

January ~ June 2018

Vancouver B.C.

Contradances

& English country dances

dynamic live fiddle music!

*no experience necessary ~ all dances taught on the spot
come alone or bring a partner ~ please come fragrance-free
children free ~ light clothing, soft shoes, & water bottles encouraged*



January

- Sat. 6 Sybs. Oregon's Woody Lane calls
- Sun. 7 ECD. Local band & callers
- Sat. 20 VCD. Bob Rentz calls with Ireland Bridge: Squamish's John Gothard and Seattle's Anita Anderson & Dale Russ
- Sun. 21 ECD. Open band; local callers

February

- Sat. 3 Sybs. Seattle's Joe Micheals calls
- Sun. 4 ECD. Local band & callers
- Sat. 17 VCD. Rich Goss calls with Right Hand Star: Maureen Collier, Leith Davis, Janet Rozanski, Kate Semple, & Daryl Sturdy
- Sun. 18 ECD. **SMUCC: 3150 Ash St.** Local band & callers
- Fri. 23 Gr Isl. Lisa Siddons calls

March

- Sat. 3 NO DANCE (try festival du bois)
- Sun. 4 ECD. Local band & callers
- Sat. 17 VCD. From the USA, Michael Karcher calls with Northern Contraband: Eileen Sterns, Mark Danielson, Michael Hobart, Greg Sherman, & Steve Blum-Anderson
- Sun. 18 ECD. Open band; local callers
- Fri. 23 Gr Isl. Maureen Collier calls

April

- Sat. 7 Sybs. Lisa Siddons calls
- Fri. 13 ECD. **7:30-10:30pm.**
Scottish Cultural Centre:
8886 Hudson
- Sat. 14 ECD Ball. By pre-registration
- Thu. 19 Dance meeting! All welcome 7:00pm. 604-266-2962
- Sat. 21 VCD. Seattle's Sherry Nevins calls with Conchordance: Ken Hamer, Leith Davis, Maureen Collier, Barry Cole, Kate Semple, & Connie Balaz

April (continued)

- Sun. 22 ECD. Open band; local callers
- Fri. 27 Gr Isl. Bob Rentz calls

May

- Sat. 5 Sybs. Bellingham's Abigail Hobart calls
- Sun. 6 ECD. Rattlebone; local callers
- Sat. 19 VCD. From Seattle, Gwen Rousseau calls with Improper: Melissa Coffey, Sean Bolton, & Nick Leininger
- 25-28 Folklife (Seattle); by donation. nwfolklife.org

June

- Sat. 2 Sybs. Seattle's Lindsey Dono calls
- Sat. 16 VCD **Elgin Hall** annual family potluck at 6:30 & dance at 8:00 (no discounts for snacks). Maureen Collier & Rebecca Robertson call with No Mean Feat: Cameron Stewart, Susan Stewart, Bob MacNevin, & Michael Gix

Vancouver Country Dance (VCD) contradance series

- ~ St James Hall, 3214 W. 10th Ave.
- ~ **8:00-11:00**; intro session 7:45
- ~ \$15; \$10 with a plate of goodies (except potlucks)
- ~ vcn.bc.ca/vcountry
- ~ purplehey@hotmail.com (info, email list)
- ~ we are on Facebook! Please **LIKE** "Vancouver Contra Dance"
- ~ Elgin Hall potluck & dance: 14250 Crescent Road, South Surrey; please bring your own food utensils
- ~ affiliate of CDSS (cdss.org): "Country Dance & Song Society"
- ~ 604-266-2962

Sybaritic String Band (Sybs) contra series

- ~ St James Hall, 3214 W. 10th Ave.
- ~ **7:30-10:15**; intro session 7:15
- ~ \$15; \$10 with a plate of goodies
- ~ Rich Sobel, Barry Cole, Leith Davis, & Claire McCague.
- ~ thesybariticstringband.com
- ~ sponsor Rogue Folk; 778-999-8170
- Granville Island contra series (Gr Isl)**
- ~ False Creek Community Center, 1318 Cartwright St.
- ~ **7:00-10:00**; \$15; no discounts
- ~ Groovacious: K Nisbet/C Read, Bud Kurz, & Russell Shumsky (organizer)
- ~ free parking after 7pm
- ~ 604-253-2114

English Country Dance (ECD) series

- ~ Billy Bishop Legion, 1407 Laburnum Street.
- ~ **4:00-7:00**; intro session 3:40
- ~ \$15
- ~ please bring snacks to share
- ~ musicians are welcome at open bands (please phone first)
- ~ 604-522-3500