MAIN STAGE PERFORMANCES

10 - 10:45 a.m. - Flint Hill Folk
Tap your toes along to tunes by our friends the Flint Hill Folk!

11 - 11:45 a.m. - Development of the American Blues with Tom Hanney
Join RIT Professor Tom Hanney to explore the development of American Blues in New York State.

12 - 12:45 p.m. - Traditional Irish and Irish-American Tunes with John Ryan and Ted McGraw
Join guest performers John Ryan and Ted McGraw for a performance that delves into the historical musical connections between Ireland and Western New York.

1 - 1:45 p.m. - Irish Bagpipes (Uillean Pipes) Performance & Demonstration
Join Timothy Benson for a lively demonstration of Irish bagpipes known as uillean pipes, and learn about the role this instrument played in shaping Irish-American music.

2 - 2:45 p.m. - Striking Strings Hammered Dulcimer Ensemble Performance
Hear the ethereal sounds of hammered dulcimers on the Main Stage!

3 - 3:45 p.m. - Cultural expression and racial stereotyping in 19th-century minstrel shows
Join Amara Briony for a discussion around cultural expression and racial stereotyping and appropriation involved in 19th-century minstrel shows.

EXHIBITION BARN PERFORMANCES

10 - 10:45 a.m.: Submarine School Musical Group

11 - 11:45 a.m. - Music by Timothy Ball, John Ryan, Ted McGraw, and Ben Hockenberry
Explore the historical connections between Ireland and Western NY!

12 - 12:45 p.m. - Almost Irish Performance

1 - 1:45 p.m. - Harmonica Spotlight with Tom Hanney

2 - 2:45 p.m. - Fiddlers of the Genesee

3 - 3:45 p.m. - Performance by The Heart Throbs

VILLAGE SQUARE STAGE PERFORMANCES

10:15 - 11 a.m. & 12:15 - 1 p.m. - Comhaltas Ceoltóirí Eireann

11:15 a.m. - 12 p.m. & 1:15 - 2 p.m. - The Fancy Bandits

2:15 - 3 p.m.: Timothy Ball

3:15 - 4 p.m. - Ben Hockenberry

BROOKS GROVE CHURCH PERFORMANCES

10:45 - 11:30 a.m. - Timothy Benson (Irish Bagpipes)

11:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.: Dennis & Lainie

12:45 - 1:30 p.m.: The String Chickens

1:45 - 2:30 p.m: Almost Irish

2:45 - 3:30 p.m.: Howard Lester
FIDDLERS’ FAIR & MAKING MUSIC WEEKEND

GALLERY PROGRAM

11:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.: Explore the musical history behind 19th-century minstrel shows with Amara Briony

ONE-HOUR WORKSHOPS (included with cost of admission)

- 11:30 a.m.: Improvisation Made Simple & Learning By Ear with Howard Lester (Carriage Barn)
- 1 p.m.: Introduction to Home Recording with Alfred Brown (Carriage Barn)
- 2:30 p.m.: The Art of Harmonica with Thomas Hanney (Carriage Barn)

HUNGRY? ENJOY OUR FIDDLERS’ FAIR SPECIALS!

Enjoy BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich, Roast Beef au jus on Kummelwick, and Chili Mac & Cheese in the Depot Restaurant

Plus, join us for a Tea House in Hosmer’s Inn, serving tea, coffee, and 1-2-3-4 cake!

WHAT’S OPEN?

The “OPEN” chalkboard signs throughout the Historic Village show which buildings are open for visitation today.

HISTORICAL HAPPENINGS ALL DAY

IN THE HISTORIC VILLAGE

PRINT OFFICE
Explore the standardization of music notation required for mass printing and the proliferation of sheet music. Between 2 and 3 p.m., join Jim Kimball for a fascinating discussion on this topic!

SHAKER TRUSTEES BUILDING
Learn about Shaker musical traditions from around the region.

ROMULUS FEMALE SEMINARY
Explore the science and math behind music, with the piano as a simple machine and music composition.

TOWN HALL
Meet luthier Kenn VanDieren and see a neat demonstration. Plus, meet Fred Brown of The Lowly Mountain Banjos to learn about the history and making of banjos

VILLAGE SQUARE
Stop by the Hammered Dulcimer tent for an ethereal musical experience.

IN THE JOHN L. WEHLE GALLERY & ART TENT
Explore two exhibits: Becoming Gendered: Garment as Gender Artifact (NEW), and Duck Duck, Shoot! The Story of American Waterbirds (closing October 2023). Our friends from Trillium Health will also be tabling here today!

NATURE CENTER & TRAILS
Take a hike! Explore nature trails radiating out from our Nature Center to experience regional flora and fauna.

Don’t skip a beat - become a Member!

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