



This week on Folk Music Notebook:

Our hosts will be sharing guest visits from **Arlo Guthrie**, **Ellis Paul**, **Tom Russell**, and **Guilia Millanta** plus performances from **Kate McDonnell**, **Pat Donohue**, **Peter Vilbig** and more!

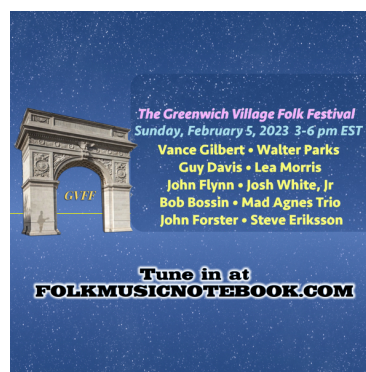
FEBRUARY LIVE BROADCAST OF THE GREENWICH VILLAGE FOLK FESTIVAL COMING THIS SUNDAY

Special time - 3 to 6pm EST / noon to 3pm PST

The Greenwich Village Folk Festival—a free monthly online concert series featuring ten of the finest performers in today's folk music--returns Sunday, February 5 from 3-6 pm EST. The live broadcast can be heard on **Folk Music Notebook**, and we will also feature a video streaming link on our website. You can also catch the festival on the Greenwich Village Folk Festival YouTube and Facebook pages

This month, the GVFF pays tribute to Black History Month, designated in February by every US President since 1976. Here's the lineup of artists.

Vance Gilbert, known for his outrageous humor and fine musicianship, has made 13 albums so far, and shared stages worldwide with Aretha Franklin, Shawn Colvin, Arlo Guthrie, the Milk Carton Kids, Anita Baker, the Subdudes, and 150+ shows with the late George Carlin.



Walter Parks was Richie Havens' tour guitarist for 10 years. As a soloist, his authentic "swamp music" and his writing landed his arrangements of songs by Georgia's Okefinokee Swamp homesteaders in the Library of Congress. In 2021 Walter Parks & The Unlawful Assembly, a spirituals group, released their debut album on Atomic Sound Records.

Guy Davis, one of the foremost acoustic blues performers of our time, has carried his message around the world, from the Equator to the Arctic Circle, singing his own songs and performing a one-man show on the Life of Robert Johnson. He says "I want some little eight-year-old kid in the front row to have big eyes and say, 'Hey, I want to do that!'"

Lea Morris grew up in the Baptist Church gospel choir, studied classical music in Germany in high school and returned to the Washington, DC area, where she "seamlessly blends gospel, jazz, country and R&B into her own style" says SoulFolk. The Washington Area Music Association proudly calls her "one of the region's finest vocalists, songwriters, recording artists, children's music performers and community music leaders."

John Flynn has been called the "quintessential folk singer in my life" by legendary dj Gene Shay and "the real deal" by the Woody Guthrie Center for his songs of social justice. As founder and executive director of New Beginnings - Next Step, a non-profit helping incarcerated citizens transition to freedom, he was awarded the 2019 Champion of Justice Humanitarian Award by the National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers Foundation.

Josh White, Jr began performing with his legendary father in 1944, sharing stages with Lead Belly, Woody Guthrie, Billie Holiday, Duke Ellington and many others. A standout performer on his own, he's won a TONY for his Broadway debut, recorded 25 albums, starred in four TV Specials, performed for the Pope, Prime Ministers, and the NAACP, and in 1979 was recipient of the first Harry Chapin Humanitarian Award.

Bob Bossin founded the iconic Canadian group Stringband, writing songs covered by Pete Seeger, Peggy Seeger, and Ian Tyson, and toured with his travelling medicine show, Bossin's Home Remedy for Nuclear War (guaranteed to prevent nuclear war or your money refunded), selling 9000 bottles.

Mad Agnes Trio, Margo Hennebach, Adrienne Jones and Mark Saunders, weaves together Celtic, folk, innovative instrumentation and "three-part harmonies as tight as jeans from the dryer" (The Advocate). With 13 albums and tours, they are, says Singer magazine, "a link back to that addictive sound of progressive/alternative folk groups like Steeleye Span, Fairport Convention and Renaissance."

John Forster won a 1994 Indie Award for Best Comedy Album for "Entering Marion" and has songs covered by Christine Lavin, Judy Collins, Rosanne Cash, Dave Van

Ronk, and Faith Hill, among many. He's also co-author of popular children's books and several musicals, from "Eleanor-An American Love Story" to "How To Eat Like A Child," one of the most widely produced children's shows today.

Steve Eriksson, of Goteborg, Sweden, came to the US in 1984 and joined the Clearwater, sailing the Hudson River. An exceptional guitarist able to play bluegrass, acoustic jazz, blues, rock and folk, he was recruited by Rod MacDonald for two cds and tours in Europe. In Sweden, he's produced several successful song demos for publishers, and released his first album, "Right Before Our Eyes," in 2019, making the folk charts across the US. His newest cd is "Last Call."

This free concert is co-produced by Raymond Micek and Rod MacDonald. Ron Olesko of FolkMusicNotebook.com and Sonny Ochs, host of the "Phil Ochs Song Nights" and presenter on Folk Music Notebook, will co-emcee. The concert will be streamed live to

***Folk Music Notebook** brings you the finest folk 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Our diverse playlist offers classic folk songs and artists as well as contemporary singer-songwriters who carry on the traditions. In addition to the music, we also feature a number of shows featuring some of the most respected radio hosts in North America and beyond.*

Check out some of these shows that are coming up this week, and be sure to visit our website at www.FolkMusicNotebook.com for our complete schedule.

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THE FINEST IN FOLK 24 HOURS A DAY

& COMING UP THIS WEEK ON FOLK MUSIC NOTEBOOK:



THE MORNING SHOW

Monday through Friday 7am to noon ET / 4am to 9am PT

Host: Ron Olesko

Your daily wake up call! Tune in for folk songs to start

your day! Sponsored by **Al Hemberger** and the **Loft Recording Studios** in Bronxville, New York

FOLK TALK

*Monday January 30th at 7pm ET / 4pm PT
with an encore Tuesday at 4am ET / 1am PT*

Guest: ELLIS PAUL

Host: **Rik Palieri**



SING OUT! RADIO MAGAZINE

*Monday January 30th at 8pm ET / 5pm PT
with an encore Tuesday at 5am ET / 2am PT*

This week: *Unsung Songwriters, Part 1*

This time around on the program we begin a two-part feature we're calling *Unsung Songwriters*. We'll play recent recordings from The Brother Brothers, Liz Simmons, Mac Leaphart, Tiffany Williams, and Dave Richardson. You'll hear these songwriters and many more besides.

Host: **Tom Druckenmiller**

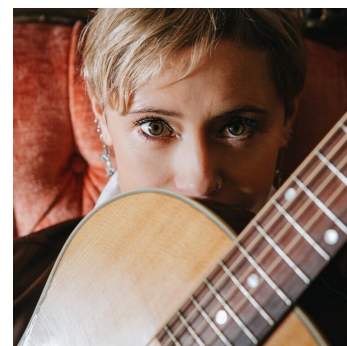
ART OF THE SONG

*Monday January 30th at 9pm ET / 6pm PT
with an encore Tuesday at 6am ET / 3am PT*

Guest: GIULIA MILLANTA

A creative and prolific artist, Italian-born Americana singer/songwriter **Giulia Millanta** has released seven solo albums, and tours throughout the USA as well as internationally. An accomplished guitarist, Giulia also plays ukulele and sings in four languages. We spoke with Giulia about her 2022 album, *Woman on the Moon*.

Hosts **John Dillon & Viv Nesbitt**





THE MATT WATROBA SHOW

***Tuesday January 31st at 7pm ET / 4pm PT
with an encore Wednesday at 4am ET / 1am PT***

This week: Tributes to Les Barker and David Crosby

Host **Matt Watroba**

ANOTHER RADIO SHOW with James Lee Stanley

***Tuesday January 31st at 9pm ET / 6pm PT
with an encore Wednesday at 6am ET / 3am PT***

Host: **James Lee Stanley**



LIVE FROM CAFFE LENA

***Wednesday February 1st at 7pm ET / 4pm PT
with encores with an encore Thursday at 3am ET /
midnight PT and Sunday at 1pm ET / 11am PT***

Guest: KATE McDONNELL

Kate McDonnell, singer-songwriter, plays her guitar upside down and backward (UDB) and sings with her whole being. Her award-winning songwriting has been singled out for praise by the *Village Voice*, *Sing Out!*, the *Boston Globe* and *Dirty Linen*. Kate took a 15-year break, starting in 2006, to earn her master's degree at Smith College in child therapy and worked as a school therapist for children in special education programs. But since the muse never stops haunting the artist, Kate decided to go back into the studio to record her fifth CD, *Ballad of a Bad Girl* which was released in early 2021.

A performance recorded on the stage of *Caffe Lena* in Saratoga Springs, New York - the longest continuously operating folk music venue in the United States.

FOLK PLUS

**Wednesday February 1st at 8pm ET/ 5pm PT
with an encore Thursday at 4am ET / 1am PT**

This week: What was Angela listening and playing back in 1999? This week we turn the clock back 24 years to find out!

Host **Angela Page**



RADIO NOWHERE WORLDWIDE

**Wednesday February 1st at 9pm ET / 6pm PT
with encore Thursday at 5am ET / 2am PT and Friday
at 11pm ET / 8pm PT**

Host **Joltin Joe (Pszonek)**

FOLK ON THE WATER

**Thursday February 2nd at noon ET / 9am PT
with encores at 6pm & 11pm ET / 3pm & 7pm PT**

Host **Dave Rowe** with **Stacey Guth** onboard their boat the *Stinkpot*



LOAFER'S GLORY: A HOBO JUNGLE OF THE MIND

**Thursday February 2nd at 7pm ET / 4pm PT
_with an encore broadcast Friday at 3am ET /
midnight PT_**

This week: Palm Trees and Politics

Utah shares his knowledge of Hawaiian music and interviews the prime minister of the reinstated government of Hawaii.

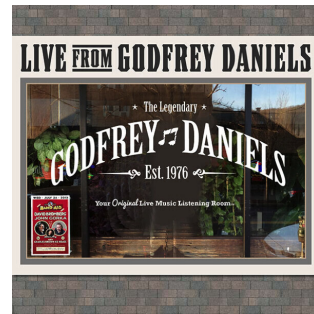
Classic shows from **Bruce "Utah" Phillips** who hosted a radio show on KVMR in Nevada City, California from 1997 to 2001.

LIVE FROM GODFREY DANIELS

Thursday February 2nd at 8pm ET / 5pm PT
with an encore Friday at 4am ET / 1am PT

This week: Archival performances from Gamble Rogers, Dave Van Ronk, the Burns Sisters, Catie Curtis, the Tony Rice Unit and more

Host **Dave Fry** (also the founder of *Godfrey Daniels*) shares rare archival recordings made during the 40 + year history of one of the iconic music venues in the country - *Godfrey Daniels* in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania!



GORD'S GOLD

Thursday February 2nd at 9pm ET / 6pm PT
with an encore Friday at 5am ET / 2am PT

This week: songs for Black History Month, February, men vs women, and Dave Carter.

Host: **Gordon Nash**

ARTIST IN RESIDENCE SHOWCASE

Friday February 3rd at noon ET / 9am PT
with encores Friday at 6pm ET, Saturday at 1am ET and 7am ET, and Sunday at 10am and 2pm ET.

Guest: PETER VILBIG

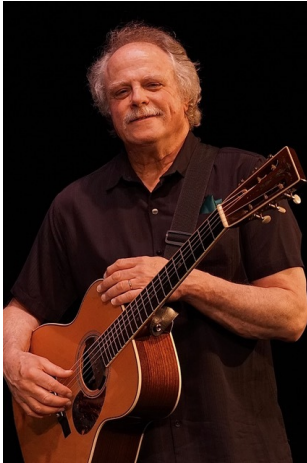
Peter Vilbig is a former journalist and fiction writer who turned to songwriting recently. While living in New York City he performed his original songs in the subway and in Central Park, at Pete's Candy Store, the Jalopy Theater, and the Branded Saloon in Brooklyn, among others venues. Along the way he was invited to join the Jack Hardy Songwriters Exchange, the legendary and decades-old songwriting group that meets weekly in the East Village.

After moving to Providence, Rhode Island in 2019, he has performed at the Rhode Island Folk Festival, the PVDFest (a Providence music festival) and at the downtown Providence art space, AS 220, and as a feature performer at the Mediator Stage. He's also performed at the Stoneham Farmers Market in Stoneham, Massachusetts.



He was invited to and agreed to become a board member of the Rhode Island Songwriters Association.

A weekly showcase performance recorded for our Folk Music Notebook audience "live" from the homes of some of the finest artists in the folk community



FOLKSTAGE

***Friday February 3rd at 7pm ET / 4pm PT with an
encore Saturday at noon ET / 9am PT***

Guest: PAT DONOHUE

A reprise of a hilarious and heartfelt concert appearance from 2016 held in WFMT's Fay & Daniel Levin Performance Studio.

Hosted by **Marilyn Rea Beyer**.

THE MIDNIGHT SPECIAL

***Friday February 3rd at 8pm ET / 5pm PT
with an encore Saturday at 1pm ET / 10am PT***

Marilyn Rea Beyer hosts the nation's longest running folk show.



ROCKIN' THE REZ

***Friday February 3rd at 10pm ET / 7pm PT
with an encore Saturday at 6am ET / 3am PT***

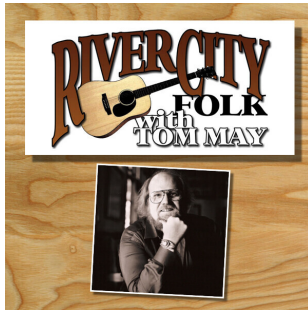
Guest: ARLO GUTHRIE

Host **Joel Rafael** shares a new visit from his longtime friend Arlo Guthrie.

THE TRAIN WRECK

Saturday February 4th at 9am ET / 6am PT

Host **Joltin' Joe Pszonek**



RIVER CITY FOLK

*Saturday February 4th at 7pm ET / 4pm PT
with an encore Sunday at 4am ET / 1am PT*

This Week: A Look Back at Winterfolk 15

Performances recorded in 2003 at the Alberta Rose Theatre in Portland Oregon during "Winterfolk 15", with

Tracy Grammer, Utah Phillips, Tom May and others.

Host **Tom May**

MICHAEL JOHNATHON'S WOODSONGS OLD-TIME RADIO HOUR

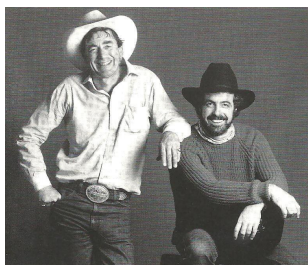
*Saturday February 4th at 8pm ET / 5pm PT
with an encore Sunday at noon ET / 9am PT*



Guests: TOWN MOUNTAIN and THE LOCAL HONEYS

A live audience celebration of grassroots music and the artists who make it.

Recorded in Lexington, Kentucky and hosted by folksinger **Michael Johnathon**.



FOLKSCENE

*Saturday February 4th at 9pm ET / 6pm PT
with an encore Sunday at 5am ET / 2am PT*

Guest: A Tribute to IAN TYSON with TOM RUSSELL

Guest **Tom Russell** reminisces about his friend and mentor, Canadian folk legend **Ian Tyson**. Tyson passed away on December 29th at the age of 89. Host **Allen Larman**;

THE MIKE HARDING FOLK SHOW

*Saturday February 4th at 10pm ET / 7pm PT with an
encore at Sunday at 6am ET / 3am PT*

Archival program from 2014

Broadcasting from a stone shed in the Yorkshire Dales,
the iconic folk radio host **Mike Harding** will take you into
the world of folk.



THE FOLK CONNECTION

Sunday February 5th at 9am ET / 6am PT

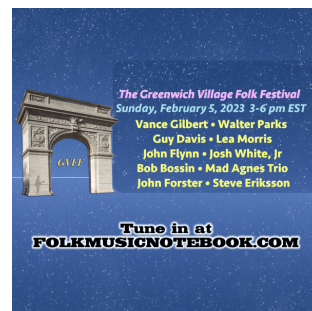
From Israel! Host **Menachem Vinegrad**

GREENWICH VILLAGE FOLK FESTIVAL (LIVE)

Sunday February 5th at 3pm ET / noon PT

**Guests: Steve Ericksson, John Forster, Mad
Agnes Trio, Bob Bossin, Josh White Jr., John
Flynn, Lea Morris, Guy Davis, Walter Parks, and
Vance Gilbert**

Live performances to honor the music, spirit and legacy of the Village's music scene.

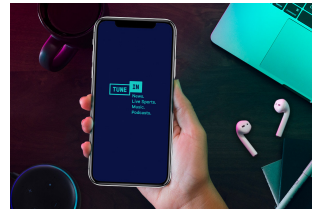


WOMENFOLK

*Sunday February 5th at 9pm ET / 6pm PT
with an encore Monday at 6am ET / 3amPT*

Host **Ellen Stanley**

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