

Gwynedd Friends
2nd Saturday Coffeehouse



Gwynedd Friends Meeting
1101 DeKalb Pike, Gwynedd, PA. 19454
US Route 202 and Sumnerytown Pike

\$7 suggested to cover costs and support
the Charity of the Evening

Doors open at 7:30 PM, show starts at
8:00 PM

COVID 19 RESTRICTIONS

At this time, Covid-19
restrictions for these events
include proof of full Covid-19
vaccination with photo of ID.
Masks must be worn indoors at
all times and refreshments will
not be served. Check this website
below for any updates to the
restrictions closer to the time of
performances.

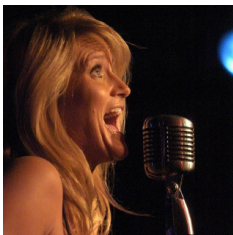
<http://www.gwyneddmeeting.org/Coffeehouse.html>

Line-up 2022

Saturday, March 12, 2022

MELISSA MARTIN and the MIGHTY RHYTHM KINGS

Philadelphia based
Melissa Martin is one
of today's leading
Blues and Swing
vocalists. Longtime
leading lady of the
blues, Melissa's voice
and performance
simmer irresistably,
equally adept at Rockin'
Jump Blues, Drivin'
R & B, and Jazz Torch
ballads.



Melissa Martin and the Mighty Rhythm
Kings lay it down and thrill the crowds from
the first downbeat to the final encore. This
band is energy folks. Guaranteed you will
have a ball and won't sit still.

[Melissa's Facebook Page](#)

Saturday, April 9, 2022

CHUCK van ZYL



Chuck van Zyl is well known as host of
STAR'S END (WXPN's renowned radio
program of Spacemusic dreamscapes) and
coordinator of THE GATHERINGS
(Philadelphia's premiere concert series of
innovative music) and has also been making
his own unique style of Electronic Ambient
Music since 1983. His work evokes the sense
of discovery first heard in music by Jean-
Michel Jarre, Kraftwerk, Vangelis, and
Tangerine Dream.

"The conventional musician tries to
transcend an instrument" " ..the ambient
musician tries to transcend a system"
"...ambient music creates a space then fills it
up" says Chuck. Composed spontaneously,
the musical textures transport the audience
and artist to an otherworldly experience of
presence, absence, beauty, and mystery.
Both are part of the process.

Through deep space gateways and brilliant
sequencer breakdowns, from the heights of
improvisation
on down to its quietly consuming dark fields,
Chuck van Zyl manipulates timbre (the very
character of sound) into musical expressions,
culminating in an epic intimacy with those

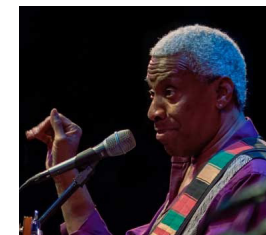
gathered. The experience is enhanced with a
light show also created spontaneously by
Chuck accenting his musical expressions.
Please come for the journey to the outer
reaches of body, space, and mind in the
intimacy of Gwynedd Friends Coffeehouse.

<http://chuckvanzyl.weebly.com>

FIRST Saturday, May 7, 2022

REGGIE HARRIS

He is a singer-
songwriter,
storyteller and
world-renowned
song-leader who is
a powerful
interpreter of the
global music
narrative.



A
passionate, engaging inspirational
entertainer and concert artist Reggie is
recognized for focusing new energy on the
important role of music in the discourse for
inclusion and the struggle for human rights
using the lessons of history as a base. As an
expert on the music of the Underground
Railroad and the Modern Civil Rights
Movement he is at home on stage as
performer, lecturer or leading discussion in
seminars or in the classroom.

<https://reggieharrismusic.com/>

*Extra voluntary donations to our
Charity of the Evening can be made in
the specially marked boxes. In the past
these donations have included local
food and housing projects, disaster
relief and international programs
aimed at providing education and self-
sufficiency to impoverished rural
areas.*

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Gwynedd Friends Coffeehouse

PURPOSE - The purpose of this outreach project is to provide high quality entertainment at a price (\$7) that is accessible to people in our greater community.

STRUCTURE - Each season we present five coffeehouses with varied entertainment. In general, the types of music programs we have are:

- Singer/Songwriter or Solo performer
- American roots music (e.g. old time country music, bluegrass, blues, Cajun)
- Jazz
- Music from other countries or cultures (e.g. South American, Celtic, Eastern European)
- Classical
- Contemporary Themes

WHO BENEFITS - Some money we receive goes to pay the performers and the rest goes to the Charity of the Evening and to pay our expenses (posters, mailings, food purchases, piano tuning, etc). At the end of our season, Gwynedd Friends Coffeehouse has no net profits.

DO YOU WANT TO BE A COFFEEHOUSE VOLUNTEER?

Our volunteers come from two groups:

- 1) the members and attenders at Gwynedd Friends Meeting
- 2) people not associated with Gwynedd Friends Meeting who wish to help out the set up and running of the Coffeehouse.

Contact Carl Baron at 215-699-7835 or through the Coffeehouse web site
<<http://www.gwyneddmeeting.org/Coffeehouse.html>>.