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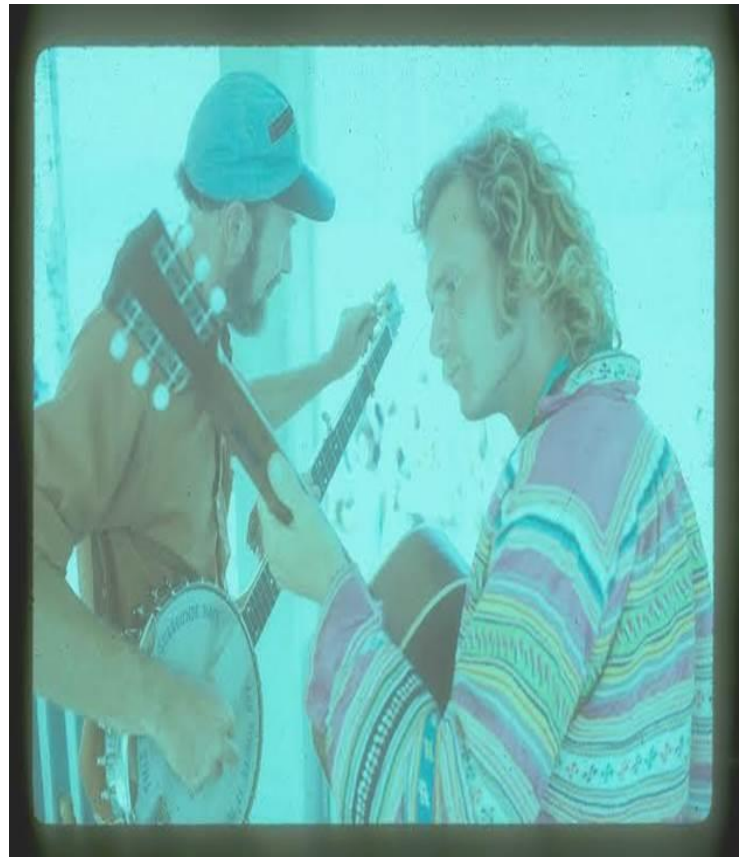
ACOUSTIC UNDERGROUND CONCERT SERIES *presents*

Keith Hope and Allan Aunapu

SATURDAY, OCT 7th 8PM Luna Star Acoustic Underground Cafe Concert



Keith Hope



Pete Seeger & Clearwater Capt Allan Aunapu 1969

Artist information

Keith Hope

Keith Hope is a singer-songwriter from Fort Lauderdale. He is a 6th generation Floridian and writes songs about Florida its critters (including humans), waters, environment and history. He has performed many times with his band "Charlie Creek" at the Will McLean Festival and the Florida Folk Festival. He has two cds- "Key Biscayne Cowboy" and "Florida Hurricane."

Allan Aunapu

Allan Aunapu is a native born Folk Hero. He was captain of Pete Seeger's famous environmental sailboat The Clearwater. His original songs are quirky and fun. Whether land, sea or air, he'll take you there.

LUNA STAR CAFÉ SATURDAY October 7, 2017 8:00 PM

775 NE 125TH Street, North Miami, FL 33161 305-799-7123

Requested Contribution: \$10, members of any folk club \$8

Acoustic Sundays at JohnMartin's – October 1

Our first show of the month of October was terrific.

Our first performer, Jake Remez, played for us for the first time last week, and we were delighted to have him back again.

Chuck Ellis gave us a great set of mostly original music. David Deruelle's set of popular classics was very well received by the audience.

Phil Allen was joined by Bruce Turkel on harmonica, Karl Ellins on electric bass, and Elaine Lowey on vocals. A lot of fun to listen to!

We welcomed back singer/songwriter Michael Weiskopf, with Jamie Pflug singing backup and playing the electric bass. Evan Frankel was also joined by Jamie on bass, a delightful set. For her own set, Jamie played her string guitar instead of bass, Michael joining her on a few songs.

Kirk Meyer played on our stage quite some time ago, and it was great to have him perform for us again, with Chuck Ellis on harmonica

Phil Cole, a wonderful folk singer, brings old folk songs to life recounting their history.

A new performer, Brian Hunker, closed the show with beautiful set of solo guitar, a great way to end the night.

Many thanks to all of the players who performed for us, to the audience who enjoyed their music, and to the management and staff of JohnMartin's Irish Pub for their ongoing support.

Looking forward to this coming Sunday. Hope you can be there.

- Dave Cohen

FYI: Scott Katz of ScitScat Music is having a special on 4 different "Blue" microphones, models are 100,100i ,200 which are vocal mics and the Hummingbird which is a studio mic. Buy one and get a second one free; only a limited supply available, so call Scott at 305-595-3002.

The Folk Club of South Florida

Monthly SONG SWAP *Sunday, October 8, 2017 5 - 9 PM*

The September Song Swap was hosted by Hurricane Irma (in other words, we didn't have one). But our hosts for September have graciously volunteered for October!

The October Song Swap will be hosted by the Kirchner-Malone's on October 8, 2017 from 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm.

Their home is at [6741 S. W. 68th Terrace, Miami 33143](#)

Michael cell: [305.281.4089](#) Chris cell: [305.335.9093](#)

Michael says "We're a half block off Ludlam Road (67th Avenue) and two blocks north of Sunset Drive. Please do not park on the grass, but instead on the road (68th Terrace) in front of the house and/or driveway".

Folk Club Format for the song circle:

All performers (singers, musicians, poets, story tellers, dancers) will enter their names on the performers' sign-up sheet as they arrive at each Song Swap; performers will take turns in the order on the sign-up sheet.

Those who are not going to perform, but who wish to hear a song, may write the name of the song on a separate request sheet. The performers, at their sole discretion, may select a requested song to play during their turn.

Swap Etiquette:

If you are playing a song, you may tell the group whether you wish for others to join in or not. If you are singing or playing while another person is taking his/her turn, sing or play softer than the lead performer.

Keep your selection to 5 minutes or less.

Be prepared when it's your turn so we can keep the circle moving.

Please allow others to perform without interruption.

Pot Luck Supper:

A great part of the Song Swaps, so please bring enough food for six to eight people. See you there!

- Holly White.

Miami Dance Update

Whew! Everyone could certainly use some relief from the anxiety and stress of the past two weeks.

The BAD NEWS IS

The Barnacle State Park's outdoor pavilion sustained serious damage from Hurricane Irma and will be out of commission for some time. Because many of our Dade dancers are still recovering from the storm, with another storm possible next weekend, we will put our *Sunday afternoon Old Time Dances on hold for September and October*, and evaluate the situation again in November.

THE GOOD NEWS IS

The Park has offered us use of the porch or office parking lot. In addition we have the upstairs room at John Martin's Irish Pub and Restaurant, 253 Miracle Mile, Coral Gables, as an alternate site if the Park pavilion remains unavailable.

Look for emails on dances at either Park or the Pub *for November* and beyond.

If you have alternate sites, please contact us.

TO CONTINUE

We need get 20-plus dancers/ RSVP to make group dancing the quality experience it should be. We need to form a support group of people who will help putting on our Contra/Barn dances in Miami.

The Boca dance has a core group of volunteers that take turns with running monthly dances. Help us keep the wonderful tradition of American group folk dancing alive in Miami! We need to connect on something besides the internet.

YOU CAN HELP by

Bringing more than yourself to a dance. By getting the word out to friends and day-to-day contacts, to build our number of dancers back up to sustainable levels. Marketing, promotion, whatever you can think of.

Let us know how you might be of assistance, in whatever small way. A few people making phone calls can add up to a dance floor full of smiles.

Anita and I remain committed and passionate about the good-energy-vibe of group dancing, and love creating a fun, joyful good-time experience with only people and music. We look forward to sharing that with you again as soon as possible.

Pat Mason [954-431-0690](tel:954-431-0690) Cornbread dance band

Anita Mason [954-260-0938](tel:954-260-0938) Caller

Email: customsports@bellsouth.net

Links for more contra dance info

<http://www.customsports.biz/dadecontradance.html>

Dance Schedules

<http://www.customsports.biz/browardcontradance.html>

<http://www.southfloridacontradance.com/home>

<https://www.facebook.com/cornbreaddanceband>

HAPPENINGS

*For what is going on in folk and acoustic
music in South Florida visit: gotfolk.com*

Rise Up Singing and (the new) Rise Again Songbooks
See Camille Grace at a Song Swap or send us an email

Listen to Michael Stock's
Folk and Acoustic Music Program
Sundays, 2-5, WLRN-FM, 91.3

Celebration of Life for Brett and Royce Sagenkahn

I'm not sure if you knew Brett Sagenkahn, my Stage Manager for the Songwriters Showcase at the Broward Center for the Performing Arts? He passed away a few weeks ago after a long battle with cancer. His wife, Royce, passed away a few years before as well. They both attended many, many music shows within the folk/singer songwriter (&blues) community.

Could you please pass along, in your mailings, that there will be a "Celebration of Life" (for both Royce & Brett) at Luna Star Cafe on Sunday, October 15, 2017 from 3-10pm? There will be music performances throughout the day/evening (of which I will send a line-up later on).

Everyone please mark your calendars & come out & celebrate with us!

Thank you!

Chrystal Hartigan

Luna Star Cafe

775 NE 125TH Street, North Miami, FL 33161 305-799-7123

Fifties coffee house on steroids. World famous must have credit for serious national folk touring artists. Always something interesting and of high quality here. Check the website: <http://lunastarcafe.com/>

OPEN MICS SPONSORED BY THE FOLK CLUB OF SOUTH FLORIDA:

THURSDAY EVENINGS: Charlie Rathburn hosts at The Elks Lodge in South Miami, 6304 SW 78th St, South Miami, FL 33143 (305) 668-1676, 7:30 PM

SUNDAY EVENINGS: Dave Cohen hosts at John Martin's Pub in Coral Gables, 253 Miracle Mile, Coral Gables, FL 33134 305-445-377 8-10 PM

SUNDAY AFTERNOONS: Robert Is Here - Homestead - 2 PM to 6 PM

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www.southfloridabluegrass.org

PRES SEZ

by Jim Teas

This summer, I had the opportunity to attend a one week musician's workshop in North Carolina. Entitled "Songs of the Appalachians Music Camp", it focused mainly on folk instruments used in playing old-time or mountain music, and met for one week. We could sign up for one to three classes a day. I took Beginning Banjo (insert banjo joke here) and Folk Singing (aka "Folk Sang'n"). Loaner instruments were available to us on request. The music camp gave me the opportunity to try out instruments that I had never played before, and I learned several new songs.

If you play an instrument, I encourage you to enroll in a folk music course. You will have fun, meet new people and learn new songs.

Folk Club Of South Florida
Membership and Benefits, Club Mission Statement
PLEASE JOIN US OR RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP NOW

WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT

Who we are: The Folk Club of South Florida (FCSF) exists to foster and promote traditional, contemporary and multicultural folk music and other folk arts in the South Florida community by supporting and encouraging local folk talent and showcasing local and national folk performers. FCSF endeavors to increase understanding of the rich variety, artistic value, cultural and historical significance, and continuing relevance of folk music to the general public. FCSF is a non-profit organization (501-C) and member of The North American Folk Music and Dance Alliance, and a proud supporter of Friends of Florida Folk and Miami radio station WLRN.

- Monthly Concerts, Live venue, Underground Café Series at Luna Star Café, South Florida's longest running acoustic series.
- Monthly song swap, held in different private homes once a month.
- Musical Gatherings.

Benefits to membership:

- \$2.00 discount on cover charge for the monthly Acoustic Underground Concert Series featuring live local and national performers at the Luna Star Café, 775 NE 125 St., North Miami, held on the first Saturday of each month except for holidays (That's a savings of \$20.00 a year just on admissions alone)
- Complementary restaurant meal, valued at \$15.00 at the FCSF Annual Meeting. Last 4 years held at John Martin's Irish Bar/Restaurant.
- Folk Notes Newsletter with the latest folk community happenings in our South Florida community and ways to participate.
- Opportunity to participate in monthly song swaps.
- Meeting other people who share the love of folk and acoustic music at FCSF events.

FCSF MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION AND RENEWAL FORM

NAME(S): _____
TYPE OF MEMBERSHIP: INDIVIDUAL \$20___ FAMILY \$35___ SUPPORTING \$50___
SUSTAINING \$75___ SPONSOR \$125___ BENEFACTOR \$250___
PETE SEEGER ENDOWMENT FUND above \$250_____

Address: _____
Apt.: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phones: Home: _____ Mobile: _____
E-Mail: _____
Volunteer: _____

Make check payable to The Folk Club of South Florida and mail to:
James Teas 8445 SW 181 Terrace, Miami, FL 33157

CAN ALSO BE GIVEN IN PERSON, BY CHECK OR CASH, THE NIGHT OF ACOUSTIC UNDERGROUND CONCERTS - 1ST SAT AT LUNA STAR CAFÉ- 8 PM - 775 NE 125 ST- NORTH MIAMI, FL.

IF WILLING TO VOLUNTEER, PLEASE STATE HOW YOU WISH TO ASSIST AND SPECIFY ANY AREAS OF EXPERTISE: WE NEED MEMBERSHIP VOLUNTEERS, HOSTS, FACEBOOK AND SOCIAL MEDIA FACILITATOR, PR PERSON, ETC.

Thanking you in advance for your support!
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WEBSITE LINKS

Local folk music resources: www.gotfolk.com

North American Folk Music and Dance Alliance: www.folk.org

Broward Folk Club: browardfolkclub.com/

South Florida Folk Festival: www.southfloridafolkfest.com

Palm Beach Folk Club: <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/pbfcchat>