

June Camp - 60th Anniversary Year - June 1 – 4, 2017

Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, Illinois

Mark your calendars for the upcoming 60th anniversary of June Camp!

Join us on June 1st - June 4th, 2017 at our new comfortable location on the campus of Northern Illinois University (NIU) in DeKalb, IL, situated 60 miles west of Chicago and 100 miles south of Madison.

We are excited to welcome Balkan dance teacher and musician **Michael Ginsburg** back to June Camp. Hailing from New York City, Michael specializes in Macedonian, Serbian and Roma dances, and has a reputation for lively and clear teaching. We are also pleased to welcome back Tom Pixton, Patrick Yacono and Ralph Iverson of the **Pinewoods Band** for great live party music each evening of June Camp!

Highlights:

- Everything in one building – dancing, dining, housing - no walking for meals
- Air-conditioning in the entire student center
- Excellent huge ballroom for dancing with a balcony for relaxing and watching
- Fine audio capabilities and a stage for the musicians
- Lodging in beautiful University Hotel setting
- Hotel rooms with private bath, fridge, microwave, coffee maker
- Some hotel rooms can accommodate up to 4 people, and roll-aways are available
- Meals catered
- Festive anniversary banquet on Saturday evening
- Location is more centrally located for regional groups
- Attractive campus

What's different:

- NIU is a strict “Union” shop so we’ve needed to make some adjustments
- Alcohol policy is stricter - no accessible alcohol permitted in the dance space
- Alcohol is only allowed in hotel rooms or the “Hospitality Suite” (hence no more official “Happy Hour” gathering)
- The Student Center has set hours when it closes, so we will need to cap the evening dance parties earlier, but individuals can continue to have after-hour parties in their rooms or the Hospitality Suite
- We have 70 hotel rooms available on site and will be giving preference for those enrolled full-time and sharing a room - great way to meet new friends! There will be additional housing available in dormitories, if the hotel fills up.

Look for registration materials around the first of April. For more information or to get on the email list contact: junecampifd@gmail.com or check the website at: <https://sites.google.com/site/junecampifd/>

The Committee: Mady Newfield, Steve Salemsen, Marsha Swenson, Laurie Petersen, Jennifer Forbes-Baily, Sarah Falkoff, Edie Spear, Jenny Hahn