



# AAA 2014 Festival - July 9-13 - Tarrytown, NY

## Schedule of Events

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 9, 2014

- 3:30 p.m. Registration Desk Opens (until 6:00 p.m.) .....Ballroom Foyer  
**Registration Fee is \$35**  
*which allows admission to exhibits, workshops and all regular competition categories as well as participation in the Jr. Festival and Festival Orchestras.*
- 5:00 p.m. Exhibits Open.....Hudson A, B and C  
 Coupe Mondiale Qualifying Categories .....Tarrytown Room
- 7:00 p.m. Press and Squeeze Party.....Ballroom Foyer
- 8:00 p.m. Meet and Greet & Jam Session for all Registered Participants .....Ballroom Foyer

### THURSDAY, JULY 10, 2014

- 9:00 a.m. Registration Desk Opens (until 11:30 a.m.).....Ballroom Foyer  
 Exhibits Open (until 11:30 a.m.) .....Hudson A, B and C  
 Junior Festival Orchestra Rehearsal .....Ballroom
- 9:30 a.m. Jazz Solo up to 15.....Tarrytown Room
- 10:30 a.m. Standard Solos .....Tarrytown Room  
 WORKSHOP – Learning the Language of Improvising (Bring Your Accordion)  
 Don Gerundo.....Sleepy Hollow Room
- 11:00 a.m. Open Ethnic Solos.....Tarrytown Room
- 11:30 a.m. Luncheon and Concert\* .....Ballroom  
 Frank Carozza, Accordion and Vocals; The Plainville “Plaids”
- 1:00 p.m. Registration Desk - Open until 3:00 p.m.....Ballroom Foyer  
 Exhibits Open until 5:00 p.m. ....Hudson A, B and C  
 Open Solos.....Tarrytown Room  
 WORKSHOP – Developing Artistry and Musicianship in a Multi-Level Ensemble  
 Mary Archuleta & Rebecca Rhoades .....Sleepy Hollow Room
- 1:45 p.m. Founder’s Solos.....Tarrytown Room
- 2:00 p.m. WORKSHOP – The Ancient Modes (Bring Your Accordion)  
 Vladimir Mollov .....Sleepy Hollow Room
- 2:30 p.m. Open Pop Solos .....Tarrytown Room
- 3:30 p.m. Festival Orchestra Rehearsal .....Ballroom  
 Bring your Accordion, a pencil, music stand and your orchestra music

### FRIDAY, JULY 11, 2014

- 9:00 a.m. Exhibits Open (until 12:00 noon).....Hudson A, B and C  
 Junior Festival Orchestra Rehearsal .....Ballroom  
 Registration opens until noon.....Ballroom Foyer  
 WORKSHOP – Scales, Your Favorite Subject.....Sleepy Hollow Room  
 Dr. Robert Young McMahan
- 10:00 a.m. Youth Jazz Ensemble Rehearsal.....Ballroom  
 WORKSHOP – Musette Style’s Development (Bring Your Accordion)  
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### FRIDAY, JULY 11, 2014, cont'd.

- 11:00 a.m. WORKSHOP – Chinese Music and Numbered Notation (Bring your Accordion)  
Yimeng Huang.....Sleepy Hollow Room
- 1:00 p.m. Exhibits Open (until 5:00 p.m.) .....Hudson A, B and C  
Adult Solos – Open, Pop and Ethnic.....Tarrytown Room  
WORKSHOP – The “Trill” of Balkan Music (Bring Your Accordion)  
Lauren Brody.....Sleepy Hollow Room
- 2:00 p.m. WORKSHOP – Interpretation and the Bass Line  
Mario Tacca .....Sleepy Hollow Room
- 2:30 p.m. Duets .....Tarrytown Room
- 3:30 p.m. Festival Orchestra Rehearsal .....Ballroom
- 6:00 p.m. Registration opens outside Ballroom for ticket sales
- 7:00 p.m. GALA CONCERT\* .....Ballroom  
Mario Tacca and Friends, Dr. Robert Young McMahan and Dr. Gary Fienberg, Steve  
Albini, Guy Klucevsek and Todd Reynolds, Vladimir Mollov. Mario Tacca & Mary Mancini
- 9:00 p.m. ARTIST RECEPTION\* .....To be announced

### SATURDAY, JULY 12, 2014

- 8:00 a.m. New England Accordion Museum – Paul Ramunni.....Hudson A, B and C
- 9:00 a.m. Junior Festival Orchestra Rehearsal.....Ballroom  
Evaluation .....Tarrytown Room  
Exhibits Open (until noon) .....Hudson A, B and C  
WORKSHOP Orchestrating with a Digital Accordion.....Sleepy Hollow Room  
Steve Albini
- 10:00 a.m. WORKSHOP – Meet the Composer / Performer.....Sleepy Hollow Room  
Guy Klucevsek  
Senior Band .....Ballroom
- 11:00 a.m. Youth Jazz Ensemble Rehearsal .....Tarrytown Room
- 12:00 p.m. Entertainment AAA.....Ballroom
- 1:00 p.m. Exhibits Open (until 5:00 p.m.) .....Hudson A, B and C  
Awards Concert .....Ballroom
- 3:30 p.m. Festival Orchestra Rehearsal .....Ballroom
- 6:00 p.m. COCKTAIL RECEPTION .....Ballroom Foyer  
Music by Don Gerundo
- 7:00 p.m. GALA BANQUET\* .....Ballroom  
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### SUNDAY, JULY 13, 2014

- 9:00 a.m. BREAKFAST\* and Open Meeting.....Ballroom

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Rooms are subject to change. Any change will be posted at the Registration Desk in the Ballroom Foyer.

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