

The Entertainers



Bawn in The Mash ~ has a sound founded in the ancient tones of Western KY. Influenced by bluegrass, folk, and country music, this Experimental

Americana band will sweep you away with their unique sound straight from the heart of America.



Common Thread ~ Musicians and singers, Peggy Brown, Maura Lally, Dixie Jones, and Gracie Wallace are continuing

the tradition of women in old-time music. Women have played a pivotal role in all traditional forms of music; gospel, bluegrass, old-time, & folk.



Cumberland River Plow Boys ~ This award winning old-time string band has been playing at musical gatherings and old-time music contests all over the south since 2001. Started by fiddler Dan Wallace & banjo picker Jonathan Ferrell, the band was later joined by guitarist Clint Adams and bass player Justin Palmer.



The Dixie Volunteers ~ Keeping the music tradition alive is the motto of this talented old-time string band. The band strives to preserve the local vanishing musical traditions, from documenting local songs to keeping the legacy of local country music alive.



Mark Dvorak ~ Since 1981, Mark has traveled America's back roads to collect the sounds & songs of America's vanishing folk music. With hundreds of songs in his repertoire, this music teacher is an expert on guitar, 5-string banjo, fretless banjo, 12-string guitar, & more.



Dan Knowles ~ Master of clawhammer-style banjo player, Dan performs a wide variety of styles; Civil War Minstrel, Classical, & Mountain-style. Besides playing banjo, Dan is also well versed and performs on the guitar, mandolin, and is a recognized master of the musical saw.



Nathan Blake Lynn ~ songs define his childhood days running through backwaters of western KY, his long nights hauling cars across the country, and his love for honky-tonk nightlife. Nathan is a past Homeplace historical interpreter and a former member of Bawn in The Mash.



Steephill Travelers ~ Old-time country music was born in the hills and hollows, and nurtured by talented musicians such as the members of the Steephill Travelers who play old-time bluegrass, country, and gospel. Enjoy these old-time tunes.



Red River Breeze ~ Harking back to the Celtic roots of American country music, Red River Breeze weaves their ancient sound through the hills and hollows of The Homeplace. Listening to Red River Breeze will transport you to ancient times.

What's a Pickin' Party?

Pickin' parties were a gathering to play music, dance, sing, or just to visit. The Homeplace Pickin' Party is a unique opportunity to experience the roots of traditional country music. Informal picking sessions, live performances, and beginner music workshops make for a weekend of fun straight from the Southern spirit.

We invite folks to bring their musical instruments and participate in daily open-mic sessions, or gather at the Tool Barn to share your favorite tunes with new friends, or just sit back and sing along with our musicians.

Between performances and jammin' sessions, wander our grounds and tour 16 historic log buildings. Make yourself at home; lawn chairs and ground blankets are welcome!

Festival Foods

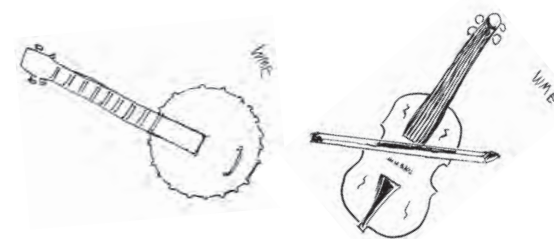
Festival foods will be available for purchase throughout the weekend. Picnic baskets are welcome on the farm, so bring your own feast, or enjoy some of ours!

Historic Toys & Games

Children of all ages will want to stop by our Children's Place at the Ox Barn Yard, to join in mid-19th century games and play with old-time toys.

Emcee - Scottie Henson

We welcome Scottie Henson, 23-year Kentucky Opry veteran of country & old-time music.



Land Between The Lakes[®]
NATIONAL RECREATION AREA

presents:

Pickin' Party

The Homeplace's

Old-Time Music Festival

Keeping The Tradition Alive

Saturday, May 28, 2011

Festival 10am - 7pm

Interpretive Center & Farm Site

9am - 7:30pm

Sunday, May 29, 2011

Festival 11am - 6pm

Interpretive Center & Farm Site

10am - 6:30pm



ADMISSION:

	Sat.	Sun.
Ages 13 & up	\$6	\$5
Ages 5-12	\$4	\$3

Performance Area

During open-mic sessions, audience participation is welcome! See Emcee to sign up.

Saturday, May 28 10am-7pm

10-10:45am Dixie Volunteers
Old-Time String Band

10:45-11:15am Nathan Lynn
Americana

11:15am-12pm Mark Dvorak
Folk, Fretless Banjo, Guitar

12-12:45pm Steephill Travelers
Traditional Bluegrass

12:45-1:30pm Dan Knowles
Trad. Americana, Clawhammer Banjo

1:30-2pm Common Thread
Traditional Women's Songs

2-2:15pm Open Mic

2:15-2:45pm Nathan Lynn
Americana

2:45-3:30pm Dixie Volunteers
Old-Time String Band

3:30-4:15pm Mark Dvorak
Folk, Fretless Banjo, Guitar

4:15-5pm Steephill Travelers
Traditional Bluegrass

5-6pm Bawn in The Mash
Modern Bluegrass

6-6:45pm Dan Knowles
Trad. Americana, Clawhammer Banjo

6:45-7pm Pickin Together

Sunday, May 29 11am-6pm

11-11:45am Mark Dvorak
Folk, Fretless Banjo, Guitar

11:45am-12:15pm Common Thread
Traditional Women's Songs

12:15-1pm Dan Knowles
Traditional Americana, Clawhammer Banjo

1-1:30pm Cumberland River Plow Boys
Old-Time String Band

1:30-1:45 pm Open Mic

1:45-2:15pm Dixie Volunteers
Old-Time String Band

2:15-2:45pm Red River Breeze
Instrumental Celtic and Old-Time

2:45-3:30pm Mark Dvorak
Folk, Fretless Banjo, Guitar

3:30-4:15pm Cumberland River Plow Boys
Old-Time String Band

4:15-5pm Dan Knowles
Traditional Americana, Clawhammer Banjo

5-5:30pm Red River Breeze
Instrumental Celtic and Old-Time

5:30-6pm Dixie Volunteers
Old-Time String Band

6-6:15pm Pickin Together
Last time to pick together until next year!

Saturday & Sunday, May 28 & 29 Jammin' Sessions

Tool Barn

Join the performers and other musicians, bring your instruments, or just listen.

Children's Activities - 1 & 3pm

Ox Barn Yard

Children's Old-Time Toys & Games

Dulcimer Beginner Workshops with The Amsdens - Single Pen House

1:30pm Mountain Dulcimer

3pm Hammered Dulcimer

Clawhammer Banjo Beginners Mini Workshop w/Dan Knowles - Tool Barn

Saturday 3pm

Sunday 2pm

Luthiers of Hand Crafted Instruments Dan Knowles' Instruments

Dan not only plays the instruments, he also makes and restores instruments. Enjoy his collection of strange and unique instruments.

Amsden Handcrafted Instruments Single Pen House

Musicians and artists Kelly and Susan Amsden are keeping the traditional sound of the hammered dulcimer, mountain dulcimer, and bowed psaltery alive for future generations.

Mike Holmes

Tool Barn

Learning furniture making from his grandfather, Mike continues the family tradition, but his passion is creating hand-carved mandolins with a mature and balanced bluegrass sound. Visit with Mike to see how he builds these masterpieces.

In Memory of William "Elbert" Beard



A good friend to The Homeplace, a fine banjo picker, wonderful storyteller, and teacher of old-times. Elbert passed away in January 2010, he will be missed, but not forgotten. His songs will always be heard here.



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