

31st Annual FolkMADness

Socorro, New Mexico

New Mexico Tech

Friday, May 22, 2026

4:00pm **Registration Opens:** Outside Main Doors of the Gym Complex / West Gym
5:30-6:45pm **Dinner:** Student Union Cafeteria, Fidel Center
7:00-7:45pm **Artists' Showcase:** Dance Hall/East Gym. ALL Artists - Join us for some songs, music, and more details about the great camp we have planned
8:00-11:00pm **Contra Dance:** East Gym. Susan Michaels calling with Karina Wilson, Debbie Jackson, Marni Rachmiel / Isaac Banner calling with Good Company
9:30pm till... **Evening Open Jam with Idlewild: Find us outside!**

Saturday, May 23, 2026

7:30-9:00	Breakfast, Fidel Center			7 am Bird Walk: with Robin Gurule Meet outside gym
9:15-10:00	Morning Waltzes & Partner Dances Karina, Marni, Debbie	Join the Camper Band Practice Will play the main stage on Sunday with Good Company		
10:15-11:30	Contra in Unusual Formations Susan Michaels with Idlewild		Patterns in Pub Songs singing with Emma Azelborn	Camper Callers - Pick and Practice Dances for Sunday Isaac Banner in Driscoll Lounge
11:30-1:00	Lunch, Fidel Center			
1:15-2:30	Square Dance Susan with Good Company	English Country Dance Workshop TBA with Idlewild	Silly Songs for All Ages singing with Emma	Art of Playing ECD Music with Debbie Jackson
2:45-4:00	Contras Outside the Minor Set Isaac with Good Company	Lincoln's Inaugural Ball Susan with Karina, Marni, Debbie	Songs of Solidarity, Resistance, and Hope singing with Emma	Slow Jam with Eric Carlson outside or in Driscoll if weather doesn't allow
4:15-5:15	English Country Dance Isaac with Idlewild	Open Dancing: Honky Tonk with Glorieta Pines (Karina, Lindsay & Brian)		Getting Comfortable with Improvisation with Marni Rachmiel
5:15-6:45	Dinner			
7:00 7:15-7:45	Gathering: Sing with Emma Azelborn Concert: Karina, Debbie, Marni			
8:00-11:00	EVENING DANCE: THEME - THRIFT STORE PROM 8:00-9:30 Isaac with Good Company 9:45-11:00 Susan with Idlewild			9:30 till...Evening Jam Hosted by Karina Wilson and bandmates

Sunday, May 24, 2026

	Dance Hall/East Gym	West Gym/Snack & Raffle	Atrium/Cafeteria Building	Other Places
7:30-9:00	Breakfast, Fidel Center			7 am Bird Walk: with Robin Gurule Meet outside gym
9:15-10:00	Morning Waltzes & Partner Dances Good Company			
10:15-11:30	English TBA with Karina, Debbie, Marni	Challenging Square Dances Susan with Idlewild	Delightful Ditties & Splendid Songs singing with Emma	Learn a Tune with Eric Carlson
11:30-1:00	Lunch, Fidel Center			
1:15-2:30	Medleys and Marathons Isaac with Karina, Debbie, Marni	Groovy Brains Clara Byom with Idlewild	Oops, All Bumpers singing with Emma	Chord Workshop with Helen and Sammy Driscoll
2:45-4:00	Techno Contra with Eric Erhardt	Introduction to Yiddish Dancing with Clara and Friends	Shanties, Work Songs, and Easy Bangers with Emma	Private Lessons - Rohan in TBD Tiny Tunes - with Jacob and Mirinisa in Driscoll Lounge
4:15-5:15	Camper Callers and Band Contrab Camper callers led by Isaac and camper band led by Good Company	Go support the Camper Band & Callers!		
5:15-6:45	Dinner, Fidel Center			
7:00 7:15-7:45	Gathering: Song with Emma Azelborn Concert: Good Company			
8:00-11:00	EVENING DANCE: <i>THEME - DRESS LIKE A NEW MEXICO SUNSET</i> 8:00-9:30 Isaac with Idlewild 9:45-11:00 Susan with Karina, Debbie, Marni			9:30 till... Evening Jam: Hosted by Good Company

Monday, May 25, 2026

- 7:30 - 9:00 Breakfast
- 9:00 - 11:30 Room Clean Up; Turn in evaluations and room key cards in the Dance Hall/East Gym
- 9:15-9:45 Waltzes/Partner Dances in Dance Hall/East Gym with Idlewild
- 9:45-11:15 LAST DANCE: Both Callers with Good Company and Karina, Debbie, and Marni
- 11:15-11:30 Closing Song with Emma
- 11:30 - 1:00 Lunch; Pick up raffle items and snack food in the West Gym; Lost & Found items in the Dance Hall/East Gym
- 12:30 - 1:00 Feedback Loop: Cafeteria Lounge. Interested in Helping? Have an Opinion? Stop to see Lindsay Taylor, Caitlin Bannan, or Tristan Fin!

Kids are welcome to attend any workshop on the schedule, but **Green Text** indicates workshops that are extra-friendly for young kiddos.

Come back again next year – Thanks! This weekend sponsored by New Mexico Folk Music and Dance Society www.folkmads.org