

## **Heartland Dulcimer Club Newsletter**

**January 22, 2010**

The club met last on Jan. 18, 2010.

Welcome new member, Jeri Oakes. Jeri is from E'town and is taking lessons from Lorinda.

Dues are \$10 for the year and are payable to Heartland Dulcimer Club. You may pay at the next meeting or mail your dues to Martha Richard at 11664 Boston Road, Boston, KY 40107.

A Festival Meeting is scheduled for Feb. 1 at 5:30. This is a regular meeting night. The festival will be at the State Theater this year and we will need more helpers since we can have vendors and several classes. If you can help, please plan to attend this meeting.

Martha gave a report on the club credit card. This is needed to simplify payment for the website.

Dave gave a report on the possible purchase of individual microphones. No action taken.

Suzette will take the CD's from Dave and store them until Becky Bowling gets settled in her new home. She will take them then.

A great deal of time was spent learning a new song, "Jesus, Jesus Rest Your Head", which is planned for the Christmas CD. Go to Lorinda's website home page, scroll down, and on the left side, you will see a box for free downloads.

Just click on mountain dulcimer, it will take you to a list of songs, and click on .pdf to view and print the song. The reason for no tab in part of the song is because part of the song is to be

singing with the harps. If you didn't have the song for the meeting, please try to print it for next time. Lorinda's website is: [www.lorindajones.com](http://www.lorindajones.com)

## **Play Dates –**

Still no firm action taken on the wedding on July 17<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m. at Horse Cave Baptist Church. Still awaiting further information before confirming.

**CANCELLATION:** The playdate for Sat. Jan. 30 at the History Museum is cancelled. The spots were all filled before we were able to confirm that we would be able to play, so mark that off your calendars.

### *Other Items of Interest*

#### **Dulcibrrr 2010 at Rough River Dam State Resort Park**

On February 5th - 7th we host a Dulcimer Weekend, called Dulcibrrr 2010. It begins with a concert on Friday Night and then they have lessons/workshops, and jam sessions on Saturday, then another concert on Saturday night. The park offers a package of \$225 per couple for the two nights lodging, 3 meals (Sat. & Sun. breakfast, and Saturday evening dinner) and admission to all the activities and concerts. Or we sell individual tickets for each dulcimer event for \$6 a person. If you'd like to make reservations, call the Park at 1-800-325-1713 or 270-257-2311.

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**Winter Jam Camp Registration Now Open.** February 5th-7<sup>th</sup>, 2010 at Mt. Wesley Conference Center in Kerrville , Texas. The Camp schedule, faculty line up, and registration materials are available at [www.hcamp.org](http://www.hcamp.org). Questions can be directed to R. B. Miller at 830-459-2120.

### **NINTH ANNUAL LAGNIAPPE DULCIMER FETE**

COMMUNITY CENTER/WEST BATON ROUGE MUSEUM

PORT ALLEN, LOUISIANA 70767

MARCH 11-14 2010

MARK YOUR CALENDARS EARLY!!!

FOR UP-TO-DATE INFORMATION VISIT OUR WEB SITE AT

[WWW.LAGNIAPPEDULCIMER.ORG](http://WWW.LAGNIAPPEDULCIMER.ORG)

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**Dulcimerville at the beautiful YMCA Blue Ridge Assembly, Black Mountain, N C  
Mon., June 7 - Sat., June 12, 2010**

<http://Dulcimerville.com> for more information

**Mountain Dulcimer Week, Shenandoah University, July 11-16, 2010**

Dear Friends,

Madeline MacNeil and I are co-directors of the Annual Dulcimer Week in the Shenandoah Valley, which will be held at Shenandoah University, Winchester, VA, Sunday, July 11 – Friday, July 16, 2010. The event is now in its fourth year, and has attracted a wonderful group of dulcimer friends. We would like you to join us!

**Week-Long Level Courses:**

BEGINNERS: Madeline MacNeil

ADVANCED BEGINNER/INTERMEDIATE: Aaron O'Rourke

INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED: Nina Zanetti, 2009 National Dulcimer Champion

TRADITIONS: In Search Of Lost History and Rare Songs: Ralph Lee Smith, Co-Author, Folk Songs of Old Virginia

**Special Workshop:**

THE DULCIMER IN THE COMMUNITY. The dulcimer goes to school & camp; to adult care facilities; to meetings. CarolLynn Langley.

**Special Concert:**

The Mill Run Dulcimer Band of Virginia. You'll love them! Don't forget to ask them to play, "Are There Any Chickens in Heaven?"

**Indispensable Facilitator:**

Ken Longfield.

Workshop costs are moderate. Last year, registration fee was \$340, cafeteria meals \$95, housing, varied for dormitory room or discounted nearby motels. This year's costs will be available soon.

Dr. R. T. Good, Director of the University's Center for Lifelong Learning, is currently in India, arranging exchange programs, and Jo Miller, the University's coordinator for Dulcimer Week, is on leave. As a result, there is a slight delay in finalizing arrangements, getting information up on the University's website, and printing a brochure. I will post registration fee and housing costs on this listserv as soon as I have them. If you want to receive a brochure, just reply to this email

with your snail mail address and you will get one. You can also request one by calling Jo Miller's number at the University, 540-665-5542, or emailing her, [jmille3@su.edu](mailto:jmille3@su.edu) Her phone and email are being tended.

I'm not telling about the chickens. You have to come and find out for yourself!

**This is all for now. Enjoy Saturday!! Suzette**