



SPRING 2016

quarter NOTES

Join us for Traditional Arts Weekend!

May 27th - 29th

Enjoy great performances, and the opportunity
to master your chosen craft or maybe learn a new one!

*If you can't make it for the weekend or a day,
check out the evening performances and dancing for only \$5.00 each night.
Those attending on Friday night may purchase a \$10 wristband that will admit them for all three nights!*

MAIN STAGE

FRIDAY

7:30-8:15 Drive South Concert
8:45-10:30 Round Dance with Frogwater
(Waltzes, Schottishes, Polkas & More)

SATURDAY

7:00-8:00 Dance Performance/Concert with
Good Foot Dance Company and Maivish
8:30-9:00 Ruby & The Retros Concert
9:30-11:30 Contra Dance with Frogwater ~
Ron Buchanan calling

SUNDAY

7:00-7:15 Crank Show by Sam Bartlett & TAW kids
7:20-8:00 Dance Showcase with Dance
Instructors & Students -
Blue Water Ramblers MC & Music
8:30-10:30 Squares & Reels with
Blue Water Ramblers

DANCE STAGE

FRIDAY

7:30-9:30 Contras & Squares with
The Rhythm Billies ~ Pop Wagner calling
7:30-8:15 Family Friendly, all ages
& levels of experience welcome
8:15-9:30 Square Dancing, no instruction
10:00-12:00 Contra Dance with Maivish ~ Ron Buchanan calling

SATURDAY

8:00-9:30 Honky Tonk Dance with The Wilenes
10:00-12:00 Swing Dance with Jive At Five

SUNDAY

6:45-8:15 Squares with
New Riverside Ramblers ~ Pop Wagner calling
6:45-7:30 Family Friendly, all ages
& levels of experience welcome
7:30-8:15 Square Dancing, no instruction
8:30-9:45 Advanced Contra Dance with
The Rhythm Billies ~ Ron Buchanan calling
10:15-12:00 Cajun Dance with New Riverside Ramblers

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Traditional

BANDS/PERFORMERS

Good Foot Dance	Jive At Five	Rhythm Billies
Company with Maivish	Drive South	Frogwater
Ruby & The Retros	New Riverside Ramblers	
The Wilenes	Blue Water Ramblers	

INSTRUCTORS

Art

Liz Wing	Andy Kirby	Deb Emerick
Theresa & Dan Hummel	Pop Wagner	Red & Marcia LeClear
Jo & Jim McLachlan	Maggie McDevitt-Irwin	Ben Birney
Drew Nelson	Kathy Berlincourt	Missy Cooke/IMAGE
Budd Greenman	Leslie Anderson	Nation Hoop Revival

Dance

Good Foot	Ron Buchanan	Abby Ladin
Dance Company	Susan Filipiak	Mark Stoltz
		Ira Bernstein

Vocal/Instrument

Ann & Eldon Whitford	Jacqueline Aldrich	Roger Brown
Ruby John	Susie Russell	Mary Sue Wilkinson
John Warstler	Glynn Russell	Kathy Dean
Rex & Letha Raymond	Kathy Hagen	David Klein
Bruce Bauman	Tom Eno	Bruce Ling
Nathan Myers	Jo McLachlan	Jan Fowler
Dan Brandon	Dave Leonard	Kathy Dean
Lil Rev'	Carolyn Koebel	Matt Olwell
Willow Robinson	Sam Bartlett	Jaige Trudel
Susan Nicholson	Scott Barnum	Adam Broome
John Nicholson	Jerry Shader	Jan Fowler
Drew Nelson	Bruce Gartner	Karen Kleinspehn
Lise' White	Rick Novak	Barry Poupard
		Barb Pitcher

Kids

Ron Fowler	Marcia & Red LeClear	Rhonda Drews
Barry Poupard	Wally & Rachel Ewing	Jessica Bazan
Chris Sorensen	Sam Bartlett	Amanda &
Banjo Jim	David Klein	Sean Waanders
Lisa Sachs	Brenda Bonter	Abby Ladin
Bruce Bauman	Barb Oakley	Rose Heneger

Misc.

Willow Robinson	Steve Shelander	Joe Coombs
Aura Nelson	Kay & John Kelly	Dan Hummel
Stan Pope	Dave Birney	Mark Baumann

Rhythm Stage

YES! Wheatland's new Rhythm Stage will be complete this Spring!

The one-of-a-kind performance venue is nestled in the woods west of Middleground and will serve as a site for percussion and dance classes, various instrument workshops, drum circles, and other musical performances.

The venue's unique design is the inspiration of Ryan Edwards - a Wheatland instructor, performer, and all-around-inspiring dude. Ryan, along with WMO Board member Paul Sachs, architect Wayne Appleyard of SunStructures Inc., and John Stadtfeld of JBS Construction worked collaboratively over the last several years to design this beautiful, functional performance venue. A Steering Committee has also been instrumental in shepherding the project forward. The Team is currently working with professional lighting designers to create a lighting ambiance at the site that will highlight the beauty and intimacy of the venue design and its location in the woods.

The venue, without a doubt, serves as a testament to the Organization's commitment to traditional music and support for the percussive arts.

A "grand opening celebration" of music, percussion, and dance is currently in development to unveil the new venue to festival goers this September. Be sure to check it out!

**COMPLETE SCHEDULE &
WORKSHOP DESCRIPTIONS AT:
WWW.WHEATLANDMUSIC.ORG**

Arts Weekend

2016

PERFORMANCES BY:

Good Foot Dance Company accompanied by Maivish

Good Foot Dance Company explores the complex cultural twinings of the root-system of American traditional dance, from Appalachian flatfooting, to tap, to contemporary urban dance. By mixing and remixing vernacular dance and music and bringing a critical and historical inquiry to the shared history of American dance cultures, they put on an energetic performance, while raising questions about connectivity, continuity and social responsibility. Good Foot Dance Company is Matthew Olwell, Becky Hill and Emily Oleson.

Maivish explores the landscape of time-honored melodies and songs and comes home along new pathways, making music with vibrant energy and delight. Gathering traditions from the British Isles, Ireland and America with a mix of original compositions, their performance is infused with lush vocal harmonies, inspired interplay and captivating spirit. At its core, the group is a collaboration between American fiddle Jaige Trudel and British born guitarist Adam Broome who have been performing together as a duo for over a decade. Joining them is Matthew Olwell on flutes, bodhran and percussive dance. Maivish will provide the music for Good Foot's dance workshops.

They will present a Dance Performance/Concert Saturday evening, 8:00pm, on Main Stage

Drive South

Drive South brings together two seasoned musicians, Roger Brown and Mary Sue Wilkinson. Vocal duets, featuring tight harmony singing, are the perfect match for Brown's original American roots music and the classic country songs they both love.

Raised in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains of North Carolina, Roger has toured extensively around the world, working as a session singer and guitarist. Roger's songwriting spans folk, country and blues. His finger style guitar work is unrivaled.

Mary Sue grew up in Iowa in a family that loved to sing and to dance. Her mom saved green stamps to buy her a little black Kay guitar when she was 12 years old. Since that time she has become one of the leading "pure" singers in the traditional music scene. Mary Sue is also the founder of Singing Heart to Heart and the Young at Heart Music program, providing music experiences for seniors.

They will present a concert Friday evening, 7:00pm, on the Main Stage

Ruby & The Retros

Ruby & The Retros is a northern Michigan band that individually has played around Michigan and other parts of the country for more years than they want to admit. They have played in too many northern Michigan bands to mention. The band consists of Ruby John (fiddle and vocals), John Warstler (rhythm guitar, clawhammer banjo, mandolin and vocals), Ann Whitford (hound dog bass, vocals), and Eldon Whitford (lead guitar, mandolin, Dobro and vocals). The Retros play old time American Roots music. This music was on the radio in the 1930s, 40s, 50s, and 60s, from such places as the Grand Ole Opry, Renfro Valley, WLS, WCKY, or XET from the Rio Grande. That was back before country genres had names to polarize their listeners.

Ruby & The Retros play the old styles that are now referred to as Old Time or Mountain Music, Celtic/Irish or fiddle tunes, honky tonk or classic country, bluegrass and western swing. Their songs are unpasteurized and organic without the modern slicked up sound or recording engineers' meddling.

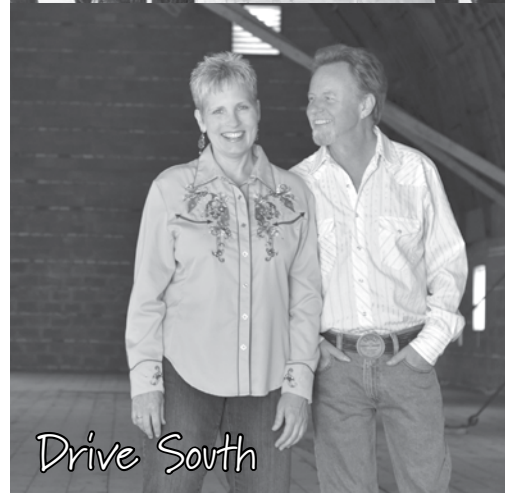
They will present a concert Saturday evening, 8:30pm, on the Main Stage



Good Foot Dance Company



Maivish



Drive South



Ruby & the Retros

Would you like a free weekend of camping at Wheatland?

*Become a volunteer, and participate
in our Training Weekend!*

Wheatland offers this weekend getaway just twice this year. If you are a current volunteer, or plan to become a volunteer join us for one of these training weekends. It is very important that you RSVP by the deadlines.

It comes with a free continental breakfast and a delicious entrée for lunch. Please bring a side dish to pass. We even provide free child care for ages 3 and up, with advance notice.

Volunteer training and orientation is a big reason that we have a successful organization.

- Breakfast: 8:30 on Saturday morning
- Orientation starts at 9:00
- Pot-luck starts around noon – these potlucks are oh soooo good!
- Orientation concludes around 4:30.

*Evenings are filled with visiting, music,
walking around this beautiful property,
laughter and making new friends.*

Arrival time is after 5:00 PM on Friday;
Departure by Sunday at 12:00 PM.

Training Weekends:

May 21, 2016

(please RSVP by May 16th)

August 6, 2016

(please RSVP by August 1st)

Kids Market Place

Kids ages 5-16 attending TAW may sell their handmade pieces of art from 1-4pm Saturday & Sunday afternoon. A tent will be located near the Dining Tent for them to set up (tables will be provided). An adult should accompany them to get set up.

Silent Auction

Silent Auction goods will be displayed along with a bid sheet at the Performers Recording section of the Info Building. Donations are gladly accepted. Items should be in new or “gently used” condition and relate to WMO’s mission.

FRIDAY:

5-8 pm Drop Off
Donations and
Bidding Begins

SATURDAY:

9 am - 4 pm Drop Off
Donations and Open Bidding
6 - 8 pm – Open Bidding

SUNDAY:

10 am-3 pm Open Bidding
3 PM BIDDING CLOSES
4:30-6:30pm – Auction
results and pick up

Hellos & Goodbyes

Have you made any additions to your Wheatland family since the 2015 festival? For “Hellos,” please tell us their name, when he or she was born (and/or when he or she joined the family), and his or her parents’/guardians’ names.

If you have had to say goodbye to a special Wheatie since the last festival, consider letting the many people who read the festival program book every year know of their passing. For “Goodbyes,” we would like to know the person’s name, when he or she passed away, how many festivals he or she attended, and what the person liked best about Wheatland.

If you have a black and white or high contrast color photo of your loved one you would like to share, we might be able to include it in the program book. Send info for “Hellos and Goodbyes” to WMO, PO Box 22, Remus, MI 49340 or email us at wmo.office@wheatlandmusic.org.

The deadline for all entries is July 30, 2016.

Festival T-Shirt Design

If you would like to submit a design for the 2016 Wheatland Festival t-shirts, please mail it to:
Jim McLachlan, c/o WMO, P.O.Box 22, Remus, MI 49340.

Deadline: May 15, 2016



Traditional Arts Workshops 2016

Complete schedule and workshop descriptions at: www.wheatlandmusic.org

SATURDAY WORKSHOPS

VOCAL/INSTRUMENT

- Beginning Mandolin - Glynn Russell
- Beginning Guitar - Susie Russell
- Learn to Play the Saw - Tom Eno
- Hammered Dulcimer - Kathy Hagen & Kathy Dean
- Rise Up Singing - all vocalists
- Country Music Singing - Mary Sue Wilkinson & Roger Brown
- Harmony Singing - all vocalists
- French Canadian Trad Songs - Lise' White & Jacqueline Aldrich
- Old Country Songs - Dan Brandon, Rex & Letha Raymond
- Songwriting Challenge - Ricky Novak
- Hurdy Gurdy - Dave Leonard
- 12 Essential Genre Strums for Ukulele - Lil Rev
- Country Guitar - Eldon Whitford
- Autoharp - Willow Robinson
- Hill Billy Kitchen Band - Scott Barnum
- Anatomy of the 12 Bar (Blues) - Nathan Myers
- Irish Fiddle - AJ Srubas
- Bodhran - Matthew Olwell
- American Fiddle Tunes - Susan Nicholson
- Beginning Fiddle - Bruce Gartner
- About the Diminished Chord - Nathan Myers
- Metis Fiddle - Ruby John
- Backing Up Fiddle Tunes - John Warstler & Ruby John
- Fiddle Techniques with Ease and Accuracy - Jaige Trudel
- Cajun Rhythm Guitar - Karen Kleinspehn
- Twin Cajun Fiddle Tunes - Harmonies & Seconding - Eric Mohring & AJ Srubas
- Cajun Jam - New Riverside Ramblers
- Integration of rhythm & leads in Cajun music - what gives Cajun music it's groove
- Celtic Tunes for Fiddle & Guitar - Susan & John Nicholson
- Taiko Drumming - Carolyn Koebel
- Family Drumming Circle - Carolyn Koebel

ART

- Build a Step-A-Tune - Red & Marcia LeClear
- Glass on Glass Mosaic - Deb Emerick
- Water Color Painting - Liz Wing
- Hula Hoop Making - Missy Cooke/IMAGENation Hoop Revival
- Leather Wallet - Sue Clements
- Stepping Stones - Jo & Jim McLachlan
- Paper Bead Making - Theresa Hummel & Jo McLachlan
- Macramé Mohair Guitar Strap - Pop Wagner
- Cigar Box Ukulele - Budd Greenman & Andy Kirby
- Glass Demonstration - Ben Birney

DANCE

- Swing I: Moves & More Moves - Ron Buchanan
- Swing II: Pretzels and Dips - Ron Buchanan
- Flatfooting - Ira Bernstein
- Clogging - Abby Ladin
- Waltz Clog - Abby Ladin
- Percussive Dance Improvisation - Susan Filipiak
- Body Rhythms - Good Foot Dance Company
- Quebecois Steps from Benoit Bourque - Good Foot Dance Company (sorry, Benoit won't be here)
- Waltz: Intro to Partner Dance Skills - Good Foot Dance Company
- Family Dance - Blue Water Ramblers
- Basic Beginning Square Dance - Rhythm Billies, Jan Fowler calling
- Hula Hoop Demo & Instruction - Maggie McDevitt-Irwin

MISC.

- Einstein Returns - Steve Shelander
- Yeast Baking - Kay & John Kelly
- Coffee Roasting - Stan Pope
- Star Gazing Guided Laser Sky Tour - Day Parking Field
- Wine Making - Dave Birney & Joe Coombs
- Yoga/Stretching - Catherine Tobin
- Instrument Repair - Budd Greenman & Andy Kirby

KIDS ACTIVITIES

- Hay Ride - meet at Kids Hill stage
- Storytelling at Kids Hill Stage - Ron Fowler
- Square Dance Instruction for Kids - Blue Water Ramblers
- Creative Movement for Kids - Lisa Fogle-Sachs
- Fiddle for Kids - Bruce Bauman
- Ukulele for Kids - Ron Fowler
- Clogging for Kids - Red & Marcia LeClear w/Grace Reynolds
- Stuntology - Sam Bartlett
- Knot Tying - Chris Sorensen & Friends
- Penny Whistle for Kids - Barry Poupard
- Tie-Dye - Kids Hill Committee
- Bug Houses - Kids Hill Committee
- Great Lakes Voyageurs Program - Rachel & Wally Ewing
- Drum Jam for Kids - Brenda Bonter - Meet at Kids Hill Stage
- Cranky Show Drawing - Sam Bartlett
- Recycled Paper Making - Kids Hill Committee
- Tambourines - Kids Hill Committee
- Dream Catchers - Rose Heneger

Jewelry Making

Tatting

Jam Sessions

Macrame Mohair Guitar Strap



Twining



Fiddle Workshop



Main Stage Dance



Spoon Carving

SUNDAY WORKSHOPS

DANCE

- Cajun Family Dance – New Riverside Ramblers
- Beginning Cajun – Mark Stoltz & New Riverside Ramblers
- Beyond Beginning Cajun & Zydeco – Mark Stoltz & New Riverside Ramblers
- Tap I – Susan Filipiak
- Tap II – Susan Filipiak
- American Vernacular Dance Remix – Good Foot Dance Company
- Jazz Era Dance Party – Good Foot Dance Company
- Family Dance – Rhythm Billies, Jan Fowler calling
- Intersection: Exploring the Relationship between Flatfooting & Rhythm Tap – Ira Bernstein & Abby Ladin

ART

- Spoon Carving – Drew Nelson
- Glass on Glass Mosaic – Deb Emerick
- Batik Dyes & Wax – Liz Wing
- Quilling – Leslie Anderson
- Tatting – Theresa Hummel
- Leather Wallet – Sue Clements
- Cigar Box Ukulele – Budd Greenman & Andy Kirby
- Glass Demonstration – Ben Birney
- Twining/Weaving – Kathy Berlincourt
- Butter Churning – Joseph Baumann

KIDS ACTIVITIES

- Kids in the Kitchen! Homemade Veggie Pizzas! – Aura Nelson
- Harmonica – Banjo Jim
- Cranky Show Drawing – Sam Bartlett
- Kids Kazoo Band – David Klein
- Kids Jam/Dance Palooza – Red & Marcia LeClear & Grace Reynolds
- Tie-Dye (con't from Saturday – Kids Hill Committee
- Recycled Paper Making – Kids Hill Committee
- Tambourines – Kids Hill Committee
- Rope Tricks – Pop Wagner
- Storytelling – Ron Fowler
- Great Lakes Voyageurs Program – Rachel & Wally Ewing
- Drum Jam for Kids – Brenda Bonter – Meet at Kids Hill Stage
- Bug Houses – Kids Hill Committee
- Rhythm/Movement for Kids – Abby Ladin
- Creative Movement for Kids – Lisa Fogle-Sachs

VOCAL/INSTRUMENT

- Beginning Mandolin - Glynn Russell
- Beginning Guitar – Susie Russell
- Hammered Dulcimer – Kathy Hagen & Kathy Dean
- Gospel Sing – all vocalists
- Building A Band – Ann & Eldon Whitford, Ruby John & John Warstler
- French Canadian Trad Songs – Lise' White & Jacqueline Aldrich
- Songwriting – Roger Brown & Drew Nelson
- Penny Whistle for Adults – Barry Poupard
- Life & Songs of Stephen Foster – Bruce Ling
- Basic Beginning Banjo – Scott Barnum
- Songs from the English Tradition – Adam Broome
- Blues & Old Time Mandolin Styles – Lil' Rev
- Blues Improv' – Nathan Myers
- Fiddle Tunes for Flatpicked Guitar – Bruce Ling
- Old Time Back Up Team for Guitarists & Bass Players – Sam Bartlett and Abby Ladin
- Beginning Clawhammer Banjo – Dave Leonard
- Intermediate Clawhammer Banjo – John Nicholson
- Finger Picking Tunes & Technique for Guitar – Pop Wagner
- Songwriting Challenge – Ricky Novak
- Metis Fiddle – Ruby John
- Calling Workshop - Ron Buchanan
- All Star Gospel Jam – The Gospel All Star Band
- Blues Easy Jam – David Klein
- Intermediate/Advanced Mandolin – Sam Bartlett
- Frame Drumming – Barb Pitcher
- S-L-O-W Jam – Glynn & Susie Russell and Kathy Hagen

MISC.

- Yoga/Stretching – Catherine Tobin
- Instrument Repair – Budd Greenman & Andy Kirby

Traditional Arts Weekend

REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Email: _____

Daytime Phone: _____ Work Phone _____


<input type="checkbox"/> Check	<input type="checkbox"/> Money Order	<input type="checkbox"/> Visa	<input type="checkbox"/> MasterCard	<input type="checkbox"/> Discover
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Card Number: _____

EXPIRATION DATE: _____

SIGNATURE _____

V-CODE _____



TAW ADMISSION PRICES:

	WEEKEND	DAILY
Adults (16 & up)	\$75.00	\$40.00
Children (11-15)	\$20.00	\$12.00
Children (5-10)	\$5.00	\$5.00
Under 5	FREE	FREE

TAW TICKET ORDER SUMMARY:

QTY		
_____	Adults (age 16 & up)	Weekend x \$75.00 = _____
_____	Adults (age 16 & up)	Daily x \$40.00 = _____
_____	Children (age 11-15)	Weekend x \$20.00 = _____
_____	Children (age 11-15)	Daily x \$12.00 = _____
_____	Children (age 5 - 10)	Weekend x \$ 5.00 = _____
_____	Children (age 5 - 10)	Daily x \$ 5.00 = _____
	Membership Discount = (-)	_____
	(10% for ages 11-adult)	Discount available on advance purchase only

You may also combine your WMO Membership in the same payment.

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP:

Memberships run from January 1 - December 31

Level 1	\$50	\$ _____
Level 2	\$75	\$ _____
Level 3	\$150	\$ _____
Level 4	\$500	\$ _____
Level 5	\$1000	\$ _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ _____

MAIL ORDER FORMS TO:

Wheatland Music Organization

P.O. Box 22, Remus, MI 49340

TRADITIONAL ARTS WEEKEND • Pre-registration workshops

THESE WORKSHOPS ARE LIMITED TO THE NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS.

Call the office to sign up or send this form with your registration

Build A Step-A-Tune – ages 12 & up

Sat 9:00-12 Noon

- _____
- _____

Glass on Glass Mosaic – ages 16 & up

Sat 9:00-Noon (con't) Sat 4:00-6:00 (con't) Sun 3:30-5:30

- _____
- _____

Wine Making – must be 21

Sat 9:00-12 Noon

- _____
- _____

Water Color Painting – all ages for family painting, teens & adults for other Sat 1:00-4:00

- _____
- _____

Macrame Mohair Guitar Strap – adults

Sat 1:00-4:00

- _____
- _____

Hula Hoop Making – all ages children must be accompanied by an adult Sat 1:00-3:30

- _____
- _____

Leather Wallet – 16 & up

Sat 1:00-4:00

- _____
- _____

Cigar Box Ukulele – 12 & up

Sat 1:00-5:00

- _____
- _____

Quilling – teens & adults

Sun 9-12 Noon & 1:00-3:00

- _____
- _____

Leather Wallet – 16 & up

Sun 9:30-12:30

- _____
- _____

Twining/Weaving – 12 & up

Sun 10:00-11:30

- _____
- _____

Spoon Carving – 16 & up

Sun 9:30-12 Noon

- _____
- _____

Twining/Weaving – 12 & up

Sun 1:00-3:00

- _____
- _____

Batik Dyes & Waxes – adults

Sun 1:30-4:30

- _____
- _____

Butter Churning – Teens & Adults

Sun 1:00-4:00

- _____
- _____

Cigar Box Ukulele – 12 & up

Sun 1:30-5:30

- _____
- _____

Tatting – 16 & up

Sun 1:00-4:00

- _____
- _____

Area Motel & Campground Info

Blue Lake Motel.....(231)972-2788
 Blue Lake Lodge B&B..(231)972-8163
 Outback B&B(231)972-7255
 School Section Lake
 Campground.....(231)972-7450

FOR YOUR INFORMATION:

Primitive camping on site at no cost, Fri. 3:00pm until Mon. at Noon.

- NO PETS • NO FIRES
- NO AMPLIFIED MUSIC

Questions...

If you have any special needs or concerns regarding program site access or your participation in the program, please call Lola at (989) 967-8879. A month's notice will enhance our ability to respond to your needs. Wheatland Music Organization, Inc. is an equal opportunity employer and provides programs without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, sex, age, or handicap.



Food Information

Food will be served Friday evening through Sunday evening. This year there will be two food trucks; no food will be served in the building. Hearty Harvest, a family-owned farm market in Remus, will be serving foods made with local items.

Weidman Lions will once again be returning with their 'All American' menu of hot dogs, French fries, pasties and pancake on a stick. Their hours of operation will be Saturday and Sunday 8am-8pm.

Menu and serving times for Hearty Harvest:

FRIDAY NIGHT 5:00-8:00

- Beef Stroganoff
- Pulled Pork
- Stir Fry
- Roasted Asparagus
- Sweet Corn

SATURDAY & SUNDAY All Day

- Breakfast Burritos (bacon or sausage)
- French Toast
- Yogurt Parfait (strawberries, blueberries, sweet cherries)
- Lamb Chili
- Coffee, Tea, Flavored Waters

KID'S MENU All Day

- Toasted Cheese Sandwich
- Apple Sauce
- Cottage Cheese

SATURDAY 11:00am - 8:00pm

- Beef Stew
- Pork Medallions with mushroom gravy
- Seasoned Rice
- Baked Potatoes
- Roasted Asparagus

SUNDAY 11:00am - 8:00pm

- Lamb Shawarma
- Pulled Pork
- Seasoned Rice
- Potato Salad

JASON ISBELL

JUNE 1 • 8 PM

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 "Best Americana Album" and
 "Best Americana/Roots Song"

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 and to buy tickets, visit www.mcfta.org/mxfest



2ND ANNUAL

Wheatland Music Camp

A whole week of music & dance instruction!

SUNDAY - SATURDAY

June 19– 25, 2016



About Wheatland Music Camp:

The Wheatland Music Camp is dedicated to providing an immersive musical and educational experience for those looking to enhance their current skills and/or build a solid foundation in a new area. Old Time, Cajun, Bluegrass, Blues, Celtic, Songwriting and Dance are a few areas of concentration. In addition to daytime classes with accomplished instructors in the traditional music scene, evening activities consist of jam sessions, dances, and performances by campers, instructors and special guests. This will be some serious quality time at Wheatland, don't miss out!

Who is Wheatland Music Camp for?

All levels of players are welcome! Whether you are a beginner or veteran, you will be sure to leave camp with a markedly enhanced ability in your area of interest (and a boat-load of new friends!). While the Wheatland Music Camp is designed for adults, young folks able to sustain an adult level of participation are welcome (parent or guardian required).

On-Site Camping

- On-site camping, food and shower services are included in the registration fee.
- Low-amp electrical service (15-20 amp) available to weeklong campers for an additional fee on a first-come, first-served basis for a \$75 fee.
- Generators permitted in designated Generator-friendly camping areas on-site.
- Camp will take place on the Wheatland festival grounds just west of Remus, MI (5161 Pierce Rd, Remus, MI 49340).

Keep In Touch!

Keep in touch with music camp attendees and instructors by joining the "Wheatland Music Camp" Group on Facebook! If you have any questions, please contact the WMO Office at 989-967-8879 or wmo.office@wheatlandmusic.org. Stay connected with us via Facebook. <http://www.wheatlandmusic.org/summer-music-camp/>

CLASSES

FIDDLE

Fiddle from Scratch
Old Time Fiddle I
Old Time Fiddle II
Cajun Fiddle I
Cajun Fiddle II
Bluegrass Fiddle I
Bluegrass Fiddle II
Celtic Fiddle I
Celtic Fiddle II

BANJO

Banjo from Scratch
Old Time Banjo I
Old Time Banjo II
Bluegrass Banjo I
Bluegrass Banjo II

GUITAR

Guitar from Scratch
Old Time Guitar I
Old Time Guitar II
Bluegrass Guitar I
Bluegrass Guitar II
Dobro
Pedal & Lap Steel
Bottleneck Slide
Celtic Guitar
Accompaniment

MANDOLIN

Mandolin from Scratch
Beginning Mandolin
Intermediate Mandolin
Advanced Mandolin

DANCE

Clogging I
Clogging II
Flatfooting
Cajun &
Zydeco Dance

HARMONICA

Harmonica
from Scratch
Harmonica I
Harmonica II

WRITING

Songwriting I
Songwriting II
Tune Writing

BAND CLASSES

Old Time Band
Cajun Band
Bluegrass Band

MISCELLANEOUS

Cajun Singing
Harmony Singing
Cajun/Zydeco
Accordion
Percussion
Ukulele I
Ukulele II
Stand Up Bass
Music Theory
Yoga



Photo by Peggy Brisbane

Music Camp Instructors

More instructors
to be announced!



Travis Stuart
Old Time Banjo I
Old Time Banjo II
Old Time Band



Don Julin
Beginning Mandolin
Intermediate Mandolin
Advanced Mandolin



Rafe Stefanini
Old Time Fiddle I
Old Time Fiddle II
Old Time Band



Mark Palms
Old Time Guitar I
Old Time Guitar II
Old Time Band



Jim Hurst
Bluegrass Guitar I
Bluegrass Guitar II
Bluegrass Band



Drew Howard
Pedal & Lap Steel Guitar
Dobro
Bottleneck Slide



Madcat
Harmonica I
Harmonica II
Ukulele II



Patrick Ourceau
Celtic Fiddle I
Celtic Fiddle II



David Bowen
Celtic Guitar
Accompaniment



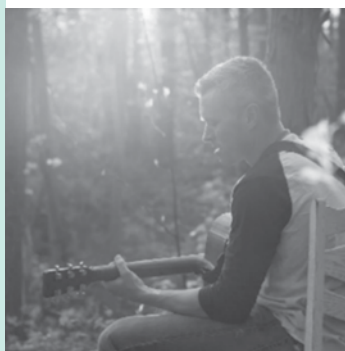
Jim Foerch
Banjo from Scratch
Guitar from Scratch
Harmonica from Scratch



Becky Hill
Clogging I
Clogging II
Flat Footing



David Greely
Cajun Singing
Harmony Singing
Cajun Band



Josh Rose
Songwriting I
Songwriting II



Bruce Bauman
Fiddle from Scratch



Dan Seabolt
Bluegrass Fiddle I,
Bluegrass Fiddle II,
Bluegrass Band



Sabra Guzman
Stand Up Bass
Harmony Singing
Old Time Band

Wheatland Music Camp 2016

SUNDAY - SATURDAY

June 19-25, 2016

Location: Wheatland Music Festival Site

EARLY REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Wednesday, June 1st, 2016.

Includes complimentary music camp T-shirt. A \$50 late fee applies to applications submitted after June 1st, 2016. Final registration deadline is Wednesday, June 15th, 2016

REGISTRATION FORM

(Registrants under 18 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian)

Name _____

(First, Middle, Last):

18 or over? ☐ Yes ☐ No T-Shirt Size: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Country: _____

E-mail: _____

Day Time Phone #: _____

Name _____

(First, Middle, Last):

18 or over? ☐ Yes ☐ No T-Shirt Size: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Country: _____

E-mail: _____

Day Time Phone #: _____

CAMPING OPTIONS:

Please select how you plan to camp. ☐ Tent ☐ Camper/RV ☐ Off-Site

(Limited 15-20 amp electric service available for \$75, first-come first-served basis.

Generators are allowed on-site in designated areas.)

MEAL OPTIONS:

Please note that choices are limited to the options below, but a variety of allergen-free foods will be provided for each meal.

☐ Standard Menu ☐ Vegetarian ☐ Vegan

☐ Gluten-Free *(prepared in the same kitchen as wheat containing foods)*

YOUR INTERESTS: Please describe what you are most interested in studying at music camp.

☐ CASH ☐ CHECK# OR MO # _____ ☐ VISA ☐ MASTERCARD ☐ DISCOVER

CREDIT CARD NUMBER: _____

NAME ON CREDIT CARD: _____

EXP. DATE: _____ 3 DIGIT CODE: _____

AMOUNT PAID: _____ TOTAL BALANCE: _____



ADMISSION:

☐ Please indicate here if you have already made payment online.

☐ **\$500 Attendee**
(Includes daytime classes, evening activities, meals Sun-Sat, shower facilities & on-site camping. 10% discount for paid 2016 members.)

☐ **\$250 Attendee**
Work Study Down Payment
(See below for more information.)

☐ **\$200 Partner/Guardian weeklong pass**
(Includes evening activities, meals Sun-Sat, shower facilities & camping. Does NOT include attendance or participation in daytime classes.)

☐ **\$75 Electric Service**
(15-20 amp, limited spaces available, first-come first-served.)

☐ **\$50 Late Fee** *(after June 1st, 2016)*

Evenings Open To The Public, Purchase Evening Passes at the Info Building:

All evening activities are open to the public Sunday – Friday for \$10 a night, or \$50 for all 6 nights (available for purchase on Sunday only). Evening activities include a variety of jam sessions, dances and performances. Dinner is available for an additional \$10. Saturday afternoon's Last Chance Dance is FREE and open to the public, brunch is served at 10am for an additional \$10.

Scholarships available on a first-come/first-served basis. Visit wheatlandmusic.org/giving-and-receiving/scholarships

Work Study Applicants:

A down payment of \$250 and background check form is required. Under 18 must have parent/guardian authorization. Attendees selecting the Work Study down payment option of \$250 will be contacted by the WMO Office to complete the sign-up process. Remaining balance will be determined by work assignment. Balance due Wednesday, June 1st, 2016. Limited positions available, assigned on a first-come first-served basis.



WHEATLAND MUSIC CAMP

Work Study Program

Interested campers:

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For more information about the Work Study Program please call the WMO Office at 989.967.8879.

Kitchen & Dining Hall Positions

Option 1:

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Clean Up / Dishwashing (17 hrs/\$225)

Option 2:

Late Night Snack Set-Up / Dishwashing (8 hrs/\$105)

Site & Facility Positions

Option 3:

General Clean Up Crew (13 hrs/\$170)

Option 4:

Shower & Bathroom Trailer Crew (17 hrs/\$225)

Option 5:

Set-Up & Tear-Down Crew (8 hrs/\$105)

Scholarships

The Wheatland Music Organization, Inc. (WMO) is a nonprofit organization whose mission is to serve as a regional resource center, and to preserve and present traditional music dance, arts and crafts. One of the ways that WMO meets this mission is through the **Elyce Fishman Scholarship Fund**. Applicants from across Michigan showing the greatest financial need, potential for growth and likelihood to preserve the traditional arts may be selected for funding.

For more scholarship information and applications visit:

<http://www.wheatlandmusic.org/giving-and-receiving/scholarships/>
Or contact the WMO Office at 989-967-8879
wmo.office@wheatlandmusic.org



Wheatland Music Organization membership

Become a Member Today!

Whether you are a new member or a long-time supporter, your contribution makes a difference. Your gift shows that you recognize the value of joining the Wheatland family in preserving our rich heritage of traditional arts.

As a member of the Wheatland family, you will be:

- Able to purchase adult festival tickets early (2 per Level 1, 4 per Level 2 or 6 per Level 3-5)
- Helping to preserve and present the traditional arts
- Helping to support Wheatland as a regional resource center
- Receive Quarter Notes
- Receive information on the annual Festival and Traditional Arts Weekend, monthly events like Jamborees and Wheatscouts, and occasional events like concerts and dances.
- Receive discounts on ticketed events with advance purchase
- Receive recognition as a supporter
- Eligible for a tax deduction as allowed

☐ YES! I'd like to become a member.

I would like to make the following donation _____.

I understand donations are tax deductible as allowed by law, minus any value returned.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Place of Employment (optional): _____

☐ CHECK OR MONEYORDER

CREDIT CARD NUMBER:

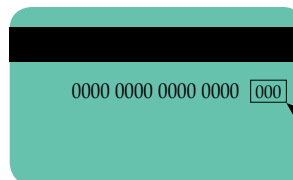
☐ VISA ☐ MASTERCARD ☐ DISCOVER

EXP. DATE: _____

V-CODE: _____

May we publish your name as a donor or member?

☐ YES ☐ NO



V-CODE



Membership Levels

MEMBERSHIPS VALID

JANUARY 1 - DECEMBER 31

Level 1.....\$50

\$5 discount for 2 adult or senior festival tickets; 10% discount on TAW tickets and Music Camp registration

Level 2.....\$75

\$5 discount for 4 adult or senior festival tickets; 10% discount on TAW tickets and Music Camp registration

Level 3.....\$150

\$5 discount for 6 adult or senior festival tickets; 10% discount on TAW tickets and Music Camp registration. Brass plaque

Level 4.....\$500

\$10 discount for up to 6 adult or senior festival tickets, 2 of which can be Early Entry; 10% discount on TAW tickets and Music Camp registration. Brass plaque

Level 5.....\$1,000 +

\$10 discount for up to 6 adult or senior festival tickets, 4 of which can be Early Entry; 2 Back Stage passes for Main Stage; 10% discount on TAW tickets and Music Camp registration. Brass plaque

Names of all paid members are published in the festival program unless otherwise requested.

Wheatland Music Organization

P.O. Box 22, Remus, MI 49340 • (989) 967-8562



Adonis Puentes



Charlie Musselwhite



Mike + Ruthy Band



Bruce Dalgrepont



Solas



14 The Gibson Brothers

43RD ANNUAL

Wheatland Music Festival

SEPTEMBER 9-11, 2016

Festival Performers

The Program Committee is working hard to bring to our festival the best that Traditional Music has to offer. The most current updates are always available at:
www.wheatlandmusic.org

Solas

September 10 & 11solas.com

Mike + Ruthy Band

September 9 & 10mikeandruthy.com

Adonis Puentes

September 10 & 11adonispuentes.ca

Black Twig Pickers

September 9-11blacktwigpickers.org

Bruce Daigrepont Cajun Band

September 9 & 10brucedaignepont.homestead.com

Charlie Musselwhite

September 10 & 11charliemusselwhite.com

Gibson Brothers

September 10 & 11gibsonbrothers.com

Cactus Blossoms

September 10 & 11thecactusblossoms.com



The Cactus Blossoms



Black Twig Pickers



Wheatland Music Festival Tickets

September 9-11, 2016

Tickets go on sale May 1, 2016 to paid members and June 1, 2016 to the general public.

The final date for mail in ticket orders is August 29, 2016 (postmarked).

No mail orders will be accepted after this date.

This year there will be 1,500 less tickets sold.

It is highly recommended that you order early!

Tickets will be mailed to the address on the order form unless otherwise stated. Send check, money order or credit card information to: Wheatland Music Organization, PO Box 22, Remus, MI 49340. Direct any questions or requests for special needs to the same address or call WMO (Monday-Friday 8am - 4pm) at (989) 967-8879. You may also order tickets online at the Wheatland website: www.wheatlandmusic.org.

"Paid Member" means that you have sent in a membership form, or are sending one in with your order, along with the money for a membership (valid Jan. 1 - Dec. 31). Paid members may order tickets in May, up to the number permitted by their membership; two per Level 1, four per Level 2 or six per Level 3-5.

If you are interested in becoming a member of the Wheatland Music Organization, please fill out the form on the back page and include the appropriate dues with your ticket order form.



Photo by Peggy Brisbane

TICKETS ORDERED JUNE 1 - 30

___ Adult Non-Member	@\$85.00 =	_____
___ Adult Member Level 1, 2 or 3	@\$80.00 =	_____
___ Adult Member Level 4 or 5	@\$75.00 =	_____
___ Senior Non-Member	@\$65.00 =	_____
___ Senior Member Level 1, 2 or 3	@\$60.00 =	_____
___ Senior Member Level 4 or 5	@\$55.00 =	_____

TICKETS ORDERED JULY 1 - 31

___ Adult Non-Member	@\$95.00 =	_____
___ Adult Member Level 1, 2 or 3	@\$90.00 =	_____
___ Adult Member Level 4 or 5	@\$85.00 =	_____
___ Senior Non-Member	@\$75.00 =	_____
___ Senior Member Level 1, 2 or 3	@\$70.00 =	_____
___ Senior Member Level 4 or 5	@\$65.00 =	_____

TICKETS ORDERED AUGUST 1 - 31

___ Adult Non-Member	@\$110.00 =	_____
___ Adult Member Level 1, 2 or 3	@\$105.00 =	_____
___ Adult Member Level 4 or 5	@\$100.00 =	_____
___ Senior Non-Member	@\$90.00 =	_____
___ Senior Member Level 1, 2 or 3	@\$85.00 =	_____
___ Senior Member Level 4 or 5	@\$80.00 =	_____

___ Child Weekend (ages 5-12)	@\$10.00 =	_____
___ Sunday Tickets	@\$20.00 =	_____

CREDIT CARD ORDERS, add S/H

___ Adult/Sr. Tickets	x \$3.00 =	_____
	(maximum S/H \$15.00)	

Building & Maintenance	=	_____
Membership	=	_____
TOTAL ENCLOSED	=	_____

MAIL ORDER FORMS TO:

Wheatland Music Organization

P.O. Box 22, Remus, MI 49340

Festival Tickets Ordered in Advance

No Refunds after August 30, 2016. Orders must be postmarked no later than August 28, 2016

Phone Orders: (Credit Card Only) 989-967-8561 Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Credit Card orders add \$3.00 s/h for each adult and/or senior ticket ordered.

Name _____

Street _____

City, State, Zip _____

Email _____

Home Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Work _____

LIMITED NUMBER OF TICKETS - PLEASE ORDER EARLY!

☐ Check ☐ Money Order ☐ Visa ☐ MasterCard ☐ Discover
Card Number:

EXPIRATION
DATE:

V-CODE



SIGNATURE

quarter NOTES



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PLEASE INFORM THE WMO OFFICE IF YOUR ADDRESS CHANGES. BULK MAIL NEWSLETTERS ARE NOT FORWARDED BY THE POST OFFICE.



Wheat Futures

MAY

Sunday, May 1

43rd Annual
Wheatland Music Festival
Tickets go on sale
to paid 2016 Members
Call 989-967-8561, M-F

Tuesday, May 10

Board of Directors Meeting
Classroom Building 7:00pm

Saturday, May 14

Wheatscouts:
Instrument Petting Zoo
Classroom Building 11:00am

WMO Jamboree

The Cabin 2:00pm

Sunday, May 15

Open Clogging
Classroom Building 1:00pm

Monday, May 16

1st Day of MiddleGround Volunteer
Sign-Ups 9:00am
Call WMO Office 989-967-8879

Saturday, May 21

Volunteer Orientation
Classroom Building 9:00am

Friday-Sunday, May 27-29

28th Annual Traditional Arts Weekend

JUNE

Wednesday, June 1

43rd Annual Wheatland Music Festival
Tickets go on sale to the general public
989-967-8561 / wheatlandmusic.org/store/

Saturday, June 11

WMO Jamboree
The Cabin 2:00pm

Tuesday, June 14

Board of Directors Meeting
Classroom Building 7:00pm

Sunday-Saturday, June 19-25

Wheatland Music Camp

JULY

Saturday, July 9

WMO Jamboree
The Cabin 2:00pm

Tuesday, July 12

Board of Directors Meeting (Tentative)
Classroom Building 7:00pm

AUGUST

Monday, August 1

Hellos & Goodbyes Submission
Deadline

Saturday, August 6

Volunteer Orientation
Classroom Building 9:00am

Tuesday, August 9

Board of Directors Meeting
Classroom Building 7:00pm

Saturday, August 13

WMO Jamboree
The Cabin 2:00pm

SEPTEMBER

Friday-Sunday, Sept. 9-11

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