

## Accordion Events Calendar

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### **NORTHWEST ACCORDION SOCIETY SOCIALS SEATTLE, WA**

2<sup>nd</sup> Monday monthly: April 12, May 10, June 14 Senior Center of West Seattle, 4217 Oregon St. Seattle, WA 98116 Contact: Jim Tobler 425-745-4872 or Bonnie Birch 206-622-4786. Social hour 6:30 PM. Music 7:30 PM – 9:30 PM.

### **NORTHWEST ACCORDION SOCIETY SOCIALS TACOMA, WA**

2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday monthly: April 8, May 13, June 10. Lutheran Church 121<sup>st</sup> & Park Ave. across from PLU Library  
7:00 – 9:30 PM contact: Dick Myking 253-537-0136

### **NORTHWEST ACCORDION SOCIETY SOCIALS FOREST GROVE, OR**

4<sup>th</sup> Sundays April and October. Forest Grove Community Center, 2037 Douglas St. Forest Grove, OR. 1:30 PM – 5:00 PM. Contact: Doris Osgood 503-357-0417. dorisosgood@verizon.net April 25, October 24, 2010

### **ACCORDION CLUB OF CENTRAL OREGON BEND, OR**

2<sup>ND</sup> Saturday Monthly, 1:30 PM Cougar Springs Senior Living Facility Redmond, OR Contacts: Terry Ranstad, homes@mountainhighhomes.com or Karl Kment, kgkment@aol.com

### **ACCORDION JAM IN SANDY SANDY, OR**

4<sup>th</sup> Saturday monthly noon – 4 PM meet at Shorty's Corner Café 2 miles East of Sandy, OR on Hwy 26. Bring accordion, music, stand, and snack to share. Coffee provided. All players welcome. Contact Andy Jorgensen 503-668-3917 or 503-975-2380.

### **ACCORDION CLUB OF ROSEBURG ROSEBURG, OR**

3<sup>rd</sup> Monday monthly 6:30 PM Green Community Church 3777 Carnes Rd. Roseburg, OR 97470  
Pres. Lavonne Knapp 327 Bailey Dr. Roseburg, OR 97471 541-784-3574

### **ACCORDION CLUB OF VANCOUVER VANCOUVER, B.C.**

www.meetup.com/Accordion-Club-of-Vancouver  
contact: Haike Kingma, haike@telus.net

### **ACCORDION INTERNATIONAL MUSIC SOCIETY SANTA BARBARA, CA**

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday monthly 1 – 3 PM Vale Verde Retirement Theatre 900 Calle de los Amigos, Santa Barbara, CA AIMS P.O. Box 4511 Santa Barbara, CA 93140  
Info: Heinz Trick 805-685-2260

www.santabarbaraaccordions.com

### **BILLINGS AREA ACCORDION CLUB BILLINGS, MONTANA**

4<sup>TH</sup> Saturday monthly Elks Club Lewis Ave, Billings  
organizer: Leland Cade 406-656-3722

### **BROOKINGS ACCORDION CLUB BROOKINGS, OR**

4th Sat. monthly 2-4 PM, Evergreen Federal S&L, 850 Chetco Ave. Brookings, OR, Pres. Cami Meccia 541-469-8079

### **EMERALD VALLEY ACCORDION CLUB EUGENE, OR**

1<sup>st</sup> Monday monthly: 7:00 – 9:30 PM Veterans' Memorial Bldg. 1626 Willamette St. Secretary Linda Gunn 541-726-6330 cordiagunn@gmail.com V.P. Lou Marzano  
Social time 6 PM, business 6:45 PM

### **FAIRBANKS ACCORDION CLUB FAIRBANKS, AK**

Mondays weekly 6 – 8 PM Pioneers Home, open to all free reed instruments. Contact: Christine Upton 907-457-3392

### **FIVE VALLEY ACCORDION ASSOCIATION MONTANA**

April 11 Eagles, Hamilton  
May 9 Jokers Wild, Missoula  
May 23 Eagles, Hamilton  
May 28/30 Joint with NW Acc. Assoc, in Lone Pine  
5VAA Jams are 1- 5 Pm  
Bill Kindzerski Pres. 363-3680  
five\_valley\_accordion\_news@live.com

### **Montana – NW Accordion Association**

Contact Ralph Salomon 675-0178  
all NWAA Jams 2 – 6 PM

### **Montana – Great Falls Accordion Players**

Contact Pat Sharp for info: 406-452-4546

### **HUGO'S ACCORDION BAND MT. VERNON, WA**

2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Monday monthly 6:00- 9:00 PM  
Pres. Lois Yale 360-766-8713 lobo@fidalgo.net  
9247 Marshall Rd. Bow, WA 98232

### **HOUSTON BAY AREA ACCORDION CLUB HOUSTON, TX**

2<sup>ND</sup> Wednesday monthly 5 – 9 PM Joe Brikha, Pres  
JoeBrikha@gmail.com www.bayareaaccordionclub.com

### **MEDFORD ACCORDION CLUB MEDFORD, OR**

4<sup>th</sup> Monday monthly 7 - 9 PM: Central Point Senior Center 123 N. 2nd St, Central Point, OR Jeannette Dewey, Pres. 1029 SE Rogue Dr. Grants Pass, OR 97526  
541-471-7455

### **OKANAGAN ACCORDION CLUB KELOWNA, BC**

Tuesdays weekly Sept. – May, Senior Center on Richter  
Info contact: Rod Miller 250-317-9088

**PORTLAND ACCORDION ENSEMBLE  
PORTLAND, OR**

3rd Monday monthly. 6 – 8 PM., 4331 NE Tillamook,  
Portland, OR 97213. Phone/Fax 503-284-6586.

**ROGUE RIVER ACCORDION CLUB  
GRANTS PASS, OR**

1st and 3rd Wednesdays monthly. 7 PM Highland  
Heights Estates Club House 203 NW Creekside Dr.  
Grants Pass, OR Pres. Richard Gyura 13856 Weowna  
Way, Sams Valley, OR 97503 541-826-7411  
Richard@alpacaontheweb.com

**ROSE CITY ACCORDION CLUB  
PORTLAND, OR**

3rd Saturday monthly. 1 – 5 PM Milwaukie Public Safety  
Bldg, SE 32nd & Harrison, Milwaukie, OR.  
\* no meeting in September. Pres Steve Knapke 503-  
521-9140 email: squeezebox11@verizon.net  
www.rosecityaccordionclub.org www.rcac.us

**SEQUIM ACCORDION SOCIAL  
SEQUIM, WA**

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday, Odd numbered months, 1 PM Sequim Senior  
Center contact: Jeannie Berg- jeannieberg@yahoo.com

**SILVER STATE ACCORDIONS  
RENO, NV**

1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday monthly Pierino's Italian Restaurant  
Reservations required month in advance.  
Contact: Diane McIntyre, bruce-diane@sbcglobal.net

**SPOKANE ACCORDION ENSEMBLE  
SPOKANE, WA**

weekly rehearsals 6- 9 PM Helen Eldenburg, Pres. 509-  
448-1899, Patricia Bartell, director 509-998-5422  
420patricia@gmail.com

**SPOKANE AND INLAND NORTHWEST ACC. CLUB  
SPOKANE, WA**

Newly formed. Meeting site: 3<sup>rd</sup> and Maple in Spokane,  
at the Global Credit Union. Jam 5:30, meeting 6 PM  
November 23. Contact: Griff Bryan Ziegler,  
griffbz@roadrunner.com , 208-457-1775

**TUALATIN VALLEY ACCORDIONISTS  
FOREST GROVE, OR**

1<sup>st</sup> Sat. monthly 10 AM – 1 PM Forest Grove Library  
Pacific Ave. Contact: Paul and Judy Bria 503-591-0504  
pjbria@aol.com

**VICTORIA ACCORDION CLUB  
VICTORIA, B.C. CANADA**

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday Monthly 2:30 PM, Victoria Edelweiss Club  
108 Niagra St., James Bay District Victoria, BC  
Contact: John 250-386-7282 or 250-477-3098

**DAY OF THE ACCORDION FEBRUARY 28, 2010**

**SEATTLE, WA – CENTER HOUSE, SEATTLE CENTER  
Entertainment, dancing, rising star performances  
11 AM – 5 PM**

**WORLD PREMIER CONCERT – MURL ALLEN  
SANDERS' "She Blows Hot and Cold" May 2  
7 PM 1<sup>st</sup> Free Methodist Church 3200 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave. N  
Seattle, WA**

**LEAVENWORTH INTERNATIONAL ACCORDION  
CELEBRATION June 17 - 20, 2010 Leavenworth,  
WA. Info: www.nwasnews.com**

**ACCORDIONS BY THE SEA  
Victoria, British Columbia July 15 - 18, 2010  
Competition, Concerts, Workshops  
www.accordionsbythesea.com 250-884-4595**

**PETER and MADY SOAVE IN SPOKANE, WA  
April 2 – 3 for workshops and lessons.  
Concert April 4 at Music City in Spokane Hosted by  
Patricia Bartell and her students**

**CRUISE AND INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION  
APRIL 17 – 24, 2010 with Frank Marocco**

**SPECIAL BENEFIT DANCE MAY 23, 2010  
BILLINGS, MT Moose Lodge 1 – 5 PM to benefit 7  
yr. old Kenna Emmons of Broadus, MT**

**SPOKANE ACCORDION ENSEMBLE IN CONCERT  
May 4, 2010. "Movie Themes". Bing Crosby  
Theatre – aka Metropolitan Performing Arts  
Center. 7 PM**

**RCAC ACCORDION CAMP- SILVER FALLS  
CONFERENCE CENTER June 6 - 11, 2010 near  
Sublimity, OR. Camp treasurer: Marlene Meissner 503-  
463-9909 marlenem26@msn.com**

**GARY BLAIR SR. AND GARY BLAIR JR. IN  
SPOKANE, WA JUNE 23, 2010 Workshops and  
Concert. Hosted by Patricia Bartell and her students.**

**PEDONE-BALLARINI ACCORDION CLINIC AND  
CRUISE TO ALASKA**

Departs July 17, 2010 from Seattle  
Contact: ballarini@sbcglobal.net info:  
www.accordionartistry.com/services\_cruises.htm

**70<sup>th</sup> Annual ATG Festival  
July 21 – 25, 2010 Santa Clara, CA  
www.accordion.com/atg also check  
www.nwasnews.com for competition details**

**ACCORDION EXTRAVAGANZA FESTIVAL  
EDMONTON, ALBERTA CANADA September, 2010  
www.gerl.ca/accordion/ email: accordion@gerl.ca**

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International Accordion Convention  
http://accordioninfo.com/convention/ 1-800-472-1695  
lasvegas@accordioninfo.com**