

FREE Admission

HOTA fest '09

**Heart Of The Alleghenies
Folk Music & Dance Festival
August 7 - 9, 2009**

University of Pittsburgh at Bradford in Bradford, PA
Workshops, Concerts, Dances, Jams, Instrument & Accessory Sales, Instrument Swap

Claudia Schmidt - Vocals, Guitar, Dulcimer



- ❖ **Celticladda** - Randy Miller's Contra Dance Band from New Hampshire w/ Bill Thomas-Flute, Uilleann pipes, Gordon Peery-Piano
- ❖ **TuneScape** – Hot Contra! w/Fern Marshall Bradley
- ❖ **Jim Kimball & Keith Blackmon** - Singing Squares

- ❖ **Crook Farm All Stars** w/Jessi Combs
- ❖ **Simple Faith** - Jamie Trask, Kerrie Pessia, Julie Baker
- ❖ **Mitzie Collins** – “Striking Strings”
- ❖ **Bonnie Loch Fiddlers** w/ Sue Tillotson
- ❖ **Curt Osgood** – Hammered Dulcimer
- ❖ **SPECIAL GUEST: Sterl Van Arsdale**
- ❖ **Mike & Amanda Manfredo** - Old Time Fiddle & Banjo

Spend a weekend immersed in the sounds of old-time, dulcimer, New England, Irish, Scottish folk music. Learn, listen, jam, and dance in an informal college setting with an impressive lineup of talented musicians.



Friday evening: Staff concert, contra dance, and open jams
Saturday (all day): Open jams, workshops, Evening concert, contra dances, showcase concerts, and instrument exchange
Sunday morning and afternoon: Workshop, gospel jam, and open stage, contra dance

**NOTE: Thanks to the support of the
Bradford Business Community
General Admission is FREE!**

**Please come & enjoy the Festival!
Listen, Sing, Dance, Play
Enjoy the Concert on Sat. Eve.!**

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For more information, or to register for
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(before 7/25/09)
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(Donations accepted)**