



1997 -- 4th Quarter Newsletter

The Western North Carolina Dulcimer Collective is a member-supported group of players of mountain and hammered dulcimers, and those who enjoy listening to dulcimers and/or playing other traditional instruments with them. The group meets once per month to share tunes and information. Dues are \$5.00 per year payable to WNCDC - to Carl Cochran, 12 Pheasant Dr, Asheville, NC 28803.

THIS QUARTER'S MUSIC

#1 - "**The Limerick Waltz**" is from "The Roche Collection of Traditional Irish Music, Vol III" published in 1927. It's in the section, "Old Dances (Not Irish by Origin)." The preface says that in these melodies, "a substitute may be found to some extent for the vulgar, inane and noisy stuff called dance music in vogue at present." Sounds like it could have been written by us or our parents! #2 - I finally found a Civil War hymn! I found "**Old North State**" (not the one they teach in schools) on a 1960 recording in our library, "The Civil War - Its Music and Its Sounds." It's from Book One of the Regiment Band of the 26th North Carolina. It has an odd rhythm in the first half, but it's a nice piece. #3 - While I was at the library I got out a Christmas CD (in mid-July!) by the Vienna Boy's Choir and found "**Er Is Een Kindeke Geboren Op Aard'**." Sorry, I didn't catch the lyrics, and they didn't translate the title. I hope you like this pretty little Christmas tune.

SONG REVIEW SCHEDULE

OCTOBER 12: Sally Ann (4th Quarter, 1990)  
 Sweet Betsy from Pike (4th Quarter, 1991)  
 The Atholl Gathering (3rd Quarter, 1993)

NOVEMBER 9: Didn't I Dance (1st Quarter, 1992)  
 The Four Mary's (1st Quarter, 1994)  
 Little Rosewood Casket (2nd Quarter, 1994)

DECEMBER 14: "Christmas With The Guild" - no song review. Once again we'll set up around the Folk Art Center and share our music - come and join the fun!

# Limerick Waltz

Mountain Dulcimer: D-A-dd and D-A-AA

Arrangement: Steve Smith

Notes	F# A	D - C# - D F#	B - A - F# A	G - F# - E F# A	B - A -
D	0 0	0 0 0 0	3 0 0 0	1 1 1 1 1	3 0
A	0 0	0 0 0 0	3 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0	3 0
dd	2 4	7 - 6+ - 0 2	5 - 4 - 2 4	3 - 2 - 1 2 4	5 - 4 -
D	0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	4 4 4 4 4	0 0
A	0 0	0 0 0 0	6 5 0 0	0 0 0 0 0	6 5
AA	5 7	10 - 9 - 3 5	8 - 7 - 5 7	6 - 5 - 4 5 7	8 - 7 -

Notes	F# A	D - C# - D F#	B - A - F# A	G - F# - E -	D - - -
D	0 0	0 0 0 0	3 0 0 0	1 1 1	0
A	0 0	0 0 0 0	3 0 0 0	0 0 0	0
dd	2 4	7 - 6+ - 0 2	5 - 4 - 2 4	3 - 2 - 1 -	0 - - -
D	0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	4 4 4	0
A	0 0	0 0 0 0	6 5 0 0	0 0 0	0
AA	5 7	10 - 9 - 3 5	8 - 7 - 5 7	6 - 5 - 4 -	3 - - -

Notes	F# A	G - F# - E F# G	B - A - F# A	G - F# - E F# A	B - A -
D	0 0	1 1 1 1 1	3 0 0 0	1 1 1 1 1	3 0
A	0 0	0 0 0 0 0	3 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0	3 0
dd	2 4	3 - 2 - 1 2 3	5 - 4 - 2 4	3 - 2 - 1 2 4	5 - 4 -
D	0 0	4 4 4 4 4	0 0 0 0	4 4 4 4 4	0 0
A	0 0	0 0 0 0 0	6 5 0 0	0 0 0 0 0	6 5
AA	5 7	6 - 5 - 4 5 6	8 - 7 - 5 7	6 - 5 - 4 5 7	8 - 7 -

Notes	F# A	D - C# - D F#	B - A - F# A	G - F# - E -	D - - -
D	0 0	0 0 0 0	3 0 0 0	1 1 1	0
A	0 0	0 0 0 0	3 0 0 0	0 0 0	0
dd	2 4	7 - 6+ - 0 2	5 - 4 - 2 4	3 - 2 - 1 -	0 - - -
D	0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	4 4 4	0
A	0 0	0 0 0 0	6 5 0 0	0 0 0	0
AA	5 7	10 - 9 - 3 5	8 - 7 - 5 7	6 - 5 - 4 -	3 - - -

# Old North State

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	D	A	D	A	D
Notes	D - - E	F# - - F# - - G F# - - E	E - D - D - - F# - - A	A - - G - - E - -	A - - F# - -
D	0 0	0 0 01 1	0 0 0 0 0	1 1 1	0 0
A	0 0	0 0 00 0	0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0
dd	0 - - 1	2 - - - 2 - - 3 2 - - 1	1 - 0 - 0 - - - 2 - - 4	4 - - - 3 - - - 1 - - -	4 - - - 2 - - -
D	0 0	0 0 00 0	0 0 0 0 0	4 4 4	0 0
A	0 0	0 0 02 2	0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0
AA	3 - - 4	5 - - - 5 - - 6 5 - - 4	4 - 3 - 3 - - - 5 - - 7	7 - - - 6 - - - 4 - - -	7 - - - 5 - - -

	D	A	D	A	D
Notes	D - - E	F# - - F# - - G F# - - E	E - D - D - - F# - - A	A - - G - - C# - -	E - - D - -
D	0 0	0 0 01 1	0 0 0 0 0	1 1 1	0 0
A	0 0	0 0 00 0	0 0 0 0 0	0 0 2	0 0
dd	0 - - 1	2 - - - 2 - - 3 2 - - 1	1 - 0 - 0 - - - 2 - - 4	4 - - - 3 - - - 1 - - -	1 - - - 0 - - -
D	0 0	0 0 00 0	0 0 0 0 0	4 4 4	0 0
A	0 0	0 0 02 2	0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0
AA	3 - - 4	5 - - - 5 - - 6 5 - - 4	4 - 3 - 3 - - - 5 - - 7	7 - - - 6 - - - 2 - - -	4 - - - 3 - - -

	G	D	A	D	
Notes	D - - G	G - - - - - D - - F#	F# - - - - - F# - -	G - - G - - A - - G	F# - A - - - -
D	0 0	0 0 0	0 0	1 1 1 1	0 0
A	0 0	1 1 1	0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0
dd	0 - - 3	3 - - - - - 0 - - 2	2 - - - - - 2 - -	3 - - - 3 - - - 4 - - 3	2 - 4 - - - -
D	0 0	3 3 3	0 0	4 4 4 4	0 0
A	0 0	3 3 3	0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0
AA	3 - - 6	6 - - - - - 3 - - 5	5 - - - - - 5 - -	6 - - - 6 - - - 7 - - 6	5 - 7 - - - -

	G	D	A	D	
Notes	D - - G	G - - - - - B - - G	F# - - - - - F# - - A	A - - G - - E - -	D - - - - -
D	0 0	3 3 3	0 0 0	1 1 1	0
A	0 0	3 3 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	0
dd	0 - - 3	3 - - - - - 5 - - 3	2 - - - - - 2 - - 4	4 - - - 3 - - - 1 - - -	0 - - - - -
D	0 0	5 5 5	0 0 0	4 4 4	0
A	0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0
AA	3 - - 6	6 - - - - - 8 - - 6	5 - - - - - 5 - - 7	7 - - - 6 - - - 4 - - -	3 - - - - -

# *Er Is Een Kindeke Geboren Op Aard'*

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	D		D		G		D	
Notes	D	F# - E	D D F#	A A B	A - D			
D	0	0 0	0 0 0	0 0 3	0 0			
A	0	0 0	0 0 0	0 0 3	0 0			
dd	0	2 - 1	0 0 2	4 4 5	4 - 0			
D	0	0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0			
A	0	3 2	0 0 3	5 5 6	5 0			
AA	3	5 - 4	3 3 5	7 7 8	7 - 3			

	D		F#m		G		A	
Notes	F# - E	D D F#	A A B	A - -				
D	0 0	0 0 0	2 2 3	1				
A	0 0	0 0 0	2 2 3	2				
dd	2 - 1	0 0 2	4 4 5	4 - -				
D	0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	4				
A	3 2	0 0 3	5 5 6	4				
AA	5 - 4	3 3 5	7 7 8	7 - -				

	G		D		A		D	
Notes	G B G	F# A F#	E F# G	A - -				
D	3 3 3	0 0 0	1 1 1	0				
A	3 3 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	0				
dd	3 5 3	2 4 2	1 2 3	4 - -				
D	0 0 0	0 0 0	4 4 4	0				
A	4 6 4	3 5 3	0 0 0	5				
AA	6 8 6	5 7 5	4 5 6	7 - -				

	G		D		A		D	
Notes	G B G	F# A F#	E F# E	D -				
D	3 3 3	0 0 0	1 1 1	0				
A	3 3 3	0 0 0	0 0 0	0				
dd	3 5 3	2 4 2	1 2 1	0 -				
D	0 0 0	0 0 0	4 4 4	0				
A	4 6 4	3 5 3	0 0 0	0				
AA	6 8 6	5 7 5	4 5 4	3 -				

## MEETING DATES/HOSTS/HOSTESSES

The following people have volunteered to host the upcoming meetings. We always need volunteers - you will need to show up about 1/2 hour early to make sure everything is set up. You will also need to arrange for refreshments, but not necessarily bring them.

October 12, 1997 - Alma Chatfield  
November 9, 1997 - Diane and John Carter  
December 14, 1997 - "Christmas With The Guild"

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## MEETING LOCATION/TIME

Second Sunday of each month from 2:30-5:00 at  
The Folk Art Center Library, Blue Ridge Parkway, Asheville

The Folk Art Center is located on the Blue Ridge Parkway at Milepost 382, about 1/2 mile North of US 70, just East of Asheville. Take I-40 Exit 55 to Highway 70, then left to the Parkway, or take I-240 Exit 7 and go East on Highway 70 to the Parkway. The Club meets in the Library, at the top of the ramp as you enter the Folk Art Center.

Handicapped Access is available: From Highway 70, go West from the Parkway just past the VA Medical Center to Riceville Road. Go to the Folk Art Center Service Entrance. A ramp leads to a second floor entrance.

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