

2025 'Contradancers Delight' Holiday (22nd year)

FRIDAY 12/26

2-5:30pm Registration/check-in (main lobby)
5-6:30pm *Dinner* Governors Ballroom (**GB**)
6pm Registration/check-in moves to Reflection Ballroom (**RB**)
6:15-6:30pm Volunteers meeting (those who have work scholarships) Library (**L**)
7-7:50pm CONCERT – The Eddy Sisters (Rachel & Libby return!) (**L**)
8-midnight EVENING DANCE - 8-9:50pm Toss the Possum w/Bob (Reflections Ballroom-**RB**)
9:50-10:10pm snacks
10:10-midnight Spintuition w/Devin
midnight post-dance jamming/singing (**L**)

SATURDAY 12/27

8-9:30am *Breakfast* **GB**
all day Registration/check-in **L**
9-9:50am Dutch Crossing w/Gaye (taped music) **RB**
Contra Choreography w/Bob Isaacs and Cary Ravitz **GB salon #6**
10am-noon MORNING DANCE – Toss the Possum w/Warren **RB**
noon-2pm Lunch (on your own)
2 – 2:50pm CONCERT – Hammer Dulcimer w/Devin Pohly Library **L**
3-5pm AFTERNOON DANCE – Spintuition w/Terry **RB**
5-6pm *Dinner* **GB**
6:15-7:30pm Sing-along or musicians jam Library **L**
6:15-7pm Discussion: WCDH past and present w/Warren & Terry **GB lobby**
6:30-7:15pm Fusion workshop w/ Stuart Jeckel **RB**
7:30-7:50pm Couple Dancing – George Paul **RB**
8-midnight EVENING DANCE – 8-9:50pm Spintuition w/Bob **RB**
9:50-10:10pm snacks
10:10-midnight Buzz Band w/Terry

12:15am to? LATE-NITE DANCE Fusion w/Stuart **RB**

SUNDAY 12/28

8-9:30am *Breakfast* **GB**
all day Registration/check-in **L**
9-9:50am Memorial Service for the CDH community dearly departed **RB**
9-9:50am Contra Choreography workshop w/Bob Isaacs & Cary Ravitz **GB salon #6**
10am-noon MORNING DANCE (Squares) – Spintuition w/Ron Buchanan **RB**
noon-2pm Lunch (on your own)
2-2:50pm CONCERT – George Paul & friends - **L**
3-5pm AFTERNOON DANCE (ECD) – Toss the Possum w/Cathy **RB**
5-6pm *Dinner* **GB**
6:15-7:30pm Sing-along or musicians jam **L**
6:15-7pm Discussion – The future of WCDH w/Warren & Terry **GB lobby**
6:30-7:15pm Beyond Beginner workshop w/Rob & Sara **RB**
7:30-7:50pm Couple dancing – Toss the Possum **RB**
8-midnight EVENING DANCE 8-9:50pm Toss the Possum w/Terry **RB**
9:50-10:10pm snacks
10:10-midnight Spintuition w/Devin

12:15 -? LATE-NITE DANCE Fusion w/Stuart **RB**

Bands

Spintuition
Toss the Possum
Buzz Band
George & Sammy

Waltzes

George Paul

Main Callers

Bob Isaacs

Terry Doyle

Devin Pohly

Others

Cathy Hollister (ECD)

Warren Doyle

Ron Buchanan (squares)

Joe Harrington (pop-rock)

Workshops – Bob Isaacs; Cary Ravitz; Stuart Jeckel; Rob Zisette Sound Engineer – Ed Howe Tami Howe
Evening Snacks – Diane Blanken & Kabayah Pilgrim snack co-queens

MONDAY 12/29

8-9:30am *Breakfast* **GB**
9-9:50am Pop-rock dance w/Joe Harrington (taped music) **RB**
9-9:50am Contra Choreography w/Bob & Cary **GB Salon #6**
10am-noon MORNING DANCE (ECD) – Toss the Possum w/Cathy **RB**
noon-2pm Lunch (on your own)
2-2:50pm CONCERT – Spintuition **L**
3-5pm AFTERNOON DANCE – George & Sammy w/Devin **RB**
5-6pm *Dinner* **GB**
6:15-7:30pm Sing-along or musicians jam **L**
6:15-7pm Discussion: SCDH past/future w/Warren & Terry **GB lobby**
6:30-7:15pm Beyond Beginner workshop w/Rob & Sara **RB**
7:30-7:50pm Couple dancing – Spintuition **RB**
8-midnight EVENING DANCE - 8-9:50pm Spintuition w/Bob **RB**
9:50-10:10pm Snacks
10:10-midnight Toss the Possum w/Terry
12:15-? LATE-NITE Dance Pop-Rock w/Joe (taped music) **RB**

TUESDAY 12/30

8-9:30am *Breakfast* **GB**
9-9:50am Couple dancing (taped music) **RB**
9-9:50am Contra Choreography w/Bob & Cary **GB Salon #6**
10am-noon MORNING DANCE – George & Sammy w/Bob **GB**
noon-2pm Lunch (on your own)
2-2:50pm CONCERT – Toss the Possum **L**
3-5pm DANCE – Toss the Possum w/Devin **RB**
5-6pm *Dinner* **GB**
6:15-7:30pm Sing-along or musicians jam **L**
6:15-7pm Discussion – The state of contradancing w/Warren (2015 to present) **GB lobby**
6:30-7:15pm Beyond Beginner workshop w/Rob & Sara **RB**
7:15-7:50pm Waltzing w/George Paul & Sammy Wetstein **RB**
8-midnight EVENING DANCE - 8-9:45pm Spintuition w/Devin **RB**
9:45-10pm Traditional closing w/Terry & Warren
10-10:20pm Snacks
10:20-12:15am Buzz Band w/Bob
12:15am -? LATE-NITE DANCE Electro-Trad w/Ed & Tami Howe **RB**

WEDNESDAY 12/31

8-9:30am *Breakfast* and Farewells **GB**

10am-12:15am New Year's Eve program (program to be handed out on 12/30)

noon Check-out (for regular CDH folks)
noon-2pm Lunch (on your own)

Toss the Possum (14th year); George Paul (11th year); Ed Howe – sound engineer (11th year); Buzz Band (5th year); Bob Isaacs (5th year); Devin Pohly (4th year); Spintuition (2nd year)

Our heartfelt gratitude to all the musicians, callers, singers, sound people, workshop leaders, dancers and the volunteers. We hope to see many of you at the eleventh annual Summer CDH! (July 31-Aug. 7, 2026).

Experience the dream/vision behind the Appalachian Folk School being realized. It is a singular dance venue/setting. Registration for Summer CDH opens on March 1st. www.contradancersdelight.com

Until we gather again next year (hopefully), keep the spirit of CDH alive throughout the year, and happy twirls!
Terry & Warren (22nd year – and still going strong)

“HANDS TOUCHING; SMILES REFLECTING; EYES CONNECTING”