



PO BOX 1093
Wautoma, WI 54982

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**2026 Black Hawk Folk Festival ~ July 11, 2026
Advance Ticket Order Form**

TICKET PRICES: Advance: \$22 Ages 18 & under = FREE
At the gate: \$25

All advance ticket sales are FINAL. Sales tax is included.

I would like _____ tickets @ \$22 each TOTAL = \$ _____

Name _____
Address _____
City/State/Zip _____
Phone (____) _____ - _____

Mail this order form, along with your SASE and a check made out to Black Hawk Folk Society to: **Black Hawk Folk Society
PO Box 1093
Wautoma, WI 54982**

To receive your tickets by mail, please enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope. **Mail-in orders MUST BE RECEIVED by June 20 to allow time for mailing.** If you do not send an SASE or your order arrives after June 20, tickets will be held at the gate.



For more information, contact Tom at (920) 358-4565 or tomstraydog@aim.com or Betty at (920) 295-2030 or trowbridgeb@yahoo.com.

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**ONLINE
TICKETS!**



Buy your advanced tickets online at blackhawkfolk.org (or use this QR code) and have them held at the gate! Advanced tickets can also be purchased during *Pickin' at the Post* on Thursdays from 1:00-3:00 PM at the Trading Post in Mt. Morris or at our June 13 concert in the park.



Black Hawk Folk Society

June-September 2026

www.blackhawkfolk.org

**38th Annual Black Hawk
Folk Music Festival**

Saturday, July 11, 2026 ~ 10:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m.
~ Mt. Morris Town Park ~

OPEN MIC: To sign up for the Open Mic, contact Guy at (715) 228-3662 or gk500@yahoo.com.
VOLUNTEERS: We can always use a few good volunteers for the festival. Fill out the short form on our website by clicking the "Volunteer" button or contact Betty at (920) 295-2030.

NEW THIS YEAR: Let us help you carry your chairs into the festival grounds with a free golf cart ride!

Summer Concerts Continue

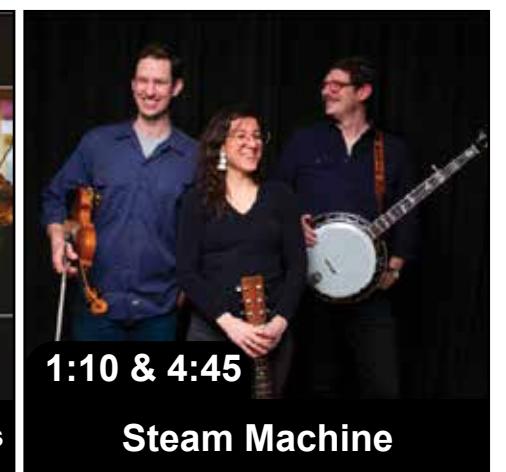
Come join us this summer at beautiful Mt. Morris Town Park for our Second Saturday Concert Series that will extend into September. These summer series concerts start at 2:00 PM, with a potluck at 1:00 PM (details on page 2).

- Jun 13 Tapestry String Band**
- Aug 8 Krause Family Trio**
- Sept 13 TBA**

Earth, music...magic!

Americana, folk, and good times

Suspiciously entertaining old time and bluegrass music



20 years of creating songs about love, life, and family

Gorgeous harmonies, impeccable musicianship, playful stage humor

What to bring:

- Lawn chair/blanket
- Cash to support the Mt. Morris Pioneers 4-H concessions, talented artisans, & BHFS raffle
- Snacks (coolers permitted)
- Bug spray & Sunscreen
- Bathing suit/towel (lake lovers)
- NO PETS (park policy)

*Handicap-accessible bathrooms
Free parking*



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Second Saturday Concert Series in the Park – 2:00 PM (Potluck @1:00 PM)

Many of our BHFS patrons enjoy listening to concerts in the Mt. Morris Town Park (N3837 County RD G), so we are again extending concerts in the park through September! (inclement weather site: Mountain View Community Center). Tickets are only \$10/person (18 and under FREE).



SATURDAY, JUNE 13 - 2:00 PM Tapestry String Band

Tapestry is a 5-piece string band performing American Roots, Traditional Country, Bluegrass, Folk, and Celtic in live music settings. The band incorporates a wide variety of instruments and vocals to weave a Tapestry of sound.
<https://tapestrystringband.com/>



SATURDAY, AUG. 8 - 2:00 PM Kraus Family Trio

The Krause Family Band is fronted by Rick Krause on guitar, banjo, harmonica, and vocals. He is joined by daughters Katie Krause (vocals) and Ruthie McQuinn (violin, viola, vocals). Together they sing roots/Americana original music and cover tunes ranging from The Mills Brothers to Tom Waits sung in close family harmony.
<http://www.krausefamilyband.com/>

Pickin' at the Post Thursdays 1:00-3:00 PM

Trading Post Bar & Grill
Hwy 152 Mt. Morris

SATURDAY, SEPT. 12 - 2:00 PM Mean Mary

<https://www.meanmary.com/>
Get more details on our website.

Thank you to our 2025-2026 Season Co-sponsors

Susan Allen & Bruce Dethlefsen
Jeff Anderson and Katie Lauritzen
Behlen Family (in memory of Jane Behlen)
Lyle and Beth Buettner
Connors/Barrett & Company LLC
Louise Coumbe & Janet Scalpone (Honorary)
Anne & Lou Dorwaldt (in memory of Allen Stea)
Vicki Duhr & Felix Schultz (in memory of Mary Anne Nielsen)

Robert Frey (Frey Family Foundation)
Dave Gunderson
Paul and Betty Hagan
Richard A. Hansen & Family
Tim and Elizabeth Holz
David and Diane Hughes
Waino Juslen and Rene Ingwalson
Guy and Loretta Kaplan
Barbara Peterson

Help Support Live Music in Waushara County!

If you enjoy the monthly concerts and annual festival and want them to continue, please consider a tax-deductible donation to Black Hawk Folk Society. All funds go directly to operation costs. Please print clearly.

Become a Friend of Black Hawk Folk Society:

- Banjo level (\$25)
- Mandolin level (\$50)
- Fiddle level (\$100)
- Guitar level (\$200 or more)
- Season Co-sponsor (\$250)
- Newsletter donation (\$10)
- Sound Fund donation

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Email _____

Bring this completed form, along with your contribution to any of our events, or mail to:

Black Hawk Folk Society
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Wautoma, WI 54982

Thank you for your contribution!

(Please make checks payable to **Black Hawk Folk Society**.)

About Our Concerts

Evening Concerts ~ Oct.-Nov. and March-April

- 2nd Saturday of the month at 7:00 PM
- Admission: \$10 for adults, FREE for ages 18 & under
- Mountain View Community Center (N3137 21st Lane, just off Highway 152, south of Mt. Morris)

Afternoon Concerts ~ May-September

- 2nd Saturday of the month at 2:00 PM
- Admission: \$10 for adults, FREE for ages 18 & under
- Mt. Morris Town Park (N3847 County Road G, Mt. Morris)

Annual Folk Festival ~ 2nd Saturday in July (Town Park)

Acoustic Jam Sessions

- Pickin' at the Post - Thursdays, 1-3 PM, Trading Post Bar & Grill, Hwy 152, Mt. Morris
- Strummin' at Starks & Luce Coffee Parlour & Bakehouse, 111 W. North Street, Plainfield
3rd Saturdays, October-May, 10:00 AM-Noon

About Black Hawk Folk Society

Black Hawk Folk Society is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization, and all contributions are tax deductible as allowed by law. For information, please contact the appropriate volunteer council member:

- Bookings/Fundraising**..... Tom Barrett, tomstraydog@aim.com
- Hospitality**..... Katie Lauritzen, katie.mezzaluna@gmail.com
- Treasurer**..... Paul Hagan, (920) 295-0385, prhaganjr@yahoo.com
- Newsletter/Website**..... Amy Kowalski, Secretary, blackhawkfolk@gmail.com
- Publicity**..... Vicki Duhr and Felix Schultz, maplewoodlooper@gmail.com
- Sound Technician**..... **Vacant** - contact Guy Kaplan at gk500@uniontel.com
- Council Member**..... Betty Trowbridge, Chair, trowbridgeb@yahoo.com
- Council Member**..... Guy Kaplan, (715) 228-3662, gk500@uniontel.net
- Council Member**..... Jeff Anderson, Vice-chair, jeff.mezzaluna@gmail.com
- Council Members**..... Gary and Elaine Zarccone, zarc@maqs.net
- Founding Member**..... Pat Connolly, (920) 295-2642, pconnolly7016@icloud.com