

## ***HURRICANE LATE BREAKING NEWS***

### **Frances Causes Suspension of Miami Musical Events**

Miami-Dade Governments are going into a hurricane mode, and ***Discover Miami***, a production of Miami-Dade County and the City of Miami, scheduled for Sep 4 at five Greater Miami venues from 1 to 7 P.M. will be postponed until a later date. The event organizers, including the Folk Club of South Florida, will reschedule this event as soon as possible.

***Folk Notes*** will bring you an update on the revised schedule in next months edition. Check on our folk club website for the latest concert news.

The performance schedule of the ***FCSF Acoustic Underground Concert*** is uncertain at this time, please call 305-251-1960 on Saturday to verify if the concert is going ahead as planned, or will be rescheduled at a later date.

### **ACOUSTIC UNDERGROUND CONCERT SERIES PRESENTS:**

#### **Gordon Robert Maddison**

**Saturday, September 4<sup>th</sup>, 8:00pm**

When Gordon Robert Maddison left his home along the English and Scottish border, he brought with him an extraordinary understanding of the music, languages and lore of the area. And he did not leave behind the humor, wit and wisdom we associate with the very best and richest of Celtic music. Today he teaches English, and shares his knowledge with us in his off time. He brings music of the past and music of his own hand and insights into the writings of writers such as Bobby Burns in a way you will seldom, if ever experience. For over thirty years he has delighted audiences with his haunting vocals and instrumental virtuosity, performing for audiences on two continents.



Once referred to as "Roger Whittaker meets Alex Beaton on Irish coffee," Gordon's smooth vocals, combined with ever-fresh renditions of folk, Irish, Scottish, and English ballads, make him a favorite of audiences both young and old, while his original compositions (Gordon is an elected member of ASCAP, the American Society of Composers, Authors, and Publishers) move audiences from tears to laughter and back again.

His latest CD, "The Wind That Shakes The Corn," a collection of folk ballads from the British Isles, is currently going into world-wide distribution, while his next recording project, a compilation of original compositions, is currently in the works. Head here after enjoying the day at Discover Miami. It will be a perfect ending to an outstanding musical day.

#### **OPENING ACT:**

**Hope Littwin** - One of the new gals on the block but you'd be hard pressed to know it. Very polished and likely to become well known far and wide.



**Luna Star Café**, 775 NE 125<sup>th</sup> Street, N. Miami, FL

Tel: 305-799-7123. Requested Contribution: \$7.00 (\$6.00 Members).

**THE PREZ SEZ...  
Fleetwood Starbuck****Discover Miami,**By **Barry J. White**

After several months of presenting the shows at Pinecrest Gardens a slogan or theme evolved which we put onto our signs: "Music that brings us together". The fine folks at Music Fest Miami who created Discover Miami, Suzanne Mosher and Robert Rosenberg, could appropriately adopt that message. They have found a vehicle to foster cross-cultural contact through the sharing of music, food and crafts. And the result should be much more than just a day out. When you experience another ethnicity in it's element and with it's "hair down" and see it's people relaxed and enjoying and expressing themselves, they are no longer "the other"; you identify with their energy and character. Learning, from Dr. Paul George and his docents, about how each neighborhood was settled and has evolved will deepen the understanding and, hopefully, acceptance of another's essence and struggle to make a place for themselves in a new home. And such knowledge will bring us together for we are really, as it turns out, not so much a melting pot, but rather, a tossed salad. And we are learning how healthy that can be. We are so pleased to be a part of Discover Miami. Don't miss this rare opportunity to expand your own world.



We were very saddened to learn Fleetwood "Fleet" Starbuck died on August 24th. He appeared for us last March at Pinecrest Gardens. It was very clear that he was totally involved with his music. A Memorial Service will be held for Fleet on September 5<sup>th</sup>, at 60 Merrick Dr. Contact Harold Newick 305 776-4048. We have several performers in South Florida who, like Fleet, were part of the early days of music here and, in most cases, paid their dues on the road then came home to be a part of our music and lives. A 1967 Palmetto high graduate, he played with Koko Taylor, Stevie Ray Vaughn, Kim Wilson, Willy Nelson and Carolyn Hester at Kerrville. His band was billed with Ramsey Lewis, John Lee Hooker, Maynard Ferguson and Herbie Mann.

Ed Bell, WLRN host, said of Fleet: "Fleet was a kind, creative soul who always gave of himself. He donated his talents numerous times for our early WLRN Radio fundraisers performing Blues standards and his own compositions... He played the Hollywood Jazz Festivals,

the Lasso Lounge on Miami Beach (later to become Rose's), The Pronto Pub in Coconut Grove, Satchmos, Coral Gables Diner, several Coral Gables Blues Festivals and ...of course, Tobacco Road. His music conjured up dusty Texas roads seldom traveled and humid Florida swamps thick with spirits. He taught the Blues to young school kids giving them a sense of heritage of great American music. You could hear the echoes of Blues legends when Fleet played the guitar, sang and blew on his harp. He treasured those musical traditions and held them high each time he performed. We've lost a unique, irreplaceable soul in our community."

**MEMBERSHIP UPDATE**By **Dorothy Parker**, FCSF Secretary

So, how many members does the Folk Club of South Florida have? As of this month, there are 80 individuals or families that have paid their membership dues this year. And we thank you for your support! Currently the newsletter is mailed to 130 households, so that means that there are 50 members who haven't yet paid yet for this year. We hope that you will do so soon. Instructions for how to pay and the different levels of membership are found on the back page.

NEW THIS YEAR... You can also pay by credit card online at the folk club's web page using Pay Pal (<http://www.souflafolk.com>).

The Board of Directors recently decided to change the due date for each person or family's membership. Instead of the membership year beginning each February, and having to deal with partial payments or prorated memberships, dues can now be paid at any time during the year, and will be valid for one year from that month. If you pay in September 2004, your membership will be covered through September 2005.

To remind you of when your year is up, the mailing label of the newsletter has an extra line that indicates your membership renewal date. Please check your label to make sure it is correct. Beginning next year (2005), we will include an insert in the newsletter for those members who's dues can be renewed during that month.

We hope you will continue to support the Folk Club of South Florida and its exciting activities. Also, please tell your friends and help increase our membership. Feel free to contact any of the Board members with ideas you might have for events. Being a member is not just paying dues – we welcome your ideas, your volunteerism, and your enthusiasm.

**OPEN HOUSE & SONG SWAP**

The Folk Club of South Florida will have its next open house and song swap on Sunday, September 12<sup>th</sup>, from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. for all those who want to combine friendship and a party with music. The song swap will be at the home of Nellie Lee, South West Miami.

Please RSVP Nellie at 305-279-8100 for the address and directions. 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! Come and enjoy meeting and greeting friends.

Thank you to all of you who have hosted our open houses and song swaps. You have helped to create a stronger folk community and lasting friendships.

**PERFORMANCES****BLUEGRASS FRIDAY *Featuring:*****Southern Shores**

**Friday, September 10<sup>th</sup> - 8:00 P.M.** Presented by  
THE SOUTH FLORIDA BLUEGRASS ASSOCIATION

Time flies. This will be the third Bluegrass Friday at Luna Star Café and going strong. The most obvious conclusion we can draw so far is that there is no end to the fine Bluegrass groups and talent in South Florida. Tonight Southern Shores will take the stage and pack the house again. This cozy room seems just right when filled with our music and people and when they are filled with Alexis' and Karla's fine food, liquid refreshment and good cheer. Please join us.

The Bluegrass Association is pleased to be able to share their music and this setting with members and non-members. 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://www.geocities.com/purdyville/lunastar.htm> Concerts start

at 8:00PM and there is a usually a cover charge for performers.

**Acoustic Open Mic** – Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>, Hosted by **Sarah Walker**. Sign up is from 8 to 9 pm. **Snake Church** plays Happy Hour from 5 - 7 pm. TOGA! TOGA! TOGA! on September 25<sup>th</sup>, we are having our second annual toga party, in celebration of Alexis' birthday and of Luna Star's 8<sup>th</sup> anniversary. Compose a Luna Star song and bring it in! If you were at last years toga party, you know that everyone wore them. So don't chicken out, come on in early and we will help you to artfully apply your favorite bedsheets.

**Sarah Walker** – Thursday, 2<sup>nd</sup>, \$5

**Friction Farm** – Friday, 3<sup>rd</sup>, \$5

**Gordon Robert Maddison** - Saturday 4<sup>th</sup>, Acoustic Underground, **Snake Church** plays Happy Hour from 5 - 7 pm.

**Terry Alice** – Thursday 9<sup>th</sup>, \$5 A very down-to-earth, intimate and humble musician & artist. Her music is socially conscious alternative/edgy acoustic.

**Southern Shores** – Friday 10<sup>th</sup>, Bluegrass Friday

**OuttaTheBlue** – Friday 17<sup>th</sup>, performs during North Miami's Monthly Art Walk. Acoustic folk rock band. No cover.

**Valerie Wisecracker** – Saturday 18<sup>th</sup>

**Karma** – Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> \$5

**Matthew Sabatella** – Friday 24<sup>th</sup>, \$6

**Dave Hunt** – Thursday 30<sup>th</sup>

**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:

**Open Mic and featured act**, every Thursday (free)

**CLOSED** due to hurricane Frances – Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup>,  
Friday 3<sup>rd</sup>, Saturday 4<sup>th</sup>

**Main St. Mystery Tour** featured act. Open-Mic  
Night and - Thursday 9<sup>th</sup>

**Pathfinders** & Special Guest - Friday 10<sup>th</sup>

**Michael DeLalla & Debra Cowan** - Saturday  
11<sup>th</sup>

**Bob Ingram** featured act, Open-Mic Night -  
Thursday 16<sup>th</sup>

**Amy Carol Webb** CD launch party (Rescheduled  
from the 4th) - Friday 17<sup>th</sup>

**Been There Done That** - Saturday 18<sup>th</sup>

**Ross Harris** featured act,  
Open-Mic Night - Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup>

**Chris Proctor** - Friday 24<sup>th</sup>

**Pathfinders** & Special  
Guest - Saturday 25<sup>th</sup>

**Tracy Grammer** -  
Thursday 30<sup>th</sup>



## ANNUAL LABOR DAY WEEKEND GALA SWAMP WALKS

*Presents:*

**Valerie C. Wisecracker & Cindy Hackney**  
September 4 - 6, 2004

Valerie C. Wisecracker performs at one of her favorite events of the year. Come join Clyde, Niki and their gang to celebrate the environment this Labor Day Weekend (weather permitting) They will have a special exhibit, food, and of course swamp walks.



The swamp walks fill up very fast! To register for the walks go to the Web link below -

<http://www.clydebutcher.com/>

**Clyde and Niki Butcher's** Big Cypress Gallery Annual Labor Day Weekend Gala Tel: (239) 695-2428

## SUNRISE CIVIC CENTER Folk and Blues Series

**MAD AGNES** Friday, September 10<sup>th</sup>, 8 p.m.

This timeless trio offers seductive vocal harmonies alongside spellbinding musicianship on acoustic, electric, slide and bass guitars, and keyboards. The result? A hybrid of sumptuous original songs and haunting traditionals that blend folk, pop and Celtic influences that is a feast for the ears!

Call the box office for seating info at 954-747-4646. Tickets \$10. Cash or check only.

## GLADE'S EDGE HOUSE CONCERTS

### New Last Rights

Sunday, September 26<sup>th</sup>, 7:30 PM

Pot luck dinner at 6:30. Reservations suggested. Artist Donation: \$10. Please email [gladesedge@yahoo.com](mailto:gladesedge@yahoo.com) or call Dave Cambest, at 954-742-9236 for reservations. [www.geocities.com/unpluggedconcerts](http://www.geocities.com/unpluggedconcerts)

## BOUMEL HOUSE CONCERT

### Michael DeLalla & Debra Cowan

Sunday, September 12, 7 PM

Home of Arlene and Robert Boumel, Coral Springs, Florida. Pot luck @ 6PM. Artist Donation: \$10. For reservations and address/directions, call: 954-341-0086 or email: [kol\\_isha@hotmail.com](mailto:kol_isha@hotmail.com)

## NEWS

### Grant Livingston

Call: 305-444-1230 - <http://www.grantlivington.com> for information about Grants gigs.

### Rod MacDonald

Call 561-278-2653 for Rod's gigs this month or see his website: <http://www.rodmacdonald.net>

### 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 Phone: (305) 445-3777

### Irish Music at the Fields Pub

Recommended for great music. Call 954-964-5979 for info. 3281 Griffin Road, Dania Beach, FL 33312

**NICK ANNIS**

*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). Nick's website is: [www.nickannis.com](http://www.nickannis.com)*

95 to 295 to the New Jersey Turnpike, heading back towards Morristown on these roads that Mapquest so succinctly describes as (some portions toll). Elizabeth's vacation is over, and I drop her at BWI on my way north to tape for "Horses Sing None Of It", a folk cable TV show distributed in Jersey, NY, PA and California.

About as full a month as I could have wished for, 2500 miles so far, most with Elizabeth, from Falcon Ridge to The Minstrel Coffeehouse, with a nice three day open mic swing that saw us at Eddie's Attic, The Grey Eagle, and The Evening Muse.

At The Minstrel Coffeehouse I fought my own awe and over-preparations. Headlining at a venue that has hosted Richard Shindell, Michael Smith, Lucy Kaplansky and Gamble Rogers had me so gnawing and nitpicking the set list that I forgot how that list is but a guide made for an imagined audience. Exchanging that imaginary group for the real people in front of you is the art form of connection.

There's this old saw about how to paint a perfect picture. Step one, make yourself perfect. Step two, paint naturally. If it's not live and real, it might just as well be a recording.

Three songs into the set we adjust and play "When I Go". The stragglers hanging at the edges come in closer. We're in Carter country, and I with as fine a fiddler as I could wish for at my side. The imaginary group is gone, replaced, set list face down by my feet.

A producer for the "Horses" show was in the Minstrel crowd and offered the spot, so six days later I'm in a studio that has taped Jack Williams, Christine Lavin and Eric Schwartz.

Okay, it has also taped C.T. Tucker and his obedience prize-winning pig. But it's a rare show that does not spawn another gig or show a needed lesson. The BOT at Falcon Ridge leads to a November house concert. An open mic at Jammin Java where we meet Chris Chandler. The Heart's Desire final concert woven from the stranded threads of a song swap three years ago.

**Notes from the Road**

I can't tell whether these internal ramblings are a result of the touring or if the places and folks visited are but a reflection of some inner mileage, a movement on some spiritual odometer. Some currency of awareness is being gathered, and as always, (some portions toll).

**FOLK CRUISE REPORT**

By **Linda Singer**

From July 18th through July 30th, superb folk musicians and frequent South Florida performers Steve Gillette, Cindy Mangsen, and Jack Williams, and 59 of their fans, including our Folk Club members Betty Friedrichsen, Dave Skinner, and I, toured Alaska. We departed from Vancouver on our 1-week cruise. Our musicians performed in two private concerts aboard the MS Statendam. They diligently held song-writing workshops and tried to give us as much value as they could. And we learned that Jack Williams is as passionate about bird-watching as he is about music.



Imagine my surprise on our first night of the cruise when I met the famous Darcy, sister of Steve Gillette, whom Steve **eulogized** in his song "Darcy Farrow." After learning that his song was fictitious, Darcy and her other sister, Karen, and I became friends and yoga buddies. Karen good-naturedly kidded Steve Gillette about not having written a song about her. Their father, who played piano beautifully for us, and step-mother also traveled with us.

We got to know and become fond of many of the other people in our group through nightly dining together, private cocktail receptions, frequent song swaps, and excursions.

From Seward to Fairbanks, we traveled the land by bus and glass domed two story trains through vast wilderness. We rode 50 miles into Denali National Park, visited the tiny town of Talkeetna (upon which the fictional town of Sicily in the old TV quirky comedy of "Northern Exposure" was based), and visited Anchorage and Fairbanks.

My favorite musical memory took place while I was sitting on the floor of the lobby of our Fairbanks hotel the last night of the trip at a song swap with Steve, Cindy, Jack and many of our group members. Cindy Mangsen, seated next to me, sang a sweet, dulcet tune while accompanying herself on the concertina. That was heaven!

## 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

### Wednesday, September 1<sup>st</sup>

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

### Thursday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>

Open Mike at Main Street Café, Tel: 305-245-7575  
Backstage, 12201 NW 7th Avenue, North Miami, Tel. 305-688-5106. Acoustic Jam Session, Jomo, master Mbira-player.

### Friday, September 3<sup>rd</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, September 4<sup>th</sup>

DISCOVER MIAMI POSTPONED – SEE PAGE 1  
ACOUSTIC UNDERGROUND CONCERT – 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

### Sunday, September 5<sup>th</sup>

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

### Monday, September 6<sup>th</sup>

Labor Day

### Tuesday, September 7<sup>th</sup>

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

### Wednesday, September 8<sup>th</sup>

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

### Thursday, September 9<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, September 10<sup>th</sup>

BLUEGRASS FRIDAY – SEE PAGE 3  
Broward Folk Club open mike, Webby's Neighborhood Pub & Grub, 5219 West Broward Blvd in Plantation. Tel. 954-587-2147.  
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, September 11<sup>th</sup>

Luna Star Café, 775 NE 125 Street, North Miami, Open Mic, 305-892-8522.  
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, September 12<sup>th</sup>

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

### Tuesday, September 14<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, September 15<sup>th</sup>

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

### Thursday, September 16<sup>th</sup>

Cancun Mexican Grill, 1828 Harrison St., Hollywood. Songwriters Showcase 7:30 pm. Open Mike, 9:00p.m. Featured Songwriters, 954-922-8515.  
Open Mike at Main Street Café, 305-245-7575.

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

### Friday, September 17<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, September 18<sup>th</sup>

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

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, September 19<sup>th</sup>

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

### Tuesday, September 21<sup>st</sup>

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

### Wednesday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>

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

### Thursday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>

Open Mike at Main Street Café, 305-245-7575.  
Backstage, 12201 NW 7th Avenue, North Miami, Tel. 305-688-5106. Acoustic Jam Session, Jomo, master Mbira-player.

### Friday, September 24<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, September 25<sup>th</sup>

Luna Star Cafe open mic, Tel. 305-892-8522.  
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, September 26<sup>th</sup>

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

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

### Tuesday, September 28<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, September 29<sup>th</sup>

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

### Thursday, September 30<sup>th</sup>

Open Mike at Main Street Café, 305-245-7575.  
Backstage, 12201 NW 7th Avenue, North Miami, Tel. 305-688-5106. Acoustic Jam Session, Jomo, master Mbira-player.

## 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 1:00 to 4:00 PM on WLRN, 91.3 MHz. Contact Michael at : 305-995-2220, or email: mstock@wlrn.org*



Folk Music is finally getting some respect here in south Florida. No, I did not get an invite to the MTV awards show held here in Miami last month, but I did get invited to a Deco Drive Party! (For those not in the know, well, you are better off). I don't get many invites to, shall we call them, socialite gatherings, but if they want a representative of our great folk club, I'll put up with the free food and drink (am I projecting?). The South Florida Folk Club has maintained a high profile in promoting so many positive community events, I promise not to let you down - I will keep my trips to the buffet at a minimum. A lot of great music coming to town in September so I have a pretty good idea what is happening on my show.

September 5<sup>th</sup>, Labor day always offers a great opportunity to play political folk music, and Woody Guthrie and Pete Seeger are champions of it. Even though the pro-labor movement brought an 8-hour workday, minimum wage and child-labor laws to our enlightened country, union members were blackballed and killed. The Man is still exploiting and we are still trying to get it right. Also, a recent south Florida discovery, Terry Alice. She will sing and give us a protesters point of view of the Republican Nation Convention last week in New York.

September 12<sup>th</sup>, Debra Cowan and Michael Delalla. Debra is from Massachusetts and comes with a strong history of traditional music. Plus, Arlene Brunell, who I do not know but comes highly recommended.

September 19<sup>th</sup>, this will be a taped show, I am on vacation. John Carter Cash has produced a CD tribute to his famous grandparents, The Carter Family. I will talk to John about the tribute and the Carter's musical legacy. A Cuban Music documentary, produced by Bob Stone and The Florida Folklife Program. Bob was a force in folk music here in south Florida till he moved to Gainesville in 1989. He now is a force there. Also guitarist Robert Lussan, a recent south Florida resident who worked in LA as a musician.

September 26<sup>th</sup>, A Political state of mind with Dave Thornburgh. In honor of the presidential debate here in Miami, we'll have a survey of what the National politicians have to look out for from folksingers. Dave has organized some politically charged, but not too charged or I will get in trouble, music. And finally, I will have Ross Harris from Scotland on the program.

## ON THE WEB

### 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"

### Internet Event Listing

*GotFolk Calendar of Events,*

<http://gotfolk.cus.com/calendar/calendar.pl>

### House Concert Websites

Glades Edge: <http://www.geocities.com/gladesedge/>  
 Hearts Desire: <http://www.heartsdesireconcerts.com/>  
 Singers: <http://www.singerfolkmusic.com/>  
 Barkers: <http://www.floridamusic.org>

## 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**

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## Luna Star Cafe



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- **ACOUSTIC UNDERGROUND AT LUNA STAR CAFE, Saturday, Sept. 4<sup>th</sup> (check if schedule changed)**
- **BLUEGRASS FRIDAY, Friday, September 10<sup>th</sup>**
- **DISCOVER MIAMI, Postponed due to hurricane Frances**
- **FOLK AND ACOUSTIC MUSIC WITH MICHAEL STOCK, SUNDAYS 1:00 - 4:00 PM, WLRN 91.3 MHz**