The New England Digital Accordion Orchestra Invited Again to Perform at Sturbridge Ma. 2022 Concert Series

Sunday-August 28, 2022



Sturbridge Concert on the Common

Time: 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

<u>Location:</u> Sturbridge Common, Route 131 (across from the

Publick House)





ORCHESTRA BACKGROUND

The New England Digital Accordion Orchestra is the nation's first-ever digital accordion orchestra and is a leading force in the evolution of the world of the accordion! Roland V digital accordions, which first appeared in 2004, are a far cry from the old family "squeeze boxes". They reproduce virtually every musical instrumental sound through a technology that's as versatile as it is portable. One accordionist aptly described this instrument as "an orchestra in a box!"

The New England Digital Accordion Orchestra was formed in 2015 and is conducted by internationally recognized accordionist and music educator, Anselmo (Sam) Falcetti of Wilbraham, Massachusetts. The digital orchestra is complemented by drums, percussion, guitar, and vocalists. The Orchestra currently features 20 players representing four of the six New England States.

Nowadays, the old reed accordions may create sounds that are "cool", but it's the $21^{\rm st}$ century digital accordion that makes the instrument sound really "hot"! When is an accordion not just an accordion? You'll find the answer as you watch the New England Digital Accordion Orchestra create a musical entertainment that is lively and varied. You won't be disappointed, in fact, you'll be amazed!

PERFORMANCE INFORMATION:

The New England Digital Accordion Orchestra is available for performance at summer concert series, festivals, fairs, holiday celebrations, parties, and special events. Performances can be tailored to run for one to two hours and include solo and duet performances. Audiences are encouraged to sing and/or dance along to the music. To arrange a performance or for further information, please contact Sam Falcetti at 413-204-5522 or samfalcetti@gmail.com.

Complete List of Songs Performed by the Orchestra:

(Concert programs will be selected from this list)

Beatles Medlev Birdland Birth Of The Blues (Big Band) Celebration Celtic Medley (Irish-Scottish) Conflict (Medley Of Civil War Songs) Dixieland Ease On Down Evergreen Fly Me To The Moon (Big Band) God Bless America Gonna Flv Now He's Got The Whole World If I Were A Rich Man-Fiddler On The Roof James Bond Medley Joy to the World Neapolitan Memories (Italian Medley) New York, New York (Big Band) On The Road Again Overture Miniature Pennsylvania Polka

Star Wars
Stars & Stripes Forever
Tarantella
Tie A Yellow Ribbon
Your Mama Don't Dance

Polka Medley