Web Chat on 7/8/20

Let’s Talk about Reentry
Recommendations and Q&A for Organizers

Welcome!

Glimpse of our last Web Chat: Yes we CAN keep in touch!
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Please keep your microphone muted and video off when you are not speaking. (There will be time at the end to share videos.)

We suggest using Gallery View.

Add questions or comments using chat.
Web Chat Format

7:30 pm ET  Introduction: Katy German
7:35  Hearing from 7 guests on a variety of topics:
   MD, contact tracer, professional freelance musician,
   organizers of dance, music, and song communities
8:10  Resources and Follow-up
8:15  Q&A followed by open conversations in breakout rooms
9:00  Farewell
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Amy Schroeder, MD
Chicago, IL

Family Physician practicing for 15 years, currently in outpatient geriatric practice

Contra dancer for about 30 years and has tried many other types of social dance and music

Dance home is Chicago Barn Dance Dance Company
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Michal Warshow
Arlington, VA

Master’s degree in infectious disease epidemiology, currently a contact tracer for Arlington County since February 2020

Dancer for 30+ years, organized Chesapeake Dance Weekend for 20+ years, former CDSS summer Program Director (Cascade); home dance: Folklore Society of Greater Washington

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Owen Morrison
Washington, DC

Full-time professional freelance musician for 14 Years, former program director for both family and adult weeks at Pinewoods Camp

Life-long dancer and has been to hundreds of dance weekends/weeks as a participant, musician, organizer

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Donna Hunt
Elkins Park, PA
Organizer for 30+ years
Presently with Mt. Airy Contra in Philadelphia, PA
Independent of Mt Airy Contra, Donna helps to organize dance leaders from around Philadelphia to discuss reopening (or not) during this Covid time.
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How to generate your own local “Safe to Dance” group – Donna Hunt

Resources to help you create a list of dances in your geographic area:

CDSS Group Directory:
https://cdss.force.com/commons/s/group-directory

• Jeff Kaufman's Trycontra.com for map and zip code look-up

• Also consider other dance forms in your area and include those organizers: English, Scottish, Ballroom/Couple, Scandi, International, etc.
Resources shared within “Safe to Dance Again?” Group

• *When 511 Epidemiologists Expect to Fly, Hug and 18 Other Everyday Activities Again*  

• Cluster of Coronavirus Disease Associated with South Korean Fitness Dance  
  [https://wwwnc.cdc.gov/eid/article/26/8/20-0633_article?fbclid=IwAR09sLjJOKxxrJaWZm2lAFvbshtFMHFr51bgqb-qV_JSEhPJIVRtYhqu2yA](https://wwwnc.cdc.gov/eid/article/26/8/20-0633_article?fbclid=IwAR09sLjJOKxxrJaWZm2lAFvbshtFMHFr51bgqb-qV_JSEhPJIVRtYhqu2yA)

• New York Times 4/14/20, *This 3-D Simulation Shows Why Social Distancing Is So Important* by Yuliya Parshina-Kottas, Bedel Saet, Karthik Patanjali, Or Fleisher and Gabriel Gianordoli. April 14, 2020  
• Israeli-born Dorry L. Segev is a Professor of Surgery at Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Professor of Epidemiology at Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, and Associate Vice Chair of the Department of Surgery at Johns Hopkins Hospital. He is an award-winning and international teacher in swing dance and Lindy Hop. In 2005, Segev and his wife, Gentry started Charm City Swing.  
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nQBppvH-B2E

• Erin Bromage: *The Risks - Know them, Avoid them*  
https://www.erinbromage.com/post/the-risks-know-them-avoid-them
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Bill Quern & Sarah Gowan
Drexel Hill, PA

SPUDS open band (Philadelphia, PA)
& NESI open band (Becket, MA)

Dancers, musicians, instructors, and organizers for 40+ years. Bill is co-coordinator for SPUDS (our open contra dance band). Sarah created and maintains the SPUDS website including online tune resources used by communities all over the world. For SPUDs tune repertoire and other resources visit www.thursdaycontra.com/~spuds/TuneLinks.html.

Personal website: www.boxandstringmusic.com; SPUDS: www.thursdaycontra.com/~spuds/
Will Quale
Montague, MA

Co-organizer: Town Common Songs
trad singer, morris dancer, etc. for
20+ years, ethnomusicologist

Our trad singing sessions have been held DAILY since 18 March 2020: outdoors,
widely-spaced, inclusive within a very local area. We regularly read, review, and
discuss literature related to virus transmission and singing. We also develop
evolving practices to balance community safety and health.

Visit towncommonsongs.org for links to research and much more!
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More resources available through CDSS

• CDSS Resource Portal: cdss.org/portal
• Quarterly Shop Talk e-blasts for organizers: Join via cdss.org/shop-talk
• Web Chat Series (info from all previous web chats): cdss.org/web-chats
• CDSS Grants: cdss.org/grants
• Quarterly e-blasts for CDSS Affiliates: cdss.org/affiliate
• CDSS Newsletter (includes articles for organizers): cdss.org/news
COVID-related Resources on CDSS.org

- **Resources for Organizers:** This section provides ideas from organizers for ways they are helping their communities stay connected and engaged during the pandemic. Please send us news from your group!

- **Online Events:** A crowd-sourced list of online events for and from dance, music, and song communities. Submit your event!

- **Event Cancellations:** We do our best to keep a running list of music, dance, and song events that have been cancelled due to COVID-19. Feel free to send us your group’s cancellations.

- **Resources for Freelancers** and **Directory of Gigging Artists:** During this time, so many callers, musicians, singers, and sound technicians are experiencing serious losses of work and income. If you’d like to support any of them, visit this section and send your love, business, or funds.
Follow-up

• Your feedback is very valuable for upcoming Web Chats! We’d also like to hear your requests for future Web Chat topics. Please reply to the SURVEY you’ll receive tomorrow morning.

• Next week, visit cdss.org/web-chats to access the video recording, chatbar transcription, and powerpoint of tonight’s Web Chat. Please share with friends!

• Keep in touch! Let us know about ways CDSS can support YOUR community. Send questions, comments, and requests to Linda Henry: resources@cdss.org
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Q&A

• Continue to keep your video and mic muted.
• Type your questions into the chat.
• Our Web Chat guests will answer selected questions.
• Since we won’t have time for all questions to be answered, we encourage you to continue these conversations via sharedweight.net, an online forum for organizers.
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Open Conversations in Breakout Rooms

• Feel free to turn on your video! You can unmute yourself to chat once you are in your breakout room.

• We’ll sort you into breakout rooms by interest e.g. dance, song, music, other.

• No facilitator or agenda – space for you to talk about any of the topics.

• 15 Minutes for group discussion, then we’ll all come back to the main Zoom room to wrap up.
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