



## FOLK NOTES

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**ACOUSTIC UNDERGROUND CONCERT SERIES *presents***

**Saturday February 2 at 8 PM**

**The Kennedys**



Pete and Maura Kennedy, both East Coast natives, met in Austin, Texas, joined forces with Nanci Griffith's Blue Moon Orchestra for a couple of years, and set out on a road that, for two decades, has led them not only west but all over the US and the UK many times. This year, they celebrate their twentieth anniversary both as a band and a married couple. Rather than indulge in a nostalgic look backward, they've taken Dylan's dictum "don't look back" to heart; writing and recording forty new songs.

Ultimately, Pete and Maura knit these disparate threads into a coat of many colors that sounds like a "best of The Kennedys," but is in reality an all-new collection of songs. The road west is central to the American mythos; it's the search for musical roots and the fulfillment of a personal American dream that takes shape in songs. Two decades on, The Kennedys are hitting a songwriting high point, and from that point they follow the well-worn American path West.

**LUNA STAR CAFÉ 775 NE 125th St., N. Miami, FL 33161 (305) 799-7123  
EASY FREE PARKING FRONT & BACK**

**\$8 Folk Club Members, \$10 General Admission**

**Folk Club of South Florida is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization dedicated to promoting folk & acoustic music in S. Fla.**

<https://www.facebook.com/FolkClubOfSouthFlorida>  
<http://www.folkclubofsouthflorida.com>  
<http://lunastarcafe.com>

**Longest Running Acoustic Concert Series in South Florida**  
**Your patronage is appreciated.**

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# ACOUSTIC UNDERGROUND CONCERT SERIES *presents*

## ACOUSTIC UNDERGROUND CONCERT SERIES Upcoming concerts

March 2, 2019 Max Hat/Edda Glass



<https://maxhatteddaglass.com/>

April 6, 2019 Hot Java



<http://www.Facebook.com/hotjavaband>

May 4, 2019 The Fortune Tellers



<https://www.facebook.com/thefortunetellersmusic/>  
<https://thefortunetellers.bandcamp.com/>

## Acoustic Sundays at JohnMartin's – January 13

Singer/songwriter Robert Kayes opened the show with a mixed set of original songs and a few covers.

Chuck Ellis had a busy night. After a set of his own songs, playing one of his many 12 string guitars, Chuck accompanied Michael Weiskopf on harmonica during Michael's set of original songs and Dylan. Chuck also accompanied Phil Cole's set of classic folk songs.

Bill Ackerman delivered a fine set of popular music and classic rock.

It's been awhile since we've had the opportunity to hear Brett Vaughn. It was great to have him with us again. Brett brought along his friend Mitchell, who performed a set on his own.

It was a wonderful night of great music, thanks to all of the performers who contributed their time and talents to our show, and our audience for being with us. As always, our appreciation to the management and staff of JohnMartin's Irish Pub for their ongoing support of live music in Miami.

Looking forward to seeing you this coming Sunday.

- Dave Cohen



Brett Vaughn



Mitchell

The Folk Club of South Florida  
**Monthly SONG SWAP**  
**Sunday, February 10, 2019 5-9PM**  
**Location: 10521 S. W. 127th Ct., Miami**

The January Song Swap, hosted by Chuck and Karen Throckmorton, was a TREAT! They invited their musical friends! We heard new voices! We heard new songs! Everyone had a delightful musical night! Thank You, Thank You! Chuck and Karen!

The February Song Swap will be hosted by Mahadev and Usha Bhat and Joel Heinan on February 10 from 5-9 PM

The Bhat's address is: Address: 10521 S. W. 127th Ct., Miami, Florida 33186;

Home Phone: 305-385-1486.

The Bhat household is in West Kendall just west of the turnpike. From Kendall Drive, turn south onto 127th Avenue and right at S. W. 107th Terrace. Turn right immediately onto S. W. 127th Ct. Their house is the 6th down on the right.

REMEMBER: Mahadev and Usha Bhat are strict Brahmans; **no fish, no meat or meat products are permitted in their home.** Dairy products (milk, eggs, cheese, etc.) are permitted. **Their home is also no alcohol.** The Bhat's and Joel will provide catered Indian appetizers and plenty of soft drinks (ice tea and juices). **BUT NO MEAT, FISH OR ALCOHOLIC DRINKS PLEASE!!**

Folk Club Format for the song circle:

All performers (poets, dancers, singers, musicians) will enter their names on the signup sheet as they arrive. Those who are not going to perform, but who wish to hear a song, may write the name of the song on a separate signup sheet. The performers, at their sole discretion, may select the requested song(s) to play during their turns; the performers will take turns in the order on the signup sheet.

Song 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.

• Song Swap Pot Luck Supper: bring supper enough food for six; extra if you are bringing a guest.

Hope to see you there!

Holly White.

## Other Folk News

### Emerald Concert Series



2018 - 2019 lineup:

Sat. Feb. 23, 2019 - [Susan Werner](#)  
**\$25 in advance, \$30 at the door**

Sat. March 23, 2019 - [Joe Jencks](#)

All concerts begin at 7:30 pm We look forward to seeing you there to hear the music. Leni and David

Concert location: 2919 Van Buren St. Hollywood, FL 33020 Located just one block off I-95 and Hollywood Blvd

Mail your suggested \$20 per seat artist donation check to: 4812 Garfield St. Hollywood, FL 33021  
Please make your check out to the artist. (\$25 at the door)

If you have not joined us before, it is our tradition that everyone brings some home-baked or store-bought cookies to share at intermission.

We look forward to sharing great music with you. There is plenty of room at the venue so please invite your friends! This is not a business, it is a music party.  
100% OF THE DONATIONS ARE GIVEN TO THE ARTISTS.

For more info call 954.290.4141 or go to [LEsunburst@aol.com](mailto:LEsunburst@aol.com)

## Other Folk News



### The 15th (!?!) season of the Labyrinth Cafe

Prepare to be amazed and entertained and delighted, oh my, as Susan Moss brings you these great artists!

**Saturday February 9, 2019 – Friction Farm and We're About 9 Duo**

**Saturday, March 9, 2019 - Flagship Romance, with special guest En Power & Light**

**Saturday, April 13, 2019 - Amy Carol Webb**

**Saturday, May 11, 2019 - TBA**

Please visit [www.labyrinthcafe.com](http://www.labyrinthcafe.com) for further details, ticket prices, and the artists' websites, and our Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/labyrinth.cafe.concerts/?ref=ts> to give us a thumbs-up, which will then keep you informed of upcoming concerts.

**Labyrinth Cafe  
UU Church of Ft Lauderdale  
3970 NW 21st Ave.  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309**



www.IndianRiverArtsConcerts.com

**2018 - 2019**  
at the **Heritage Center**

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**Dec 9 Steel Blossoms**  
*A little country, a lot of heart*

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**Jan 13 Tim Easton**  
*Rocking Americana Roots*

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**Feb 10 Ronny Cox**  
*Film, television, music icon*

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**Mar 24 TBA**

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**Date tba Duende Camaron**  
*Gypsy & Latin Fusion*

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**Info/RSVP: Tshirt214@aol.com**

# The Folk Club Of South Florida

## Miami Dance Update

MIAMI COMMUNITY  
**CONTRA  
DANCING!**

ADMISSION \$8.00

STUDENTS WITH A VALID ID \$5 \* SENIORS 65+ \$5  
ALWAYS LIVE MUSIC - DON'T NEED TO BRING A PARTNER

**CORAL GABLES CONGREGATIONAL**  
3010 De Soto Boulevard Coral Gables, FL 33134

1ST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH POTLUCK

FEB. 3	5PM-6PM
MARCH 3	DANCE
APRIL 7	6PM-7.30PM
MAY 5	

[www.southfloridacontradance.com](http://www.southfloridacontradance.com)

Coral Gables Congregational Church, 3010 De Soto Boulevard, Coral Gables, FL 33134 will sponsor a Miami Community Contra Dance on **the first Sunday of the month** beginning **February 3, 2019**. There will be pot-luck dinner from 5PM to 6PM and dancing will be from 6 PM to 7:30 PM.

Pat and Anita Mason and their friends will call and provide music. Everyone is welcome and no previous contra dance experience is required. If you can walk, you can contra dance. Good shoes and comfortable clothes will help you join in the fun. And everyone there will be your partner.

If you have an email list please spread the word.

For more information please contact Laura Pascal, 305-790-6049, [lpascal@bellsouth.net](mailto:lpascal@bellsouth.net).

**Editor's note:** Please note the admission fee. This helps to cover the cost of having dance callers and live musicians.

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](http://gotfolk.com)*

## **Rise Up Singing songbooks**

Available for purchase

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

## **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/>*

**Note: Luna Star Café will be closed Nov 28 - Jan 3, 2019**

## **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, S.Miami, FL  
305-668-1676, 7:30 PM

### **SUNDAY AFTERNOONS:**

**Robert Is Here** – 19200 SW 344th St, Homestead, FL  
2PM to 6 PM

### **SUNDAY EVENINGS:**

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

## **BLUEGRASS IS ALIVE AND WELL IN SOUTH FLORIDA!**

[www.southfloridabluegrass.org](http://www.southfloridabluegrass.org)

**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 up to \$15.00 at the FCSF Annual Meeting.
- 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, Inc. 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 - 1<sup>ST</sup> 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!**  
**THE F.C.S.F. IS A 501(c)(3) NON PROFIT ORGANIZATION**

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## WEBSITE LINKS

Local folk music resources: [www.gotfolk.com](http://www.gotfolk.com)

North American Folk Music and Dance Alliance: [www.folk.org](http://www.folk.org)

Broward Folk Club: [browardfolkclub.com/](http://browardfolkclub.com/)

South Florida Folk Festival: [www.southfloridafolkfest.com](http://www.southfloridafolkfest.com)

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