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CONTRA & ENGLISH DANCES

Dance Calendar for October 2017

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Date	Caller	Musicians
English Sunday, October 1	Dan Seppeler	Serendipity with Boel Gidholm <i>Dan's vast repertoire & energetic calling plus Barb's & Laurie's skill & joy in playing for dancing makes this a popular pairing. And for this dance they are adding Boel, a fantastic violinist from the early music group Publick Musick.</i>
Contra Thursday, October 5	Judy Greenhill	Relative Harmony <i>This Canadian family of excellent musicians; Rick (keyboard, guitar & banjo) & Jonathan (violin & percussion) Avery with Judy Greenhill as caller/musician have appeared throughout the Eastern US & Mid-West, as well as in their home province of Ontario. The music is an energetic blend of New England, Quebecois & Irish/Celtic, with some original tunes added to the mix.</i>
English Sunday, October 8	Judy Greenhill	Relative Harmony <i>See above. They play for English dancing too!</i>
Contra Thursday, October 12	Ted Crane	Wry Bred with Julie Sorcek (flute & saxophone, Mickey Koth (fiddle) & Robert Messore (guitar,) engages in joyful musical conversations with driving rhythms & exuberant harmonies. Calling solo this month Ted Crane comes from Ithaca with skillful calling & sly wit.
English Sunday, October 15	Colleen Liggett & Richard Sauvain	Crooked Sixpence features Kathy Selby (fiddle), Gordon Bonnet (flute) & John Wobus (piano). This high-octane trio specializes in music for contra & English dance.
Contra Thursday, October 19	Evan DeSmitt & Maxine McDonald	Crooked Sixpence will get you out of your seat and up on your feet! Caller Evan DeSmitt will be showcasing new skills he learned at CDSS camp this summer.
English Sunday, October 22	Richard Sauvain	Molly Jaynes Wilson, Mark Dumont & Chris DeGolyer Violin, flute, & piano - a classic combination for those lovely English dance tunes.
Contra Thursday, October 26	Bob Nicholson & Sharon Perry	Over and Under We welcome back Sharon Perry, who is returning to the stage after an extended absence. Joining her is experienced caller Bob Nicholson from Syracuse. Over and Under is a local band that has been part of the contra community for decades. If we're lucky, we can sing as we dance to "Waltzing with Bears"
English Saturday, October 28 Masquerade Ball	Dan Blim	Jane Knoeck, Mark Dumont & Roberta Truscello Our annual Saturday night Halloween-themed dress up dance! Decorations, costumes, great refreshments, & an easy, relaxed program of spooky dances. This is a fund raiser for our English dance group – admission is \$25 (\$15 students / low income), payable at the door. At our usual dance location – First Baptist. Our caller Dan Blim, making his Rochester debut, was on staff at the CDSS dance week at Camp Cavell this past summer.

Marcia Locke is the current editor of this calendar; our [web page](#) has details about times, places, and admission fees.