

**The Song Parlor**  
With Host John Patterson  
Playlist, May 7, 2011:  
Moms, Races and A Few Songs & Sounds from the Sea

Opening

Harvey Reid, “Camptown Races . . .” *Steel Drivin’ Man* (Woodpecker 107 – PO Box 815, York, ME 03909 – 207-363-1886 -- [www.woodpecker.com](http://www.woodpecker.com))

I. Some Memorable Horses & Races

1. Elaine Gordon, “Derby Day In Dixie,” Edison Blue Amberol 3542 (1918), Stream Cylinder 5738 (Cylinder Preservation and Digitalization Project, Department of Special Collections, Donald C. Davidson Library, University of California, Santa Barbara – <http://cylinders.library.ucsb.edu>)
2. Peter Rowan Bluegrass Band, “Lord Hamilton’s Yearling,” *Legacy* (Compass 7 4543 2 -- 916 19<sup>th</sup> Ave South, Nashville, TN 37212 – 615-320-7672 – [www.compassrecords.com](http://www.compassrecords.com))
3. Bill Monroe, “Molly & Tenbrooks,” *The Music of Bill Monroe From 1956 to 1994* (MCA MCAD4-11048 – MCA Records, Universal City, CA 91608 – this terrific 1994 four CD compilation may now be out of print, but it is still available from [www.umgnashville.com/artist/releases/release.aspx?pid=1314&aid=77](http://www.umgnashville.com/artist/releases/release.aspx?pid=1314&aid=77))
4. Len Spencer & Ada Jones, “A Race For A Wife,” Edison Amberol 325 (1909) Stream Cylinder 8439 (Cylinder Preservation and Digitalization Project, Department of Special Collections, Donald C. Davidson Library, University of California, Santa Barbara – <http://cylinders.library.ucsb.edu>)
5. Spider John Koerner, “Stewball,” *StarGeezer* (Red House 84 -- 800-695-4687 – [www.redhouserecords.com](http://www.redhouserecords.com))
6. Craig Johnson, “Let’s Hunt the Horses,” *Away Down the Road* (5 String Productions 06001 -- 334 West Union Street, West Chester, PA 19382 – 610-436-5767 -- [www.5-string.com](http://www.5-string.com))
7. Tim O’Brien, “Hoss Race,” *Chameleon* (Proper American 007 – PO Box 34114, Pensacola, FL 32507 – [www.properamerican.com](http://www.properamerican.com))

II Moms – A

1. Rani Arbo & Daisy Mayhem, “Tinny,” *Ranky Tanky* (Mayhem Music 2010 – PO Box 964, Middletown, CT 04457 – [www.raniarbo.com](http://www.raniarbo.com))

2. Andrew Calhoun, "Gartan Mother's Lullaby," *Grapevine* (Waterbug 99 – PO Box 83, Glen Ellyn, IL 60138 – [www.waterbug.com](http://www.waterbug.com))
3. Mike & Ruthy, with Ruth Ungar, "Another Dawn Another Day," *Waltz of the Chickadee* (Humble Abode Music 011 – [www.mikeandruthy.com](http://www.mikeandruthy.com))
4. The Gibson Brothers, "I Know Whose Tears," *Ring the Bell* (Compass 7 4506 2)
5. The Sweetback Sisters, "The Sweetest Gift, A Mother's Smile," *Chicken Ain't Chicken* (Signature Sounds 2022)
6. Peggy Seeger, "My Mother Is Younger than Me," *Three Score and Ten: 70<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebration Live at the Queen Elizabeth Hall, London* (Appleseed 1100 -- PO Box 2593, West Chester, PA 19380 – 610-701-5755 – [www.AppleseedMusic.com](http://www.AppleseedMusic.com))
7. Magical Strings (Pam Boulding's), "Song For My Mother," *Crossing to Skellig* (Flying Fish 70531 -- Rounder Records, One Rounder Way, Burlington, MA 01803 – 800-768-6337 – [www.rounder.com](http://www.rounder.com))
8. Chuck Suchy, "Caregiver," *Unraveling Heart* (High Horse Records 104 – [www.highhorserecords.com](http://www.highhorserecords.com) -- see also [www.chucksuchy.com](http://www.chucksuchy.com))

## B. A Caregiver Coda

1. Hope McLeod, "Women of Menomonie," *Frozen In Time* (Hungry Hill Records 002 – 715-373-5898 – [happyhopey@centurytel.net](mailto:happyhopey@centurytel.net) )
2. Childsplay, "Queen Maeve's Slumber," *Waiting For the Dawn* (Childsplay 005 – 120 Garden Street, Cambridge, MA 02138 00 – 617-354-1673 -- [www.childsplay.org](http://www.childsplay.org))

## III. Coming Events

- Finest Kind*** – Lane Series, Recital Hall, Burlington, University of Vermont, Friday, May 13, 7:30 pm -- Info: [www.uvm.edu/~dceweb/lane](http://www.uvm.edu/~dceweb/lane) -- 802-656-4455
- Debra Cowan with John Roberts*** – Branford Folk Coffeehouse, First Congregational Church of Branford, CT, Saturday, May 14, 8:00 pm – Info: 203-488-7715 – <http://folknotes.org.branfordfolk>
- Old Blind Dogs*** -- Caffè Lena, Saratoga Springs, NY, Friday May 13, 8:00 pm  
Info: [www.caffelena.org](http://www.caffelena.org) -- 518-583-0022 (For other dates in the Old Blind Dogs current US tour, see [www.compassrecords.com](http://www.compassrecords.com))

1. Finest Kind, "Fair Maid Walking," *Silks & Spices* (Fallen Angle Music 05 – 285 Spencer Street, Ottawa, ON, Canada K1Y 2R1 – [www.finestkind.ca](http://www.finestkind.ca))

2. Debra Cowan, "Schooner EA Horton," *Dad's Dinner Pail* (Falling Mountain Music 1044 – PO Box 1335, Westborough, MA 01581 – 508-662-9746 – [www.debracowan.com](http://www.debracowan.com))
3. John Roberts, "The Old Figurehead Carver," *Sea Fever* (Golden Hind Music 108 – Box 1792, Schenectady, NY 12301 – [www.goldenhindmusic.com](http://www.goldenhindmusic.com))
4. Old Blind Dogs, "St. Kilda," *Wherever You May Be* (Compass 7 4542 2)
5. Old Blind Dogs, "Gaelic Song," *Four On the Floor* (Compass 7 4461 2)
6. Ian Robb, Shelley Posen & Ann Downey (Finest Kind), "The Mary Ellen Carter," *From Different Angels* (Fallen Angle Music 01)

#### IV. Mother/Daughter Collaborations

1. Isla St. Clair, "Lullin the Littlin," *Scenes of Scotland* (Greentrax 119 -- Cockenzie Business Centre, Edinburgh Road, Cockenzie, East Lothian EH32 OXL, Scotland – [www.greentrax.com](http://www.greentrax.com))
2. Maggie MacInnes (and Flora MacNeil), "Soraidh Bhuam far chuan is beannachd," *Spiorad Beatha/The Spirit of Life* (R2CD 2003 – 221 Sheppard Avenue West, Toronto M2N 1N2 Canada – 416-222-3609 – see also [www.maggiemacinnes.com](http://www.maggiemacinnes.com) and [www.marramusic.com](http://www.marramusic.com))
3. Jenna Reid, "The Hams O' Muckle Roe," *Laughing Girl* (Footstompin' Records 1738 – 17 Redford Drive, Edinburgh EH13 0BL Scotland, UK – [www.footstompin.com](http://www.footstompin.com))
4. Eliza Carthy & Norma Waterson, "Little Grey Hawk," *Gift* (Topic TSCD 579 – 50 Stroud Green Road, London NA 3ES, England – [www.topicrecords.co.uk](http://www.topicrecords.co.uk))
5. Alison McMorland (with Kirsty Potts), "Pullin Hard Against the Stream," *Cloudberry Day* (Tradition Bearers 1003 – Living Tradition Bearer Series 1003 – [www.folkmusic.net/catalog](http://www.folkmusic.net/catalog))

#### Close

1. Billy McComiskey, "The Diamond"/"Sleepless Night," *Outside the Box* (Compass 7 4488 2)

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