

an Appalachian Cèilidh

Dear Friend of Susquehanna Folk,

It's that time of the year again! Our annual end-of-the-year party is planned for Sunday, June 17, 2018 in the Gallery at the Appalachian Brewery in Harrisburg. The theme of this year's much anticipated event is "An Appalachian Cèilidh." Please save the date and contribute your presence to this important event, which supports future SFMS programming.

"An Appalachian Cèilidh" will include a Silent Auction, featuring handcrafted items, artwork, gifts, books, and themed assortments as well as gift certificates from local merchants. Please help make our Silent Auction a success by donating from your own collection or inviting a local merchant, artist or craftsperson to participate.

Services can also be offered for our Silent Auction! Some examples from past years:

- A fairy garden created in your yard
- Spanish lessons
- A Gettysburg Hike/Tour for four, with lunch
- Hand-stamped Thank You notes

We are happy to advertise your donation — and your shop or business! Auction donors receive these benefits:

- Listing on the SFMS website through December, with item description and a link to your website
- Printed description of donated item, and special promotional text on auction table
- Space for donor business cards or other promotional materials on auction table
- Tax deduction to the extent allowed by law
- Satisfaction of supporting traditional music and dance

The deadline for donations is June 3rd.

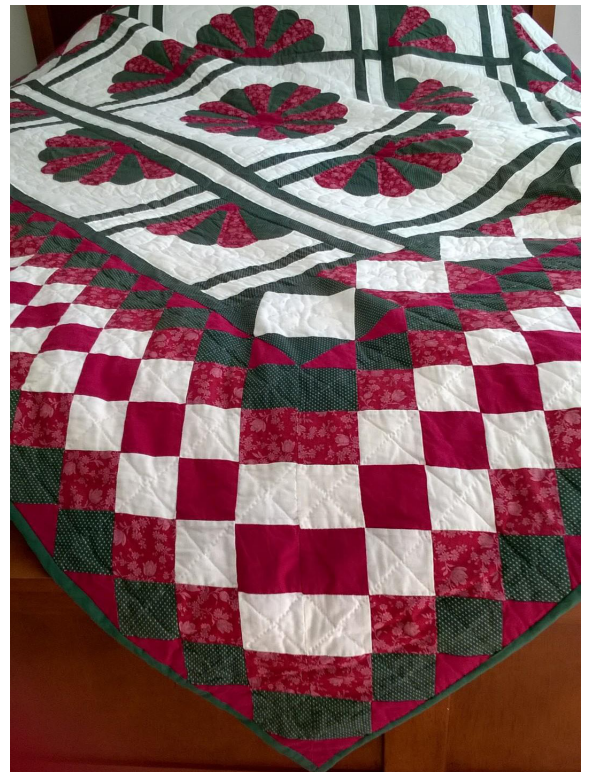
Please contact me directly (my contact info is below) to discuss your ideas for a service or to arrange for pickup or drop-off of donated items. Thanks in advance, and see you at "An Appalachian Cèilidh" !

Sincerely,



Bart Carpenter, Susquehanna Folk Music Society Auctioneer

email bart.carpenter@sfmsfolk.org
or leave a message at 717-745-6577



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Silent Auction Donations Invited!

The Susquehanna Folk Music Society is seeking donations for its Silent Auction, a part of our "Appalachian Cèilidh" event scheduled for June 17, 2018 at the Appalachian Brewing Company in Harrisburg.

Items such as original handicrafts, restaurant gift certificates, weekend getaways, catered meals, spa packages, professional services, event tickets and more are welcome! Proceeds from the auction will support future Susquehanna Folk programming, helping to ensure the vitality of live folk music and dance in Central Pennsylvania. Your donation will be acknowledged in the event programme book, on our website, and from the stage.

Please contact Bart Carpenter no later than June 3rd to pledge your donation, so that we may acknowledge your gift appropriately. Email Bart.Carpenter@sfmsfolk.org, leave a message at 717-745-6577, or mail this pledge form to Bart Carpenter, 3401 Green Street, Harrisburg, PA 17110. Arrangements can be made for pickup.

YES! I want to donate to Susquehanna Folk's Annual Silent Auction.

No, I'm sorry I do not have a donation, but enclosed is my monetary contribution to the Susquehanna Folk Music Society, to support future events and programming! Amount \$ _____

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Organization: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ Fax: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ Email: _____

I will donate the following: (For each item, please include a description and approximate retail value.)

Item 1: _____

Item 2: _____

Item 3: _____

The Susquehanna Folk Music Society is a charitable entity, organized under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, and it is eligible to receive tax deductible contributions. Your donation of items for this auction may be tax deductible and we encourage you to consult your tax advisor to determine the amount of any deduction. We will provide you with documentation of the items you donate for the auction.

More information at SusquehannaFolk.org or 717-745-6577