

Welcome to Stockton Folk Dance Camp's 62nd Year!

Last minute notes of interest for 2009

REGISTRATION

Your 1st stop on Sunday will be to check in at

Tiger Lounge
Grace Covell Hall
2:00 – 5:00 pm

Or later at:
Folk Dance Camp Office
Grace Covell Hall
7:00 – 9:00 pm

Here you may pay the balance of your fees, pick up your information packet with a daily schedule; receive your badge, keys to your room, and a copy of the syllabus (if you ordered one). The 2009 T-Shirts will be on display, and you may also enjoy a light snack.

Look for directional signs upon arrival on campus. See map on page 3.

**NEW CAMPER
ORIENTATION**
7:00 - 7:40 pm

Tiger Lounge
Grace Covell Hall

If you are a 1st year camper, please plan on attending this informal orientation and get acquainted party prior to the regular opening party. Jerry Helt will help you get to know each other, and Bruce Mitchell, Camp Director, will review camp procedures at this time.

TOURS OF CAMPUS

Find out where the dance classes are located, as well as the dining hall, library, and other points of interest on campus.

Tours will leave from the registration area during Sunday afternoon—final tour leaving at 4:30 pm.

HOUSING

Grace Covell Hall is our residence this year (and also the location of two of our dance classes!). All rooms have air-conditioning. Because your room will not be ready until 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, please try to arrive at Camp after that time.

A \$2.00 key/card deposit will be required when checking in. The guest card you receive along with your room key will open the outside doors of Grace Covell Hall. Smoking is NOT permitted in the residence hall.

HUNGRY ON SUNDAY?

Sunday meals are **NOT** included on your meal plan. Two choices within walking distance are: (See map p.3)

Elbert Covell Dining Hall
Sunday dinner hours: 5-7pm
(full cafeteria meal)

The Grove
(originally the bookstore in
McCaffrey Center)
Sunday hours: 12 – 8pm
(Some warm foods and a selection
of snacks)

You may also purchase sandwiches and light snacks at the “Hole in the Wall” later in the evening during the After Party.

LINENS/LAUNDRY

The University furnishes each camper with a pillow and blanket. They will also provide linens (two towels, a pillowcase, and sheets) for campers who have requested them. For those campers who are bringing their own linens, please note that mattresses are “extra long” size (80 inches). Regular size sheets will stretch to fit, but extra long is better.

Washing machines and dryers are located on each floor of the dormitory. If you have forgotten items such as toothpaste, shampoo, film, laundry soap, etc., they may be purchased on campus at “The Grove” grocery.

OPENING PARTY:

The first official function for Camp will be the opening party on Sunday evening beginning at 8:00 p.m. in the ballroom of Grace Covell—that’s right, our main dance floor (larger than usual) will be in the same building where we are living. Director Bruce Mitchell will cover last minute details concerning Camp, and each teacher will be introduced and share an easy dance with the group. The purpose of the opening party is for everyone to meet each other and to start the week off with a lot of fun.

SYLLABUS OF DANCE DESCRIPTIONS

New this year!

A preliminary copy of the syllabus will be available on our website prior to the beginning of Camp. **Look for it on our website as of Monday 7/20/09.**

www.folkdancecamp.org

For those of you who have pre-ordered, a paper copy will be available at registration.

The final syllabus, researched and corrected will be available on our website by the end of the 2nd week of Camp.

SUGGESTED ITEMS TO BRING TO CAMP

- a. Cool, comfortable clothes and shoes
- b. Swim suit (pool is open daily)
- c. Costume(s) for picture night
- d. Linens if you plan to bring your own
- e. Miscellaneous:
 - Washcloth, hand soap, laundry detergent
 - Alarm clock, small mirror
 - Clothes hangers
 - Camera
- f. Small electric fan
- g. **Hat for "Hat" Dance**
- g. **INSTRUMENTS for Chubritza's daily Ensemble Class—singing AND instrumental instruction!**

LEONA'S TEA PARTY

Bring one of Leona Faoro's teacup and saucer sets as admission to Leona's Tea Party. You may have purchased one last year, but more will be available at this year's silent auction. Suggested, but optional, attire for this event is hat and gloves and a dressy skirt. Sales of tea cups last year raised over \$800 for the Camp Scholarship Fund.

PARTY THEMES FOR 2009



1st Week Saturday Party 2nd Week Saturday Party

ITALIAN

BALKAN

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Wednesday Night Party

FRENCH CANADIAN



Get into the spirit of the occasion by bringing a sash (red) to wear at the party.

POLICY FOR THE SATURDAY NIGHT BANQUET AND PARTY

- a. Campers may attend only the dinner and party for which they are registered.
- b. Limited reservations for guests may be made in advance by mail or phone and will be accepted on a first come, first served basis. The person attending Camp is the one responsible for requesting reservations for their guest.

VIDEO/AUDIO TAPING POLICY

We have an agreement with the teachers that **no private video or audio taping is to be done.** You may order a camp DVD or VHS tape. All teachers at Camp will be included. **Please do not use your camera in any classroom or at Once Over Lightly.**

UOP DOES NOT ALLOW PETS in dorms or classes. If you have one, please find a comfortable home for it before you come. (An exception is "Seaton" a qualified special service animal. You may meet him, a golden retriever mix, on the 1st and/or last weekend as he accompanies one of our staff members.)

CAMP OFFICE PHONE number this year is **530-209-6602.** If there is an emergency, and no one answers the phone, Campus Security may be contacted at 209-946-2537.

PERSONAL PHONE CALLS: Please plan to use your cell phone. There are no pay phones on campus.

COMPUTERS: A Wi-Fi connection will be available through the University of the Pacific while you are at Camp.

MAIL can be addressed to you at Stockton Folk Dance Camp, University of the Pacific, 3601 Pacific Avenue, Stockton, CA 95211. All incoming mail will be available in the Camp office. Your outgoing mail may be left there also.

TRANSPORTATION

If you would like to be picked up at the Greyhound bus or Amtrak station, please let us know in advance of your expected arrival time. If no one is there to pick you up, please phone the Camp office, 530-209-6602. See our Folk Dance Camp website at www.folkdancecamp.org for more information

about transportation, schedules, connection, etc.

▼ Interstate 5 (I-5) Hwy 99 ▼



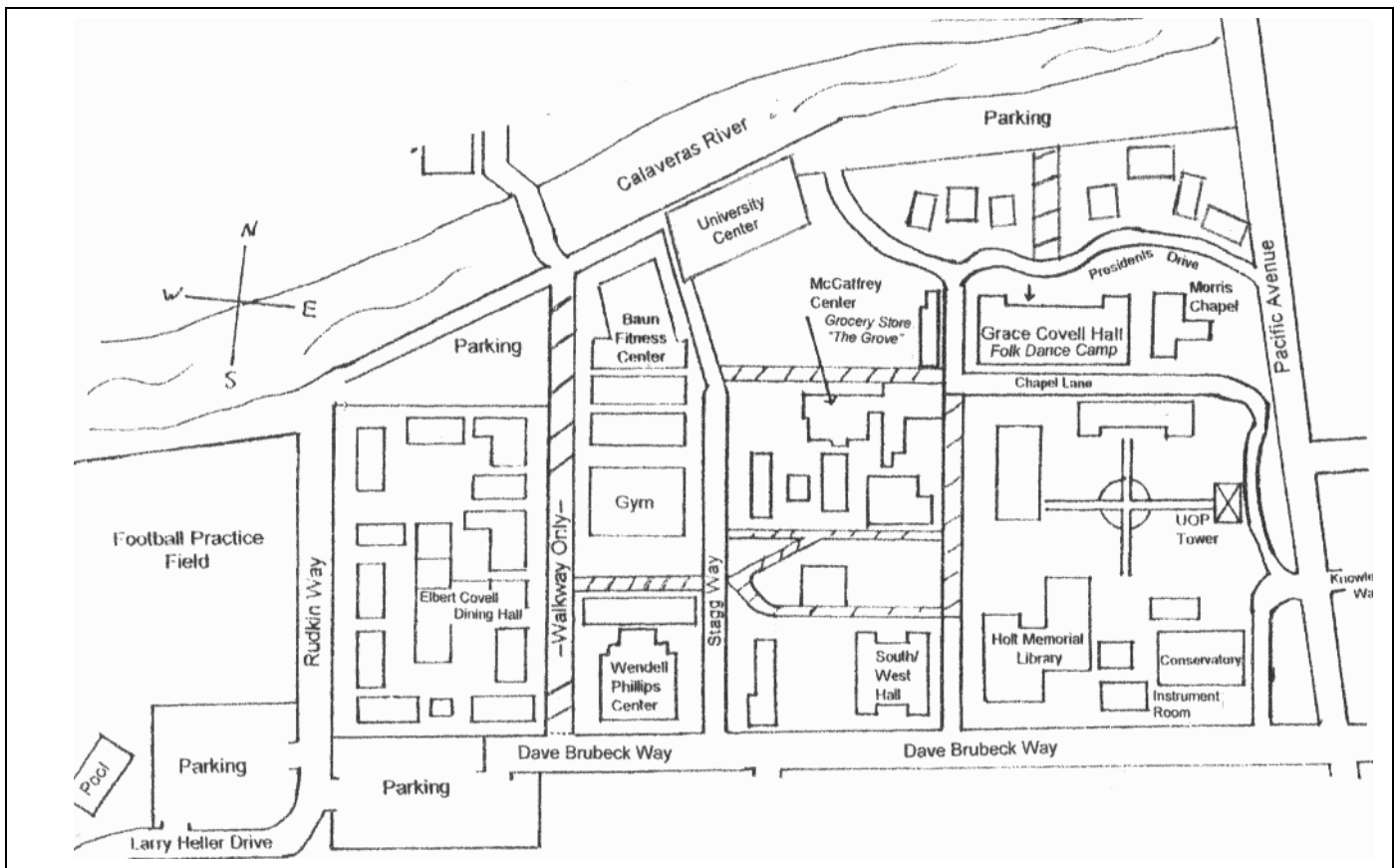
DRIVING DIRECTIONS:

Interstate 5 Southbound: Exit March Lane. Turn left and proceed east to Pacific Avenue. Turn right and proceed south to the University of Pacific Entrance.

Interstate 5 Northbound: Exit March Lane. Turn right and proceed east to Pacific Avenue. Turn right and proceed south to the University of Pacific Entrance.

Southbound and Northbound Hwy 99: Take Crosstown Freeway (Hwy 4) west to I-5. Proceed north on I-5. Exit March Lane. Turn right and proceed east to Pacific Avenue. Turn right and proceed south to the University of Pacific Entrance.
(Check out University of the Pacific, Stockton, CA on the internet.)

CAMPUS MAP ▼



REGISTRATION will be at **Grace Covell Hall**, in Tiger Lounge from 2 – 5 pm, and in the Folk Dance Camp Office from 7 – 9 pm. **LOOK FOR DIRECTIONAL SIGNS UPON ENTERING THE CAMPUS.**

PARKING: There is ample parking in the back lot north of Grace Covell Hall, with a walkway leading directly to the building. A parking permit is not required during the summer for parking lots and spaces marked "Parking Permit B."

WANT TO PAY THE BALANCE OF YOUR FEES EARLY? Prior to **July 15**, mail to Folk Dance Camp, care of Jan Wright, 36676 Viola Meadows Ct., Shingletown, CA 96088. You may also reach

Camp by email: jmwright32@frontiernet.net, or by phone at 530-474-3231. **Remember, beginning July 20th the camp phone number is 530-209-6602.**

YOUR BALANCE DUE IS: _____