

# PEACE & PROSPERITY TO YOU AND YOURS



Damon Lapas, owner of the Barbecue Joint on Weaver Dairy Road, shows a sample of his restaurant's collard greens, seasoned with onion and pork, with a side of cornbread.

PHOTO BY AVA BARLOW



h, 2008 is in the rearview mirror — all 366 tumultuous days of it. If you're in touch with the news, you're well aware that, like last year, the road ahead has a few potholes, slowmoving vehicles and madmen at the wheel to dodge.

To get you through, we'd like to suggest the use of a device commonly called "the clicker" or "the changer." Hitting that big red button labeled "off" every now and again can do wonders for your frame of reference. There is, as we point out a little in the pages ahead (and every week in The Citizen), a rather large and often wonderful world out there.

As it is in every culture, the coming of the New Year in this community is a time to exorcise the demons of the past and commit oneself to the promise of a brighter future. So indulge yourselves in the rituals intended to assist these endeavors. Have a little collards and hoppin' John and, perhaps, some oysters and pork for good luck and fortune. Set off some gunpowder or clang a pan or two to chase away the unwelcome sprits. It may seem a bit over the top and superstitious, but it looks like we can use all the help we can get.

Traditionally, the best way to endure hard times is in the company of others. Share a meal, a laugh and an appreciation for the cultural opportunities that surround us.

Already, the offerings for early Ought Nine promise a vast array of quality music, theater and the arts. And while we're delighted to point out a few cool events in the months ahead for which one should promptly procure a ticket, we remind you that many of the treasures of this community - museums, parks, nature trails, libraries and galleries — are accessible without charge.

Also please note that many of the places where one must operate a wallet to gain entry have shows dedicated to the benefit of others, so keep an eye out for those events as well.

The times may be a little gloomy, but with the exception of theaters and concerts, we invite you not to take things sitting down.

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# **ARTISTIC ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITIES** ABOUND ...



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THE ARTSCENTER Mixed media by Joseph Gargasz Jan 4-31

EAST END GALLERY Paintings by Cornelio Calmpos, artist from Cheran, Mexico. Jan 3-31

THE BEEHIVE SALON David Vitanza pop-E-art An abstract of people, places, and things in acrylic, oil, and mixed media.

CARRBORO BRANCH LIBRARY

Moving The Line: The Art of Drawing curated by Barbara Keighton and Louise Francke

CENTURY CENTER Quilts by Susan Powell

FLEET FEET GALLERY Collage by Amanda Bushman

JESSE KALISHER GALLERY Wildlife photography through Jan. 8; No Airport: the Faces of Whitecross through Feb. 6.

MAIN STREET GALLERY Abstract and figurative paintings by Maggi Ann Grace. Reception Jan 9, 6-9pm

NESTED

Photographs of two very different cities from Robert Walton. Through Jan. 31

NC CRAFTS GALLERY Optimistic paintings by Moni Hill.

OPEN EYE CAFÉ Collages by Lauren Turner, paintings by Aditya Shringarpure

PANZANELLA Red Clay Fields and other paintings" by Vieni Pawloski, Through Feb. 8. Artist's reception Monday, Jan.12 open to public 5:30-7:30pm

TOWN & CAMPUS REALTY Works by Steve Wright

TOWN HALL "People, Places and Things" — watercolors

by Ralph Wikstrom.

WEAVER STREET REALTY "This and That" - works by Anjanete van Horn

WOOTINI

"The Lowest of the Low" by Phil Blank through Jan 6; "Transitions" by Matt Duquette. Jan 9-Feb 10

## CHAPEL HILL

NC BOTANICAL GARDEN "Nature, Near and Far" with artists Georgia Minnich and Dot Wilbur-Brooks. Opens Jan 5

CAFFÉ DRIADE Abstract paintings by Richard S. Scherubel

CENTER FOR THE STUDY OF THE AMERICAN SOUTH Photography of Baldhead Island and the impact of Hurricane Fran by the late Charles Dennis. Reception Jan6, 4-6pm

PUBLIC LIBRARY Photograpny by Tova Boem and Natasha Johnson. Through Jan 14

**GLOBAL EDUCATION** CENTER

Cross-Cultural Photography Exhibition featuring winners of the 9th annual competition. Through Feb 2

HILL COUNTRY WOODWORKS

Painters Lori White and Joan Poole Holbrook, sculptor Howard Schroeder, ceramicist Heather Delisle and potter Natalie Boorman

TOWN HALL New Works by Amy Gelber & Annemarie Gugelmann Through Jan 28

TYNDALL GALLERIES

Annual holiday exhibition through Jan 10.

# SOUTHERN VILLAGE

BAGWELL, HOLT, SMITH, TILLMAN & JONES PA "In Due Time" - Recent Work by MJ Sharp.

# PITTSBORO

CAROLINA BREWERY Fabric artists Mary Lucas and Maggie Wilson. Reception, Jan 4, 4-6pm

CHATHAM COUNTY ARTS COUNCIL

"The Power of One" Featuring the works of Eddie White & Forrest Greenslade. Starting Jan 4. Jesse Kalisher photographed members of the White Cross community who are concerned about university plans to possibly build an airport in the area. The exhibit, "No Aiport," opens on Jan. 9.

# CARRBORO

THE ARTSCENTER 300-G E. Main St. 929-2787 artscenterlive.org

THE BEEHIVE The Beehive Salon 102 E. Weaver Street 932-4483 thebeehive-salon.com

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# COLLARDS PROMISE WEALTH, AND HEALTH

BY SUSAN DICKSON

s 2009 rolls in, many of us will raise our glasses, make New Year's resolutions and wish for a happy and prosperous New Year. With the financial industry gasping to survive and more home foreclosures than we can shake a stick at, we could all use a little help in the "prosperous" department this year.

Luckily, here in the South, we have a few culinary traditions we observe on New Year's Day to ensure our good fortune in the coming year. Among those traditions is the consumption of collard greens, which, according to legend, brings wealth in the New Year.

Around here, collards are pretty easy to come by, in both restaurants and markets. A number of local farmers grow collards, which can be found at the Carrboro Farmers' Market most Saturdays this time of year.

This New Year's Day, you can also find collards at the Terra Madre Recap from 4 to 7 p.m. at Golden Belt in Durham. The celebration of our regional culinary tradi-

tions will feature a traditional Southern New Year's Day meal of collards, cornbread and hoppin' John.

And if you love collards year round, worry not - many Carrboro and Chapel Hill eateries offer their favorite collards recipes 12 months a year.

Damon Lapas, chef and co-owner of the Barbecue Joint, prepares a classic collards recipe that has become a local favorite.

Lapas has always cooked collards the same way - with a ham hock, a couple of chunks of spicy cured pork shoulder, onion and a little salt and pepper. He doesn't stray from the recipe, but doesn't seem to hear many complaints either.

"I'm just consistently amazed at how much people like them," he said, adding that the Barbecue Joint goes through about three cases of collards a week.

Lapas perfected his method "just being around them," working in restaurants over the past 20 years, he said.

"My mom never cooked collards," he said. "I probably wouldn't have touched them when I was a kid anyhow."

Lapas gets his collards from nearby Stanley Hughes' Pine Knot Farms in Hurdle Mills, near the Person County line.

Hughes said they're a fairly self-sufficient crop, and grow almost year-round.

"Your winter collards are better," he added. "They tend to hold their color better. They're a little more tender."

Hughes started growing collards a few years ago. He needed an off-season crop, and other farmers encouraged him to grow them.

"It's a good cash crop," he said. "The demand gets greater each year."

If you're not convinced by collards' promise to bring wealth in the New Year, do it for your health - the leafy greens are an excellent source of vitamins C and K, as well as a good source of fiber.

So this New Year's Day, open wide and shovel in some collards, because after all, it certainly couldn't hurt.

# **NEW YEAR'S FOOD LORE**

# MARGOT CARMICHAEL LESTER

rowing up here in the South, I never gave much thought to why my mother always served oysters when it was her turn to host the New Year's Eve dinner, or we had collards and hoppin' John on New Year's Day. We just did. It seemed so not a thing, that I was kind of surprised to discover it was a "thing" in 1985, when my daddy gave me Bill Neal's Southern Cooking. Therein, Neal wrote:

"Southerners may make resolutions for the New Year, but they know success (or lack of it) depends more on what is eaten on 1 January than on all the good intentions in the world. More black-eyed peas and collards are consumed on that day than any other time of the year – part of an antique gastronomic insurance policy."

Now that my old hometown is full of people "not from around here", I offer this quick guide to why we eat what we eat here, and "there":

Collards, cabbage and sauerkraut: These leafy vegetables represent what my friend Pace calls "foldin' money". Here in the South, you'll get collards; in the Northeast, 'kraut; and in the Midwest, cabbage.

Corned beef: From the Irish and German cultures, this delicious meat brings you luck when served with cabbage.

**Fish:** Because they swim in schools, fish have long been a symbol of abundance, prompting Asians, Europeans and some Americans to start the year off with this tasty item.

Hoppin' John: This mix of black-eyed peas (symbolizing coins) and rice (representing plenty) is a staple of the Southern table. Rumor has it that blackeyed peas were the only crop left after Sherman's march through the South, so they also are imbued with luck and prosperity.

**Oysters:** The French take credit for starting the tradition of New Year's oysters served with Mignonette sauce, but folks I know from New York to New Orleans enjoy these little darlings as a sign of bountifulness each Jan. 1.

Lentils: In Italy and Brazil, these legumes are a symbol of prosperity and are cooked for the first meal of the New Year.





**Noodles:** In many Asian cultures, noodles are required New Year's eating because their length signifies a long life. But if the noodle breaks before it reaches your mouth, it's bad luck for you!

**Pomegranates:** A symbol of fertility, this tart fruit is eaten at the start of the year in Turkey and many Mediterranean countries.

Pork: Since pigs are associated with plumpness, they symbolize having enough to eat in the coming year. Also, these animals root forward, signifying progress.

**Turkey:** *La famille* down in New Orleans serves turkey on the New Year's Day menu. But most Southerners frown on poultry since fowl "scratch for



JANUARY SHOWS & HAPPENINGS



# 1/3

**REALLY REALLY FREE MARKET** 

**Carrboro Town Commons** 

Share some clothing. furniture, skills, art, music and more. 2:30-5pm

# 1/5

**SPIDER BAGS** The Cave The Girls of the Gravitron open.

# 1/8

**WAUMISS** The Cave 10pm

**BUTTER** Blue Bayou Club 8:30pm

# 1/9

**NORTH ELEMENTARY** 



Cat's Cradle An album release show for N'or El with Kingsbury Manx, Erie Choir and Popular Kids. Free

DASHAWN HICKMAN & STEEL MOVEN The ArtsCenter

VIC CHESNUT 1/21 LOCAL 506

With Hooverville. 8:30pm, \$15

**JONATHAN BYRD Ackland Art Museum** Carrboro's own folk rock storyteller. 5-9pm, Free

# **SECOND FRIDAY ARTWALK Various Locations**

A monthly favorite for

seeing new works and meeting artists. 2ndfridayartwalk.com or see our Arts Calendar for shows

# 1/10

**AUSTIN LOUNGE LIZARDS** The ArtsCenter 8:30pm, \$19

ABE REID & THE **SPIKEDRIVERS** Blue Bayou Club Raw piedmont-flavored rock and roll. 9:30pm



RECAPTURING THE BANJO 1/22 PAGE AUDITORIUM

# **AUSTIN LOUNGE LIZARDS** 1/10 THE ARTSCENTER

# **INTERNATIONALIST BENEFIT** Nightlight

L in Japanese hosts a benefit for the bookstore and (counter) culture center. 9pm

LONESOME HEART The General Store Cafe Featuring Lanelle Davis and Tommy Edwards. 8:30 pm

# **VIRGINIA COALITION** Cat's Cradle

A laid-back blend of Southern and American styles. 9:30pm, \$10-12

# **RON STUTTS**

**Seymour Senior Center** For the Village Elders Lecture, WCHL's "Voice of Chapel Hill" Ron Stutts discusses his four decades of broadasting. 2:30pm, Free

# 1/16

THE EXPLORERS CLUB Local 506 With The Hugue-

nots. 9:30pm

# **BRIGHT STAR CHILDREN** The ArtsCenter

The childrens' theater presents the Life of Dr Martin Luther King, Jr. 10 & 11:30am







Mansion 462

They've got this new song about Chapel Hill . . .

# 1/18

JAZZ AT LINCOLN **CENTER ORCHESTRA** Memorial Hall

Wynton Marsalis leads 15 jazz soloists in performing Ellington, Mingus and Coltrane. 7:30pm, \$10-100

# 1/20

**PRESIDENTIAL INAUGURATION USA** 

Formal events, like a black-tie ball at the Sienna Hotel, and informal houseparties mark the innaguration of Barack Obama

9:30pm

# 1/21

**VIC CHESTNUTT** Local 506

Elf Power opens this show featuring Athens' finest. 9pm, \$10

**NANCI GRIFFITH** Meymandi Concert Hall

Self-styled "folkabilly" artist and former kindergarten teacher. 8pm, \$25-40

# 1/22

**RECAPTURING** THE BANJO

Page Auditorium

Otis Taylor, Don Vappie, Alvin Youngblood Hart, Corey Harris and Keb Mo explore the black roots of the banjo. 8pm, \$5-34

Cat's Cradle

Rolling rag and bone pawn shop jalopies, as described on their Myspace page. 9:30pm, \$10-12

# 1/24

**ALINA SIMONE** & THE FELLS

The ArtsCenter

A world arts concert from a local songstress, partially in Russian. 8:30pm, \$14

# 1/30

LAKE INTERIOR Local 506 Apollo, Lafcadio. 8:30pm

# 1/31

**ANNUALS** Cat's Cradle Jessica Lea Mayfield and What Laura Says. 8:30pm, \$10-12

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Alice in Wonderland

Company Carolina brings the wit of Lewis Carrol to life in an adventurous musical. Jan 30-Feb 1, Feb 5-7, 8pm, 3pm matinee Jan 31 and special gala Feb 7

## **PLAYMAKERS**

The Young Ladies of...

Actor-playwright Taylor Mac's one-man show, an autobiographical story of a son's search to understand his father. Shows are at 8pm Jan 7-10 and 2pm on Jan 11 In rotating rep, Tennessee Williams' classic The Glass *Menagerie* will be paired with the regional premiere of Well, the recent Broadway sensation by Lisa Kron. The plays will be performed on alternating dates Jan. 24-31 starting with Well on Jan. 24. \$10-40, playmakersrep.org

## MEMORIAL HALL

Monsters and Prodigies: The History of the Castrati

Teatro de Ciertos Habitantes presents a comic romp from Mexico City based on the lifestyles, musical brilliance and decadence of male sopranos of the Baroque. Jan 24, 8pm. \$10-40, carolinaperformingarts.org

# COMEDY

# **DSI COMEDY THEATER**

ComedySport for the Family. Dec 31, 5pm. \$10, \$5 children under 12. Countdown to 2009 with Standup Comedy and Mister Diplomat, \$20, \$16 students.

ComedySportz, Jan 3, 10, 17, 24 and 31, 7:30pm. \$12

Cagematch, Jan 10, 24, 9:30pm. \$12

Best Show Ever, Jan 3, 17 and 31, 9:30pm. \$12, Dsicomedytheater.com

# **SPECIAL SHOWS**

Jesus — The Teen Years

Comedy written and directed by Julie Tomkovick and presented by Perihelion Theater Co. Unitarian Universalist Community Church, 106 Purefoy Rd, Chapel Hill. Fridays, Saturdays through Jan 31. \$15, \$12 students

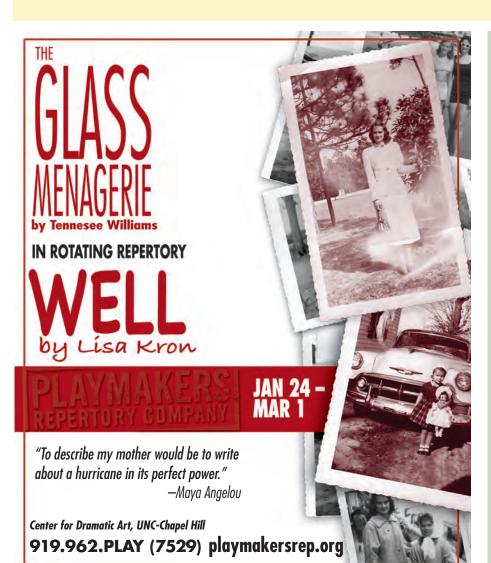
# **FILM**

# CHATHAM ARTS

The 100-Mile Sustainable Cinema series presents Chapel Hill filmmaker Sidney Ryan King's award-winning Pearl Diver. Fearrington Village Barn. Jan 27, 7pm. chathamarts.org

# **CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS**

Open call for submissions to the 8th Annual 10 by 10 Festival, an international festival of new, 10-minute plays. Visit artscenterlive.org for guidelines.



# LITERARY CALENDAR

# **CHAPEL HILL**

# MCINTYRE'S FINE BOOKS

Sheri Reynolds reads from *The* 

Sweet In Between. Jan 9, 2pm North Carolina Poetry Society reading with Jonathan K. Rice and M.

READINGS &

**DISCUSSIONS** 

Scott Douglass. Jan 22, 7pm Abigail T Pons discusses Investing In An

Uncertain Economy for Dummies. Jan 30, 2pm. fearringtonvillage.com/mcintyres.asp

## CARRBORO CYBRARY

Movie/Book Group discussion of Marley & Me: Life and Love with the World's Worst Dog. Jan 15, 7pm. cybrary@co.orange.nc.us

## INTERNATIONALIST BOOKS

William La Riche reads from To the House of Collateral Damage: Centuries of the Civilian Dead. Jan 26, 7pm. internationalistbooks.org.

# YOUNG READERS **CARRBORO BRANCH LIBRARY**

Storytime, Saturdays at 10:30am Toddler Time, Thursday at 4pm Storytelling by Ella Stewart, Jan 18

# **PUBLIC LIBRARY**

Story Time, for ages 3-6; Junior Book Club, for readers grades 1-3; Time for Toddlers, for stories, songs and acitivites; Baby Time, for children between 6 and 18 months.

Dates and times vary. Visit chapelhillpubliclibrary.org

# MARKET STREET BOOKS

Story Time, New Years Potluck Party, Jan 1; Clayworks kids sculpture class (1/3).

# **OPEN MIC**

# **OPEN EYE CAFE**

Poets Open Mic, first Tuesday of every month. 918-7364, openeyecafe.com

## THE CAVE

Blotter Magazine Open Mic Poetry. Second Tuesday of every month, 7:30pm. caverntavern.com

# **PERFORMANCES**

# The Chocolate Factory

— Jan. 17, 2 and 6pm. Studio A Dancers present an adaptation of Charlie and the Chocolate Factory. East Chapel Hill High Auditorium. \$5, tickets available www. dancecentre.net/blog

# **PARTICIPATORY**

**Ballroom** — Fourth and fifth Thursdays, 7-9:30pm. Seymour Senior Center, 2551 Homestead Road, Chapel Hill. \$2, 968-2070

**Barn Dance** — Square Heels Square Dance Club will hold two free Barn Dances, Jan 23 and Jan 30, 8-10pm, at Binkley Baptist Church to introduce anyone interested to square dancing, 542-3708 or gunnhsd@embarqmail. com for more info.

**Carrboro DanceJam** — First Fridays. Free-style dance. Balanced Movement Studio, 304 W. Weaver St, upstairs. 968-8776

Contra Dance — Carolina Song and Dance presents a community contra dance with live music by the Carolina Caterwaulers. Feb 20, Carrboro Century Center, \$8 donation, csda-dance.org

Havana Nights — First and third Thursdays, 10pm. Cuban Salsa, Mansion 462, 462 W. Franklin St. 967-7913, www. mansion462 net

# **LESSONS**

Salsa/Mambo — Third Saturdays, lesson 8pm, dance 8:30-Ilpm. Fred Astaire Dance Studio, 4702 Garrett Road, Durham. \$7, salsa\_4u2@yahoo.com, 358-4201

Square Dance — Square Heels Square Dance Club classes begin Feb 6, 7:30-8:30pm at Binkley Baptist Church. \$40 per person for 10 week package, 542-3708



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Recording/Production Pane

1/18 SUN 506 Music Trivia Night 1/19 MON THE FLYING EYES 1/20 TUE HAMELL ON TRIAL

1/21 WED Cat's Cradle Presents VIC CHESNUTT / ELF POWER 1/22 THU THE NEW FAMILIARS / HOLY GHOST TENT REVIVAL 1/23 FRI THE VIRGINS / LISSY TRULLIE / ANYA MARINA DAVID KARSTEN DANIELS / BRIGHT YOUNG 1/24 SAT THINGS / THE PRAYERS & TEARS OF ARTHUR

**DIGBY SELLERS** 

1/25 SUN COLOURMUSIC / STRATOCRUISER JOE COFFEE / RICHARD BACCHUS AND 1/27 TUE THE LUCKIEST GIRLS / THE GHOST OF SATURDAY NIGHT

1/29 THU MAX INDIAN

1/30 FRI Vinyl Records CD Release Show with LAKE INFERIOR / APOLLO / LAFCADIO

TRANSPORTATION / FAN TAN / THE TRAVESTIES 1/31 SAT 2/5 THU Lady DJ Night

2/6 FRI One Night Stand: Local musicians reveal an intimate and unknown side of themselves 2/7 SAT THE SUBMARINES / THE MORNING BENDERS

2/9 MON THE BOXING LESSON 2/10 TUE FAREWELL FLIGHT

Closed for Private Party 2/12 THU DEXTER ROMWEBER DUO CD Release Party 2/14 SAT

CHROME-PLATED APOSTLES Robust Records Presents JOE ROMEO & THE 2/21 SAT ORANGE COUNTY VOLUNTEERS CD Release Show

2/25 WED An Evening with MARAH Cat's Cradle Presents TIM BARRY / AUSTIN LUCUS 2/28 **SAT** 

THE ROSEWOOD THIEVES 3/3 TUE THE WHISKEY SMUGGLERS

3/6 FRI MASERATI / FIN FANG FOOM / MONSONIA 3/13 FRI Cat's Cradle Presents THE AIRBORNE TOXIC EVENT 3/20 FRI EMBARRASSING FRUITS CD Release Show

ACID MOTHERS TEMPLE / SONIC SUICIDE SQUAD 4/21 Tue

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# THE ARTSCENTER

DaShawn Hickman and Steel Moven with Hooverville (1/9) Austin Lounge Lizards (1/10) Girlyman (1/16) Alina Simone and The Fells (1/24)



# **BLUE BAYOU CLUB**

Will McFarlane Band w/ Armand (12/31) Butter (1/8) Rootzie (1/9) Abe Reid & The SpikeDrivers (1/10) Open Blues Jam with Butch Haas (1/13) Souless Dogs (1/15) Delta Highway (1/16) Michael Burks (1/17)

# CAT'S CRADLE

North Elementary "Not for Everyone Just for You" album release show (1/9) Cosmic Charlie (1/10) Flicker (1/11) Virginia Coaliton (1/15) Los Campesinos! (1/16) Who's Bad? (Tribute to Michael Jackson) (1/17) The Gourds (1/23) The Rosebuds (1/24) Jon McLaughlin (1/27) Dar Williams (1/28) Corey Smith (1/29) The Last Waltz Ensemble (music of Bob Dylan and The Band) (1/30) Annuals (1/31)

# THE CAVE

Brandon Herndon, John Pardue's Songslingers Showcase (1/1) Salt To Bitters (1/2) The T.U.R.D.S (1/3) Perkasie (1/4) Spider Bags, The Girls of the Gravitron (1/5) Anis Hoffman, Fever & The Fallin' Rain, Open-Mic with John Saylor (1/6) Velvet, The Sour Notes (1/7) Johnny Cook, Waumiss (1/8) Alex Bowers and Matt Vooris, Firehouse Rhythm Kings. (1/9) Joe Romeo & The Orange County Volunteers (1/10) Jimmy & The Teasers, Billy Joe Winghead. (1/11) Spoken-word with Ben & Marty (1/13) Pistil, Pink Flag (1/14) Dead to Society, Have Nots (1/15) Birds & Arrows, Gray Young (1/16) Grimball & Long, Kenny Roby, Mercy Filter (1/17) Mute, Goodbye Titan, Natasha El-Sergany (1/18) Shiragirl, Gonna Get Got (1/20) Teh Vodak (1/21) John Harrison, The Good Graces, Anna Bullard (1/22) Pagan Hellcats, Mystery Road, Puritan Rodeo (1/23) Killer Filler, Hot Rooster (1/24) Paper Scissors Rocketpack! (1/26) Lobster Newberg (1/27) The Naked Hearts, Pinche Gringo, Pneurotics

(1/28) Graham Featuring Graham, Dexter Romweber & Stu Cole (1/29) Sleepsound, Tripp, Transmission Fields (1/30) Ashley Atkins Band, Nikki Meets the Hibachi, Doug Davis.

# GENERAL STORE CAFÉ

New Year's Eve Bash (12/31) Donald Underwood Thompson Band (1/2) Catbird Seat (1/3) First Sunday Jazz Night (1/4) Jazz with Bernie Petteway (1/8) Nikki Meets the Hibachi (1/9) Lonesome Heart Band (1/10) Tony Galiani Band (1/15) See No Weevil (1/16) Stinging Blades (1/17) Marie Vanderbeck Trio (1/22) Lost County (1/23) When Cousins Marry (1/24) Marie Vanderbeck Trio (1/29) Piedmont Perennials (1/30) Oscar Begat (1/31)

## LOCAL 506

Jason Webley, Billy Sugarfix (1/1) Rockin' Ammonia Karaoke (1/3) Pompeii, Polynya, Inspector 22 (1/4) Embarrassing Fruits, Deleted Scenes, Butterflies (1/6) Jucifer, Uzzard (1/7) Christabel & The Jons, The Jackets (1/8) Hellrazor, Thunderlip! Armored Uprise (1/9) Cool Ethan (CD release show) Left on Cates, Hey Euphony, New Resolution (1/10) Gods Pottery (1/15) The Explorers Club, The Huguenots (1/16) Longwave (1/17) The Flying Eyes (1/19)Hamell On Trial (1/20) Vic Chesnutt, Elf Power (1/21) The New Familiars (1/22) The Virgins, Anya Maria (1/23) David Karsten Daniels (1/24) Colourmusic (1/25) Richard Bacchus & The Luckiest Girls (1/27) Max Indian, Modern Skirts (1/29) Lake Inferior, Apollo, Lafacadio (1/30) Transportation, Fan Tan, The Travesties (1/31)

# OPEN EYE CAFE

Lauren Mulderrig (1/10) Paul Kupfer (1/17) Gary Mitchell (1/23) Grimball & Long (1/24) ron Baxter (1/30) Zindagi (1/31)

## RESERVOIR

Social Memory Complex, Studio Gangsters (1/8) Freedomhawk, Colossus (1/16) The Wading Girl (1/22) Lollipop Factory, The Virgo 9, Aminal (1/29)

# NIGHTLIGHT

Bass Inbadurrz and Jaak Hogan dance party (1/3) Timbre, The Busy World, Owl-Eyed Allies (1/4) Box Elders, Whatever Brains (1/8) L in Japaneses Dance benefit for Internationalist Bookstore (1/10) Harmute cd release party, Lake Inferior (1/14) Torch Runner, Chiarascoro, Bagger Vance, Lemmy and Sean (1/16) Schooner, Ghost to Falco, Embarassing Fruits, A is Jump (1/17) Barack Obama Innauguration, live video and dance party (1/20) Clang Quartet, Odist, Douglas Ferguson, Boat Buring (1/31)

# OLD SUNGS: THREE Stories from 2008: JEFF AND MICHAELS.

WELL, I REMEMBER DAD PLAY-ED A FIDDLE AND SOMETIMES A HARMONICA...



MOM PLAYED THE BANJO AND WOULD SING. THEY PLAYED ALL THOSE FAST DANCE TUNES



er I DON'T REMEMBER WHAT HAPPENED TO THAT BANJO.



OING WITH SOME OF THE OLDER FOLKS ...



AND MADE IT LOOK SO EASYIT WAS SO BEAUTIFUL ...



COULD NEVER DANCE LIKE



HER THEY WOULD SIT AROUND AND TAKE OUT THEIR INSTRUMENTS FROM THE CASES...



WHO PLAYED THE CONCERTINA-THEY WERE ALL OLD LEFTIES FROM RUSSIA...



RECORDING OF THEM - IT SOUNDS GREAT! THEY'RE ALL GONE NOW. EVERYONE OF THEM.



