

Crooked Road Dulcimer Festival 2018—Class Schedule

Thursday Evening, May 24

Everyone is automatically enrolled for the Thursday evening orchestra rehearsal, followed by introductions, festival details/orientation, and jamming.

- **Dulcimer Orchestra** (*All Participants, 5:45 – 6:45, Panthers Den, 1st floor, Franklin Hall*) – How sweet it is, dulcimer players weaving notes together as an orchestra! Led by the maestro himself, Ken Bloom.
- **Introductions and Orientation** (*7:10 – 8:15, Panthers Den, 1st floor, Franklin Hall*)
- **Instructor and Participants Jam** (*8:40 – 9:15, Dyer Hall Conference Room*)

Friday, May 25

| Instructor | 9:00 – 10:00 | 10:30 – 11:45 | 1:15 – 2:30 | 3:30 – 4:45 |
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| Nancy | | Off to a Good Start – Part 1 of 4 <i>(Beginner Level: Sign Up for All 4 Parts)</i> | Off to a Good Start – Part 2 of 4 <i>(Beginner Level: Sign Up for All 4 Parts)</i> | Fingering With Finesse <i>(Novice Level and Up)</i> |
| Jeff | | Beyond Beginners – Improve Foundations of Your Playing – Part 1 of 3 <i>(Beyond Beginner Level: Sign Up for All 3 Parts)</i> | Beyond Beginners – Improve Foundations of Your Playing – Part 2 of 3 <i>(Beyond Beginner Level: Sign Up for All 3 Parts)</i> | Beyond the Notes – Getting More Expression <i>(Advanced Level)</i> |
| Stephen | | How Different Levels Can Play Together <i>(All Levels)</i> | Tunings and Capos <i>(Intermediate Level and Up)</i> | Learn a Small Bunch of Easy Tunes <i>(Beginner Level)</i> |
| Phyllis & Jim | | Old-Time Tunes – A Modal <i>(Novice Level and Up)</i> | | Basic Noter Playing <i>(Beginner Level)</i> |
| Ben | | In the Dulcimer Repair Shop | In the Dulcimer Repair Shop | DAA Tuning to Other Tunings <i>(Novice Level and Up)</i> |
| Bill | | Songs Inspired by Bonnie Prince Charlie <i>(Intermediate Level and Up)</i> | Airs From the Shetland Islands <i>(Advanced Level)</i> | Icelandic Folk Tunes for Dulcimer <i>(Intermediate Level and Up)</i> |
| Becky | | Playing Spoons <i>(All Levels)</i> | | |

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| Ken | European Forms of the Mountain Dulcimer <i>(All Participants)</i> | | European Repertoire <i>(Intermediate Level and Up)</i> | Bowed Dulcimer <i>(Novice Level and Up)</i> |
| Jon | | Singing With the Dulcimer in the Traditional Style <i>(Intermediate Level and Up)</i> | Ritchie Family Songs and Traditions <i>(All Levels)</i> | Traditional Mountain Dulcimer Styles <i>(Novice Level and Up)</i> |
| Marsha | | | Fun Fiddle Tunes <i>(Advanced Level)</i> | |
| Joe | | Bum Diddy to Rock-n-Roll <i>(Intermediate Level and Up)</i> | Playing Upside Down <i>(Intermediate Level and Up)</i> | Old Hymns for the New Player <i>(Beginner Level)</i> |

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Instructors in Concert (*All Participants, 7:40 – 9:30*) – 20 minute sets.

Saturday, May 26

| Instructor | 9:00 – 10:00 | 10:30 – 11:45 | 1:15 – 2:30 | 3:30 – 4:45 |
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| Nancy | | Off to a Good Start – Part 3 of 4 <i>(Beginner Level; Sign Up for All 4 Parts)</i> | Off to a Good Start – Part 4 of 4 <i>(Beginner Level; Sign Up for All 4 Parts)</i> | Fingering With Finesse <i>(Novice Level and Up; Repeat of Friday Class)</i> |
| Jeff | | Beyond Beginner – Improve Foundations of Your Playing – Part 3 of 3 <i>(Beyond Beginner Level; Sign Up for All 3 Parts)</i> | Beyond the Notes – Getting More Expression <i>(Advanced Level; Repeat of Friday Class)</i> | Waltzing With the Dulcimer <i>(Intermediate Level and Up)</i> |
| Stephen | | Tunings and Capos <i>(Intermediate Level and Up; Repeat of Friday Class)</i> | Chords in DAA <i>(Intermediate Level and Up)</i> | How Different Levels Can Play Together <i>(All Levels; Repeat of Friday Class)</i> |

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| Phyllis & Jim | Galax Dulcimer: A Melton Family Tradition (All Participants) | | Fake It 'Til You Make It <i>(Novice Level and Up)</i> | Old-Time Tunes – A Modal <i>(Novice Level and Up)</i> |
| Ben | | DAA Tuning to Other Tunings <i>(Novice Level and Up; Repeat of Friday Class)</i> | In the Dulcimer Repair Shop | In the Dulcimer Repair Shop |
| Bill | | Airs From Shetland Islands <i>(Advanced Level; Repeat of Friday Class)</i> | Icelandic Folk Tunes for the Dulcimer <i>(Intermediate Level and Up; Repeat of Friday Class)</i> | Songs Inspired by Bonnie Prince Charlie <i>(Intermediate Level and Up; Repeat of Friday Class)</i> |
| Becky | | | | Playing Spoons <i>(All Levels; Repeat of Friday Class)</i> |
| Ken | | | Bowed Dulcimer <i>(Novice Level and Up; Repeat of Friday Class)</i> | European Repertoire <i>(Intermediate Level and Up; Repeat of Friday Class)</i> |
| Jon | | Traditional Mountain Dulcimer Styles <i>(Novice Level and Up; Repeat of Friday Class)</i> | Singing With the Dulcimer in the Traditional Style <i>(Intermediate Level and Up; Repeat of Friday Class)</i> | Ritchie Family Songs and Traditions <i>(All Levels; Repeat of Friday Class)</i> |
| Marsha | | Fun Fiddle Tunes <i>(Advanced Level; Repeat of Friday Class)</i> | | |
| Joe | | Playing Upside Down <i>(Intermediate Level and Up; Repeat of Friday Class)</i> | Bum Diddy to Rock-n-Roll <i>(Intermediate Level and Up; Repeat of Friday Class)</i> | Multi-Part Hymns <i>(All Levels)</i> |

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