



2024 Activities Schedule

Please note the schedule may change, so print your copy before you come. Also, a mobile-friendly version can be found at www.oflahertyretreat.org/schedule-of-events-2024.

O'Flaherty Irish Music Retreat -- Thursday, October 24th				
CLASS LOCATIONS	6:30-7:30 p.m.	7:30-8 p.m.	8-9:30 p.m.	9:30-?
Texas Pavilion	Texas BBQ Dinner	Break	*****	*****
Chapel	***** ***** *****		Kick-Off Concerts in the Chapel Group 1 - Brendan Mulvihill Group 2 - Seamus Egan, Dylan Foley, John Morrow & Siobhan Butler	***** ***** *****
Jim Bowie	*****		*****	Slow Session with TBA
Maverick	*****		*****	Moderate Session with TBA
Alamo Lobby	*****		*****	Lively Session with TBA
Conservatory Lounge	*****		*****	Song Session with TBA
Rec Hall	*****		*****	Step Swap Session with TBA

O'Flaherty Irish Music Retreat -- Friday, October 25th -- First Half

CLASS LOCATIONS	8-9 a.m.	9-9:15 a.m.	9:15-10:15 a.m.	10:15-10:45 a.m.	10:45 a.m.-11:45 a.m.	11:45 a.m.-12 p.m.	12-1 p.m.	1-1:30 p.m.	1:30-2:30 p.m.	2:30-2:45 p.m.
Dining Hall	Breakfast & Guest Concert with TBA	Break	*****	Break	*****	Break	Lunch & Guest Concert with TBA	Break	*****	Break
.....	Instrument Petting Zoo at Dining Hall Patio	.....	.....	.....
Room 1	The Job of Songs - Irish Music Documentary Film	.....	Anglo Concertina Fundamentals #1 with Lexie Boatright	.....	.....	.....	Anglo Concertina Fundamentals #2 with Lexie Boatright	.....
Room 2	Céilí Dance Workshop with Lisha Willeng & Jeremy Welch	.....	Anglo Concertina #1 with Caroline Keane	.....	.....	.....	Anglo Concertina #2 with Caroline Keane	.....
Room 3	iPad Apps for Traditional Musicians with Kenny Tweedy	.....	Bodhrán Fundamentals #1 with Andy Kruspe	.....	.....	.....	Bodhrán Fundamentals #2 with Andy Kruspe	.....
Room 4	Tune Bingo with Janice Frillman	.....	Bodhrán #1 with Robbie Walsh	.....	.....	.....	Bodhrán #2 with Robbie Walsh	.....
Room 5	Playing Irish Music on Harmonica with Paul Dryer	.....	Bouzouki #1 with Matt Heaton	.....	.....	.....	Bouzouki #2 with Matt Heaton	.....
Room 6	Learning by Ear with Janis Deane	.....	Button Accordion #1 with Dan Brouder	.....	.....	.....	Button Accordion #2 with Dan Brouder	.....
Room 7	Fiddle Fundamentals #1 with Jake James	.....	.....	.....	Fiddle Fundamentals #2 with Jake James	.....
Room 8	Fiddle (Int.) #1 with John Carty	.....	.....	.....	Fiddle (Int.) #2 with John Carty	.....
Room 9	Fiddle (Int.) #1 with Zoë Conway	.....	.....	.....	Fiddle (Int.) #2 with Zoë Conway	.....
Room 10	Fiddle (Int.) #1 with Dylan Foley	.....	.....	.....	Fiddle (Int.) #2 with Dylan Foley	.....
Room 11	Fiddle (Adv.) #1 with Liz Knowles	.....	.....	.....	Fiddle (Adv.) #2 with Liz Knowles	.....
Room 12	Flute #1 with Seamus Egan	.....	.....	.....	Flute #2 with Seamus Egan	.....
Room 13	Guitar #1 with John McIntrye & Melodies by Shannon Muenchow	.....	.....	.....	Guitar #2 with John McIntrye & Melodies by Shannon Muenchow	.....
Room 14	Harp #1 with Deirdre Granville	.....	.....	.....	Harp #2 with Deirdre Granville	.....
Room 15	Mandolin/Banjo Fundamentals #1 with John Liestman	.....	.....	.....	Mandolin/Banjo Fundamentals #2 with John Liestman	.....
Room 16	Mandolin #1 with John Morrow	.....	.....	.....	Mandolin #2 with John Morrow	.....
Room 17	Sean-Nós Dancing #1 with Siobhan Butler	.....	.....	.....	Sean-Nós Dancing #2 with Siobhan Butler	.....
Room 18	Singing #1 with Eileen Estes	.....	.....	.....	Singing #2 with Eileen Estes	.....
Room 19	Tenor Banjo #1 with Angelina Carberry	.....	.....	.....	Tenor Banjo #2 with Angelina Carberry	.....
Room 20	Uilleann Pipes #1 with Kieran O'Hare	.....	.....	.....	Uilleann Pipes #2 with Kieran O'Hare	.....
Room 21	Whistle #1 with John Skelton	.....	.....	.....	Whistle #2 with John Skelton	.....

O'Flaherty Irish Music Retreat -- Friday, October 25th -- Second Half

CLASS LOCATIONS	2:45-3:45 p.m.	3:45-4 p.m.	4-5 p.m.	5-5:30 p.m.	5:30-6:30 p.m.	6:30-7 p.m.	7 p.m.-8:30 p.m.	8:45-10:30 p.m.	10:30 p.m. - ???
Dining Hall	Break	Break	Dinner & Guest Concert with TBA	Break	Instructor Concerts Chapel Group 1 - Matt Heaton, Eileen Estes, Shannon Muenchow, Andy Kruspe Group 2 - Zoë Conway & John McIntyre	Lone Star Céilí at Rec Hall	
				
Room 1	Anglo Concertina Fundamentals #3 with Lexie Boatright	Break	In Between Authenticity and Personal Style with Liz Knowles	Break	Break	Play Along Session with Instructor Group 1	Moderate Session with TBA
Room 2	Anglo Concertina #3 with Caroline Keane		Informance with Angelina Carberry		.....		Play Along Session with Instructor Group 2	Lively Session with TBA
Room 3	Bodhrán Fundamentals #3 with Andy Kruspe		Informance with Kieran O'Hare & John Skelton		.....		Play Along Session with Instructor Group 3	Lively Session with TBA
Room 4	Bodhrán #3 with Robbie Walsh		Interpreting Songs for Slow Air Playing with Deirdre Granville		.....		Slow Session with TBA	
Room 5	Bouzouki #3 with Matt Heaton		Irish Traditional Music - Beyond the Notes with Caroline Keane		.....		Moderate Session with TBA	
Room 6	Button Accordion #3 with Dan Brouder		The Rich Tapestry of Sligo Fiddle Music with John Carty		.....		Lively Session with TBA	
Room 7	Fiddle Fundamentals #3 with Jake James		The Martin Mulvihill Collection and My Own Musical Journey with Brendan Mulvihill		.....		Song Session with TBA	
Room 8	Fiddle (Int.) #3 with John Carty		.....		.....		.....	.....
Room 9	Fiddle (Int.) #3 with Zoë Conway		.....		.....		.....	.....
Room 10	Fiddle (Int.) #3 with Dylan Foley		.....		.....		.....	.....
Room 11	Fiddle (Adv.) #3 with Liz Knowles		.....		.....		.....	.....
Room 12	Flute #3 with Seamus Egan		.....		.....		.....	.....
Room 13	Guitar #3 with John McIntyre & Melodies by Shannon Muenchow		.....		.....		.....	.....
Room 14	Harp #3 with Deirdre Granville		.....		.....		.....	.....
Room 15	Mandolin/Banjo Fundamentals #3 with John Liestman		.....		.....		.....	.....
Room 16	Mandolin #3 with John Morrow		.....		.....		.....	.....
Room 17	Sean-Nós Dancing #3 with Siobhan Butler		.....		.....		.....	.....
Room 18	Singing #3 with Eileen Estes		.....		.....		.....	.....
Room 19	Tenor Banjo #3 with Angelina Carberry		.....		.....		.....	.....
Room 20	Uilleann Pipes #3 with Kieran O'Hare		.....		.....		.....	.....
Room 21	Whistle #3 with John Skelton		.....		.....		.....	.....

O'Flaherty Irish Music Retreat -- Saturday, October 26th -- First Half

CLASS LOCATIONS	8-9 a.m.	9-9:15 a.m.	9:15-10:15 a.m.	10:15-10:45 a.m.	10:45 a.m.-11:45 a.m.	11:45 a.m.-12 p.m.	12-1 p.m.	1-1:30 p.m.	1:30-2:30 p.m.	2:30-2:45 p.m.
Dining Hall	Breakfast & Guest Concert with TBA	Break	*****	Break	*****	Break	Lunch & Guest Concert with TBA	Break	*****	Break
			*****		*****		Fleadh Market - Instrument Sale at Dining Hall Patio		*****	
Room 1	*****		Anything BUT Jigs and Reels with Ken Fleming		Anglo Concertina Fundamentals #4 with Lexie Boatright		*****		Anglo Concertina Fundamentals #5 with Lexie Boatright	
Room 2	*****		Harp Circle with Therese Honey		Anglo Concertina #4 with Caroline Keane		*****		Anglo Concertina #5 with Caroline Keane	
Room 3	*****		Hidden Celtic Music in America with Catherine Koehler		Bodhrán Fundamentals #4 with Andy Kruspe		*****		Bodhrán Fundamentals #5 with Andy Kruspe	
Room 4	*****		How to Accompany Tunes with Kevin Alewine		Bodhrán #4 with Robbie Walsh		*****		Bodhrán #5 with Robbie Walsh	
Room 5	*****		Introduction to the Irish Language (An Ghaeilge) with Ian Varley		Bouzouki #4 with Matt Heaton		*****		Bouzouki #5 with Matt Heaton	
Room 6	*****		Retreat Tunes Played Slowly with Kenny Tweedy		Button Accordion #4 with Dan Brouder		*****		Button Accordion #5 with Dan Brouder	
Room 7	*****		The Fundamentals of Irish Set Dancing with Angelika Eleni		Fiddle Fundamentals #4 with Jake James		*****		Fiddle Fundamentals #5 with Jake James	
Room 8	*****		*****		Fiddle (Int.) #4 with John Carty		*****		Fiddle (Int.) #5 with John Carty	
Room 9	*****		*****		Fiddle (Int.) #4 with Zoë Conway		*****		Fiddle (Int.) #5 with Zoë Conway	
Room 10	*****		*****		Fiddle (Int.) #4 with Dylan Foley		*****		Fiddle (Int.) #5 with Dylan Foley	
Room 11	*****		*****		Fiddle (Adv.) #4 with Liz Knowles		*****		Fiddle (Adv.) #5 with Liz Knowles	
Room 12	*****		*****		Flute #4 with Seamus Egan		*****		Flute #5 with Seamus Egan	
Room 13	*****		*****		Guitar #4 with John McIntrye & Melodies by Shannon Muenchow		*****		Guitar #5 with John McIntrye & Melodies by Shannon Muenchow	
Room 14	*****		*****		Harp #4 with Deirdre Granville		*****		Harp #5 with Deirdre Granville	
Room 15	*****		*****		Mandolin/Banjo Fundamentals #4 with John Liestman		*****		Mandolin/Banjo Fundamentals #5 with John Liestman	
Room 16	*****		*****		Mandolin #4 with John Morrow		*****		Mandolin #5 with John Morrow	
Room 17	*****		*****		Sean-Nós Dancing #4 with Siobhan Butler		*****		Sean-Nós Dancing #5 with Siobhan Butler	
Room 18	*****		*****		Singing #4 with Eileen Estes		*****		Singing #5 with Eileen Estes	
Room 19	*****		*****		Tenor Banjo #4 with Angelina Carberry		*****		Tenor Banjo #5 with Angelina Carberry	
Room 20	*****		*****		Uilleann Pipes #4 with Kieran O'Hare		*****		Uilleann Pipes #5 with Kieran O'Hare	
Room 21	*****		*****		Whistle #4 with John Skelton		*****		Whistle #5 with John Skelton	

O'Flaherty Irish Music Retreat -- Sunday, October 27th -- First Half

CLASS LOCATIONS	8-9 a.m.	9-9:15 a.m.	9:15-10:15 a.m.	10:15-10:45 a.m.	10:45 a.m.-11:45 a.m.	11:45 a.m.-12 p.m.	12-1 p.m.	1-1:30 p.m.	1:30-2:30 p.m.	2:30-2:45 p.m.
Dining Hall	Breakfast & Guest Concert with TBA	Break	*****	Break	*****	Break	Lunch & Guest Concert with TBA	Break	*****	Break
*****	7:30-8 a.m. Non-Denominational Praise Service in the Compton		*****		*****		*****		*****	
Room 1	*****		More from the Eighties Vault with Mick McQuaid		Anglo Concertina Fundamentals #7 with Lexie Boatright		*****		Anglo Concertina Fundamentals #8 with Lexie Boatright	
Room 2	*****		Phrasing is the Source of the Magic with Cliff Moses		Anglo Concertina #7 with Caroline Keane		*****		Anglo Concertina #8 with Caroline Keane	
Room 3	*****		Pub Songs Sing-Along with Joseph Beckey		Bodhrán Fundamentals #7 with Andy Kruspe		*****		Bodhrán Fundamentals #8 with Andy Kruspe	
Room 4	*****		Retreat Tunes Played Slowly with John Liestman		Bodhrán #7 with Robbie Walsh		*****		Bodhrán #8 with Robbie Walsh	
Room 5	*****		The Basics of Seanós Dance with Emily Critz		Bouzouki #7 with Matt Heaton		*****		Bouzouki #8 with Matt Heaton	
Room 6	*****		The Life and Music of Tommy Peoples with Grace Broadhead		Button Accordion #7 with Dan Brouder		*****		Button Accordion #8 with Dan Brouder	
Room 7	*****		Tunes and Songs about Napoleon in Irish Trad Music with Angela Botzer		Fiddle Fundamentals #7 with Jake James		*****		Fiddle Fundamentals #8 with Jake James	
Room 8	*****		*****		Fiddle (Int.) #7 with John Carty		*****		Fiddle (Int.) #8 with John Carty	
Room 9	*****		*****		Fiddle (Int.) #7 with Zoë Conway		*****		Fiddle (Int.) #8 with Zoë Conway	
Room 10	*****		*****		Fiddle (Int.) #7 with Dylan Foley		*****		Fiddle (Int.) #8 with Dylan Foley	
Room 11	*****		*****		Fiddle (Adv.) #7 with Liz Knowles		*****		Fiddle (Adv.) #8 with Liz Knowles	
Room 12	*****		*****		Flute #7 with Seamus Egan		*****		Flute #8 with Seamus Egan	
Room 13	*****		*****		Guitar #7 with John McIntrye & Melodies by Shannon Muenchow		*****		Guitar #8 with John McIntrye & Melodies by Shannon Muenchow	
Room 14	*****		*****		Harp #7 with Deirdre Granville		*****		Harp #8 with Deirdre Granville	
Room 15	*****		*****		Mandolin/Banjo Fundamentals #7 with John Liestman		*****		Mandolin/Banjo Fundamentals #8 with John Liestman	
Room 16	*****		*****		Mandolin #7 with John Morrow		*****		Mandolin #8 with John Morrow	
Room 17	*****		*****		Sean-Nós Dancing #7 with Siobhan Butler		*****		Sean-Nós Dancing #8 with Siobhan Butler	
Room 18	*****		*****		Singing #7 with Eileen Estes		*****		Singing #8 with Eileen Estes	
Room 19	*****		*****		Tenor Banjo #7 with Angelina Carberry		*****		Tenor Banjo #8 with Angelina Carberry	
Room 20	*****		*****		Uilleann Pipes #7 with Kieran O'Hare		*****		Uilleann Pipes #8 with Kieran O'Hare	
Room 21	*****		*****		Whistle #7 with John Skelton		*****		Whistle #8 with John Skelton	

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Dining Hall	Break	Break	Dinner & Guest Concert with TBA	Break	Instructor Concerts Chapel Group 1 - Lexie Boatright, Jake James & Cara Wildman Group 2 - Angelina Carberry, Dan Brouder & John Carty Farewell Concert with All Instructors
Room 1	Anglo Concertina Fundamentals #9 with Lexie Boatright		Creating Melody Variations with John Morrow		.....		.....	Play Along Session with Instructor Group 1	Moderate Session with TBA
Room 2	Anglo Concertina #9 with Caroline Keane		Lego, Polyrythms, Timing, and Konnakol with Andy Kruspe		.....		.....	Play Along Session with Instructor Group 2	Lively Session with TBA
Room 3	Bodhrán Fundamentals #9 with Andy Kruspe		Musical Memory and Instinct with Seamus Egan		.....		.....	Play Along Session with Instructor Group 3	Lively Session with TBA
Room 4	Bodhrán #9 with Robbie Walsh		Rhythm Construction with Robbie Walsh		.....		.....	Slow Session with TBA	
Room 5	Bouzouki #9 with Matt Heaton		TRAD Talk with Irish Artist in America Achievement Award Recipient		.....		.....	Moderate Session with TBA	
Room 6	Button Accordion #9 with Dan Brouder		Vocal Workouts for Traditional and Folk Singers with Eileen Estes		.....		.....	Lively Session with TBA	
Room 7	Fiddle Fundamentals #9 with Jake James		.....		.....		.....	Song Session with TBA	
Room 8	Fiddle (Int.) #9 with John Carty		.....		.....		.....	.....	.....
Room 9	Fiddle (Int.) #9 with Zoë Conway		.....		.....		.....	.....	.....
Room 10	Fiddle (Int.) #9 with Dylan Foley		.....		.....		.....	.....	.....
Room 11	Fiddle (Adv.) #9 with Liz Knowles		.....		.....		.....	.....	.....
Room 12	Flute #9 with Seamus Egan		.....		.....		.....	.....	.....
Room 13	Guitar #9 with John McIntyre & Melodies by Shannon Muenchow		.....		.....		.....	.....	.....
Room 14	Harp #9 with Deirdre Granville		.....		.....		.....	.....	.....
Room 15	Mandolin/Banjo Fundamentals #9 with John Liestman		.....		.....		.....	.....	.....
Room 16	Mandolin #9 with John Morrow		.....		.....		.....	.....	.....
Room 17	Sean-Nós Dancing #9 with Siobhan Butler		.....		.....		.....	.....	.....
Room 18	Singing #9 with Eileen Estes		.....		.....		.....	.....	.....
Room 19	Tenor Banjo #9 with Angelina Carberry		.....		.....		.....	.....	.....
Room 20	Uilleann Pipes #9 with Kieran O'Hare		.....		.....		.....	.....	.....
Room 21	Whistle #9 with John Skelton		.....		.....		.....	.....	.....