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NEWSLETTER

March 13, 2022

Brunswick Schedule –

TUESDAY, MARCH 15

5:30 – 6:00 – Review of steps

6:00 – 6:45 Transition Class - Rompin Stompin, Runaround Sue, Forever & Ever Amen, Down at PaPa Joes, It's Not Unusual, You're the One That I Want

6:45– 8:00 – Demo Dancers –Mi Vida Loca, Irish Medley, I'm Looking Over a Four Leaf Clover, Irish Polka, Clover, Old Dan Tucker, Cry of the Celtics, Dance Above the Rainbow, Good Lovin, Absolutely Everybody, I'll Fly Away, Turkey in the Straw

SUNDAY, MARCH 20

1:00 – 3:30 – Competition Dress Rehearsal & Review of Demo Songs

PAST DEMOS/EVENTS:

Sunday, March 13 – Competition Dress Rehearsal was a huge success! The competition team performed their routines in front of a very large crowd. They are so ready for NECC in Burlington VT. Go CRU!!!! Thank you to everyone who came to support the team! Thank you also to the cloggers who danced on stage in between costume changes ☺

UPCOMING DEMOS/EVENTS:

Thursday, March 17, 2022 – 1:00 pm – Mechanicville Senior Center, 178 North Main Street, Mechanicville 12118, Outfit #10 for Group 1 and green sparkly shirt & black capris for Group 2. Routines: Absolutely Everybody, Irish Medley, Irish Polka, I'm Looking Over a Four Leaf Clover, I'll Fly Away, Dance Above the Rainbow, Clover; Cock of the North & Lord of the Dance (Mary & Cassandra), Forever & Ever Amen – Interactive Teach



Saturday, March 19, 2022 – CM School of Fine Arts, 11th Annual Capital District's Celtic Music Jam, 17 Executive Park Drive, Clifton Park 12065. Group 1 Outfit #11, Routines: I'm Looking Over a Four Leaf Clover, Irish Polka, Irish Medley, Old Dan Tucker; Group 2 Outfit green sparkly shirt and black capris, Routines: TBD Donna will present a brief history of clogging and Fran will do an interactive teach with the audience.

Saturday, March 26, 2022 – Schuyler Ridge Nursing Home – 1 Abele Drive, Clifton Park 12065 – Group 1 Outfit #17, Routines: I'm Looking Over a Four Leaf Clover, Dance Above the Rainbows, Amazing Grace, Irish Polka, Old Dan Tucker, Rocky Top; Group 2 Green Sparkly Top, Black Capris, Andrew White Shirt, Black Pants, Routines: TBD

Thursday, April 7, 2022 – lunch at 11:45 – demo immediately to follow – Shenendehowa United Methodist Church, 971 NY-146, Clifton Park, 12065, Outfit #11, Routines: Dance Above the Rainbow, You're the One That I Want, Sister Kate, I'll Fly Away, Rompin Stompin, Rocky Top, Down at PaPa Joes, At the Hop, Forever & Ever



Friday, April 8, 2022 – 3:00 – Slate Valley Center Nursing & Rehab Center, 10421 Slate Route 40, Granville 12836 – Outfit # 6 Routines: Dance Above the Rainbow, You're the One That I Want, Sister Kate, I'll Fly Away, I'm Looking Over a Four Leaf Clover, Old Dan Tucker, MiVida Loca, Cowboy Sweetheart, At the Hop, Forever & Ever Amen & YMCA with audience

Wednesday, May 4, 2022 – 12:30 pm – Saratoga Seniors in Schuylerville, 12 Spring Street, Schuylerville 12871, Outfit #17, routines: I'm Looking Over A Four Leaf Clover, Old Dan Tucker, Sister Kate, You're the One That I Want, Absolutely Everybody, Dance Above the Rainbows, Get on Board, Good Lovin, Turkey in the Straw, YMCA, Forever & Ever Amen

Saturday, September 10, 2022 – 2:30 pm – Irish Day in Irishtown, O'Neil Road, Minerva

2022 CONVENTIONS and COMPETITIONS

Northeast Clogging Competition – Thursday, March 31 – Sunday, April 3, 2022 at DoubleTree by Hilton, Burlington, Vermont.

Nickle City Clogging Convention – Thursday, April 21 – Sunday, April 23, 2022 at Doubletree Niagara Falls, NY

Maine Spring Fling Clogging Weekend – Friday, May 20 – Sunday, May 22, 2022 at Bayley's Campground in Scarborough, Maine. Workshops are scheduled for Friday evening and all day Saturday. Competition is scheduled for Sunday. If anyone is interested in attending, please contact Fran for more information.

STIPENDS FOR CONVENTIONS

Even though the advent of COVID resulted in significantly fewer demos, and ultimately less income for the Hill Country Cloggers, the Board has agreed to continue to support members who attend conventions in 2022.

Member dancers will receive a one-time \$50.00 stipend and member non-dancers/spectators will receive a one-time reimbursement for their entry fee. Reimbursements will be distributed AFTER attending a convention. Stipend or reimbursements will be provided for one convention per member per calendar year.

Eligibility to receive a stipend is contingent upon:

- 1) Registering as a Hill Country Clogger (HCC) and performing or attending as a representative of HCC.
- 2) Participating in at least one class (if a dancer).
- 3) Providing our treasurer (Tom Poole) with a copy of the registration form and proof of payment **no later than 14 days after the convention.**

If you have any questions, please email George at franb@nycap.rr.com or telephone him at 518-279-3067.
