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*On the cover: Ventura International Folk Dancers on the grass.*



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## Editors' Corner

As we head in toward our press time, there are still clubs that haven't registered their response to the lamentable inability of Elena Macovei to perform her workshops, as noted in The Corner.

Ventura International Folk Dancers is our featured club this month.

Find other announcements of events in Calendar, On the Scene, and the ads.

Hear from your colleagues in Dancers Speak and Poetry Corner.

Recent Events features a Lithuanian festival.

Club Directory lets you know the regular meeting times and places as submitted by them.

Be of good cheer!

*Pat Cross and Don Krotser*

# The Corner

## !!! ELENA MACOVEI WORKSHOPS HAVE BEEN CANCELLED. !!!

Due to an accident involving her ankle, Elena has had to indefinitely postpone all of her November workshops. Hopefully, she will be able to come here at some future time.

**Alexandru David, who has been coordinating her planned trip, and is a well-known teacher of Romanian and Moldovan dances, can fill in for her at the clubs that were scheduled for her workshops. If your club is interested you can contact him at [AZDZXYZ@gmail.com](mailto:AZDZXYZ@gmail.com) or 1-747-202 5006. Be advised that he, being a local teacher, would not qualify for the Federation Visiting Master Teacher Program, and clubs would not receive a reimbursement for his fee. But to compensate for that, the fee he would ask would be significantly lower.**

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# VENTURA International Folk Dancers

We are the “New Kids on the Block;” we are new as a California Folk Dance Federation club, but we are not new to folk dancing, and we’ve been a cohesive group for a number of years. Some of our dancers have been folk dancing for decades. Others are newer to folk dancing, but have danced other types of dance before, and some of us are those brave and wonderful folk who gave folk dance a blind try. All of us contribute to the beautiful tapestry of what The Ventura International Folk Dancers are today.

A dedicated “core group” welcomes newcomers with guiding light, continues to socialize with dancers who no longer can dance with us, and keeps the gang joyfully dancing even while their leader runs off to dance camps and such. I am so fortunate to be a part of this wonderful, ebullient dancing circle!

Even before the Ventura International Folk Dancers were a part of the Federation, participation in Federation festivals, Statewides and Camp Hess Kramer were common.

Ventura dancers hosted a few dance festivals in Somis at the lovely Thursday Club. Most recently, we celebrated Ivan Filcich’s 95th birthday! (Ivan Filcich also celebrated his 90th with us, and I’m sure he hopes for a very BIG one for his 100th!) In 2018, Ventura held the Federation’s “Fall Festival.” The “Officers Jamboree” was another dance festival Ventura dancers organized in collaboration with the California Folk Dance Federation, South.

Ventura Folk Dancers have chaired Statewides and arranged at least 4 different “World Dance Day” exhibitions.

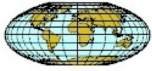
Stockton Folk Dance Camp, Teaching Seminars, Solvang’s Danish Days, Swing Dancing, Contra, English Country and Scottish Country groups have all had Ventura International Folk Dancers joining in.

We dance at the Ventura YMCA twice a week, with a special once a month Sunday afternoon folk dance party that’s mostly request dancing with some teaching. Dancing during the weekday with this club requires membership in the Y, but for the Sunday party, everyone is invited to join us. We hold this Sunday Party usually on the first Sunday of the month. That doesn’t always work. If a festival is competing with our 1st Sunday, we do our best to secure our venue for the 2nd Sunday. So far we have been able to make that work out well. Mark your calendars for “First Sundays” November 3rd, December 1st and January 5th. We hope to see you on the dance floor!

*Valerie Daley*



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## **ALBANIA and KOSOVO:** May 5-17, ext. 17-19, 2020

Led by Lee Otterholt **Tirana, Durres, Vlora Folk Dance Festival! Kruja, Saranda, Berat, Shkodra, Gjirokastra**



## **NORWAY, DENMARK, SWEDEN:** June 9-22, 2020

Led by Lee Otterholt: **Oslo, Gothenburg, Helsingborg, Copenhagen**

## **BULGARIA:** August 3-16, 2020 Koprivshitsa Folk Festival Tour!

Led by Jim Gold, Lee Otterholt, Lee Friedman  
**Sofia, Plovdiv, Bansko, Veliko Turnovo, and Koprivshitsa Folk Festival**



## **GREECE and the GREEK ISLANDS:** October 10-23, 2020

Led by Jim Gold and/or Lee Otterholt: **Athens, Nauplia, Sparta, Olympia, Delphi, Meteora, Mycenae, and Epidaurus Greek Island Cruise to Mykonos, Crete, Rhodes, Patmos, Kusadasi (Turkey), Santorini Ext.: Oct. 23-25**



## **SPAIN:** September 16-29, 2021: Led by Lee Otterholt

**Malaga, Cadiz, Seville, Cordoba, Jaen, Granada**

## **GERMANY, AUSTRIA, LICHTENSTEIN, SWITZERLAND**

**June 16-29, 2021. Folk Dance and Yodeling Tour. First of its kind!**

Led by Jim Gold, Lee Otterholt, and Lee Friedman  
**Munich, Saltzburg, Innsbruck, Swiss Alps, Lucerne, Zurich**

## **ISRAEL:** October 31-November 11, 2021

Led by Jim Gold, Joe Freedman, and Lee Friedman  
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CALL TO CONFIRM ALL EVENTS

Visit [www.socalfolkdance.org/calendar.htm](http://www.socalfolkdance.org/calendar.htm) for flyers and up-to-date information

## NOVEMBER

- 1 *Bulgarika at LIFE Balkan Dancers*, LADanceFit Studio, 10936 Santa Monica Blvd. Info: Sherry Cochran, [worldance1@gmail.com](mailto:worldance1@gmail.com)
- 1 ***Christos Papacostas***, renowned Greek Dance teacher from Greece, at Kypseli Greek Dance Center from 8:15 to 9:45 PM, followed by open dancing to recorded Greek music. Friday night in the Tango Room, 4346 Woodman Ave, Sherman Oaks. Info: [www.kypseli.org](http://www.kypseli.org) or email [xorepse@gmail.com](mailto:xorepse@gmail.com).
- 1 **CANCELED** *Moldovan teacher Elena Macovei at West Valley, 7:30 at 7326 Jordan, Canoga Park. Info: 818.368.1957.*
- 2 *EuroSerb Fest*, Woodbridge Community Park, Irvine noon - 8 p.m. 6th annual European Food and Folk Festival, sponsored by Nativity of the Most Holy Theotokos Serbian Orthodox Church, with a variety of different ethnic performing groups.
- 4 **CANCELED? CONTACT CLUB** *Elena Macovei* will be teaching at San Diego Folk Dance Center, new location Oasis Wellness Center, 5500 Grossmont Center Drive, La Mesa, CA 91942 <http://www.folkdancecenter.org/>. Info: Mary Marshall [mamarshall1@sbcglobal.net](mailto:mamarshall1@sbcglobal.net)
- 6 **CANCELED? CONTACT CLUB** *Elena Macovei* will be teaching at Ethnic Express, Charleston Center, 800 So. Brush St., Las Vegas. Info: [rpkillian@gmail.com](mailto:rpkillian@gmail.com)
- 8 **CANCELED** *Elena Macovei* will be teaching at Pasadena Co-op.
- 9 **CANCELED** *Elena Macovei* at Café Aman, LADanceFit Studio, 10936 Santa Monica Blvd.
- 10 **CANCELED** *Elena Macovei* will be teaching at Laguna Int'l Dancers. Info: [LeeOtterholt@yahoo.com](mailto:LeeOtterholt@yahoo.com)
- 12 **CANCELED? CONTACT CLUB** *Elena Macovei* will be teaching at Bay Osos Folk Dancers. (805) 534-1501, [annetiber@charter.net](mailto:annetiber@charter.net)
- 14 **CANCELED** *Elena Macovei* will be teaching at Narodni as she tours the area. Narodni members \$5, guests \$7.

14 ***Caspar Bik*** will be teaching at Westwood Co-op.

15-17 ***Fall Camp in Honor of Beverly & Irwin Barr***. At the Brandeis-Bardin Campus of the American Jewish University, 1101 Peppertree Lane, Brandeis, CA 93064 (near Simi Valley). Master teachers Erica Goldman (Israeli) and Caspar Bik (international). Info: visit [FallCamp.org](http://FallCamp.org) or email [Dance@FallCamp.org](mailto:Dance@FallCamp.org). (Sold out but there may be a wait list.)

17 ***Caspar Bik*** will be teaching at Laguna Int'l Folkdancers.

## DECEMBER

- 14 *Filip Petkovski* will teach at Cafe Aman, with live music from Veselba and Sto Horio. LADanceFit Studio, 10936 Santa Monica Blvd, L.A. \$20.
- 15 *Israeli Dances from the 80's* with Joan Hantman 7:30-8:15 beginners, 8:15-9:00 teaching and 9:00-11:00+ open dancing. LADanceFit Studio, 10936 Santa Monica Blvd, LA \$10.
- 31 ***New Year's Eve Party at Pasadena Coop 8:30-10:30. See ad.***
- 31 ***New Year's Eve Party at Veselo Selo with Interfolk, fireworks by Disney at midnight.***

## JANUARY 2020

- 11 *Macedonian New Year's Party* (on the Julian Calendar) at St Mary's, Whittier.

## FEBRUARY

- 2 ***Cerritos Folkdancers Lunar New Year East West Festival*** with Daniela Ivanova and Sue Chen and Wen Chiang, Cerritos Senior Center, 12340 South St, Cerritos, 12:50 - 5:40 pm. \$15 at the door or \$12 if prepaid by Jan 25. Info: Sue Chen 562-338-2298 or [cerritosfolkdancers@gmail.com](mailto:cerritosfolkdancers@gmail.com). See OTS.
- 13-15 *Greek FDF Competition* at Anaheim Marriott <http://www.yourfdf.org/>
- 22-23 *Palm Desert Greek Festival*, St. George Orthodox Church.
- 28-29 *St. Sava Kalemegdan Kolofest* 1640 S San Gabriel Boulevard, San Gabriel, CA.

## MARCH

- 5-8 *NFO Conference*, in conjunction with the 50th Laguna Folk Dance Festival, Laguna Woods.
- 29 *Bulgarian dance workshop* with Nikolai Tsvetkov, LADanceFit Studio, 10936 Santa Monica Blvd LA, sponsored by Joan Hantman.

## MAY

- 3 *Cerritos Festival at Cerritos Senior Center*, 12340 South St, Cerritos, 1- 5:40 pm \$6 or \$5 prepaid, info: Sue Chen 562-338-2298 or [cerritosfolk dancers@gmail.com](mailto:cerritosfolk dancers@gmail.com)

## NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

- Nov 29-30 *Kolo Festival*, Croatian Center, San Francisco, with Sonia Dion and Cristian Florescu, Joe Graziosi, and others; info <http://balkantunes.org/kolofestival>. See ad.

## OUT OF STATE

### FLORIDA

- Jan 31- Feb 3, 2020: *Florida Folk Dance Winter Workshop*, Tineke and Maurits van Geel teaching international and Armenian dances. Ramada Kissimmee Gateway, 7470 W. Irlo Bronson Memorial Highway #192, Kissimmee FL (Orlando area). Info: 813.234.1231, or email [president@folkdance.org](mailto:president@folkdance.org), or visit <http://folkdance.org/> and click on calendar of events.

### ILLINOIS

- Mar 20-22, 2020 *Balkanske Igre's Spring Festival*. See ad.

### NEW YORK

- Jan 17-18, 2020 *Golden Fest* [www.goldenfest.org](http://www.goldenfest.org)
- May 8-10, 2020 *IFC Revival* with Caspar Bik, Steve Kotanksy, Moshe Eskayo, MarekKef Express. Circle Lodge, Sylvan Lake, Hopewell Junction, NY <http://ifc-ny.com/IFC.flier.pdf>

## FOREIGN

### ALBANIA AND KOSOVO

- 5/7-19, 2020 *Tour led by Lee Otterholt*. Includes Tirana, Durres, Vjora FD Festival, Kruja, Saranda, Berat, Shkodra, Gjirokastra. Extension 5/19-21. Info: [www.JimGold.com](http://www.JimGold.com), 201.836.0362. See ad.

### BULGARIA

- 6/9-17, 2020 *Rose Valley Workshop* and a special late summer workshop before Koprivshitsa 7/28-8/5 info: [RoseValleyWorkshop@gmail.com](mailto:RoseValleyWorkshop@gmail.com)

- 7/30-8/5, 2020 *Bulgarian Folk Music & Dance*, Plovdiv, Bulgaria [www.folkseminarplovdiv.net](http://www.folkseminarplovdiv.net)

- 8/2-16, 2020 *Tour led by Jim Gold and Lee Otterholt*. Includes Koprivshitsa Folk Festival. Info: [www.JimGold.com](http://www.JimGold.com), 201.836.0362. See ad.

- 8/3-17 2020 *Tour led by Petur Iliev* includes Koprivshitsa, Sofia, Plovdiv, Veliko Turnovo, the Rodopi mountains: Smolyan / Shiroka Luka, Pirin Macedonia: Sandanski / Melnik, the Black Sea Coast: Cape Kaliakra / Balchik, more. Info: [ilievdance@gmail.com](mailto:ilievdance@gmail.com)

## CENTRAL EUROPE

- 6/16-29, 2021 *Folk Dance and Yodeling Tour* to Germany, Austria, Lichtenstein, Switzerland. Led by Jim Gold. Info: [www.JimGold.com](http://www.JimGold.com), 201.836.0362. See ad.

## FRANCE

- 6/14-27 *Dance on the Water* tour to Lyon, Marseille, Rhone River cruise. Info: [folkdanceonthewater@gmail.com](mailto:folkdanceonthewater@gmail.com).

## GREECE

- 6/2-15 *Balkan Folk Tour 2020*, Macedonia, Albania & Greece led by Vlasto Petkovski info: [sunstagecompany@gmail.com](mailto:sunstagecompany@gmail.com)
- 10/10-23, 2020 *Tour of Greece and Greek Islands*. Led by Jim Gold and/or Lee Otterholt. Athens, Sparta, Delphi, etc. plus cruise to islands. Info: [www.JimGold.com](http://www.JimGold.com), 201.836.0362. See ad.

## ISRAEL

- 10/31-11/11, 2011 *Tour led by Jim Gold, Joe Freedman and Lee Friedman*. Info: <http://www.JimGold.com>, 201.836.0362. See ad.,

## PERU, BOLIVIA, CHILE

- 5/23-6/4 *Tour led by Martha Travera*. Ext. 6/4-6. Info: <http://www.JimGold.com>, 201.836.0362. See ad.,

## SCANDINAVIA

- 6/9 – 22, 2020 *Tour to Norway, Denmark, Sweden*. Led by Lee Otterholt. Info: [www.JimGold.com](http://www.JimGold.com), 201.836.0362. See ad.

## SPAIN

- 9/16-29, 2021 *Tour led by Lee Otterholt*. Malaga, Cadiz, Seville, Cordoba, Jaen, Granada. Info: [www.JimGold.com](http://www.JimGold.com), 201.836.0362. See ad.

# ON THE SCENE

## PASADENA FOLK DANCE CO-OP

We dance every Friday from 7:30 till 10:30 PM at the Altadena Community Church, 943 E. Altadena Drive in Altadena. We start with some warmup dances and begin teaching at 7:45.

November 1 will be our Halloween/Day-of-the-Dead costume party. Join us for pot-luck refreshments and lots of dancing. Costumes encouraged, but not required.

Unfortunately the previously announced November 8 master teacher session with Elena Macovei had to be canceled because Ms. Macovei suffered an ankle injury. We'll have our regular teaching and programmed dances that night.

In the beginning teaching session, we'll teach the Greek line dance, Natane to 1821, and U.S set dance, Grand Square. Intermediate teaching will review two Romanian line dances, Hora Spoitorilor and Ciuleandra

For more details go to  
PasadenaFolkDanceCoop.org.

*Mari Werner*

*Pasadena Folk Dance Co-op Publicity*

## UPDATE ON FALL CAMP

There has been so much interest in Fall Camp that it sold out in mid-September. With 96 people attending for the Nov. 15-17 camp, not only are the rooms filled (with many people registering for triple occupancy), but the dance floor is also at capacity. There will not be room to accommodate people who would like to attend for just a part of the weekend.

Besides teaching by the master teachers and dance parties that will be legendary, we have quite a few entertaining optional activities that are sure to please.

Sadly, Carol and Gordon Wall, who helped so much with Camp Hess Kramer, will be unable to attend because of health problems. They have donated the cost of their camp attendance to Fall Camp. Because of their generous donation, we are having a happy hour on Friday night in their honor, with the remainder of their donation used to offset camp costs.

*Jan Rayman*

## NARODNI INTERNATIONAL FOLKDANCERS

November 7 Diane Baker will be teaching dances from Stockton Camp

November 14 all-request night

November 21 Diane Baker will be back again with dances from Stockton Camp.

November 28 Narodni will be dark. Enjoy your Thanksgiving and come back next week to dance off all those holiday calories.

Our regular meeting night is Thursday at the Bellflower Woman's Club from 7:30 to 10:30. If you want to get on the mailing list to receive our weekly email announcements, you can sign up at

[narodni@callicomp.info](mailto:narodni@callicomp.info)

For more information contact Julith Neff at (562) 881-9504 (cell). You can also visit our website at [www.narodni.org](http://www.narodni.org) for basic information.

## CAFÉ AMAN HAPPENINGS – DECEMBER (7:30 PM – 11:30 PM).

December (Saturday, December 14<sup>th</sup>): Live music with 'Veselba' and 'Sto Horio' playing dances from Bulgaria, Macedonia and Greece. Filip Petkovski from Macedonia will be teaching dances from that country. This will be our End of the Year Party. Admission: \$20.

Please, if possible, would you bring chairs, we never seem to have enough of them.

As usual, we very much appreciate donations to our refreshment table.

Mady and Ian

## INTERNATIONAL FOLKLORE FESTIVALS 2020

Moonlight Events Organization issued the programs of the International Folklore Festivals for 2020 including: -

-Barcelona (Spain) 01.-06.07.2020.

-Rimini (Italy) 01.- 06.08.2020.

-Prague (Czech Republic) 10. – 13.07. 2020.

-Thessaloniki (Greece) 17. – 22.07. 2020.

-Paris (France) 01. – 04.05. 2020.

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# POETRY CORNER

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## THANK YOU

Grazie! Obrigado! Hvala vam! Dankie!  
For the dancing feet that polished the oak floor  
For the sawmill that cut boards straight and true  
For the wide field where the good-wood aged  
For the trucker who hauled the fine tall trunks  
For the lumberjack who felled and floated the logs  
For the patient growing years of sun and rain  
For the soil that suckled the sapling's hungry roots  
For the little seed blown into the nurturing crevice  
For the Source of seeds and trees and earth and sky  
Grazie! Obrigado! Hvala vam! Dankie!  
Thank You!

*Camille Dull*



## FALL

Little yellow leaves  
Shimmering in the sunlight  
Tentatively leaving their branch summer home  
Dancing in the breeze  
On their way down to the ground  
To nourish the earth for next year's growth

*Jill Michtom*

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## ON THE SCENE continued...

-Rome (Italy) 26. – 30.06.2020.

And many more destinations such as: Belgrade, Venice, Bratislava, Athens, Krakow and Istanbul. You can find information about them at: <http://folklorefestivals.org/>

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## VESELO SELO, NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER

- Nov. 2 DARK, (Church event)
- Nov. 9 All request
- Nov. 16 Sandy Wodicka teaching Hairedinski Abdai and Gajda Presavare
- Nov. 23 Sandy reviews
- Nov. 30 All request. Bring holiday leftovers to snack!
  
- Dec. 7 Reviews of some dances taught this year.
- Dec. 14 More reviews
- Dec. 21 Christmas party. Bring your holiday goodies to share.
- Dec. 28 All request warm-up to New Year's Eve
- Dec. 31 NEW YEAR'S EVE party 'til after midnight. Dance to the music of INTERFOLK. \$15.

*Louise Perry*

## EAST MEETS WEST: LUNAR NEW YEAR FESTIVAL

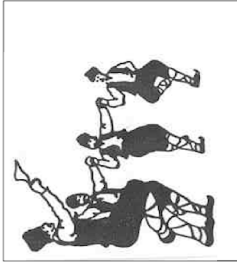
Cerritos Folk Dancers (CFD) will host the tenth annual Lunar New Year Festival on Sunday, February 2, 2020, from 1:00 to 5:40 p.m., at the Cerritos Senior Center, 12340 South Street, Cerritos, CA 90703.

The theme of the festival is East Meets West. We promote the communication among different folk dance communities. Featured teachers this time are Daniela Ivanova-Nyberg and Sue & Wen Chiang.

This event is sponsored by the Folk Dance Federation of California, South, Inc. Everyone is welcome to the party. Suggested donation is \$15 per person. It is \$12 if a non-refundable prepayment is received by January 25, 2020. Finger foods and other treats to share with other dancers are encouraged, but not required.

For information, please either contact Sue Chen at (562) 338-2298 or write to [CerritosFolkDancers@gmail.com](mailto:CerritosFolkDancers@gmail.com).

*Wen Chiang*



*Ensemble Balkanske Igre's*  
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# SPRING FESTIVAL

## March 20-22, 2020

Hyde Park/University of Chicago (Saturday & Sunday) plus Balkanika Restaurant (Friday evening)  
Saturday: International House, 1414 E 59th St / Sunday: Ida Noyes Hall, 1212 E 59th St, Chicago, IL 60637

### *Dance and Music of the Balkans, Eastern Europe, and Eastern Mediterranean*

Enjoy the best in Balkan, Eastern European, and Mediterranean dance, music, and culture with world renowned master teachers, spectacular live music, riveting dance & musical performances. Dance on a sprung oak floor. Sing, jam, and celebrate with friends new and old from coast to coast and Canada! **Special guest artist Ivan Dyakov.**

**March 20, Friday, 7pm – midnight, Ivan Dyakov & mini-dance workshop, Balkanika Restaurant, \$20 admission**  
**March 21-22, Sat/Sun, 9am-5pm - Saturday: I-House, 1414 E 59th St, Sunday: Ida Noyes Hall, 1212 E 59th St, Chicago**  
*Workshops, Party, Culture Sessions with Master Teachers and Artists from Europe*

Dance Workshops: **Yannis Konstantinou** (Greek) from Greece, **Šani Rifati** (Rrom) from Germany,

**Ventzi Sotirov** (Pirin), **Prof. Nikolay Tsvetkov** (Bulgarian) from Bulgaria

Singing & Music Workshops: **Chris Bajmakovich, James Stoyanoff** \$10/\$12 per workshop

**SATURDAY EVENING, March 21, 7pm, Concert & Dance Party featuring the finest live music**  
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# DANCERS SPEAK

## HUMPPA MIXER ANYONE?

*Ed.s Note: Last month in the lead article about dances in the Lowlands, Elizabeth Barber discussed a Belgian dance called: 't Smidje, and mentioned that dances very similar to it had different names in other regions. Below is an expansion of that idea.*

Here is a piece of my database, 22 alternate names for the same dance.

<u>Culture</u>	<u>Dance Name</u>
Sweden	Alemans marsj
Sweden	American Humppa
Belgium & Bretagne	Gigue
France (Bretagne)	Jig
France	Autre cercle Circassien
France	Rock irlandais
France	Chapelloise
France	Champeloise
France	Chapelle-des-Bois
France	Alle manns marsch
France	Champenoise
Scotland	Progressive Gay Gordons
England	Tripping upstairs
England	English Gay Gordons
USA	All American Promenade
USA	Humppa Mixer
Finland	Humppa Promenade
Latvia & Estonia	Pankūkas
Germany	Hamburger Marsch
Germany	Chappy-Louise
Lithuania	Granskveras
Basque	Txapella

I have ignored the two main points of difference in these dances, as many dancers do while dancing.

Difference 1: When the couples balance after the forward and back march; do they first go toward each other or away? Seattle Mountaineers choose away. Almost everyone else I have danced with chooses towards, except that group in Pittsburgh where I first learned this dance.

Difference 2: When mixing; does the woman turn under the couple's raised arms or speed around the outside of the man. Some performing groups, citing a Swedish dance document, send the woman running around the man's right arm to slower tempo music, most have her go under arched arms.

As far as I have seen or read neither difference is attached to any name. The Humppa names are the most commonly used in Seattle. The word "Humppa" refers to the original Finnish musical style. In English the style is spelled something like "Oom-pa". The Finns originally danced it to German style brass bands, this in the early 1920s. The Humppa is more commonly danced in Finland as either a close hold one-step (or more accurately the 20's Italian Turkey Trot) or a formal hold polka.

The oldest report of a name I have seen is La Chapelle-des-Bois on the La Chapelloise frame of the German web site [www.folkdanzkreis-freising.de](http://www.folkdanzkreis-freising.de) – German language. The second oldest are Gordon Tracie's incomplete notes from a 1950 trip to Sweden, Alemans marsj. Curiously, many French La Chapelloise YouTube videos are danced to Cajun music and there seems to be an Alemans Marsh in Louisiana Cajun territory. Can you smell a theory cooking there?

It would amuse me to know of other names, or to correct any I have mangled. Please; do not expect me to pronounce all of my list. I do take this sort of list as evidence that the 2<sup>nd</sup> quickest thing to cross cultural lines is good music, followed at some distance by good dances. Sadly, the 1<sup>st</sup> thing to cross cultural lines still appears to be bad news.

*Patrick McMonagle*

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Lithuanian Days - Folk Dance Group Švyturys -- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eVWLEPQKWcw>

Lithuanian Days - Band Antikvariniai Kašpirovskio Dantys -- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VZDIHK7bOXk>

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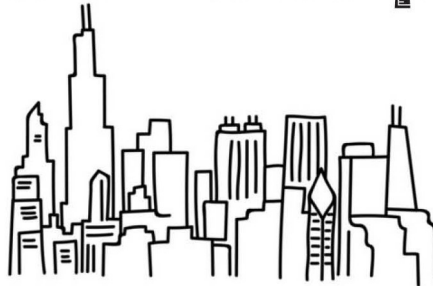




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## Federation Clubs

**Bay Osos Folk Dancers:** Tue 11:00-3:00. South Bay Community Center, 2180 Palisades Ave, **LOS OSOS.** (805) 534-1501, [annetiber@charter.net](mailto:annetiber@charter.net) Anne Tiber.

\***Cabrillo Folk Dancers:** Tue 7:00-9:30 (Beg 7-8). Balboa Park. Balboa Park Club, 2144 Pan American, **SAN DIEGO.** (858) 459-1336 [gbsham@gmail.com](mailto:gbsham@gmail.com) Georgina.

**Cerritos Folk Dancers:** Tue 6:00-8:45. Cerritos Senior Center, 12340 South St, **CERRITOS.** (562) 865-8854 [chiangwenli@yahoo.com](mailto:chiangwenli@yahoo.com) Wen Chiang

**Conejo Valley Folk Dancers:** Wed 7:30-9:30. Conejo Rec Center, 403 W Hillcrest Dr, **THOUSAND OAKS.** (805) 492-0914 [lauripiano7@gmail.com](mailto:lauripiano7@gmail.com) Laurie Allen

**Ethnic Express:** Wed 6:30 except holidays. Charleston Heights Arts Center, 800 So. Brush St, **LAS VEGAS.** (702) 732-4871 [rkillian@gmail.com](mailto:rkillian@gmail.com) Richard Killian

**Fantasy Folk Dance Club:** Sun 4:00 - 7:00. St Thomas Aquinas Church, 1501 S Atlantic Blvd, **MONTEREY PARK.** [tiggerbyc@yahoo.com](mailto:tiggerbyc@yahoo.com) (626) 458-8851 Sophie Chen. *Fri 8:15-10:45. El Monte Chamber of Commerce, 10505 Valley Blvd EL MONTE.* (626) 429-9008 [Vincentyhcheng@gmail.com](mailto:Vincentyhcheng@gmail.com) Vincent Cheng

**Int'l Folk Dance Club - Laguna Woods:** Tue 9:00am-11:00. Clubhouse 6, 24061 Algarrobo, **LAGUNA WOODS.** (949) 454-0837 [friedagorelick@hotmail.com](mailto:friedagorelick@hotmail.com) Frieda Gorelick

**Kypseli Greek Folk Dancing:** Fri 8:30-11:30. The Tango Room, 4346 Woodman Ave, **SHERMAN OAKS.** [www.kypseli.org](http://www.kypseli.org) (310) 508-9676 Anne Sirota [asirota@gmail.com](mailto:asirota@gmail.com)

**Laguna Int'l Dancers:** Wed 6:00-8:30, Sun 6:00-8:30. Clubhouse 2, 24112 Moulton Pkwy, **LAGUNA WOODS.** (949) 770-7026 [7kahnmiriam@gmail.com](mailto:7kahnmiriam@gmail.com) Miriam Kahn

**Mountain Dancers:** 1st & 3rd Tue 1:30-3:30 (Oct. thru June). Woman's Club, 1424 Fremont Ave, **S. PASADENA** (626) 355-9220 [johnmeursing@gmail.com](mailto:johnmeursing@gmail.com) John Meursing

**Narodni Int'l Folkdancers:** Thu 7:30-10:30. Woman's Club of Bellflower, 9402 Oak St, **BELFLOWER.** (562) 881-9504 [julithilona@gmail.com](mailto:julithilona@gmail.com) Julith Neff

\***Pasadena Folk Dance Co-op:** Fri 7:30-10:30 (Beg 7:30-8). Altadena Community Church, 943 E Altadena Dr, **Altadena.** (626) 914-4006 [ricklynnbingle@gmail.com](mailto:ricklynnbingle@gmail.com) Lynn Bingle

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**Rainbow Senior Club:** Sun 3:00-6:00. Joslyn Senior Center 210 N. Chapel Ave, **ALHAMBRA.** (626) 456-1900 [ksun310@yahoo.com](mailto:ksun310@yahoo.com) Kevin Sun

**Skandia South Dance Club:** Mon 7:00-10:00. Downtown Community Center, 250 E Center, **ANAHEIM.** (714) 893-8888 [tedmart@juno.com](mailto:tedmart@juno.com) Ted Martin. *Sat(usually first) 2:30-5:30. Lindberg Park, 5041 Rhoda Way, CULVER CITY.* (562) 732-4990 [cameronflanders@gmail.com](mailto:cameronflanders@gmail.com) Cameron Flanders

**Solvang Village Folk Dancers:** Sat 6:30-8:30 (except 3rd Sat). Buellton Recreation Center, 301 2nd St, Buellton. 3rd Sat 1:30-3:30. Corner Alisal & Copenhagen, Solvang (805) 688-3397 [dlh4362@gmail.com](mailto:dlh4362@gmail.com) David Heald

**Tuesday Gypsies:** Tue 7:45-10:30. Masonic Lodge, 9635 Venice Blvd, **CULVER CITY.** (310) 391-7382 [sandyhelperin@icloud.com](mailto:sandyhelperin@icloud.com) Sandy Helperin

**Ventura Int'l Folkdancers:** Tue 1:15, Thu 1:45, 1st Sun 3:30. Ventura YMCA, 3760 Telegraph Rd, **Ventura.** (805) 647-1634 [dancing.valerie@gmail.com](mailto:dancing.valerie@gmail.com) Valerie Daley

**Veselo Selo Folkdancers:** Sat 7:30-10:30. Unitarian Church, 511 S. Harbor, **ANAHEIM.** (714) 828-2581 Lu Perry

**Vintage Israeli Dancing:** One Sat per month 8:16-12:00. Anisa's School of Dance, 14252 Ventura Blvd, **SHERMAN OAKS.** (818) 881-7494 (after noon) [richterlouis@aol.com](mailto:richterlouis@aol.com) Louis

**West Valley Folk Dancers:** Fri 7:15-10:00. Senior Center, 7326 Jordan Ave, **CANOGA PARK.** (818) 346-5152 [jpwaller2@earthlink.net](mailto:jpwaller2@earthlink.net) Paul Waller

**Westchester Lariats:** Mon 4:00-9:00. United Methodist Church, 8065 Emerson, **LOS ANGELES.** (310) 689-9176 [veniceii@yahoo.com](mailto:veniceii@yahoo.com) Ina Hall

**Westwood Co-op:** Thu 7:30-9:40. Felicia Mahood Senior Center, 11338 Santa Monica Blvd, **West LA.** (310) 657-6877 rwsklar@yahoo.com Rita Sklar

## **Exhibition Groups**

**Karpatok Hungarian Folk Ensemble:** Wed 8:00. United Hungarian House, 1975 Washington, **LOS ANGELES.** (323) 374-3836 sissykf@earthlink.net Csaba Varsanyi

**Krakusy Polish Folk Dance Ensemble:** Tue 7:30-9:30 Sat 2:20-4:20. Polish Parish Hall, 3424 W Adams Blvd, **LOS ANGELES.** (626) 827-7338 elistarr@yahoo.com Elizabeth Romuzga.

**Scandia Dancers:** Tue 7:00-10:00. Woman's Club, **BELLFLOWER.** (714) 356-7745 sholzman1@verizon.net Stefanie Holzman

**UCSB Middle Eastern Ensemble:** Tue 7:00-10:00. Gehringer Music Bldg, UCSB Campus, **SANTA BARBARA.** (805) 729-6453 scottmarcu@aol.com Scott Marcus

## **Non-Federation Clubs**

**Cafe Aman:** 2nd Sat 7:00-11:00. Teach 7:45-8:45 LA DanceFit Studio, 10936 Santa Monica Blvd, **WEST LA,** madelyntaylor@hotmail.com ianprice@hotmail.com

**Caltech Folkdancers:** Tue 7:30. Cal Tech Campus, Dabney Hall, parking on California Blvd. or Throop Church, 300 Los Robles, **Pasadena.** (626) 797-5157 Nancy Milligan

**Claremont Israeli Dancers:** Mon 7:00-10:00 Masonic Lodge, 272 W. 8th St, **CLAREMONT.** (909) 921-7115 Yael

**Desert Dancers:** Thu 7:00-9:00 Nov-April. Hi Desert Dance Center, 725 S. Gateway St, **RIDGECREST.** (760) 371-5669 Nora Nuckles

**Desert Int'l Folk Dancers:** Thu 7:00-9:00 Nov-Apr. Leisure Center Dance Studio, 401 S. Pavilion Way, **PALM SPRINGS.** (760) 342-1297 Helen Smith

**Folk Dance Center:** Every Evening. 4569 30th St, **SAN DIEGO.** (619) 466-4043, www.folkdancecenter.org

**\*Foothill Folk Dancers:** Thu 7:30-9:30. Community Center, 4469 Chevy Chase Dr., **LA CAÑADA** (818)790-8523 JanRayman@charter.net

**Friday Night L.I.F.E.:** Fri 8:00-11:00. LA DanceFit Studio, 10936 Santa Monica Blvd **WEST LA** www.lifebalkandancers.com worldance1@gmail.com Sherry Cochran

**Israeli Dancing-James Zimmer:** Tue 8:00-12:00. Westside JCC, 5870 W Olympic, **L.A.** (310) 284-3638 James Zimmer Israelidance@yahoo.com

**\*Israeli Dancing-Natalie Stern:** Mon 10:00am-11:45 & noon-1:00(Beg); Tue 10:30am-noon; Wed 7:00-9:30; Thu 10:15am-12:00, 12:05-1:05(Beg). American Jewish Univ Dance Studio, 15600 Mulholland, **L.A** (818) 343-8009 Natalie Stern

**Israeli Dancing-Yoni Carr:** Mon 7:00-11:30 Beginners at 7:00. Infinity Sport Dance Center, 4428 Convoy St, **SAN DIEGO.** (619) 227-0110 Yoni

**Kayso Folk Dancers:** Fri 9:30am-12:00. Balboa Park, Casa del Prado room 206, **SAN DIEGO** (619) 463-7529 Joe Sigona

**San Diego Folk Dancers:** Mon 7:30-9:00. Balboa Park Club, Balboa Park, **SAN DIEGO** (858) 278-4619 Jeanne Cate

**Santa Barbara Balkan Folk Dancers:** Mon 6:00-8:30, Wed 12:30-2:00, Wed 8:00-10:00. Oak Park Stage, corner Junipero and Calle Real, **SANTA BARBARA.** 805.895.4885 Michal Lynch soria-susan@gmail.com Susan Soria

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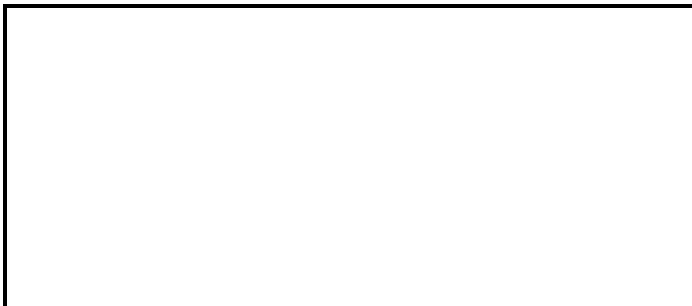
**Topanga Canyon Int'l FD:** Fri 9:30am-11:00am. Froggy's Restaurant, 1105 N. Topanga Canyon Blvd, **TOPANGA .** (310) 455-1051 Melanie Kareem

**UCLA Ballroom Club & UCLA Int'l Folkdancers:** Mon 7:00-9:00(ballroom), 9:00-11:00 (folk ). UCLA Kerckhoff Hall, **WESTWOOD.** (310) 284-3636 UniversityDanceClubs@yahoo.com James Zimmer



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