



# CFOOTMAD COMMUNITY DANCES

Colorado Friends of Old Time Music and Dance

May/June 2017  
www.cfootmad.org  
720-722-1170

## Boulder Community Contra and Family Dance 1<sup>st</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> Fridays

- May 5** "The Megaband" caller Tina Fields  
Family Dance at 6pm
- May 19** "**Larry Unger, Andrea Early, Rodney Sauer**"  
caller **Pat Danscen**
- June 2** "Andy Reiner & Jon Sousa" caller Paul Somlo
- June 16** "The Offbeats" caller Sam Smith

## Denver Contra Dance - 2<sup>nd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Fridays

- May 12** "Purple Zephyr" caller Christa Torrens
- May 26** "Avourneen" caller Sam Smith
- June 9** "Balance and Swing" caller Rick Smith
- June 23** "The Coffee People" caller Viki Lawrence

## Zesty Contra Dance - 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday

- May 13** "Andy Reiner & Rodney Sauer" caller Viki  
Lawrence
- June 10** "Adam Agee & Jon Sousa" caller Paul Somlo

## Westminster Community Dance - 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday

- May 27** Holiday Weekend, No Dance
- June 24** "The Toney Loons" caller Ed Hall

## Fifth Friday Waltz Dance

- June 30** "Deb Carstensen & Friends" lesson Bob Warden

## CFOOTMAD Music Jam - 1<sup>st</sup> /3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays

## Fort Collins FOTD Events - 1<sup>st</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays

### Temporary Location - 225 W. Oak St

- May 6** "Balance & Swing" caller Ed Hall
- May 20** "**Larry Unger, Andrea Early, Rodney Sauer**"  
caller **Rick Smith**
- June 3** "New Rhythm Rangers" caller Christa Torrens
- June 17** See the website, fofd.org caller Helle Hill
- June 24** Waltz Night w/Delicate Balance

### -----Mini Special-----

May 19,20 Larry Unger, Andrea Early, Rodney Sauer!

### -----Save the Date-----

August 11,12 Ben Schreiber & Scotty Leach!

October 6,7,8 Great Bear 6.0!!! Six person Great Bear = Great  
Bear Trio + Saxophone + Clarinet + Drums!

### -----Volunteer-----

We're always looking for people to work the door, help in the  
kitchen, and stick around after for hall cleanup. Talk to Pam  
Brown, our volunteer coordinator, or any of the series  
coordinators.

### -----CFOOTMAD on Facebook-----

Learn about upcoming events, carpooling, and the like.

We encourage the use of reusable water bottles

## BASIC CFOOTMAD INFORMATION

CFOOTMAD organizes the events listed below and occasional special events. Prices may vary for special events. Children are welcome at dances if supervised by a responsible adult. For CFOOTMAD dance information, call 720-722-1170, Jerry at 303-665-1429 (h) or 303-497-1315 (w), or look us up on the web at www.cfootmad.org.

## CFOOTMAD EVENT DETAILS

**Boulder Community Contra Dance:** Avalon Ballroom, 6185 Arapahoe. Lesson 7:15. Dance 8-11. \$10/\$8 members/\$5 students. Contact Teri at 303-827-3844.

**Boulder Family Dance (right before the Boulder Community Dance):** First Friday, 6:00, September thru May. No lesson needed; all dances taught. \$15/\$14 family; \$5 individual. Contact Teri at 303-827-3844.

**Denver Contra Dance:** Highlands Masonic Center, 3550 N. Federal Blvd, Lesson 7:15. Dance 8-11. \$10/\$8 members /\$5 students. Contact Duffy at 303-882-9361.

**Music Jam (Denver):** 1st and 3rd Mondays. 7:00 pm. Duffy Boyle and Nancy Reindl's house: 2240 Perry St. Refreshments provided. Contact Duffy at duffyboyle@gmail.com or 303-882-9361.

**Waltz Night:** All waltzes, live music. Avalon Ballroom, 6185 Arapahoe in Boulder. Fifth Friday when there is one. Lesson 7pm, Dance 8-11. \$10/\$8 members/\$5 students. Contact Viki at 303-913-2534 or Viki\_L@earthlink.net.

**Westminster Community Dance:** Community Contra Dance, always live music! Fun and easy, each dance is taught before the music starts. The Westminster dance features contras, couples dances and other formations. All ages and experience levels welcome, no partner needed. Westminster Grange, 3935 West 73<sup>rd</sup>. 7-10pm, \$10/\$8members, kids \$5. Contact Pat at 303-827-5828.

**Zesty Contra Dance:** Contras for experienced dancers. No lesson, quick walk-throughs and little caller leading. Dances start promptly at 7pm with a waltz. Scheitler Recreation Center at Berkeley Park, 5031 W 46 Ave (just SE of I-70 at Sheridan). Dance 7-10. \$12/\$10 members/\$5 students. Contact Caroline at 303-444-9801.

## FOTD DANCE DETAILS

Friends of Traditional Dance: Masonic Temple, 225 W. Oak St, Fort Collins. Lesson at 7pm, dance 8-11, \$10/\$5 students, 970-829-8689, www.fofd.org. Contact Paul at 970-353-6340.



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## Meet Jane Fillmore

Jane grew up in Salt Lake City, Utah and Aurora, CO. She's lived in Slovakia and Ghana, traveled in Nicaragua and Guatemala. Jane's family is not musically inclined, nor do they dance.

Before Contra, Jane tried salsa dancing. It wasn't really her scene, but she loves the music and wouldn't mind hearing some of that sound at a Contra dance. Jane's first Contra was in Denver - out with a group of friends who were looking for something different on a Friday night. She liked the welcoming atmosphere and the format - anyone can dance with anyone. Jane volunteers on a regular basis, helping Pam with kitchen duties.



Jane says, "I hope the group continues to have special bands - Barefoot, Baba Yaga's Stew, and Elixir were special dance nights. I usually try to support them by purchasing a CD. I also enjoy when the band sings. Dancing with Sandra Wong and Rodney Sauer is also completely amazing because Sandra stands up and dances when she plays."

Her day job? Jane is an elementary school teacher, where she teaches ESL to K-5 students.

Jane's hobbies include attending Meet Ups, where she sometimes gets the chance to speak Spanish. She also practices her second language at home by reading "tween" books (en Español). She enjoys birdwatching (especially in City Park), loves to cook, and is quite fond of chai.

*by Helle Hill*

### NEXT CFOOTMAD NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

Friday, June 2 is the deadline for the July/Aug 2017 newsletter. Submit materials to [newsletter@cfootmad.org](mailto:newsletter@cfootmad.org).

CFOOTMAD is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization. Funds to support CFOOTMAD come from admission fees, memberships, SCFD funding, and from generous individuals who give above and beyond their membership dues. Consider making a CFOOTMAD donation to sponsor a dance in celebration of your birthday, anniversary, or any other reason that strikes your fancy. Thank you to all CFOOTMAD members and a special thanks to those who have made additional donations. Thanks also to the many members of the CFOOTMAD dance community who donate their time and talent in ways large and small - *your CFOOTMAD board: Paul Somlo, Sam Smith, Roxy Johnstone, Nancy Reindl, Julie Olson.*