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South Shore Folk Music Club

We love to share great music with you!

Sep/Oct 2009 - Our 31st Season



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Our 31st season starts with a Coffeehouse on Friday, September 18th. Our first Concert will be on Saturday, October 3rd.

We've got all kinds of great music planned this year, some familiar, and some you've never heard before, plus a quality sound system, yummy home made goodies and friendly volunteers, so come to the Club often!

Now is the time to renew your membership or become a member at the level that's right for you. The form is on the enclosed sheet.

COFFEEHOUSE Friday September 18



Mark Alan Lovewell



Gabriel Egan

Open Mike

\$5 Members \$6 Non-members

COFFEEHOUSE Friday October 16



Mary Ann and the Rossonians

Bill Motte

Open Mike

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Saturday

CONCERT October 3



AOIFE CLANCY

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\$12 Members \$14 Non-members

South Shore Folk Music Club's Annual Meeting
will be held Saturday, October 3rd at 5:00 PM
at the Beal House. Info: 781-871-1052.

All events at 8 p.m.



Beal House



Route 106, Kingston, MA

Across from First Parish Unitarian Church
For more information: Call 781-871-1052
Or visit us at www.ssfmc.org

DATED MATERIAL



SOUTH SHORE FOLK MUSIC CLUB
P.O. Box 156, Kingston, MA 02364-9998

Welcome back!

It's our 31st season of sharing great music!

RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP BY AUG 31st AND KEEP OUR CLUB STRONG

The new membership year starts with the September Coffeeshouse and runs through the final Coffeeshouse in May, 2010. We've got lots of opportunities planned to hear some old friends. And we're lining up some great music you've probably never heard before. Renew your membership, or become a member, and help keep our Club strong.

COFFEEHOUSE - Friday, Sep 18 - \$5M, \$6NM

Mark Alan Lovewell is a Renaissance man, a storyteller, humorist, sea chantey singer and writer. He will be performing, playing old and new tunes of the sea and beyond. He plays guitar, concertina, and harmonica. He has regularly performed in historical settings, aboard ship, and in museums. He gets audiences laughing and singing. His concerts are an evening of high energy and fun and he comes by boat, from Martha's Vineyard.

Gabriel Egan, who is also known as The Vagrant Violin, has spent the past few years hitch hiking up and down the east coast playing bars, cafes, and streets, anywhere, in fact, that one can play a violin without being arrested. He plays baroque, old time, and gypsy, and specializes in foot stomping Irish fiddle sure to have the audience on their feet dancing. In addition to acoustic and electric solo performances, he has played in The Parsnips String Band and Dievolve (folk/metal) and is presently preparing to tour with Moss, which features Margot Day on vocals along with several more of Vermont's finest.

The Open Mike follows these acts. Sign up at the door at 7:30 for your 5 minutes on stage (one song).

AOIFE CLANCY - Sat., Oct. 3 - \$13 M, \$15 NM

Aoife Clancy (pronounced "Eefa") has a delightful voice, one that ranges from traditional Irish songs to ballads and contemporary folk. Aoife comes from the small town of Carrick-on-Suir, in County Tipperary, Ireland, where her musical career began at an early age. Her father Bobby Clancy of the legendary Clancy Brothers placed a guitar in her hands at age ten, and by age fourteen she was playing with her father in nearby pubs.

Now with seven recordings under her belt in the last decade, Aoife has clearly established herself as one of the divas of Irish and contemporary Folk Music. She has recorded two solo projects "It's about Time" and "Soldiers and Dreams" on Rego Records. On her debut CD "It's About Time," Aoife presents some traditional favorites, such as "Factory Girl" and "Mrs. McGrath," but she also presents a sassy rendition of Leon Russelson's "Don't Get Married Girls."

In 1995 Aoife was asked to join the acclaimed group "Cherish the Ladies", which is one of the most sought-after Irish American groups in history. For five years Aoife toured extensively with Cherish doing no less than two hundred dates a year throughout the United States and Europe including the Olympic Games in Atlanta and also the Cambridge Folk Festival in England and Tonder Festival in Denmark. While performing with Cherish, Aoife recorded six CD's, four of which were under RCA Victor including the Grammy nominated "Celtic" album with the Boston Pops.

As one reviewer remarked, "She has a breadth of styles that make her concerts fascinating. Her singing would melt packed ice with its warmth and richness" - Mike Jackson, Canberra Times. On Aoife's second Rego solo album, "Soldiers and Dreams," Al Riess, from Dirty Linen magazine, wrote: "Soldiers and Dreams" has a contemporary-meets-traditional-music feel, and Clancy's smooth, expressive singing works both ways- ensuring a successful merger of the two approaches and an enjoyable listening pleasure".

COFFEEHOUSE - Friday, Oct. 16 - \$5M, \$6

Mary Ann Rossoni has come of age as a songwriter. Her music has been noted in Performing Songwriter and People magazine and more recently her song "Rainfall" was in an NBC documentary. Her skilled composing and delicate song structures have never sounded more poignant or eloquent than on her new CD "Timber and Nails" and in her live performances. If you haven't caught a Rossoni performance, better yet her trio, "Mary Ann and the Rossonians", is the one to catch!

Opening is local songwriter, Bill Motte of Pembroke. His old country blues and storytelling, in the line of Towns Van Zant and Woody Guthrie, sets the tone for the worldly experiences packed in Bill's songcraft.

The Open Mike follows. Sign up when the doors open at 7:30 for your five minutes (one song) in front of our friendly audience.

SHARE YOUR BAKING EXPERTISE!

Help the Club by supplying home made goodies for one of our events. Call Karen at 781-878-1683 for more info.

BOOKING INFO

If you want to be considered, let us get to know you and your music by playing the Open Mike at one of our Coffeeshouses.

SPECIAL MEMBERS 2009 - 2010

Golden Patron of the Club - Edward Burke
True Blue Members - Steve & Jane Currie, George Cronin, Christine Evans

MEMBERSHIP/FRIEND APPLICATION - SOUTH SHORE FOLK MUSIC CLUB

MAIL WITH CHECK AND SASE TO: SSFMC, P.O.BOX 156, Kingston, MA 02364-9998

The SSFMC membership year runs from September 1 thru August 31. Members are entitled to reduced rates and other benefits.

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____

Town _____ State _____ Zip _____ Email _____

CHOOSE YOUR MEMBER/FRIEND LEVEL:

- Member \$10.00
- Member and Guest - \$15.00
- True Blue Member - \$25.00
- Silver Sustaining Member - \$50.00
- Golden Patron of the Club - \$100.00
- Friend -\$5.00
- e-Friend - Free - your Hurdy Gurdy will come via email.

HOW DO YOU WANT TO GET YOUR HURDY GURDY?

- Send my Hurdy Gurdy via email
- Send my Hurdy Gurdy via regular mail