



# Newsletter

## Wild Hog in the Woods

### Coffeehouse

Folk Music, Storytelling & Dance



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## September Concerts & Events

**Friday, Sept. 9**  
8:00 - 10:30pm

### **The Outside Agitators**

Come and join the rabble-rousing as this loose conglomeration of four Wisconsin folkies uses humor and social commentary along with guitar, banjo, dulcimer, bass and fiddle to present contemporary and traditional songs. They are Tom Kastle, Stephen Lee Rich, David HB Drake and Rich Baumann.

**Monday, Sept. 12**  
7:00—8:30pm

### **Coordinators Meeting**

This is your chance to lend ideas and/or a hand in the operation of our all-volunteer collectively run coffeehouse. Everyone welcome!

**Friday, Sept. 16**  
8:00 - 10:30pm

### **Mac Robertson**

Mac has sung sea chanteys on the Clearwater, ballads in Scotland, picked his banjo in Appalachia and had his song "Duck Riders in the Dells" featured on WPR's Simply Folk. He produced banjo instruction books that are internationally distributed by Hal Leonard, and he leads Mad Folk Summer Singalongs at Blue Mound State Park. Bring your singing voices.

**Saturday, Sept. 17**  
2:00 - 4:30pm

### **Hootenany!**

Bring copies of your favorite songs and your stringed and other instruments. This is a free event with Phill-up collecting voluntary donations. (Hootenany! is also scheduled on Oct. 15, Nov. 19, and Dec. 17)

**Friday, Sept. 23**  
8:00 - 10:30pm

### **Skip Jones**

Skip returns to the Hog stage after his summer tour to present Americana and other folk songs. Be you young, old or even sandwiched in between, he has songs for you. His CDs include *Life Is Delicious*, *You Are My Sunshine*, *Grandpa's River* and *The Journey*. Tune in to WPR's Simply Folk on Sunday Sept. 18 from 5-8pm. More at skipjones.net.

**Friday, Sept. 30**  
8:00 - 10:30pm

### **Dustbunnies**

This is a CD release concert/party. Despite economic disruption, Dustbunnies multiply without much outside intervention. Hear tunes off their new CD *What Goes Around* and other traditional Irish and original tunes in a variety of arrangements. It's Bill Fallon on vocals and guitar, Ben Doran on hammered dulcimer and vocals, Michael Straszak on vocals, guitar and accordion, John Roche on bodhran and Rick March on mandolin, banjo and guitar.

### **Etcetera**

#### **Sound Setup and Mixing Workshop (Saturday, October 22 at 2 p.m.)**

Learn how to mix sound for folk music concerts at the Hog. You will learn about each piece of equipment and how these pieces interconnect. We will discuss mixing theories that fit with folk music while showing you how to place microphones and operate the mixer and other equipment. To register, please visit [wildhoginthewoods.org/Members/SoundOperations](http://wildhoginthewoods.org/Members/SoundOperations).

#### **Volunteers Needed**

Many hands make the work light so consider volunteering in whatever capacity you are able. On the back of the newsletter is the Handy Hog Contact List. This gives you an idea of the many ways that you can volunteer. Call or e-mail the person on the list in the area that interests you. For general questions, you can e-mail [info@wildhoginthewoods.org](mailto:info@wildhoginthewoods.org) or call Kim Genich at 608-233-5687. Volunteering is easy and fun. Membership prices are reduced if you volunteer three times in a year. Contact us today!

# BACON BITS

THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS

As this goes to print, I do not have the names of all the volunteers who helped us out in the summer months. We at the Hog want you to know how very much we appreciate that you gave up some precious summer time to help us out. We just could not be the Wild Hog in the Woods without each and every one of you.

The Wild Hog provides a value to the community as an alternative venue for music. You are the soul that keeps us moving forward. We need you and appreciate you. Thank you for all you do.

Thanks also go to all the performers that play at our concerts. You play with gusto and enthusiasm, a full-out performance. You have provided enjoyment for many years. You, too, keep the Wild Hog the valued treasure that it is.

**“THANK YOU ALL!**

**We couldn't have done it without you.”**

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