

# FOLK NOTES

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Contemporary, Traditional, Roots and Alternative Music... and stuff like that

## SOUTH FLORIDA FOLK FESTIVAL

Presented by the Broward Folk Club

HEADLINERS:

**Vance Gilbert - Jim Hurst Band**  
**Katy Moffatt - Don White**

Florida musicians include ...

- Nick Annis, Washington – Gabriela - Peter Betan
- Valerie C. Wisecracker & the Walking Catfish
- Ellen & Gary Bukstel - Jim Carrick - Ekendra Dasa
- Dave Feder - John Emil - Amanda Garrigues
- Fremont John & Larry Baeder Duo - John Ford
- Cindy Hackney - Douglas Halper - Juniper
- Tom Lash - Hope Litwin - Grant Livingston
- Bettina Makley - George Manosis - Jen Marriott
- Rod Macdonald - Malcolm Mckinney - New Last Rights
- Marie Nofsinger - Peters Road Swamp Band
- Roadside Review - Charlie Robertson - Mindy Simmons
- The Ashley Gang - Amy Carol Webb - Annie Wenz

**January 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> at Easterlin Park in Fort Lauderdale**

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

Many types of acoustic music are presented at the South Florida Folk & Acoustic Music Festival, ranging from bluegrass and "old time" traditional to contemporary singer- songwriter, and contra dance. It also an open venue for people who just enjoy playing in their spare time. Following in the folk tradition of incorporating the ever-changing music community in America , the festival includes world music, dance music and new acoustic trends. The festival is a celebration of many unique folk traditions. This is a place for many varieties of music to be heard.

The Festival features musicians from around the globe. Musicians perform, lead workshops, host jamming sessions and interact with an appreciative music loving crowd. The Festival also features a National Song Writing competition that is steadily growing in popularity.

Folk and acoustic music is one of the fastest growing genres of American music. Our festival presents national and local talent, a nationally recognized singer/songwriter competition, and this year, for the first time, a showcase for emerging youth artists.

## SOUTH FLORIDA FAMILY CONCERTS

In cooperation with The Folk Club Of South Florida  
**Sunday, February 13<sup>th</sup>**

### Billy Jonas

Award-winning folk singer Billy Jonas finds music in the strangest places -- a metal spring, a battered can, pots and pans and other everyday 'junk'. His "foraged folk" as well as his uplifting and empowering message



has made him a national favorite. As a multi-instrumentalist, playing guitar and a variety of percussion instruments made from everyday objects, his energetic performances will please the whole family. [www.billyjonas.com](http://www.billyjonas.com)

WEST PALM BEACH – 1:00 P.M., Jewish Community Center Of The Greater Palm Beaches: 561-712-5254

KENDALL – 6:00 P.M. Alper Jewish Community Center 305-271-9000. A pizza party at 5:00 P.M. and admission to the Lisa Ann Watson Children's Discovery Museum is included at The Alper JCC. Adults \$15 Children \$10

Twenty finalists will perform in the annual song writing competition. Performances at seven locations in the park: Gator Stage — Cypress Hammock Stage — Goose Point Stage —Live Oak Stage — Workshop Tent —Drumming Circle — Children's Stage —Jam Tent. There will also be a Pickin' and Fiddlin' contest, judges are: Rex Blazer, Kerry Blech, Woody Lane, and Bob Carlin.

For directions to the park click on: <http://www.southfloridafolkfest.com/location.htm>. 1000 N.W. 38th St., Oakland Park, FL 33309, (954) 938-0610 For further information about the event, contact: Bob Singer, 954-486-4040. Regular Ticket Prices: Day Gate: Adult - \$20.00, Under 18 – Free. Weekend Gate: Adult - \$35.00 Under 18 – Free. Daily Early Bird Special Prices: Before 11:00 am, Adult - \$18.00 \* Under 18 - Free

## **THE PREZ SEZ... Yeomen's Work, Miami Discovered, SFFF, Billy Jonas**

By **Barry J. White**

Discover Miami at The Shores Theater on December 11 worked because some dedicated people worked far beyond what can be reasonably expected. The task started at 10:00 A.M. and ended at 7:00 P.M. For most of that time Valerie C. Wisecracker, Bob Ingram, Michael Stock and John



and Maria Barker were on the job doing whatever had to be done. Without people who throw the clock away and just see a show that must be produced because they are, in their bones, dedicated to the music, none of these major shows would happen. We can say "Thanks", and it's always good to hear that. But, in reality, the real reward is felt by each of them deep in a special place that only they can feel. We just benefit from such commitment, and respect it when, too rarely, we see it.

Discover Miami, a far-reaching, ambitious effort, brought pleasure and knowledge to many people. The reports are still coming in but it is clear that the day was a delight and took visitors into parts of the city they had never experienced. And this is the ultimate goal of MusicFestMiami; the music is just the vehicle.

Our diversity is our strength and our understanding and appreciation of our many subcultures is the connecting tissue. The well organized and planned day is a credit to The City Of Miami and Miami-Dade County and everyone involved in the project. We are so pleased to have been a part of it.

January 15-16, 2004 will see the Fourteenth Annual South Florida Folk Festival. And they are not sitting on their laurels. New features, new contests and creative planning will continue to grow and expand the now nationally recognized event. See the write up on Page One and mark your calendars. If you really want to do it right, volunteer for a few hours and help make it happen! [www.southfloridafolkfest.com/](http://www.southfloridafolkfest.com/)

Billy Jonas! Just saying his name makes you smile. With his cart of musical chotskas, this creative and original nationally recognized and beloved performer will brighten your day. He'll be here Sunday, February 13 doing two family shows; one a 1:00 P.M. in West Palm Beach and one at 6:00 P.M. in Kendall; see Page

One for the story. This is the show to tell your kids and grandkids and neighbor kids about, and any one else who is a kid at heart. Book now; the shows will sell out! [www.billyjonas.com/](http://www.billyjonas.com/)

## **Southeast Region Folk Alliance (SERFA) Retreat** Tampa - April 1 -3

By **Dorothy Parker**

SERFA, the Southeast Region Folk Alliance, is a new group that has been formed, and is planning an organizational retreat in Tampa on April 1-3, 2005. SERFA isn't an "official" entity yet but a group of members or affiliate members of the Folk Alliance plan to form an organization (incorporated, with officers, and bylaws). The main organizers are Kari Estrin from Nashville and Randy Wynne from Tampa.

SERFA's mission statement: "The Southeast Regional Folk Alliance exists to preserve, promote, develop and celebrate the diverse heritage, of roots and indigenous music, dance, storytelling and related arts of the Southeastern United States." The states involved are Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia and West Virginia.

SERFA is affiliated with The Folk Alliance. Members of an organization that is an organizational member of the Folk Alliance are (by default) members of the Folk Alliance. Friends of Florida Folk is a member organization of the Folk Alliance, as is the South Florida Folk Club and the Broward Folk Club.

Registration is \$55, which includes covering the meeting room and all meals except Saturday dinner. The meeting will take place at the Comfort Inn Conference Center, 820 E. Busch Blvd., Tampa.

This is not a showcase conference; it is a meeting to organize for future conferences. There will be opportunities for musicians to perform: at a Friday evening reception at the hotel and Saturday evening at Viva la Frida, a Mexican restaurant and gallery with an outdoor courtyard stage. WMNF will help publicize the evening event. Saturday afternoon there will be a reception at WMNF's new building which is almost ready to be moved into (they raised over \$2 million for the building, all from listeners without major corporate support).

For more information, contact Kari Estrin ([www.kariestrin.com](http://www.kariestrin.com)) at 615-262-0883 or [kari@kariestrin.com](mailto:kari@kariestrin.com). Or Randy Wynne, Program Director WMNF (Tampa) and Folk Alliance Board Member at 813-238-800.

**PERFORMANCES****THE SOUTH FLORIDA BLUEGRASS ASSOCIATION***Presents***BLUEGRASS FRIDAY***Featuring: The Bluegrass Band***Friday, January 14, 2005 - 8:00 P.M**

Another evening of great Bluegrass music in Miami's best fifties style café. Join Tim Capps, Kent Mitchell, Pat Hill and the rest of The Bluegrass Band crew. These are the people you usually see at Ives Dairy on Sundays. We've brought'em inside, air conditioned'em, extracted the little critters and kept the high energy toe tappin', foot stompin' pickn', fiddln' and singn'. Add in Alexis' good food and liquid cheer and you'll have a fine evening in this cozy place that has become a nationally known home to Bluegrass, Folk and Acoustic music. Tell your friends; everybody loves Bluegrass. Contact: 305-235-8874 or rnyberg@bellsouth.net

**Luna Star Café**, 775 NE 125<sup>th</sup> Street, N. Miami, FL tel: 305-799-7123. Requested Contribution: \$7.00 (\$6.00 Members). <http://southfloridabluegrass.org>

**CONCERTS AT THE LUNA STAR CAFÉ**

Luna Star Café presents regular acoustic concerts in North Miami, with an excellent program for this month. 777 N.W, 125 Court, North Miami, FL. Call Alexis at 305-799-7123 for details regarding the program of concerts, or see the concert schedule on the web at: <http://members.aol.com/luna13star/> Concerts start at 8:00PM and there is a usually a cover charge when there are performers. Check out Taboo Tuesdays !

**Acoustic Open Mic** – Saturday January 8<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>, Hosted by **Sarah Walker**. Sign up is from 8 to 9 pm.

**Snake Church** plays Happy Hour from 5 - 7 pm. No cover

**Peter Edwards** and **Sean Dibble** 01/13 – THURSDAY

**Gary Doles** at 8 pm... \$7 01/15 – SATURDAY, 5 - 7 pm Happy Hour with **Snake Church**

**The Kennedys** at 8 pm \$10, 01/19 - WEDNESDAY

**Anne Feeney/Paul Kamm and Eleanore MacDonald/Amy Carol Webb** at 8 pm... \$10, 01/20 - THURSDAY

**Kraig Kenning** at 8 pm. 01/21 - FRIDAY

**Zoe Lewis** at 8 pm & 10, 01/23 - SPECIAL SUNDAY NIGHT CONCERT

**Graham Wood Drout** of Iko Iko, 01/29 - 9 pm – SATURDAY, 5 - 7 pm with **Snake Church**

**MAIN STREET CAFÉ CONCERT SERIES**

128 N. Krome Avenue, Homestead. Directions: From the Florida Turnpike, exit Campbell Drive, (exit #2) also known as SW 312 Street. Turn Left onto N. Krome Avenue. FLSR 997. Please call Laurie Oudin at 305-245-7575 to make your reservations. Web site: <http://www.mainstreetcafe.net> provides additional information. Shows start at 8:00 pm, cover charge is shown. Each Thursday Main Street Café presents its Open Mic with a featured act. Each Friday the Pathfinders present an evening of enjoyable music, unless a special guest is scheduled to present. Main Street Café's '*Up-Close and Personal*' Concerts are listed as follows:

**Laura Sue**, The Silver Nightingale - Open Mic Feature, Thursday, January 6

**The Pathfinders** – Friday, Jan 7

**John William Davis**, Saturday, January 8

**Vance Gilbert**, Thursday, January 13

**Tret Fure** (Ellis opening), Friday, January 14:

**Fred Eaglesmith** (Anne Feeney opening), Tuesday, January 18

**Joe Jencks** - Open Mic Feature, Thursday, January 20

**The Kennedys** (Rachel Garlin opening), Friday, January 21

**Zoe Lewis**, Saturday 22 - Glades' Edge House Concerts productions

**Mad Agnes**, Friday, January 28

**Steve Gillette and Cindy Mangsen**, Sat. January 29:

**VILLAGE CAFÉ**

**Nick Annis & Michael Troy** - Wednesday, Jan 12

**Gary Doles** - Wednesday, January 19

The Village Cafe in Miami Shores is starting a concert series on Wednesday nights. The Village Cafe is located at 9540 NE 2nd Avenue, Miami Shores, 33138. For more information, call Curtis at 305-757-6453.

**BARBARA PLACIOS DESIGN STORE**

**John William Davis** - Friday, January 14

**Joe Jencks** - Friday, January 21

Barbara Palacios, located at 1650 Town Center Circle in Weston. For more information, contact Dana Klein at 954-923-4343 or go to the website, [www.dkmc.com](http://www.dkmc.com)

**HOLLYWOOD WOMENS CLUB****Grant Livingston & Joe Jencks** - Saturday, Jan 22

For information, contact Greg Harte at 954-929-8959.

**SINGER HOUSE CONCERT****Deirdre Flint** Sunday, January 9**Jack Williams** Saturday, January 29

Call Bob for reservations, 954-486-4040

**SARA CASE HOUSE CONCERT****Anne Feeney, Paul Kamm and Eleanore MacDonald** Monday, January 17

Suggested donation \$12 in advance, \$15 at door. Sara will provide fruit, cheese, chocolate &amp; coffee, so you do not have to bring anything. Call for reservations and directions: 954-925-2905 or sarnan2@earthlink.net

**GLADE'S EDGE HOUSE CONCERT****Kraig Kenning** Sunday, January 30:Pot luck dinner at 6:30. Reservations suggested. Artist Donation: \$15. Please email gladesedge@yahoo.com or call Dave Cambest, at 954-742-9236 for reservations. [www.geocities.com/unpluggedconcerts](http://www.geocities.com/unpluggedconcerts)**BETTY'S BACK YARD CONCERT****Steve Gillette & Cindy Mangsen** Sunday, Jan 30

The concert will begin at 6:30. Please contact Betty, 305-595-1901 or betty\_f@bellsouth.net for more information or reservations.

**NICK ANNIS** **Notes from the Road***Traveling musician and songwriter Nick Annis writes about life and musical inspiration on the road. Email him at: [nick@nickannis.com](mailto:nick@nickannis.com)*

A journey of 1000 miles begins with a single traffic jam. 95 South, DC to Florida, the worst possible direction on the worst

possible travel day, the Sunday after Thanksgiving. Just one scheduled gig, but a list of handyman/repair jobs stretch out like this line of stopped cars before me, to the limit of sight. Just one gig, but man, what a gig, the last Heart's Desire Concert, a venue level barely dreamed of 1000 days before. Susan Moss, who has



fed and watered my seedling music since an early songswap, who introduced me to Laurie Oudin at Main Street Cafe before my first open-mic there, who told me she liked my songs so much I should leave town.

In the language and symbols of Ancient Greece and of signing apes, it is the past that lies before you, the future behind you, rushing in unseen. 1000 days to Heart's Desire, the fits and starts and stops and caroms of them, stretch before me as well, strung now into a ragged circle, Susan Moss saying it's time to come back.

Traffic thins, eventually, and I make it to FL in record time (longest), and set to the punchout list of repairs. I actually enjoy fixing things, finding elegant solutions to sticky problems. It is quiet and reflective, good for writing, so different from performing, the balance of the two activities good for me. I don't have to do either exclusively, which helps me do both.

Despite my nervousness the concert goes fine, again no set list, discovering the next song along with the audience, Elizabeth in great tone. I am startled out of rhythm when the assembly begins to sing the chorus of Jesus, Inc. The hot tub after, a night in the Oz shrine, followed by the most pleasant day of doing nothing I've had in memory. Back porch talks of books and music and soccer games and performers and songs and of work, the philosophy of promoting.

Although gigs keep coming in, we have resisted promotion for awhile now, trying to focus on the missing parts of the package. I think shaping the music career is a bit like making Thanksgiving dinner. All the dishes need their individual preparations, and all need to be cooked in the right sequence, to come finished and ready at the same time. The CD, the website, the songs and performance skills, the venues played, the bio, the press kit, all need to be on the table when the venue sits down at your electronic table.

For us, for now, the list of venues played is simmering nicely on the stovetop, a new batch of songs browning to a crisp in the oven. But the press kit remains undercooked, the website is in a Tupperware bowl in the fridge, The Real CD is raw, still thawing on the counter. We do have one new LIVE collection out, Not The Real CD at a Not The Real CD price (\$10), performances from this past year with some new songs and special guests. (Chris Chandler, David Roe, Kort &amp; Beth McCumber, Ellen Bukstel, Jordan Cherkinski).

Look for it in that tupperware bowl.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Additional events not included in the main concert list are listed here. Please send information and corrections for the *Calendar of Events* to John Barker via email at john@floridamusic.org

### Saturday, January 1<sup>st</sup>

Chocolate Moose, 9118 S.R. 84 (I-595 & Pine Island Road) Davie. (954-474-5040) Open Mike, 8-12.00 pm  
Main Street Café – Live music with special guest, 305-245-7575

### Sunday, January 2<sup>nd</sup>

Open Mike at John Martins 253 Miracle Mile 305-445-3777  
Bluegrass Under the Trees, Ives Optmist Club- \$3;00 1511 NE 207 St. N. Miami Beach Tel. 954-741 5997. 1:00 to 6:00pm

### Tuesday, January 4<sup>th</sup>

Chocolate Moose, 9118 S.R. 84 (I-595 & Pine Island Road) Davie. Tel. 954-474-5040 Open Mike, 8-11 pm  
Music Industry Networking Night 7:00pm to 9:00pm, One Night Stan's, 2333 Hollywood Boulevard, Hollywood, Fl. 954-929-1566.

### Wednesday, January 5<sup>th</sup>

Chocolate Moose, 9118 S.R. 84 (I-595 & Pine Island Road) Davie. (954-474-5040) Open Mike, 8-11 pm

### Thursday, January 6<sup>th</sup>

Open Mike at Main Street Café, 128 N. Krome Avneue, Homestead.  
Backstage, 12201 NW 7th Avenue, North Miami, Tel. 305-688-5106. Acoustic Jam Session, Jomo, master Mbira-player.

### Friday, January 7<sup>th</sup>

Live Music at Main Street Café (See Concerts List for details)  
Adrian Peever & Mark Kane at Molly Blooms: 166 Sunny Isles Blvd, where 826 meets A1A (305-948-3512) 9PM to 1AM.

### Saturday, January 8<sup>th</sup>

Chocolate Moose, 9118 S.R. 84 (I-595 & Pine Island Road) Davie. (954-474-5040) Open Mike, 8-12.00 pm  
Main Street Café – Live music with special guest, 305-245-7575  
Luna Star Café, 775 NE 125 Street, North Miami, Open Mic, 305-892-8522.

### Sunday, January 9<sup>th</sup>

Open Mike at John Martins 253 Miracle Mile 305-445-3777

### Tuesday, January 11<sup>th</sup>

Chocolate Moose, 9118 S.R. 84 (I-595 & Pine Island Road) Davie. Tel. 954-474-5040 Open Mike, 8-11 pm

### Wednesday, January 12<sup>th</sup>

Chocolate Moose, 9118 S.R. 84 (I-595 & Pine Island Road) Davie. (954-474-5040) Open Mike, 8-11 pm

### Thursday, January 13<sup>th</sup>

Open Mike at Main Street Café, 128 N. Krome Avneue, Homestead.  
Backstage, 12201 NW 7th Avenue, North Miami, Tel. 305-688-5106. Acoustic Jam Session, Jomo, master Mbira-player.

### Friday, January 14<sup>th</sup>

#### BLUEGRASS FRIDAY (see page 3)

Live Music at Main Street Café (See Concerts List for details)  
Adrian Peever & Mark Kane at Molly Blooms: 166 Sunny Isles Blvd, where 826 meets A1A (305-948-3512) 9PM to 1AM.  
Broward Folk Club open mike, Webby's Neighborhood Pub & Grub, 5219 West Broward Blvd in Plantation. Tel. 954-587-2147.

### Saturday, January 15<sup>th</sup>

#### SOUTH FLORIDA FOLK FESTIVAL (see page 1)

Chocolate Moose, 9118 S.R. 84 (I-595 & Pine Island Road) Davie. (954-474-5040) Open Mike, 8-12.00 pm

Main Street Café – Live music with special guest, 305-245-7575  
Luna Star Cafe features a performance by a local or national artist, Tel. 305-892-8522.

Contra Dance at the Davie Womens Club. No partner is needed. Instruction at 7:30 p.m., dance starts at 8:00 pm. \$5.00 donation, bring a snack to share:  
[http://pages.prodigy.net/marty\\_spencer/fiddlers-grove/everglad.htm](http://pages.prodigy.net/marty_spencer/fiddlers-grove/everglad.htm) - contact Marty Spencer 954-270-9764.

Unitarian Universalist Church of South Miami. Open mike and coffee house. Mike Malone 305-662-4003

### Sunday, January 16<sup>th</sup>

#### SOUTH FLORIDA FOLK FESTIVAL (see page 1)

Open Mike at John Martins 253 Miracle Mile 305-445-3777

### Tuesday, January 18<sup>th</sup>

Chocolate Moose, 9118 S.R. 84 (I-595 & Pine Island Road) Davie. Tel. 954-474-5040 Open Mike, 8-11 pm

### Wednesday, January 19<sup>th</sup>

Chocolate Moose, 9118 S.R. 84 (I-595 & Pine Island Road) Davie. (954-474-5040) Open Mike, 8-11 pm

### Thursday, January 20<sup>th</sup>

Open Mike at Main Street Café, 128 N. Krome Avneue, Homestead.

Backstage, 12201 NW 7th Avenue, North Miami, Tel. 305-688-5106. Acoustic Jam Session, Jomo, master Mbira-player.

Cancun Mexican Grill, 1828 Harrison St., Hollywood. Songwriters Showcase 7:30 pm. Open Mike, 9:00p.m. Featured Songwriters, 954-922-8515.

### Friday, January 21<sup>st</sup>

Live Music at Main Street Café (See Concerts List for details)  
Adrian Peever & Mark Kane at Molly Blooms: 166 Sunny Isles Blvd, where 826 meets A1A (305-948-3512) 9PM to 1AM.

### Saturday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>

Chocolate Moose, 9118 S.R. 84 (I-595 & Pine Island Road) Davie. (954-474-5040) Open Mike, 8-12.00 pm  
Main Street Café – Live music with special guest, 305-245-7575  
Luna Star Cafe open mic, Tel. 305-892-8522.

### Sunday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>

Open Mike at John Martins 253 Miracle Mile 305-445-3777

### Tuesday, January 25<sup>th</sup>

Chocolate Moose, 9118 S.R. 84 (I-595 & Pine Island Road) Davie. Tel. 954-474-5040 Open Mike, 8-11 pm

### Wednesday, January 26<sup>th</sup>

Chocolate Moose, 9118 S.R. 84 (I-595 & Pine Island Road) Davie. (954-474-5040) Open Mike, 8-11 pm

### Thursday, January 27<sup>th</sup>

Open Mike at Main Street Café, 128 N. Krome Avneue, Homestead.

Backstage, 12201 NW 7th Avenue, North Miami, Tel. 305-688-5106. Acoustic Jam Session, Jomo, master Mbira-player.

### Friday, January 28<sup>th</sup>

Live Music at Main Street Café (See Concerts List for details)  
Adrian Peever & Mark Kane at Molly Blooms: 166 Sunny Isles Blvd, where 826 meets A1A (305-948-3512) 9PM to 1AM.

### Saturday, January 29<sup>th</sup>

Chocolate Moose, 9118 S.R. 84 (I-595 & Pine Island Road) Davie. (954-474-5040) Open Mike, 8-12.00 pm

Main Street Café – Live music with special guest, 305-245-7575

### Sunday, January 30<sup>th</sup>

Open Mike at John Martins 253 Miracle Mile 305-445-3777

Broward Folk Club Open House (Free). Song Swap, jam, covered dish party. Contact Janis Rubel 561-487-0253 or grubel@interpoint.net

**OPEN HOUSE & SONG SWAP**

Happy new year to all of you!

The Folk Club of South Florida will have its next open house and song swap for all those who want to combine friendship and a party with music on Sunday, January 9, 2004 from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the home of Rae Newoman, phone number: 305-595-5483 Her home is just west of US 1, just west of SW 79 Ave., and north of SW 104 St. Please RSVP. You may bring your contribution to a pot luck dinner and any musical instruments you wish to play. (You don't have to be a musician to enjoy this event! Enjoy meeting and greeting friends and friends-in-waiting).

**FCSF Internet Membership Registration**

You can now join the Folk Club of South Florida or renew your membership using our secure web site. Your credit card information is safe as we use PAYPAL for billing. Please go to our website at: <http://www.souflafolk.com/> and click on "Join us"

**CONTRA DANCES**

These are great dances with a live band. Meet new friends. All dances are taught and called. Come alone or with your best buddies. You will have a blast!

Saturday, January 22, 2005 - Key West - Solaris Hill with Rae Newman calling. Call John Kreinces, 305-294-9626, for more info and directions. 7:30-11 p.m., \$10.

Sunday, January 30, 2005 - Coconut Grove - Flying Turtles with Rae Newman calling at the Barnacle State Historic Park on Main St. across from the Grove Playhouse. 7-10 p.m. \$8. Rae 305-595-5483

**NEWS****Open Mikes**

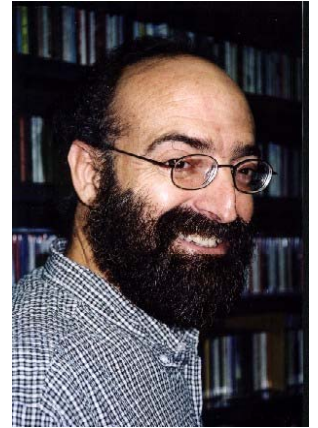
Sunday nights at John Martin's Pub and Tuesday Nights at Sax Music Bar. Both events will start at 8pm. Contact: John Brown, [gringo64@bellsouth.net](mailto:gringo64@bellsouth.net)  
**JohnMartin's** Authentic Irish Pub And Restaurant, 253 Miracle Mile, Coral Gables, FL 33134 Phone: (305) 445-3777 [www.JohnMartins.com](http://www.JohnMartins.com)

**Irish Music at the Field Pub**

Great music and great Irish food. Call 954-964-5979 for info. 3281 Griffin Road, Dania Beach, FL 33312

**MICHAEL STOCK**  
on Folk and Acoustic Music

*WLRN radio presenter, Michael Stock's monthly column about South Florida's folk and acoustic music scene. Listen to Michael's show every Sunday from 2:00 to 5:00 PM on WLRN, 91.3 MHz. Contact Michael at : 305-995-2220, or email: [mstock@wlrn.org](mailto:mstock@wlrn.org)*



Michael is on vacation this month and will continue with his monthly column in the February issue of **Folk Notes**.

**ARTS AT  
St. JOHN'S  
CHURCH**

**4760 Pine Tree Drive,  
Miami Beach**



Contact **Carol Hoffman-Guzman** for information about upcoming folk music concerts: **305-613-2325**

**The****Luna Star Cafe**

Bored with the average? Come feed your mind as well as your face. We offer fine food, exotic coffees, beers, ales, ciders, and fruit & spice beverages, along with the best in art, poetry, story-telling, folk and traditional music, blues and jazz. It's a living room atmosphere, and a place for stimulating conversation. 775 NE 125th St. - North Miami, FL - (305) 892-8522. 10am to Midnight Tue. through Thu. - Fri. and Sat. - 10am to 1am

**THE FOLK CLUB OF SOUTH FLORIDA, INC.**

**2005 NOMINEE REQUEST FOR ELECTION OF OFFICERS AND BOARD MEMBERS**

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

If you have a nominee or nominees you would like to propose, please list the names in the space provided. You can also nominate yourself for any office.

| OFFICE          | NOMINEE |
|-----------------|---------|
| President       |         |
| Vice President  |         |
| Treasurer       |         |
| Secretary       |         |
| Director        |         |
| Director        |         |
| Director        |         |
| Director        |         |
| Member-at-Large |         |
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**SUBMISSION OF NOMINEES:**

Remove this page from the *FOLK NOTES* Newsletter and complete the empty boxes by submitting the name(s) of your nominee(s). Please deliver your nominee list to Dorothy Parker by January 20<sup>th</sup>, or send your list by email:

Dorothy Parker, Secretary, 1415 Mercado, Coral Gables, Fl. 33146  
dfpemail@yahoo.com

**FOLK CLUB OF SOUTH FLORIDA**

Is a non-profit organization (501-C) and member of The North American Folk Music and Dance Alliance. We proudly support Friends of Florida Folk and the radio station WLRN in Miami, Florida.

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| President and director      | <b>Barry J. White</b> , 305-251-1960; bwtamia@bellsouth.net  |
| Vice-President and director | <b>Maria Barker</b> , 305-981-3760; maria@floridamusic.org   |
| Secretary and director      | <b>Dorothy Parker</b> , 305-663-9296; dfp_mail@yahoo.com   |
| Treasurer and director      | <b>Jane Matthews</b> , mommamatt@aol.com   |
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