

HURDY GURDY

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South Shore Folk Music Club

We love to share great music with you!

Sep/Oct 2010 - Our 32nd Season



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Our 32nd season starts with a Coffeehouse on Friday, September 17th. Our first Concert will be on Saturday, October 2nd.

Music, home made goodies, friendly volunteers, camaraderie! Come on down to the Club!

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

COFFEEHOUSE Friday September 17



Bourgeois Hobos



Cecilia Dahl

Open Mike

\$5 Members \$6 Non-members

CONCERT October 2

Saturday



JOHN ROBERTS and TONY BARRAND

John and Tony are simply the best presenters of English folk song around. They love this music, and it's catching!

Harmonies, concertina, humorous recitation, wit, don't miss!

\$13 Members \$15 Non-members

COFFEEHOUSE Friday October 15



The Jethros



Mike P. and Lidsville Steve

Open Mike

\$5 Members \$6 Non-members

CONCERT November 6

Saturday



CHRIS SMITHER

With his Southern-drawl singing voice, tapping foot in constant motion and fingers pulling fluid blues patterns from his acoustic guitar, Chris Smither is an engaging, sometimes intense singer-songwriter.

\$23 Members \$25 Non-members

South Shore Folk Music Club's Annual Meeting will be held Saturday, October 2nd at 5:00 PM at The Beal House. Info: 781-871-1052.

All events at 8 p.m.



The 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

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

Welcome back!

It's our 32nd season of sharing great music!

RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP BY AUG 31st (or soon as you can) AND KEEP OUR CLUB STRONG

The new membership year starts with the first Coffeehouse on September 17th and runs through the final Coffeehouse in May, 2011. We're lining up old friends as well as new music for a fun season. Renew your membership, or become a new member, and help keep our Club strong.

COFFEEHOUSE - Friday, Sep 17 - \$5M, \$6NM

The Bourgeois Hobos: Two guitars, one mandolin and a voice grappling with life's hardscrabble lessons, lovesick blues, lonesome highways and hell-hounds on their heels. Its urban, country, electric, acoustic, traditional, blues, folk, rock, Americana and original. These middle class tramps toil in mournful musical melodies of back alleys, war-weary veterans, broken hearts, lost and saved souls, love stories and otherwise. **Bill Motte**, vocals, principle writer, acoustic guitar; **Brother Ray**, lead guitar and eclectics; **Steve Folino**, Mandolin & mischief.

Cecilia Dahl: Drawing on Norwegian roots and a passion for Celtic and traditional country music, singer-songwriter Cecilia Dahl cracks open the hearts of her listeners with resounding vocals and hope-filled lyrics. Her guitar has accompanied her from the plateaus and the fjords to the red-rock canyons of the Southwest and the big ocean at the end of her block in Scituate, and, most recently, to performances in Massachusetts at Blue Grass on the Bogs in Hanson, the Vine in Plymouth, CatBird Cafe in Weymouth, Courtneys in Marshfield, McGreal's Tavern in Norwell, and also at Ghost Ranch in Abiquiu, New Mexico.

The Open Mike: Two acts before the break, 6 acts at the end. Sign up at the door at 7:30 for 5 minutes (one song).

JOHN ROBERTS AND TONY BARRAND

Sat., Oct. 2 - \$13 M, \$15 NM

We were so disappointed when we had to cancel John Roberts and Tony Barrand last January, and we know a lot of you were, too. So we've rescheduled them, and we don't expect snow in October! John and Tony are simply the best presenters of English folk song around with their love of the music, harmonies and wit. I'm sure Tony will regale us with one of his hilarious recitations. Don't miss them.

Widely acclaimed for their lively and entertaining presentations of English folk songs, John Roberts and Tony Barrand have performed at major festivals, colleges, clubs and coffeehouses throughout the United States, Canada, and their native Britain. They sing the ballads and songs of the sea, of rural pursuits, of social and sociable situations, of industrial toil and strife, and much more, typically arranging their material thematically to better illustrate the lives and the social history of the people who made and sang the

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

songs. Their songs are punctuated with tales, monologues, and tunes, giving a more complete appreciation of the wealth, diversity, and vitality of the English folk tradition. Unaccompanied two-part singing is always a primary staple of their repertoire, with stark harmonies and well-balanced voices. John is a leading exponent of both Anglo and English concertina, as well as being a fine banjo and guitar player.

COFFEEHOUSE - Friday, Oct. 15 - \$5M, \$6

The Jethros are the stomping gutbucket princes of the New Bedford region. With Homer Jethro on vocals, guitar, banjo and harmonica; Rufus Jethro on vocals, trumpet and trombone; Chester Jethro on upright bass; and Boney Jethro on fiddle, bones, percussion and assorted toys, their popular, original music erupts in that magical place at the all-acoustic intersection of Swing, Deep Blues, Jump Jazz and Hillbilly Boogie. If you've never heard The Jethros, you've never heard anything like them. And, chances are, you've never had so much fun!

Mike P. & Lidsville Steve: Mike Paolucci and Steve Ventura (a.k.a. Lidsville Steve) are two members of the quartet The Lidsville Growlers. They perform songs written by Steve and musically enhanced by the artful guitar of Mike, who also sings harmony on several numbers. Their music is a hybrid of blues, R&B, soul and country, with some jazz thrown in for good measure. Steve's lyrics are evocative of unrequited passions, the perils of short attention spans in a fleeting American culture, of dark nights and darker possibilities, and they are peopled by colorful characters who never seem to catch a break or win a bet in the arenas of life and love. Mike's guitar playing acts on the songs like the work of the artists who created the illuminated manuscripts of the middle ages, adding beauty, context and evoking things unspoken. In short: two guitars, two voices, with music and lyrics that reward close attention.

The Open Mike: Two acts before the break, 6 acts at the end. Sign up at the door at 7:30 for 5 minutes (one song).

CHRIS SMITHER

Sat., Nov 6th - \$23 M, \$25 NM

With his Southern-drawl singing voice, tapping foot in constant motion and fingers pulling fluid blues patterns from his acoustic guitar, Chris Smither is an engaging, sometimes intense singer-songwriter. His new album, *Time Stands Still*, is both pensive and visceral, the eleventh studio album of a career that now spans over four decades. SSFMC welcomes the return of Chris Smither!

SPECIAL MEMBERS 2010 - 2011

Golden Patron of the Club – Edward Burke
Silver Sustaining Member – Michael Desmond
True Blue Member – Marilyn Kozodoy

WANT TO BAKE? Call Karen at 781-878-1683

WANT TO GET BOOKED? Play our Open Mike



Celebrate 32 Years of Sharing Great Music!

PLEASE RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP or BECOME A MEMBER

It takes performers, volunteers and **you** to keep our Club great. In a few short weeks we will be starting our 31st season! Please help our Club stay strong by renewing your membership for the 2010-2011 season, and won't you consider supporting the Club even more by renewing at the True Blue, Silver Sustaining or Golden Patron of the Club level?

Thanks!

Your card will be waiting for you at the Club. Just ask for it at the door!

A special thanks to last year's True Blue and Silver Sustaining Members and Golden Patrons of the Club:

Golden Patrons

Joseph Beals
Edward Burke
Keith Buchanan
Rick and Cindy Fiorini

Silver Sustaining Members

Dave Durgin
Michael Desmond
Diane & Web Lithgow
Mary Breen
Evelyn Strawn

True Blue Members

Yelena Faroli Beaupre
Christine Evans
George Cronin
Steve & Jane Currie
Jan Elfadel
Lynn Feingold
Lynne Fischer
Dolly & Ralph Johnson

Ilene Horvitz
Troy Riley
Carrie Farmer
Pete & Gail Olson
Kalina Vendetti
Noel Morris
Carol Jankowski
Lucille & Gerry Morris

MEMBERSHIP LEVELS and PERKS FOR THE 2010-2011 SEASON:

MEMBER - \$10.00. This level entitles you to \$2.00 off one ticket to each Concert and \$1.00 off one ticket to each Coffeehouse for the season plus our newsletter the *Hurdy Gurdy*.

MEMBER AND GUEST - \$15.00. This level entitles you to \$2.00 off two tickets to each Concert and \$1.00 off two tickets to each Coffeehouse for the season plus our newsletter the *Hurdy Gurdy*.

TRUE BLUE MEMBER - \$25.00. This popular level entitles you to the same benefits as a Regular Member and Guest **plus** you will be listed as a True Blue Member in an issue of the *Hurdy Gurdy* **plus** you will be entered in a drawing and may get to attend our Famous Potluck, meet the performers and attend a concert as our guest!

SILVER SUSTAINING MEMBER - \$50.00. Help the Club even more! This level entitles you to the same benefits as a True Blue Member, including being listed in an issue of the *Hurdy Gurdy* and the potluck/concert drawing **plus** you can bring one guest for free twice during the season.

GOLDEN PATRON OF THE CLUB MEMBER - \$100.00. Help the Club the most! This level entitles you to the same benefits as Silver Sustaining Membership, **plus** you may bring one guest for free to every concert and coffeehouse during the season, **plus** you will be listed as a Golden Patron in **ALL** issues of the *Hurdy Gurdy*, **plus** you will know that you are supporting the Club at the highest level of commitment.

SSFMC reserves the right to substitute thank you gifts.

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Please note new SSFMC mailing address!!

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