Regan Hemphill, Roxanne Oliva, Debra Tayleur)

Sat 13 ENGLISH DGK Open Callers' Night Stan & Susan Kramer, David Strong, Patti Cobb, calling coordinated by Bruce Herbold

Wed 17 CONTRA CCB Gordy Euler (OR) *Open band* led by Chris Knepper & Charlie Hancock

Wed 17 ENGLISH FBC Bruce Hamilton Bill Jensen, Stan Kramer, Paul Kostka

Fri 19 ENGLISH MT Sharon Green **Nonesuch Country Dance Players** with Patti Cobb

Sat 20 CONTRA SF Kalia Klivan **Uncle Farmer** (Ben Schreiber, Michael Sokolovsky) with guest Michelle Levy — **FREE ADMISSION** (it's Ellen Eagan's birthday)

Sun 21 ENG/CON FSJ Nick Cuccia William Allen and Friends

Wed 24 WORKSHOP CCB Mary Luckhardt Susan Worland, Betsy St. Aubin — **Introduction to English Dance** — *Free!* (Donations gladly accepted) 6:45-7:45pm

Wed 24 ENGLISH CCB Mary Luckhardt *Open Band* led by Susan Worland, Betsy St. Aubin, John Collins (PA)

Fri 26 CONTRA SF Open callers *Community band* led by Erik Hoffman, callers coordinated by Mavis McGaugh

32nd Annual BACDS Hallowe'en Costume Ball at MT — Saturday, October 27
Joyce Miller & Special Ghosts, *Music by The Rosin Doctors* (Dan Engle, Erik Hoffman, Topher Gayle)
Special Hallowe'en Contra Dance — \$13, members \$11, students \$6, 8:00 pm-midnight.
Wear a danceable costume and compete for the **Ron Award**. Potluck contributions welcomed to supplement the provided refreshments. For more info see www.bacds.org/Halloween

Sat 27 ENGLISH CCB Bruce Hamilton **Bangers and Mash** (Craig Johnson, David Strong, Stan & Susan Kramer) — *for experienced dancers*, 7:30 pm

Wed 31 CONTRA CCB Erik Hoffman *Open band* led by **Whimsical** — Come in costume, or not; we'll have a hauntingly great time!

Wed 31 ENGLISH FBC Bruce Hamilton Bill Jensen, Stan Kramer, Susan Worland

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NOVEMBER

Fri 2 ENGLISH MT Bob Fraley **Nonesuch Country Dance Players** with Ruth Anne Fraley

Sat 3 CONTRA SF Charlie Fenton **Cotter's Ceilidh** (Tuula Cotter, Colin Cotter, Debra Tayleur, Winslow Yerxa)

Sun 4 ENG/CON FSJ Bob Fraley William Allen and Friends

Mon 5 CONTRA FUM Frannie Marr (L.A.) **KGB** (Seattle) (Julie King, Claude Ginsburg, Dave Bartley) — \$12, members \$10, students \$6, 7:30-10:30pm — *note special date & time!*

Tue 6 ENGLISH ASE Alan Winston Stan Kramer, Bill & Susan Jensen

Wed 7 CONTRA CCB Kalia Klivan *Open band* led by **Swing Farm** (Ray Bierl, Charlie Hancock, Markie Sanders)

Contra College Weekend in Palo Alto — Saturday-Sunday, November 10-11
Susan Petrick and a variety of local musicians. A weekend focused on contra dance skills for new and intermediate dancers. Experienced dancers: become an even better dancer by learning the other gender role, or just enjoy dancing with new dancers — **Preregistration Required**; see www.bacds.org/cc

Sat 10 CONTRA WCP Susan Petrick **The Whoots** (Michelle Levy, Ben Schreiber, Jim Oakden) — *Note special location and time tonight: 7-10pm*

Sat 10 ENGLISH DGK Alan Winston Stan & Susan Kramer, William Allen

Wed 14 ENGLISH CCB Kalia Klivan **The Raggedy Annes** (Anne Goess, Andy Eggleston, Charlie Hancock)

Fri 16 ENGLISH MT Bob Fraley **Nonesuch Country Dance Players** with Ruth Anne Fraley

Sat 17 ENGLISH/WORKSHOP/SPECIAL SMT Melissa Running (MD) Ruth Anne Fraley & David Strong, **Fall Ball Workshop**, 2:30pm-5pm, \$10 for workshop only, *workshop admission included with Ball admission*

BACDS Fall Ball — Saturday, November 17 at SMT — "Dancing on Water"
Melissa Running (MD), music by Shira Kammen, Judy Linsenber & Rebecca King
Doors open at 7 pm, Ball 7:30-10:30 pm, potluck follows.
Tickets: \$28 preregistered (through November 5th), \$35 at the door, includes 2:30pm workshop.
More info at bacds.org/fallball

Sat 17 CONTRA SF Erik Hoffman **The Syncopaths** (Ryan McKasson [Seattle], Ashley Broder [L.A.], Jeff Spero [L.A.], Christa Burch [L.A.]) — brought by generous support of Bob Ashforth

Sun 18 ENG/CON FSJ Bob Fraley William Allen and Friends

Tue 20 ENGLISH ASE Sharon Green Ruth Anne Fraley, Stan Kramer, Mary Tabor

Wed 21 CONTRA CCB Erik Hoffman *Open band* led by **The Newts** (Chris Knepper, Noel Cragg)

Fri 23 CONTRA SF Susan Petrick **The Newts** (Chris Knepper, Noel Cragg) with guest Rich Scher (L.A.)

Sat 24 CONTRA FUM Eric Black **The Newts** with guest Rich Scher (L.A.) — *Thanksgiving dessert potluck!*

Sat 24 ENGLISH CCB David Newitt Bill Jensen, Jon Berger, Judy Linsenber — *for experienced dancers*, 7:30 pm

Wed 28 ENG/JAM CCB **English Country Music Jam**, 6:45-7:30, **FREE** (donations gladly accepted)

Wed 28 ENGLISH CCB David Newitt *Open Band* led by Michelle Levy, Elizabeth Miranda, Debra Tayleur

Fri 30 ENGLISH MT Alan Winston **Nonesuch Country Dance Players** with Bill Jensen

Bay Area Country Dance Society, 130 East Grand Ave, South San Francisco, CA 94080

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

All listings subject to change. Please check web site or call 650-383-7746 or 415-282-7374 to confirm dance information.

Unless otherwise noted, dances start at 8pm (2nd Sat DGK English starts at 7pm, Sunday FSJ dances 2:30pm, ASE/FBC English starts at 7:30pm).

Check event listings for different starting times!

A free newcomers' session is offered for Wed Berkeley & Fri Palo Alto English and all weekend (Fri, Sat) contras half an hour before starting time.

Unless otherwise noted, admission prices: Supporters—\$15; Friday, Saturday, & Sunday dances—\$10, others—\$9; or pay what you can. \$2 discount at the door for BACDS & CDSS or affiliate members with valid membership card. Student Admission \$5 with student ID.

MT — Palo Alto Masonic Temple, 461 Florence St. (off University), Palo Alto, 8pm

SF — St. Paul's Church, 43rd Avenue at Judah Street, San Francisco, 8pm

SMT — San Mateo Masonic Lodge, 100 N. Ellsworth (at Tilton), San Mateo

WCP — Woman's Club of Palo Alto, 475 Homer Ave, Palo Alto

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DECEMBER

26th Annual No Snow Ball — Saturday, December 1
with Susan Petrick, Ric Goldman
music by **Star Thistle** (Dave Kistler, David Wright, Lonna Whipple, Chetani Cheryl McKinney)
7:30-Midnight, \$30 (BACDS members: \$25)—*Note Special Location!*
Greek Orthodox Cathedral of the Ascension, 4700 Lincoln Ave. Oakland
Free newcomers' session at 7:00 pm. Potluck contributions appreciated!
For more information see the event page on Facebook (search "No Snow Ball")

Sun 2 ENG/CON FSJ Bob Fraley William Allen and Friends

Tue 4 ENGLISH ASE Mary Luckhardt Bill Jensen, Stan Kramer, Laurie Chastain

Wed 5 CONTRA CCB Warren Blier *Open band* led by **The Rosin Doctors**

Fri 7 ENGLISH MT Bruce Hamilton **Nonesuch Country Dance Players** with William Allen

Sat 8 CONTRA FUM Robin Steen **The Crabapples** (Teresa Fife, Bob Silberstein, Norm Cotton, Marta Lynch)

Sat 8 ENGLISH DGK Sharon Green Jon Berger, Bill Jensen

Wed 12 SINGING CCB **SING FOR YOUR SUPPER** with Holly Loo Lakorus and Ivy Drip
Seasonal singing led by Shira Kammen and Michelle Levy — Please bring potluck snacks; 6:45-7:30pm; **FREE!** (donations gladly accepted)

Wed 12 ENGLISH CCB Sharon Green Shira Kammen, Michelle Levy, Charlie Hancock

Sat 15 CONTRA SF Lynn Ackerson **The Killarney Boys** (Chris Knepper, Dave Cory, John Ward)

Sun 16 ENG/CON FSJ Bob Fraley William Allen and Friends

Tue 18 ENGLISH ASE Bruce Hamilton Bill Jensen, Stan Kramer, Erik Ievins

Wed 19 CONTRA CCB Charlie Fenton *Open band* led by **Sassafras Stomp** (ME) (Johanna Davis, Adam Nordell)

Fri 21 ENGLISH MT Alan Winston, Bob Fraley, Mary Luckhardt **Nonesuch Country Dance Players** with Bill Jensen *Holiday party* with potluck savories and sweets.

Sat 22 CONTRA FUM Susan Petrick **Sassafras Stomp** (ME)

Sat 22 ENGLISH CCB Cavalcade of Callers Ruth Anne Fraley, Shira Kammen, Judy Linsenber *Holiday party for all*, 7:30 pm

Wed 26 ENGLISH CCB Alan Winston *Open band* led by Anne Goess, Michael Siemon, Tom Lindemuth, Patti Cobb

Fri 28 CONTRA SF Zack **StringFire** (Patti Cobb, Erik Ievins, Caroline McCaskey [CO]), with Chris Knepper

Sat 29 CONTRA FUM **CANCELED** *No dance — See you at MT on New Year's Eve!*

New Year's Eve Contra Dance at MT — MONDAY, December 31, 8pm-12:15am
Ring out the old year and waltz in the new with a special contra dance!
Calling by Lynn Ackerson, music by **StringFire** (Erik Ievins, Patti Cobb, Chris Knepper)
8pm-12:15am; \$20, \$16 members, \$10 students.
Potluck contributions welcome to supplement the provided refreshments.

