Family Folk Machine Singers

Karol Bird

Aprille Clarke and Miles Crall (5)

Tammy Coverdale-Bauer

Jim Delaney

Maggie, Shiloh (6), and Apple (4) Graham

Rose Hanson

Carol Howard

Anne Marie Kraus

Wendy Levy

Ben Lewis, Buffy Quintero, Thisbe (5) and Eliott (7) Lewis

Jean Littlejohn and Claire (7) and Ben (3) Sauder

Sarah, Leila (8), and Elyas (6) McElligott

Irvin Pfab

Jean Post

Sara Riggs and Olivia (12) and Gabe (10) Baird

Cheryl and Simone (3) Robinson

Deb Singer

Faye Stevens

Barbara and Joel Wells

Lauren, Robin (5), and Holly (3) Whitehead

Heather Widmayer and Caleigh (10) and Greta (7) Stanier

Lawrence Yerkes

Family Folk Machine Band

Deb Singer, guitar

Jeff Capps, guitar

Pappy Klocke, bass

Tara McGovern, fiddle

The Family Folk Machine thanks Emily Light and Linda Kopping of the Senior Center, Katie Roche, Deb Singer, Chris Eastburn, the Newton Family Singers, the Family Folk Chorale, Alexis Stevens, Abby Jessen, and Pete Becker. Thanks to our band! Thanks to Alex Body for helping with the sound system today. Thanks to Jeff Vial for designing the Family Folk Machine logo.



May 5, 2013 - 3:00 p.m.

The Center - Iowa City, Iowa

The Family Folk Machine is a non-auditioned intergenerational choir that seeks to build a strong community by singing and playing music with our neighbors, exploring American history and culture through song, fostering individual musical growth, and pursuing excellence as an ensemble.

Presented in collaboration with:



This Land is Your Land

Woody Guthrie, arr. Chris Eastburn

Wendy Levy, recorder Rose Hanson, Karol Bird, Jean Post, Anne Marie Kraus, soloists

Beautiful City

Traditional, adapted by Marion Hicks, arr. Jean Littlejohn

Claire Sauder, soloist



Paradise

John Prine, arr. Chris Eastburn

Jim Delaney, Joel Wells, Larry Yerkes, Jeff Capps, soloists

Acres of Clams

Traditional, arr. Jean Littlejohn

Tara McGovern and Caleigh Stanier, fiddles Sara Riggs, Joel Wells, Tammy Coverdale-Bauer, Anne Marie Kraus, Sarah McElligott, Ben Lewis, soloists

Pastures of Plenty

Woody Guthrie, arr. Jefferson Starship

Jeff Capps and Anne Marie Kraus, soloists

What a Wonderful World

George David Weiss and Bob Thiele, arr. Chris Eastburn

Sara Riggs, Olivia and Gabe Baird, soloists



Yellow Submarine Lennon and McCartney

Caleigh Stanier, Eliott Lewis, and Leila McElligott, violin Greta Stanier and Claire Sauder, cello Shiloh Graham and Leila McElligott, soloists

-- Intermission --

Seven Bridges Road

Stephen T. Young

Power and Glory

Phil Ochs, arr. Chris Eastburn

Maggie Graham and Heather Widmayer, soloists

Unsteady Youth

Alexis Stevens

Katie Roche, accordion; Heather Widmayer, cello Lauren Whitehead, Faye Stevens, and Aprille Clarke, soloists

Free to Be... You and Me

Stephen Lawrence and Bruce Hart, arr. Jean Littlejohn

Caleigh and Greta Stanier, soloists

The Iowa Waltz

Greg Brown, arr. Jean Littlejohn

Tara McGovern and Caleigh Stanier, fiddles



Take Me Home, Country Roads

Denver, Danoff, and Nivert, arr. Chris Eastburn

Eliott and Thisbe Lewis, Ben Lewis, Buffy Quintero, Miles Crall, Aprille Clarke, Lauren Whitehead, soloists

The Family Folk Machine is directed by Jean Littlejohn. Jean is an organist and holds a Ph.D. in music theory. She has directed adult and children's church choirs and has sung in intergenerational folk choirs in Massachusetts. Jean lives in Iowa City with her husband Michael Sauder and kids Claire (7) and Ben (3).

The mission of the Senior Center is to promote optimal aging among older adults by offering programs and services that promote wellness, social interaction, community engagement, and intellectual growth. The Center serves the public through intergenerational programming and community outreach.