
THE COTTON PATCH RAG

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SECOND SATURDAY CONCERT

November 10, 2018 7:30 p.m.

Mustard's Retreat



Mustard's Retreat <http://www.mustardsretreat.com/> has been delighting audiences by telling stories for 40 years- they are witty, insightful, fun, and profound, as well as accomplished songwriters and musicians (guitars, dulcimer, electric bass, mandolin, harmonica, penny whistle). In addition to being raconteurs and storytellers, they will give you things to laugh about for days to come and remember for years. Tales of stupid frogs,

wandering cadavers, haunted bridges and techo-nerds, memories of small towns and high school, first loves and last...and places we've been or maybe just dreamed of.

Beginning as a trio in 1975, David Tamulevich, Michael Hough and Libby Glover have performed all over the country, including Lincoln Center out of Doors, The Barns at Wolf Trap, and Kennedy Center's Millennium Stage. They have performed over 6,000 shows and recorded 14 albums as both a duo of David and Michael and as a trio. Libby rejoined the trio in 2014 when she moved back to Michigan after a long time away. Their latest CD., ***Make Your Own Luck*** is receiving great critical acclaim and leading the folk music charts.

These folks are coming all the way from Michigan, and will be performing in Houston for the first time. Do not miss this opportunity to hear this highly accomplished and pre-eminent acoustic trio on the second Saturday of November.

Second Saturday Concert is presented by the **Houston Folklore and Music Society**, a nonprofit organization dedicated to the preservation of folklore and acoustic music. Refreshments are available at the food table. Tickets are sold at the door - adults \$18, senior citizens (65) \$14, and children under 12 free with adults. Concerts are held the second Saturdays of each month in the West University Community Building at 6104 Auden (intersection of Auden. and Rice Blvd.) Phone Paul Cooper at 713-204-1207 (cell) for more concert information. Visit our website at: www.houstonfolkmusic.org

Upcoming Second Saturday Concerts:

January 12, 2019: Albert and Gage

February 9, 2019: Pierce Pettis

March 9, 2019: Joe Jencks

OTHER UPCOMING HFMS NOVEMBER EVENTS

*****HFMS Meeting/Song Circle—November 5**

Our monthly song circle meeting is **Monday, November 5**, from 7:30 to 10:00PM at the Jewish Community Center. The JCC is located at 5601 South Braeswood Boulevard, Houston, TX 77096-3999. Ask the front desk for the room number of the Houston Folklore and Music Society meeting.

Meetings consist of a "song circle", allowing each attendee an opportunity to share a song, story, announcement, or other item which he or she may wish to share with the group.

Non-performers are just as welcome as performers. After all, musicians, singers, and storytellers all need an audience.

***NOVEMBER PICKIN' PARTY—TBA

Check web site <http://www.houstonfolkmusic.org/#pknpty> for update on November Pickin' Party.



It is always fun to host a Pickin' Party at your home, church hall, community center, etc. You provide the space drinks, plates and utensils. You can invite other members to help you co-host, to share the fun (and the effort). Please contact Carolyn Davis at carolynadavis@aol.com to volunteer to host in the future.



LAST MONTH'S HAPPENINGS***

*** **October's Song Circle** convened on Monday, October 1 to share songs, stories and friendship. Guitars, mandolins, banjo, octave mandolin and voices accompanied the smiles and laughs.



*** **Bill and Kate Isles** performed our **Second Saturday Concert** on October 13, entertaining our small, but attentive crowd with songs with beautiful harmonies, and stories of their history and the backstories of their songs.



Of course, Bill and Kate included their much loved song, “Hobos in the Roundhouse”, accompanied by many HFMS member musicians who know and love this treasured song.

*** **October’s Pickin’ Party** was hosted, once again by Steve Blyskal and Sigrid Clark.



A small group of members attended, allowing for each to perform three songs. Thanks, again Steve and Sigrid for opening your home to us.



*** Featured Song

THERE IS NO JUDGE MORE FAIR THAN TIME

Benny Hughes tells the story that the first time Jack Hardy played at Tom Yeager's Songbird Sanctuary, I called him up and said, "Benny, you've got to go hear this guy – he's the real deal." Jack Hardy was indeed the real deal, and when we lost Jack in 2011, we lost not only a brilliant songwriter, but a major exponent of the folk music movement. This is one of Jack's many "Celtic" tunes, and a personal favorite. You can hear this tune and play along with it at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mz43fj9tosc>, or on the HFMS Audio Archive page at http://www.houstonfolkmusic.org/HFS_Audio_Archive.html.

BLACKBERRY PIE

-- Jack Hardy

Well, I stopped all day to pick wild flowers
Down by the banks where the blackberry grows.
All in the shadows of the late autumn hours –
All in the brambles of the late bloomin' rose.
Well, I picked all the white ones, I picked all the blues
For those are the ones that would go with the dress.
And I'll dance tonight, wear holes in my shoes
Till I am the one that she loves the best.

CHORUS:

So dally down where the river runs, where the forest bathes the senses clean.
And dally down where the fiery sun and the rhythm moon makes a faery dream.
And you might think that my heart would lie – many a girl has caught my eye.
But my heart all along belongs to the girl – who bakes me a blackberry pie.

Though I've stayed single all of these years,
And the twisting rope and the wounding wind.
I never stayed long enough to see the spring,
Where I have seen the harvest in.
And I don't give a tinker's damn for the road
Though many they say I'm bound to roam.
And I just might be the last one in,
Though I will be comin' home.

CHORUS

And many a glass I'll drink tonight
Where the wine-red hand is from work or fight.
There is no judge more fair than time,
But there is no one to change his mind.
And each time I look in the parting glass
For years that look both ways to know.
I'll sing the last song of my youth, but
I'll sing it again tomorrow.

CHORUS

REMINDER! FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITY!

Please help Houston Folklore and Music Society continue to bring excellent performers to Houston for our Second Saturday Concerts. You can help at no cost if you ever make purchases from Amazon. Simply go to smile.amazon.com, sign into your Amazon account and select "Houston Folklore and Music Society" as your charitable organization. After that, go to smile.amazon.com each time you shop at Amazon, and Amazon will automatically donate 0.5% of the amount of your purchase to HFMS.

Every little bit helps! These funds will help us continue the long tradition of HFMS activities, particularly Second Saturday Concerts. Please send this information to anyone you know who might help support our organization in this way. It just takes a minute and will help us continue the HFMS tradition.

THANK YOU!!!

UPCOMING CONCERTS AT “NOT FOR PROFIT” VENUES

Jim Malcom, Scottish Singer/Songwriter, November 3, 2:00PM at Newman’s Castle, Bellville, Texas. Reservations: sia_beaton@yahoo.com or call: 832-659-5501.

Mustard’s Retreat, Saturday, November 10, 7:30 PM at Second Saturday Concerts. Information: www.houstonfolkmusic.org

The April Verch Band Sunday, November 11, 5:15 PM, at Fulshear House Concerts. Reservations: <https://www.fulshearhouseconcerts.org>

Danny Schmidt and Carrie Elkin, Saturday, November 17, 3:00PM at Carolyn’s Cottonwood Concerts, Sugar Land. Reservations: carolynscottonwoodconcerts@aol.com

Kevin Welch and Dustin Welch, November 17 at Barnes House Concert, Houston. Reservations: bildeann@swbell.net

*The above venues provide opportunities for artists to perform for appreciative audiences, and all profits go to the artists. Thank you for supporting these endeavors.
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UPCOMING FOLKLORE AND MUSICAL EVENTS ACROSS TEXAS AND BEYOND

**Texas
Renaissance Festival**

*Saturdays, Sundays and Thanksgiving Friday
September 29 – November 25
<https://www.texrenfest.com>*



November 16 & 17 Midtown Park, 2811 Travis Street, Houston, TX 77006

<https://www.facebook.com/events/892527137619403/>



Save The Date!
January 4-6, 2019

Annual Acoustic Music Retreat

Returning To:
Sam Houston State University
Huntsville, Texas

Details will follow later this year

North Harris County Dulcimer Society
<https://www.facebook.com/houstondulcimer/> see Events
www.northharriscountydulcimer.com



<http://houstondulcimer.com/event/annual-acoustic-music-retreat/>

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Confirm with venue for details and updates.

<<HFMS EVENTS>>

Monday, 11/5_____

- HFMS Meeting/Song Circle (7:30PM) Jewish Community Center, 5601 South Braeswood Boulevard, Houston www.houstonfolkmusic.org

Place Building, 6104 Auden <http://www.houstonfolkmusic.org/secsat.html>

Saturday, 11/10_____

- **Second Saturday Concert presents Mustard's Retreat** (7:30 PM) West University Community

Sunday _____

- **HFMS Pickin' Party**, TBA
www.houstonfolkmusic.org

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<<<EVENTS AROUND TOWN>>>

Thursday, 11/1_____

- Ken Gaines and Wayne Wilkerson host Songwriters in the Round (8:45 PM) Anderson Fair. <http://andersonfair.net>
- Emily Gimble & the Marshall Ford Band (7:00 PM) Mucky Duck.
- Mari Black(9:30PM) Mucky Duck, <http://mctgonigels.com>
- Open Mic Old Quarter, Galveston. <http://oldquarteracousticcafe.com>

- Market Junction (9:30 PM) Mucky Duck. <http://mctgonigels.com>
- Constant Billy (6:30 PM) EQ Heights. <http://eqheights.com>
- Matt the Electrician. (7:30PM) UniTunes, <https://www.unitunescoffeehouse.org>
- Brian Kalinec and Mystery Guest (9:00PM) JP Hops House. <http://www.jphopshouse.com>
- Tunasin. (5:30 PM) Hickory Hollow (Heights) <http://hickoryhollow.com>
- Angie Goeke, Mark Zeus (8:30 PM) Americana Houston. <http://www.theamericanahouston.com>
- Jim Malcom. Newman's Castle. sia_beaton@yahoo.com

Friday, 11/2_____

- Dana Cooper (8:45 PM) Anderson Fair. <http://andersonfair.net>
- Steve Forbert (7:00 PM) Mucky Duck
- Carson McHone (9:30 PM) Mucky Duck. <http://mctgonigels.com>
- Bluegrass Solution (7:00 PM) Hickory Hollow (Heights) <http://hickoryhollow.com>
- Matt Harlan (8:30 PM) Americana Houston. <http://www.theamericanahouston.com>

Sunday, 11/4_____

- Open Mic. (6:00 PM) JP Hops House. <http://www.jphopshouse.com>

Saturday, 11/3_____

- Leslie Krafka (8:45 PM) Anderson Fair. <http://andersonfair.net>
- Wheatfield (7:00PM) Mucky Duck

Monday, 11/5_____

- HFMS Meeting/Song Circle (7:30PM) Jewish Community Center, 5601 South Braeswood Boulevard, Houston www.houstonfolkmusic.org
- Scottish Country Dance class (7:30 PM) Woodlands. <http://www.houstonrscds.org>
- Open mic (6:30 PM) Mucky Duck, <http://mctgonigels.com>

Tuesday, 11/6

- Scottish Country Dance class (7:30 PM) Heights. <http://www.houstonrscds.org>
- Austin Lounge Lizards (7:30 PM) Mucky Duck. <http://mcgonigels.com>

Wednesday, 11/7

- The Hard Times Soup and Music Kitchen (7:00 P M) JP Hops House. <http://www.jphopshouse.com>
- Bluegrass Jam (6:30 PM) (7:00 PM) Hickory Hollow (Heights) <http://hickoryhollow.com>
- Open Mic. Old Quarter, Galveston. <http://oldquarteracousticcafe.com>

Thursday, 11/8

- Ken Gaines and Wayne Wilkerson host Songwriters in the Round (8:45 PM) Anderson Fair. <http://andersonfair.net>
- Mia Borders (7:00 PM) Mucky Duck.
- The Rad Trads (9:30PM) Mucky Duck, <http://mcgonigels.com>
- Open Mic Old Quarter, Galveston. <http://oldquarteracousticcafe.com>

Friday, 11/9

- Nichole Wagner (8:45 PM) Anderson Fair. <http://andersonfair.net>
- Toni Price (7:00 PM) Mucky Duck
- Nick Diaz (9:30 PM) Mucky Duck. <http://mcgonigels.com>
- Lonestar Bluegrass (7:00 PM) Hickory Hollow (Heights) <http://hickoryhollow.com>
- Catherine Michelle (6:00PM) Americana Houston. <http://www.theamericanahouston.com>
- Texas Songwriter Showcase (9:00 PM) JP Hops House. <http://www.jphopshouse.com>
- Adam and Chris Carroll. Old Quarter, Galveston. <http://oldquarteracousticcafe.com>

Saturday, 11/10

- Mustard's Retreat (7:30PM) Second Saturday Concert <http://www.houstonfolkmusic.org/secsat.html>

- Ray Bonneville (8:45 PM) Anderson Fair. <http://andersonfair.net>
- Cheryl Wheeler (7:00 PM) Mucky Duck.
- Rob Baird (9:30 PM) Mucky Duck. <http://mcgonigels.com>
- Andrew Delaney and Alice Wallace (9:00PM) JP Hops House. <http://www.jphopshouse.com>
- The Hanshaws. (5:30 PM) Hickory Hollow (Heights) <http://hickoryhollow.com>
- John Egan (8:30 PM) 8:30 PM) Americana Houston. <http://www.theamericanahouston.com>
- The New Offenders. Old Quarter, Galveston. <http://oldquarteracousticcafe.com>

Sunday, 11/11

- Greg Harbar's Gypsy Jam (6:00 PM) Mucky Duck. <http://mcgonigels.com>
- Houston Songwriter Association Meeting (2:00 PM) JP Hops House.
- Open Mic. (6:00 PM) JP Hops House. <http://www.jphopshouse.com>
- Little Jewford. Old Quarter, Galveston. <http://oldquarteracousticcafe.com>

Monday, 11/12

- Scottish Country Dance class (7:30 PM) Woodlands. <http://www.houstonrscds.org>
- April Spain & The Time Bandits. Americana Houston. <http://www.theamericanahouston.com>
- Open mic (6:30 PM) Mucky Duck, <http://mcgonigels.com>

Tuesday, 11/13

- Scottish Country Dance class (7:30 PM) Heights. <http://www.houstonrscds.org>
- Staihely Bothers with Evelyn Rubio (7:30 PM) Mucky Duck, <http://mcgonigels.com>

Wednesday, 11/14

- The Hard Times Soup and Music Kitchen (7:00 P M) JP Hops House. <http://www.jphopshouse.com>
- Bluegrass Jam (6:30 PM) (7:00 PM) Hickory Hollow (Heights) <http://hickoryhollow.com>
- Open Mic. Old Quarter, Galveston. <http://oldquarteracousticcafe.com>

Thursday, 11/15

- Ken Gaines and Wayne Wilkerson host Songwriters in the Round (8:45 PM) Anderson Fair. <http://andersonfair.net>
- Roy Book Binder (7:00 PM) Mucky Duck.
- Peter Case (9:30PM) Mucky Duck. <http://mcgonigels.com>
- Hank Woji (7:30 PM) 8:30 PM) Americana Houston. <http://www.theamericanahouston.com>
- Caleb Caudle / Brody Price. Old Quarter, Galveston. <http://oldquarteracousticcafe.com>

Friday, 11/16

- Beth Wood and Tom Faulkner (8:45 PM) Anderson Fair. <http://andersonfair.net>
- John Evans (7:00 PM) Mucky Duck
- Emily Elbert (9:30 PM) Mucky Duck. <http://mcgonigels.com>
- Kimberly M'Carver (6:30 PM) Hickory Hollow (Heights) <http://hickoryhollow.com>
- Mystery Loves Company & Grifter and Shills. Americana Houston. <http://www.theamericanahouston.com>
- Mystery Loves Company (8:00 PM) JP Hops House. <http://www.jphopshouse.com>
- Frank Martin Gilligan (8:00 PM) 8:30 PM) Americana Houston. <http://www.theamericanahouston.com>
- Jim Lauderdale / Kevin Anthony. Old Quarter, Galveston. <http://oldquarteracousticcafe.com>

Saturday, 11/17

- Ginger Leigh(8:45 PM) Anderson Fair. <http://andersonfair.net>
- Shake Russell (7:30 PM) Mucky Duck. <http://mcgonigels.com>
- Doug E Rees (9:00PM) JP Hops House. <http://www.jphopshouse.com>
- Wylde Mead (6:30 PM) EQ Heights. <http://eqheights.com>
- North Harris County Dulcimer Society meeting. <http://houstondulcimer.com>
- The Blenders. (5:30 PM) Hickory Hollow (Heights) <http://hickoryhollow.com>

- Paper Moon Shiners (8:00 PM) 8:30 PM) Americana Houston. <http://www.theamericanahouston.com>
- Sean Divine / Jimmy Pizzitola / Mike Stinson. Old Quarter, Galveston. <http://oldquarteracousticcafe.com>
- Danny Schmidt and Carrie Elkin. (3:00PM) Carolyn's Cottonwood Concerts. carolynscottonwoodconcerts@aol.com

Sunday, 11/18

- Open Mic. (6:00 PM) JP Hops House. <http://www.jphopshouse.com>

Monday, 11/19

- Scottish Country Dance class (7:30 PM) Woodlands. <http://www.houstonrscds.org>
- Open mic (6:30 PM) Mucky Duck, <http://mcgonigels.com>

Tuesday, 11/20

- Scottish Country Dance class (7:30 PM) Heights. <http://www.houstonrscds.org>
- Joe Ely (7:30 PM) Mucky Duck. <http://mcgonigels.com>

Wednesday, 11/21

- The Thanksgiving Hard Times Soup and Music Kitchen (7:00 PM) JP Hops House. <http://www.jphopshouse.com>
- Open Mic. Old Quarter, Galveston. <http://oldquarteracousticcafe.com>

Thursday, 11/22— **HAPPY THANKSGIVING**

Friday, 11/23

- Jackie Venson (7:00 PM) Mucky Duck
- Lisa Morales (9:30 PM) Mucky Duck. <http://mcgonigels.com>
- Seth Walker / Grace Pettis & Sara Douga. Old Quarter, Galveston. <http://oldquarteracousticcafe.com>
- The Buddys (Bill Galbraith, Emily Standish, & Jack Klotz. (4:00PM) Rudyard's Pub. <http://www.rudyardspub.com>

Saturday, 11/24_____

- Said Cleaves (7:00 PM & 9:30PM) Mucky Duck. <http://mcgonigels.com>
- Pat Gavin (5:30 PM) Hickory Hollow (Heights) <http://hickoryhollow.com>
- Greg Schroeder / Isaac Hoskins / Gave Wootton. Old Quarter, Galveston. <http://oldquarteracousticcafe.com>

Sunday, 11/25_____

- NSAI Song Swap (4:00PM) JP Hops House
- Open Mic. (6:00 PM) JP Hops House. <http://www.jphopshouse.com>
- John Evans and Emily Bell. Old Quarter, Galveston. <http://oldquarteracousticcafe.com>

Monday, 11/26_____

- Scottish Country Dance class (7:30 PM) Woodlands. <http://www.houstonrscds.org>
- Open mic (6:30 PM) Mucky Duck, <http://mcgonigels.com>

Tuesday, 11/27_____

- Scottish Country Dance class (7:30 PM) Heights. <http://www.houstonrscds.org>
- Houston Storytellers Guild Meeting (7:00 - 8:30 PM) Temple Emanuel 1500 Sunset Boulevard.
- Lost Austin Band (7:30 PM) Mucky Duck. <http://mcgonigels.com>

Wednesday, 11/28_____

- The Hard Times Soup and Music Kitchen (7:00 P M) JP Hops House. <http://www.jphopshouse.com>
- Bluegrass jam (6:30 PM) Hickory Hollow (Heights) <http://hickoryhollow.com>
- Open Mic. Old Quarter, Galveston. <http://oldquarteracousticcafe.com>

Thursday, 11/29_____

- Ken Gaines and Wayne Wilkerson host Songwriters in the Round (8:45 PM) Anderson Fair. <http://andersonfair.net>
- Seth Walker (7:00 PM) Mucky Duck.
- Danny Barnes (9:30PM) Mucky Duck, <http://mcgonigels.com>
- Open Mic (7:00 PM) Friends Uncorked Wine Bar. Friendswood, TX. <https://www.friends-uncorked.com>
- Ramblin' Jack Elliott. Old Quarter, Galveston. <http://oldquarteracousticcafe.com>

Friday, 11/30_____

- Trout Fishing in America (7:00 PM) Mucky Duck
- Guitar Legs - Rosie Flores & Sophia Johnson (9:30PM) Mucky Duck. <http://mcgonigels.com>
- Mike Stroup Band (5:30 PM) Hickory Hollow (Heights) <http://hickoryhollow.com>
- Wayne Green (9:00 PM) JP Hops House. <http://www.jphopshouse.com>
- Robert Kuhn Music. Old Quarter, Galveston. <http://oldquarteracousticcafe.com>

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OR BUY THEM A GIFT MEMBERSHIP!

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Is this a new membership? [] Or a renewal? [] Or a rejoin? []

Is this a new address? Yes [] No [] Today's Date: _____

NAME _____

STREET _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE _____ (wk) _____

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Enclosed is: \$ 15 Annual Dues

Enclosed is: \$ _____ Additional tax deductible donation to nonprofit organization. Thank you!

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