Friends of Traditional Dance — Dance!

SEPT.

Sunday	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Friday	Saturday
						1 **fort collins Contra Dance** The Usual Suspects w/ Paul Somlo $7
2	3	4	5	6	7 Boulder Contra Rodney Sauer, Tina Gugeler & Teri Rasmusson w/ Ed Hall $10/8	8 Denver Zesty Contra Balance & Swing w/ Rick Smith $10/8
9 Boulder Tea Dance 2-5pm Avalon Ballroom 6185 Arapahoe Mont Alto Ragtime & Tango Orchestra 1:30 lesson, $18/13	10	11	12	13	14 Denver Contra **Great Bear Trio** w/ Barb Kirchner $14/12	15 **fort collins Contra Dance** **Great Bear Trio** w/ Ed Hall $12 English Country Dance $9/7 8-11pm, 3701 W 50th Ave, Denver
16 Special Boulder Contra **Great Bear Trio** 1-2pm: Waltzes 2:15-5:15pm: Contras $14/12	17	18	19	20	21 Boulder Contra w/ Devin Nordson $10/8	22 No Fort Collins Dance - see Harvest Moon Festival -
23 Harvest Moon Festival cont'd	24	25	26	27	28 Denver Contra Balance & Swing w/ Viki Lawrence $10/8	29 **fort collins Contra Dance** Delicate Balance w/ Rick Smith $7 Potluck at 6:30pm (lesson at 7)
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Great Bear Trio
Sept.14-16

Harvest Moon Festival Sept. 21-23

Sept 14-16

Great Bear Trio

"When it comes to just about every form of acoustic folk music imaginable, it's hard to identify anybody better at playing this great stuff than Andrew & Noah VanNorstrand. These two brothers are fun, talented, and above all, great showmen!"
- Bill Knowlton
Bluegrass Ramble, WCNYfm

More at: vfiddle.com Also: cdbaby.com/cd/greatbeartrio2

Sept 21-23

Harvest Moon Festival

A weekend camp of traditional music and dance at a rustic ranch in the mountains west of Boulder. Workshops, jam sessions, dancing, and singing. Callers are: Eleanor Fahrney, Kathryn DiFoxfire and others. $85 adv / $95 after Sept 1. Pre-registration required. Chuck: 303-786-8502 chuck@river.com boulderdance.org/moonfestival

Calendar items in **BOLD** are **FoTD** events.

Where , etc.

Fort Collins Contra Dances & Waltz Nights 8-11pm, Club Tico
1599 City Park Drive, Free lesson at 7pm **970-493-8277 www.fotd.org**

Denver Contra & Waltz Nights 8-11pm, Free lesson 7:15pm
Highlands Masonic Center, 3550 N Federal Blvd, Steve 303-499-2692

Boulder Contra & Waltz Nights 8-11pm, Free lesson 7:15pm
Avalon Ballroom, 6185 Arapahoe, Teri 303-499-1346

Denver Zesty Contra Dance 7-10pm, Scheitler Recreation Ctr.
5031 W 46 Ave. No lesson. Louis 303-369-7120

CFOOTMAD is Denver/Boulder's contra organization **303-592-3972**
For Ceili and English Country dances and contra dances in Lyons, Westminster, etc., consult: **cfootmad.org**/calendar

Announcements
FoTD has a Yahoogroup to electronically distribute FOTD event information and special announcements. **www.fotd.org** for more info.

Jam Sessions
Learn contra dance tunes at the informal jam sessions each month. All instruments and abilities welcome. Contact Mike: 970-482-8162 mpaulson@nyx.net

FOTD is a **501(c)3** non-profit org. (tax-deductible)

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City of Fort Collins **Fort Fund**

2007

Sunday	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Friday	Saturday
				1	2 Boulder Contra Dance $10/8	3 **fort collins Contra Dance** Joel Hayes, Barb Kirchner & Rodney Sauer w/ Devin Nordson $7
4	5	6	7	8	9 Denver Contra Deb Carstensen & Rodney Sauer $10/8	10 Denver Zesty Contra The Usual Suspects w/ Viki Lawrence $10/8
11 Boulder Tea Dance 2-5pm Avalon Ballroom 6185 Arapahoe Mont Alto Ragtime & Tango Orchestra 1:30 lesson, $18/13	12	13	14	15	16 Boulder Contra Dance $10/8	17 **fort collins Contra Dance** Eric Levine & Rodney Sauer w/ Gina St Brigid $7
18	19	20	21	22 Thankgiving	23 Denver Contra $10/8	Fort Collins 24 **holiday Waltz Night** w/ Ladies' Choice $9
25	26	**Waltz Night** **Nov.25**	28	29	Boulder 30 Waltz Night Unstrung Heroes 8-11pm $10/8 Free lesson at 7:15 Avalon Ballroom 6185 Arapahoe	

Upcoming !

15th annual **Paupers Ball**
Jan 26
Cheap ballroomy dancing and cavorting.

Nov 24
holiday Waltz Night
On Thanksgiving weekend - a festive evening of waltzes, and occassional ballroom or swing tunes, with the band Ladies' Choice (Sue Reading, Tina Gugeler, Kim Harris and Cynthia Jaffe). Excellent free refreshments.
8-11pm $9
Club Tico
Free dance lesson at 7pm

OCT.

Sunday	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	NO 5 Boulder Contra Enjoy the **Richard Powers Dance Weekend:** mchartrand.com/dance2007	6 **fort collins Contra Dance** Sandra Wong & Rodney Sauer w/ Viki Lawrence $7
7	8 **Waltz & Polka Class** (for the Ball) **Club Tico** 8pm $7	9	10	11	12 Denver Contra Joel Hayes, Barb Kirchner & Rodney Sauer w/ Paul Somlo $10/8	13 Denver Zesty Contra Deb & the Pariahs w/ Ed Hall $10/8
14 Boulder Tea Dance 2-5pm Avalon Ballroom 6185 Arapahoe Mont Alto Ragtime & Tango Orchestra 1:30 lesson, $18/13	15	16	17	18	19 Boulder Contra Seth Houston & Sandra Wong w/ Eric Curl $10/8 Avalon Anniversary Potluck at 7pm	20 24th annual **WILD GOOSE Masquerade Ball** **CSU Student Center Ballroom** (No Fort Collins Contra Dance) English Country Dance $9/7 8-11pm, 3701 W 50th Ave, Denver
21	22	23	24	25	26 Denver Contra Southwind w/ Ed Hall $10/8	27 **A Club Tico Benefit** **fort collins Contra Dance** 2 Bands, Several Callers
28	29	30	31			

WILD GOOSE Masquerade Ball
Oct.20

Oct 20

WILD GOOSE Masquerade Ball

50-piece
Mostly Strauss Orchestra
8-11:30pm
CSU Student Center Ballroom
$20 thru Oct 13
$25 thereafter
CSU students $5 off
Campus Box Office**
970-491-4849
www.csutix.com
Elegant Strauss waltzes and some polkas and 20th century ballroom music. Grand March at 8pm. No dancecards this time. Costume prizes. Photographer. Refreshments. cosponsor:
CSU Swing Dance Society

Club Tico Benefit Oct 27

Club Tico has been a much loved dance hall for 86 years now. It is amazing that it has never had air-conditioning. The proceeds from this dance will go to the Club Tico Building Fund. Monetary donations and items for the silent auction may be brought to any FOTD dance, or early the night of the Benefit Dance (6:30-7:30pm) or call Karen 970-204-9982.

Costume prizes · Silent auction · Garage sale · Non-stop dancing

**Campus Box Office service charges are $3 to $5

DEC.

Sunday	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Friday	Saturday
						1 **fort collins Contra Dance** Southwind w/ Jim X Borzym $7
	3	4	5	6	7 Boulder Contra Dance $10/8	8 Denver Zesty Contra Southwind w/ Paul Somlo $10/8
9 Boulder Tea Dance 2-5pm Avalon Ballroom 6185 Arapahoe Susan Rogers and the Exceptional Quartet 1:30 lesson, $18/13	10	11	12	13	14 Denver Contra Dance A location change is possible for this date. Check: CFOOTMAD.org	15 **fort collins Contra Dance** Eric Levine & Rodney Sauer w/ Pat Tognoni $7
Dec 25 **Holidance** Christmas Day **6-9pm** **Contras & Waltzes** Eric Levine & Rodney Sauer w/ Barb Kirchner $8 **Free lesson at 5pm** Dessert potluck at the break	17	18			21 Boulder Contra Dance $10/8	No Fort Collins Dance 22 ***See CHRISTMAS DAY !*** & Winter Solabration
	24	25 **Holi-dance** (christmas) day	26	27	28 Denver Contra Dance $10/8	Fort Collins 29 **holiday Waltz Night** Barb Kirchner & Friends $8
30	31 **New Year's Eve Contra Celebration** Lincoln Center **Lincoln Center Ballroom, 417 W Magnolia** This gala event features high energy contras and other couples dances, played by The Grandview Victorian Orchestra with caller Rick Smith. Countdown Contraption at Midnight. Free contra dance lesson 7:30pm, live-music dancing at 8:30pm. Free refreshments. Tickets $15 thru Dec 25, $20 thereafter **Lincoln Center Box Office 970-221-6730 lctix.com**					

Dec 22
Winter Solabration
Highlands Masonic Ctr.
3550 N Federal Blvd, 6pm-12
This Denver yuletime mega-event is in its 22nd year. It's a community celebration featuring wassail, a dessert potluck, dance & music performances, singing, a mummer's play, and 3 hours of traditional American community dances for all.
Tickets:
swallowhill.com 303-777-1003
www.wsolstice.org
303-571-9112

Dec 29
holiday Waltz Night
On the last Saturday of 2007 - a festive evening of waltzes, and occassional ballroom or swing tunes, with the band Barb Kirchner & Friends. Excellent free refreshments.
8-11pm $8
Club Tico
Free dance lesson at 7pm