

**Dutch Barn**  
AREA 8

2:00-2:45  
**Rev. Robert B. Jones, Sr.**  
Performance

3:00-3:45  
**From China to Appalachia**  
Performance

4:00-6:00  
**Open Mic**  
MC: Kate Blain  
"Where the applause will be for you"

# Friday, June 27, 2025

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**Learn How**  
AREA 5

2:00-3:00  
**Beginner Hammered Dulcimer**  
with Dan Duggan  
Instruments available to play!

3:15-4:15  
**Blues Guitar by the Book**  
with Roy Book Binder

4:30-5:30  
**Mountain Dulcimer**  
with Sally Rogers

**Sheep Barn**  
AREA 6

2:00-2:45  
**Beppe Gambetta**  
Performance

3:00-4:00  
**Songwriting**  
with Claudia Schmidt

4:15-5:00  
**Liam Purcell & Cane Mill Road**  
Performance

5:15-6:00  
**Hubby Jenkins**  
Performance

**Main Stage**  
AREA 1

3:30-4:15  
**Christine Tassan & les Imposteures**  
Performance

4:30-5:15  
**Keith Murphy & Anand Nayak**  
Performance

**1890 Building**  
AREA 2

3:00-4:30  
**The Great Groove Band Rehearsal**  
(ages 5-18) See Program book for details.

4:00-5:30  
**West African Drum Circle**  
John Dickson & Moose Fichtner  
Bring your own drum or borrow one at the session

**Family Stage**  
AREA 3

3:00-3:45  
**Klezmer Tunes**  
Lisa Gutkin  
Lorin Sklamberg  
(for all instruments & all levels)

4:00-4:45  
**Chantey Workshop**  
with Sean Dagher

4:15-5:30  
**Open Jam**  
with Howard Blumenthal

**Dance Building**  
AREA 4

3:00-3:45  
**Appalachian Flatfooting**  
with Simon Chrisman & Nic Gareiss (all levels)

4:00-5:45  
**Community Barn Dance Social**  
George Wilson & Jim Mead  
with caller Paul Rosenberg

**Grandstand**

**Street Corner**  
AREA 9

## Dinner Break

**Hands-On!**  
AREA 11

Dirty Blue Shirts

4:00-4:30  
**Rope Making**

4:30-5:30  
**Maritime Skills**  
learn canvas-work, ropework, netting, knotting, knitting, chantey singing & more!

5:30-6:00  
**Rope Making**

**Evening**  
**6:30 pm**

**Main Stage Concert with Mc Dan Berggren**  
 Andy Cohen • Sean Dagher • Simon Chrisman & Nic Gareiss • Sally Rogers & Howie Bursen •  
 Rev. Robert B. Jones, Sr. • Keith Murphy & the Band of Amber • Alasdair Fraser •  
 Reggie Harris & Pat Wictor • From China to Appalachia: Cathy Fink, Marcy Marxer & Chao Tian

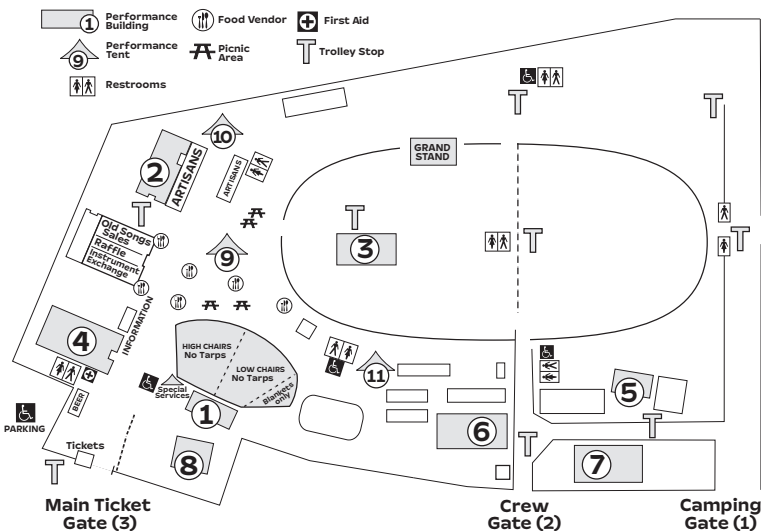
**Dutch Barn**  
8:30-9:00 pm  
**Shabbat Gathering**  
(during intermission)  
All are Welcome!

**Late Night**  
**11:00 pm**

11:00 pm-1:00 am  
**Late Night Contra Dance**  
Sycamore with caller Alexandra Deis-Lauby

**Dutch Barn**  
11:00 pm-1:00 am  
**Late Night Sing**  
with Cate Clifford

**Sheep Barn**  
11:00 pm-1:00 am  
**Jazz & Swing Jam**  
Christine Tassan & les Imposteures



### Information Booth

Has answers to your festival questions.

### Emergencies:

Go directly to the Information Booth or inform the nearest Festival crew member wearing an Old Songs Festival name tag.

### Lost Children:

If you become separated from your child, go to the Information Booth.

### Lost & Found:

All lost articles will be brought to the Information Booth. If you find an article, turn it in to information. All found items will be exhibited for claim at the Sunday Concert. Otherwise call the office after the festival.

### First Aid

**Open 24 hours** — Next to the **Dance Building AREA 4**

Please wear shoes at all times, use sunscreen & drink plenty of water.
















### Special Services

- Covered seating at the Main Stage.
- Signing will be done at all evening main stage concerts.

### Festival Trolley

Having difficulty walking or just too tired? Hop on! Stop locations are marked with signs with runs approximately every hour.

# Saturday, June 28, 2025

<b>OldSongs<sup>2025</sup> Festival</b>	<b>Main Stage</b> AREA 1	<b>Dutch Barn</b> AREA 8	<b>1890 Building</b> AREA 2	<b>Family Stage</b> AREA 3	<b>Dance Building</b> AREA 4
	* Indicates workshop leader		9:00–11:00 <b>The Great Groove Band Rehearsal</b> For ages 5–18, bring your wind, string, percussion instruments, or voice. See Program book for more details. 	 <b>This symbol indicates a participatory workshop.</b>	
<b>10:00–11:00 am</b>	10:00–10:25 <b>Seán Dagher</b> <i>Performance</i> 10:30–10:55 <b>John Kirk &amp; Trish Miller</b>	10:00–11:00 <b>Woke Up with The Blues</b> Rev. Robert B. Jones, Sr.* Roy Book Binder Andy Cohen			10:00–11:00 <b>East Coast Swing &amp; Lindy Hop</b> Brian Lawton & Rafal Pustelny Vanaver Caravan 
<b>11:15–12:15 pm</b>	11:15–11:40 <b>Liam Purcell &amp; Cane Mill Road</b> 11:45–12:10 <b>Bon Débarras</b> <i>Performance</i>	11:15–12:15 <b>Haggis &amp; Pestograss</b> Beppe Gambetta* Alasdair Fraser	11:15–12:15 <b>Humor as Therapy</b> Sally Rogers* & Howie Bursen Claudia Schmidt Cathy Fink & Marcy Marxer	11:15–12:15 <b>Simple Juggling Tricks</b> <i>with Roger the Jester</i> 	11:15–12:15 <b>Afro Carribbean Soca</b> Ariana Brisport Vanaver Caravan 
<b>12:30–1:30 pm</b>	12:30–12:55 <b>Rev. Robert B. Jones, Sr.</b> 1:00–1:25 <b>Jeff Davis</b> <i>Performance</i>	12:30–1:30 <b>Hope is an Action Word</b> Reggie Harris* & Pat Wictor Magpie & Rolly Brown	12:30–1:30 <b>Serenades &amp; Romantic Melodies</b> Beppe Gambetta* John Kirk & Trish Miller Jamcrackers	12:30–1:30 <b>Family Sing</b> <i>with Matt Watroba</i> 	12:30–1:30 <b>Flow &amp; Glide Contrás</b> <i>Sycamore with caller Alexandra Deis-Lauby</i> 
<b>1:45–2:45 pm</b>	1:45–2:10 <b>Beppe Gambetta</b> <i>Performance</i> 2:15–2:40 <b>Simon Chrisman &amp; Nic Gareiss</b>	1:45–2:45 <b>Django's Progeny</b> <i>with Christine Tassan &amp; les Imposteures</i>	1:45–2:45 <b>You Must Be Kidding</b> George Wilson* Wendy Grossman Andy Cohen	1:45–2:45 <b>Jug Band</b> <i>with Ron Gordon</i> 	1:45–2:45 <b>Contrás in the Wild</b> <i>Wild Asparagus with caller George Marshall</i> 
<b>3:00–4:00 pm</b>	3:00–4:00 <b>Songs of Hope and Joy</b> Reggie Harris & Pat Wictor	3:00–4:00 <b>Ballads</b> Jeff Davis* John Kirk Wendy Grossman Keith Murphy	3:00–4:00 <b>Singing in Tongues</b> Lorin Sklamberg* Bon Débarras Beppe Gambetta	3:00–4:00 <b>"Surely We Jest"</b> <i>with Roger the Jester</i> 	3:00–5:30 <b>The Big Contra Dance</b> <i>Sycamore with caller Alexandra Deis-Lauby</i> 
<b>4:15–5:15 pm</b>	4:30–5:30 <b>Amber Waves of Kasha</b> Keith Murphy* & the Band of Amber The Klezmatics	4:15–6:00 <b>Open Mic</b> <i>with mc Kate Blain</i> 	4:15–5:15 <b>Both Sides of the Pond</b> The Clements Brothers* Jeff Davis Alasdair Fraser	4:15–5:15 <b>World Dance for Families</b> Vanaver Caravan 	
<b>5:15–6:30 pm Dinner Break</b>			5:30–6:30 <b>Sacred Harp Book Sing</b> <i>with Eric Bean</i> 		
<b>Evening 6:30 pm</b>	<b>Main Stage Concert with mc Sally Rogers</b> The Clements Brothers • John Kirk & Trish Miller • The Vanaver Caravan • Beppe Gambetta • Christine Tassan & les Imposteures • The Klezmatics • Bon Débarras • Hubby Jenkins • Liam Purcell & Cane Mill Road 				



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# Saturday, June 28, 2025

Learn How! AREA 5	Sheep Barn AREA 6	Cattle Building AREA 7	Street Corner AREA 9	Artisan Way AREA 10	Hands-On! AREA 11
	9:00–11:00 <b>Shape Note &amp; Sacred Harp Sing</b> <i>with Stefan Amidon</i>			* Indicates workshop leader	
10:00–11:00 <b>Beginner Hammered Dulcimer</b> <i>with Dan Duggan</i> <i>Instruments available to play!</i>		10:00–11:00 <b>In Their Own Words</b> Dan Berggren* Peggy Lynn Magpie & Rolly Brown Claudia Schmidt	10:00–11:00 <b>Fiddle Jam</b> <i>with George Wilson</i>	10:00–12:15 <b>Open Jam</b> <i>with Howard Blumenthal</i> <i>Come play, come sing!</i>	10:00–10:30 <b>Dead Horse Ceremony</b>  10:30–12:15 <b>Maritime Skills</b> Dirty Blue Shirts <i>learn canvaswork, ropework, netting, knotting, knitting, chanter singing &amp; more!</i>
11:15–12:15 <b>A-Capella Vocal Improv</b> <i>with Pat Wictor</i>	11:15–12:15 <b>Dynamic Duos</b> Simon Chrisman* & Nic Gareiss The Clements Brothers Larry Hanks & Deborah Robins	11:15–12:15 <b>Border Crossing</b> Keith Murphy* & the Band of Amber Christine Tassan & les Imposteures	11:15–12:15 <b>The Bill Spence Hammered Dulcimer Jam</b> Curt Osgood* Dan Duggan Chao Tian		
12:30–1:30 <b>Irish Bouzouki</b> <i>with Seán Dagher</i>	12:30–1:30 <b>Tight As A String</b> Liam Purcell* & Cane Mill Road The Clements Brothers	12:30–1:30 <b>All About the Beat</b> Simon Chrisman* & Nic Gareiss Richie Barshay Hubby Jenkins	12:30–1:30 <b>Uke Jam</b> <i>with Ron Gordon</i>	12:30–1:30 <b>Sing Along with the Folk Song Society of Greater Boston</b>	12:15–12:45 <b>Rope Making</b>  12:45–1:30 <b>Lunch Break</b>
1:45–2:45 <b>Bones 101</b> <i>with Hubby Jenkins</i>	1:45–2:45 <b>Singing through Struggle</b> Rev. Robert B. Jones, Sr.* Sally Rogers & Howie Bursen Claudia Schmidt	1:45–2:45 <b>Poutine and a Side of Borscht</b> The Klezmatiks* Bon Débarras	1:45–2:45 <b>Greg Clarke A Capella Sing</b> <i>with The Pick'n' &amp; Sing'n' Gather'n' (PSG)</i>	1:45–2:45 <b>Ballads and Songs in a Small Space</b> <i>with Chris Koldewey</i>	1:30–2:30 <b>Maritime Skills</b> Dirty Blue Shirts <i>learn canvaswork, rope-work, netting, knotting, knitting, chanter singing &amp; more!</i>  2:30–3:00 <b>Rope Making</b>
3:00–4:00 <b>Slide Guitar</b> <i>with Andy Cohen</i>	3:00–4:00 <b>North South East &amp; West</b> From China To Appalachia* Liam Purcell & Cane Mill Road, Larry Hanks & Deborah Robins	3:00–4:00 <b>Your Roots are Showing</b> Hubby Jenkins* Roy Book Binder Alasdair Fraser Jamcrackers	3:00–4:00 <b>Frank Woerner &amp; Don Sinetti Chanter Sing</b> Seán Dagher Chris Koldewey	3:00–4:00 <b>Essential Ukulele Strums</b> <i>with Ron Gordon</i>	3:00–4:00 <b>Maritime Skills</b> Dirty Blue Shirts <i>learn canvaswork, rope-work, netting, knotting, knitting, chanter singing &amp; more!</i>
<b>Grandstand</b> 4:15–5:15 <b>West African Drum Circle</b> John Dickson & Moose Fichtner	4:15–5:30 <b>Remembering John Roberts</b> Pokingbrook Morris Debra Cowan*, Andy Spence, Lisa Preston Andy Davis & Fred Bruning, Howie Bursen, Stefan Amidon, Magpie	4:15–5:15 <b>Community Sing</b> Cathy Fink* & Marcy Marxer Reggie Harris & Pat Wictor	4:15–5:15 <b>Wild Jamming</b> <i>with Wild Asparagus</i>	4:15–5:15 <b>Play 12 String like Lead Belly</b> <i>with George Wilson</i>	4:15–5:15 <b>Dogwatch</b> Dirty Blue Shirts <i>How did sailors get free time on board ship and what did they do with it?</i>
5:15–6:30 pm – Dinner Break					
<b>Dutch Barn</b> 8:30–9:00 <b>Havdallah</b> <i>(during intermission)</i> All are Welcome!	<b>Late Night 11:00 pm</b>	<b>Dance Building</b> 11:00–1:00 am <b>Late Night Contra Dance</b> <i>Wild Asparagus with caller George Marshall</i>	<b>Dutch Barn</b> 11:00–1:00 am <b>Late Night Sing</b> <i>with Claudia Schmidt</i>	<b>Sheep Barn</b> 11:00–1:00 am <b>Celtic Jam</b> <i>with Cedar Stanistreet &amp; Friends</i>	

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# Sunday, June 29, 2025

Main Stage AREA 1	Dutch Barn AREA 8	1890 Building AREA 2	Family Stage AREA 3	Dance Building AREA 4	Learn How! AREA 5	Sheep Barn AREA 6	Cattle Building AREA 7	Street Corner AREA 9	Artisan Way AREA 10	Hands-On! AREA 11
9:30-9:55 <b>The Clements Brothers</b>	9:30-10:30 <b>Songwriter's Open Mic</b> with Debra Burger	9:00-10:30 <b>The Great Groove Band Rehearsal</b> For ages 5-18, bring your wind, string, percussion instruments, or voice.	9:30-10:30 <b>Anything Goes</b> with Roger the Jester	9:30-10:30 <b>Percussive Dance</b> with Simon Chrisman & Nic Gareiss	9:30-10:30 <b>Intermediate Hammered Dulcimer</b> with Dan Duggan	9:00-10:30 <b>Shape Note &amp; Sacred Harp Sing</b> with Stefan Amidon	9:30-10:30 <b>Celtic Connections</b> Alasdair Fraser* Seán Dagher Bon Débarras Keith Murphy	9:30-10:30 <b>Morris Dancing for Those Who Will</b> with Pokingbrook Morris	<div>* Indicates workshop leader</div> <div>  This symbol indicates a participatory workshop. </div>	
10:00-10:25 <b>Christine Tassan &amp; les Imposteures</b>									10:00-11:30 <b>Open Jam</b> with Howard Blumenthal Come play, come sing!	10:30-11:00 <b>Dead Horse Ceremony</b>
10:45-11:45 <b>New York &amp; New England Neighbors</b> Jamcrackers* Jeff Davis, The Clements Brothers Lisa Gutkin	10:45-11:45 <b>Liam Purcell &amp; Cane Mill Road</b> Performance	10:45-11:45 <b>We Learned this From</b> Andy Cohen* Sally Rogers & Howie Bursen Roy Book Binder	10:45-11:45 <b>Jug Band</b> with Ron Gordon	10:45-11:45 <b>Global Folk Dance Traditions</b> Livia Vanaver Vanaver Caravan	10:45-11:45 <b>Flatpicking Guitar</b> with Beppe Gambetta	10:45-11:45 <b>Gospel Sing</b> Rev. Robert B. Jones Sr.* Hubby Jenkins Claudia Schmidt Reggie Harris & Pat Wictor	10:45-11:45 <b>The Ways of Water</b> Chris Koldewey* Seán Dagher Keith Murphy & the Band of Amber	10:45-11:45 <b>Old Time Jam</b> with Cathy Fink & Marcy Marxer		11:00-12:30 <b>Maritime Skills</b> Dirty Blue Shirts learn canvaswork, ropework, netting, knotting, knitting, chantey singing & more!
12:00-1:00 <b>Grand Guitarists</b> Beppe Gambetta* Andy Cohen Christine Tassan & Jeff Moseley	12:00-1:00 <b>Hubby Jenkins</b> Performance	12:00-1:00 <b>This Spoke To Me</b> Reggie Harris* & Pat Wictor Wendy Grossman The Clements Brothers	12:00-1:00 <b>More Juggling Tricks</b> with Roger the Jester	12:00-1:00 <b>English Country Dance</b> Cedar Stanistreet Alan Thomson with caller Alexandra Deis-Lauby	12:00-1:00 <b>Mandolin Master Class</b> with Liam Purcell	12:00-1:00 <b>Fiddle Frenzy</b> Lisa Gutkin* Alasdair Fraser Martine Gaumond	12:00-1:00 <b>Work of the Women</b> Claudia Schmidt* Sally Rogers & Howie Bursen Magpie & Rolly Brown	12:00-1:00 <b>Sing along with Matt</b> with Matt Watroba	12:00-1:00 <b>Learn a Scottish Air</b> with George Wilson	12:30-1:00 <b>Rope Making</b> Dirty Blue Shirts
1:30-2:15 <b>Vanaver Caravan &amp; Youth Company</b>	1:15-2:15 <b>Nothing Civil About It</b> Magpie Rev. Robert B. Jones, Sr.	1:15-2:15 <b>The Place I Call Home</b> From China to Appalachia* Jeff Davis Roy Book Binder	1:15-2:15 <b>Folksongs Belong to Everybody</b> with Matt Watroba	1:15-3:15 <b>The Last Great Contra Dance of the '25 Festival</b> Wild Asparagus with caller George Marshall	1:15-2:15 <b>Ukulele</b> with Ron Gordon	1:15-2:15 <b>Oh, Canada!</b> Seán Dagher* Bon Débarras Christine Tassan & les Imposteures	1:15-2:15 <b>Mountain Music</b> Liam Purcell* & Cane Mill Road Jamcrackers Alasdair Fraser	1:15-2:15 <b>String Jam</b> George Wilson Ty Gibbons	1:15-2:15 <b>Open Guitar Tunings</b> Wendy Grossman Andy Cohen	1:00-1:30 <b>Lunch Break</b>
2:30-3:15 <b>The Great Groove Band</b> Performance	2:30-3:30 <b>Banjo Styles</b> Hubby Jenkins* Jeff Davis Marcy Marxer Howie Bursen	2:30-3:30 <b>Getting Hammered</b> Simon Chrisman* Dan Duggan Chao Tian	2:30-3:10 <b>Hang with Roger!</b>		2:30-3:30 <b>Mountain Dulcimer</b> with Sally Rogers	2:30-3:30 <b>Resistance Is Not Futile</b> Reggie Harris* & Pat Wictor Rev. Robert B. Jones Sr. Magpie & Rolly Brown Claudia Schmidt	2:30-3:30 <b>Pushing the Trad Envelope</b> Bon Débarras* Keith Murphy & the Band of Amber	2:30-3:30 <b>Jug Band Jam</b> with Andy Cohen	<div>Hurry, Hurry the Sales Booth Closes Soon!</div>	2:45-3:30 <b>Dogwatch</b> How did sailors get free time on board ship...
			3:10 Chanteys and more							
			3:30 Dead Horse Ceremony Parade							
<b>3:45 pm</b> <b>Lost &amp; Found</b> with Roger the Jester		<b>Main Stage Concert with mc Chris Koldewey</b> Roy Book Binder • Jeff Davis • Jamcrackers • Claudia Schmidt • Magpie & Rolly Brown					 <b>Council on the Arts</b> The Old Songs Festival is made possible by the New York State Council on the Arts with the support of the Office of the Governor and the New York State Legislature.			

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