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THE BABA BULLETIN



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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Man, what talent at the Texas State Mandolin Championship. What a contest! Congratulations to Gibson Davis, the 2018 champion. Here are the winners:

1st place: Gibson Davis 2nd place: Sterling Masat 3rd place: Nathaniel Dalzell

4th place: Jondan "J.D." McBride

5th place: Scott Owen

You can read more and see pictures at:

https://www.facebook.com/texascontest

Thanks again to all the sponsors and all the volunteers. You made this a huge success. The Guitar contest will be July 7th so make plans to go. If you haven't been to Pearl you're missing a Texas treasure. Bring the RV and make a weekend trip.

Thanks to the bands last month: Strings Over Texas, White Dove, and Southern Style, who put on a fine show. Dueling Hearts will be featured this month. At this time I don't know the other bands but I know R. Lynn is working hard on it as we speak.

I need to thank you for your continued membership dues and donations. Without you there wouldn't be a BABA Show & Jam every month. Thanks to all the volunteers. When you see the BABA volunteer tell them thanks for all the hard work it takes to bring these shows to you every month. They are all un-paid volunteers that do this out of love for the music and to bring a little joy to our lives.

Pick on.

Rick

WHAT? B.A.B.A. is
31 years old??

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June Show Lineup!

HI THERE, BLUEGRASS MUSIC FANS! Come on out to the Johnnie Arolfo Civic Center in League City on Saturday, June 16th, for an evening of fun and music from some of the best bluegrass music in the area!

Jam rooms open @ 4:30 PM and the STAGE SHOWS will start at 6:00 PM. We'll have MUSIC, food, door prizes for members, and we aim to provide a good time for pickers and grinners alike. (Band schedules are subject to changes as needed)

The bands: 6 PM To be announced 7 PM Dueling Hearts 8 PM To be announced



Johnnie Arolfo Civic Center, 400 West Walker, League City, Texas















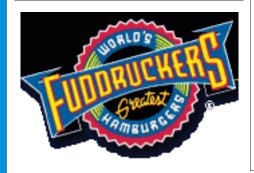
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Be sure to stop at the BABA table, and get a MEMBER door prize ticket.

We've give TWO great door prizes each month as part of your membership - no extra cost to you. Just get your ticket and cross your fingers!

THANKS!

P.S. You can join there, too.



Stringing You Along

ASKED & ANSWERED

- Q. How did the hipster burn his mouth?
- A. He ate pizza before it was cool.
- Q. What do you call a bear with no ears?
- A. B.
- Q. Where does a general keep his armies?
- A. In his sleevies.
- Q. What did the Buddhist ask the hot dog vendor?
- A. "Make me one with everything."
- Q. How does NASA organize a party?
- A. They planet.
- Q. What's a pirate's favorite letter?
- A. You think it's R but it's the C.
- Q. What happens to a frog's car when it breaks down?
- A. It gets toad away.
- Q. Is Google male or female?
- A. Female, because it doesn't let you finish the question before it gives you a suggestion.

 (This is all the editor's fault)

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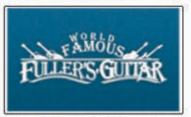


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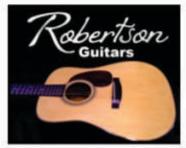












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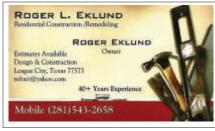


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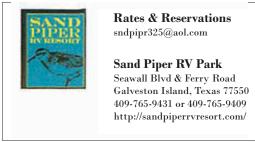












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SWAP'N'SHOP!

Hey there, banjo players! You KNOW how much the editor loves banjos - lucky for you she can't play a lick! You still have a chance to own this gorgeous thing. Information from Trip below; I'm including four photos, and he can send you more on request.









For Sale: a 1954 Gibson RB 250. I've had it since about 1981. There's a small crack at the base of the neck that was there when I bought it - has never been a problem.

Price \$2750

Trip Wilcox, phone 903-360-6706 or email at Tripwilcox3@gmail.com

*** TRAILER & EQUIPMENT FOR SALE ***

I would like to sell the equipment for \$600 at least and the trailer to hold it for \$2000. The trailer only has about 60 miles total on it. It was only used about 6 Saturdays (1st Saturday of each month) and about 5 miles each direction. There is a list of all equipment.

There are definitely 2 microphones that are meant to carry the sound from an entire group instead of having a microphone at each musician.

I prefer to be contacted via email at betty2biglogs@hotmail.com, but you can call 281-674-3220 and leave a message and I will call back. Photos available on request. Thanks, Betty Kaechler

1 Phonic 15" speakers

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2 Audio Technica Mics 7 Mic boom stands

2 Shure Mics PG58 8 Mic cables

1 Fender P51 2 instrument cables

2 MXL Mics 2 tool boxes

1 Phonic 740G 1 accessory case

Equipment alone valued @ over \$600

About BARA

The Bay Area Bluegrass Association (BABA) was organized in 1986 and incorporated in 1987 under the Texas Non-Profit Corporation Act. The primary purpose of BABA is to preserve, encourage, and promote Bluegrass and Bluegrass gospel music as an American art form. BABA promotes Bluegrass through being active in community events, fund raisers, festivals, and monthly shows. BABA is a 501(c)(3) tax deductible organization; see any Director for information.

The monthly show is free to the public and features Bluegrass from the local and national scene. The stage show begins at 6:00 PM, but pickers are welcome to bring their instruments and come earlier to jam. Tasty, inexpensive food is available at the show, and there are raffles, door prizes, and Bluegrass merchandise for sale. This is a 'no alcohol' event, but there's plenty of music and great family fun!

Proceeds from donations, sponsors, memberships, sales, and raffles are used to keep the doors open and the regular shows free to the public. They also maintain and replace sound equipment, storage, security, and expense of keeping the music playing. We thank you for your attendance, your generosity, and your love of the music.



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Have something you want to sell, trade, or buy? Musical instruments, equipment, festival needs like campers or tents or other music-related happiness? No charge - but donations are gratefully accepted.

Contact the editor at bayareabluegrass2@aol.com

*** include 2 high-resolution photos and a description of the item, your asking price, and your contact information.









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ADD-ONS TO THE BLUEGRASS JAMS!

Until we get time to reformat the whole list, this is the overflow page for some 'not-too-far-from-Houston' jams. Thanks to Tony & Nema Redding for the info!

At the Weekley Community Center, 8440 Greenhouse Road (North @ Longenbaugh Road), Cypress, TX 77433, please make note of the following:

Every Monday, 6:30 to 9:00 PM, Rooms 403 and 404

Second Friday Show and Jam, Show is 6:15 to 8:30 PM and the Jam is 4:00 to 8:45 PM in the auditorium.

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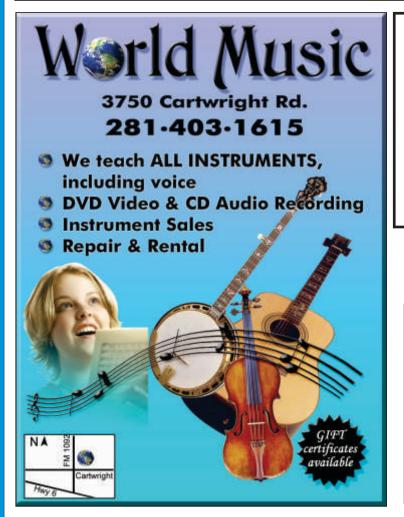
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Members' names are in alphabetical order

Gold Club Members

Doug Averitt, Mike & Pat Conwell, Mack Himel, Lynn Holbrook, Rick & Shirley Kirkland, Ronald Moore, Marlene Payne, Laney & Shannon Sims

Membership in the Gold Club is payable annually. We thank you for your "extra" support.





Phil & Fern Deans, Pat Lomas, Lisa Maranto















ICK YOUR NE

Hey, look what I found! I might be a day late and a dollar short, but maybe some of you didn't know about this website either, www.bluegrassguitar.com Here's what they say about themselves:

"The Bluegrass Guitar Home Page was created to be a convenient source of information about the acoustic flat-top guitar and its use in Bluegrass music. Our goal is to help promote traditional guitar and assist players and fans alike."



Check it out... lots of great tips, links, tunes, tab... I think you'll like it. #the editor

While I'm looking at websites, how about a plug for the Bluegrass Heritage Foundation and their generous Play it forward free instrument lending program for deserving young people? Do you have extra instruments that you don't play? Do you know talented youth who just need access to an instrument? You can apply or donate on the Foundation's web page. www.bluegrassheritage.org/play-it-forward-free-youth-instrument-lending-program/

Is anybody going to Telluride? Tickets and Camping on sale now at: https://shop.telluride.com/telluride/tickets June 21 - June 24, Telluride, Colorado

WHODUNIT AT THE LAST SHOW?

Could we put on ANY shows without our volunteers? NO! Tell them thank you when you pass by one of 'em.

BANDS

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White Dove
Southern Style

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FOOD

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EMCEE

Arvin Holland

SOUND

Roger Eklund, Pat Patterson

TABLE & MEMBERSHIP

Sharon Stafford, Shannon Sims, Judy Sturgeon



Are you and your bluegrass or bluegrass gospel band interested in playing at one of our regular monthly shows in League City?

We're always happy to have our regular great bands for repeat performances, or new groups to spice things up a bit!

Contact Lynn Holbrook at 832-584-5575 or email him at rlynnholbrook@gmail.com

SLOW JAM **Laney Sims**

PHOTOS

Travis Posey

BE SURE TO THANK THEM!



Thanks to Travis Posey for the photos from the MAY show.

SEE THEM ALL AT:

https://baba123.smugmug.com/Music/BABA-Show-May-19-2018

No WAY I can put all of the great pix on one page. See if your mug is captured on the website! Link above







WHITE DOVE



SOUTHERN STYLE





















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Individual Membership: \$35.00 annually

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Family Membership: \$50.00 annually

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Lifetime Gold Club Membership Individual: \$1000.00

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Texas Bluegrass Jams & Shows

Combined list from Bay Area Bluegrass Association and Central Texas Bluegrass Association: If you're in Southeast to Central Texas, bring your instruments because we're going to find you a place to pick and jam.

PLEASE notify us at <u>bayareabluegrass2@aol.com</u> if you find any errors, or have a jam that you'd like changed, added or deleted. We list by day of the week, then by town/city.

Mondays

Bluntzer: 3rd Monday, 2-6 PM, South Texas Bluegrass Gospel Jam, G&H BBQ, 5491 Hwy 624. phone 361-387-4552 Email stx.bluegrass@gmail.com,

<u>Cypress</u>: Every Monday 6:30-9:00 PM, Weekly Community Center, 8440 Greenhouse Rd (North @ Longenbaugh) Rooms 403 & 404 Email <u>tonynema@earthlink.net</u>, phone 281-373-1777

San Antonio: 2nd & 4th Mondays, 7 PM, "Monday-in-a-Jam" at Grady's BBQ, 327 E. Kakoma Dr., 78216. Phone Peyton Starr 210-870-4321 or Sheryl Sultenfuss (no phone listed)

Tuesdays

Llano: 1st & 3rd Tuesday, 7 PM, Beginner/Intermediate, 1st Presbyterian Church. Phone Jeff White 325-248-4114

Medina: 2nd Tuesday, All Gospel Jam, 6 PM, 1st Baptist Church. Phone Linda Barton, 830-589-2486

Nassau Bay: 1st Tuesday, 7-@9 PM at Fuddruckers, 2040 NASA Pkwy, 281-933-1620

<u>Shulenburg:</u> 1st & 3rd Tuesday, 6:30-9:30, Shulenburg RV Park Clubhouse. Phone Loretta Baumgarten 979-743-4388 or Email <u>camp@ShulenburgRVPark.com</u>

<u>Sugarland:</u> 6:30 to 9:00 PM, 1st Presbyterian Church, 502 Eldridge Rd, Sugarland. Bluegrass and accoustic instruments only. Contact samgrice@windstream.net or 832-428-3165

Wednesdays

Austin: 1st Wednesday, 7-10 PM, Musician's Woodshed, 3698 RR 620 South, Ste. 107, 78738, themusicianswoodshed.com Houston: each Wednesday, 6-9 PM, at Hickory Hollow, 100 Heights Blvd, Houston (just south of I 10 on Heights Blvd) Houston: 4th Wednesday 7PM to 9PM, Old Time Music jam, Pizza Inn, 1801 Mangum Rd, @W 18th & Mangum Rd just outside the NW Loop. Contact Steve Bing, 225-405-9707

Thursdays

<u>Austin</u>: 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7 PM, Bruce Manbridge's home. Contact Steve Mangold for all Austin Jam info, 512-345-6155 Cypress: Every 3rd & 5th Thursday, 12:30 - 3PM, Weekly Community Center, 8440 Greenhouse Rd, Cypress. Email: tonynema@earthlink.net or phone 281-373-1777

Georgetown: Every Thursday, 5:30-7:30 PM, Duke's BBQ. Email sigi@sigi.us, phone 512-869-8076

Groves: Every Thursday, 7 PM, Allie Morvent's House, phone 409-962-5236

Manchaca: Every Thursday, 6:30-9 PM, Manchaca Railroad BBQ, FM 1626. Phone Dave 512-680-4433

Fridays

Bandera: 4th Friday, 6:30 PM, Silver Sage Corral, east of Bandera. For info, phone 830-796-4969

Carthage: 1st Friday, 6:30 PM, Town Square. For info, phone 903-678-3857

<u>Cypress</u>: 2nd Friday, show 6:30-9:00 PM, Jam 4 - 8:45 PM, Ausitorium. Weekly Community Center, 8440 Greenhouse Rd, (North @ Longenbaugh) Rooms

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Hondo: 1st Friday, begins 11 AM, Hondo Hootenany. Hondo Community Center, 1014 18th St. Phone 830-426-2831

<u>Victoria:</u> 3rd Friday, Slow Jam 5-7 PM, regular jam 7-10 PM, American Legion Post #166, 1402 E. Santa Rosa. Free Admission. Email <u>crossroadsbluegrass@yahoo.com</u> or phone Stan Kendrick 361-935-4413 or Gary Moses 361-550-5466 <u>Saturdays</u>

<u>Alvin</u>: Every Saturday, Texas Opry, no time given, 1720 Sealy, Admission is charged. Phone 281-432-2942

Austin: 2nd & 4th Saturdays, 3 to 6 PM, all levels, CTBA sponsored. 3801 Berkman Dr., 78723.

<u>Beaumont</u>: 4th Saturday, no time listed, Rosedale Baptist Church, 7110 Concord. S.E. Texas Dulcimer Friends Phone 409-866-0848

Bellville: 4th Saturday, 4 PM jam & 6 PM show Jan through Sept, Coushatte RV Ranch,

Email coleebiller@aol.com.com, phone 936-697-5949, website www.TXBluegrassMusic.com

Deer Park: 2nd Saturday, 11 AM-3 PM, Troy's Music Shop, 4005 Center St. No contact listed.

Here's the rest of the jam and show schedule! 'pick' your favorite.....

Saturdays continued

<u>Fayetteville</u>: 2nd Saturday, 6 PM April – Nov, Courthouse Square. Email <u>info@texaspickinpark.com</u> or <u>see</u> www.texaspickinpark.com

Field Creek: 1st Saturday, 6 PM, Field Creek Music. Field Creek is between Llano and Brady on Hwy 71.

Phone Bill Tuckness 325-247-3223

<u>Ga</u>rland: Every Saturday March – Nov, 7:30 PM – 1 AM, between Main & State Sts. @ 6th St.

See the website: www.meetup.com/bluegrass-142

<u>Glen Rose</u>: 3rd Saturday, no time listed, Oakdale Park, Paluxy River Bluegrass Assoc., free stage show, camping encouraged. Phone John Scott 817-525-0558

Grapevine: 2nd Saturday, 215 Jenkins St, Grapevine from noon to 4:00 PM; Southwest Bluegrass Association

Harwood: 3rd Saturday, 2-9 PM, Jam & Stage Show. 9 mi. E. of Luling, Hwy 90. Tony Convers 512-601-1510; 512-940-3731

Henderson: 1st Saturday, 6 PM, Odd Fellows Hall. Phone 903-889-2783 or 903-566-6650

Houston: 2nd Saturday, 7:30 PM, Admission charged and not always bluegrass, Houston Folklore Society,

West University Community Building, 6104 Auden. Phone 281-347-3235

3rd Saturday, 3-6 PM, Woodland Christian Church, 607 Rogers, North Harris County Dulcimer Society. No phone listed.

Huntington: Nothing going on any more. Find a new jam? email the editor at bayareabluegrass2@aol.com

Liberty Hill: 4th Saturday, 1-6 PM, Hwy 29 West. Phone Paula 512-778-5410

Llano: 1st Saturday, 6 PM, Field Creek Music. Field Creek is between Llano and Brady on Hwy 71.

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4th Saturday Jan - Oct, 5:30 - 10:30 PM, Bluegrass in the Hill Country Jam, The Badu House.

Email info@bluegrassinthehillcountry.org

Magnolia: 1st Saturday, Jam @ 4 PM, stage show 6-9 PM featuring 3-4 local bands. Texas Olde Tyme 1st Saturday Bluegrass Jam, West Montgomery County Community Development Center, 31355 Friendship Drive, Magnolia

TX 77355-2603. Contact Bobby Stem 281-744-7652 Website: www.totbgb.com

Marshall: 3rd Saturday, 7 PM Show, Lions Community Center, 1201 Louisiana St. Phone 903-935-7023

Minden: 3rd Saturday, 5:30 PM, Community Center. Phone 903-657-3320

<u>Montgomery:</u> 1st Saturday, The Garrett House. May be cancellations due to weather/scheduling; Contact Lonnie Clover at lrclover@msn.com before travelling. Jam starts @ 10 AM until 2 PM or so.

Needville: 1^{st} Saturday, 6 PM-8 PM concert. Brazos River Pickers perform free at Brazos Bend State Park in the amphitheater. Concert is free but usual State Park Entry fees apply. Phone 281-344-0601 or

website www.brazosriverpickers.com

Odessa: 2nd Saturday, Noon to 6 PM, Jam and potluck dinner for pickers and for grinners (guests welcome): Acoustic only with exception for bass; Music is Bluegrass, Old Time Country, Gospel and 'other'. No smoking or alcohol. 4400 Andrews Highway @ Jesus Connection Church, Odessa Contact Pete & Claudette Stull, ph: 432-362-6944,

email: wb7amp@cableone.net

Pearl: 1st Saturday, 1 PM, Pearl Bluegrass Jam & Show. Old School House on FM 183 (not US 183).

Purmela. RV hookups available. Phone Ronald Medart 254-865-6013 or website www.pearlbluegrass.com

Round Rock: 3rd Saturday, 2-5 PM, Danny Ray's Music, 12 Chisholm Trail. Phone 512-671-8663 or

website http://dannyraysmusic.com

Sacul: 4th Saturday, 6:30 PM, Opry House, Hwy 204 (25 mi. SE of Jacksonville). Phone 903-586-8484 or 409-326-4544

Sulphur Springs: 3rd Saturday, October through March. No time listed. 400 Como St. Phone 903-885-4078 or 903-885-7063 Tomball: 4th Saturday, noon - 4PM, Kleb Woods Nature Center, 20303 Draper Rd (@ Muschke Rd) Tomball 77377

Email tonynema@earthlink.net or phone 281-910-4396.

Walker, LOUISIANA: in case you sneak across the border. 4th Saturday, no time listed, Old South Jamboree, U.S. Hwy 190.

Phone 504-664-3630

 $\underline{\textbf{Wrightright:}}\ 4\text{th Saturday}, 7\ \text{PM}, \text{Opry House}.\ \text{Phone }903\text{-}364\text{-}2539$

SEE: the overflow jam info on page 14 at the bottom!

Sundays

<u>Austin:</u> every Sunday, 2 PM, Hill's Café,4700 South Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas 78745 ***Site Change!

Corpus Christi: 2nd Sunday, 2 PM, Heritage Park. South Texas Bluegrass Association, Phone Bill Davis 361-387-4552



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