

MAAA NEWSLETTER APRIL 2022



NEXT MEETING: APRIL 24TH– 1:30 PM

CIOCIARO SOCIAL CLUB

144 BRIDGE STREET, NEWTON, MA 02458

We hope that everyone enjoyed the holiday weekend with family, friends and music and extend our sincere best wishes to those who will be celebrating this coming weekend.

Thanks to all who have been joining our meetings. Overall attendance and participation in the play along and open mic has been increasing monthly.

Carmen has distributed the play a long selections for the meeting and if you haven't received them please contact him.

ACCORDION TRIBUTE TO THE PEOPLE OF THE UKRAINE

A sincere thank you to member "Coach" Dave Laprise for arranging the recording of a one hour TV show "starring" five members of the MAAA to offer our support to the citizens of the Ukraine. It was recorded on April 6th and is available for your viewing pleasure at the following website.

<https://youtu.be/O2MLK9t-Gr4>

Please share the website with all your family members and friends and ask them do the same.



Thanks, - Carmen, Faith, Coach, Guy and Jim

NEW ENGLAND MUSIC FESTIVAL HELD APRIL 8 – 10

60TH ANNIVERSARY

The Accordion Teacher's Association of Massachusetts (ATAM) sponsored its 60th New England Music Festival at the Boston Marriott-Newton. The Festival was well attended and had over 800 competitors. There were 3 categories for adult accordionists – Classical, Non-Classical, and Digital Non-Classical. It was refreshing and encouraging seeing so many young people (and some of us older people) involved in music.

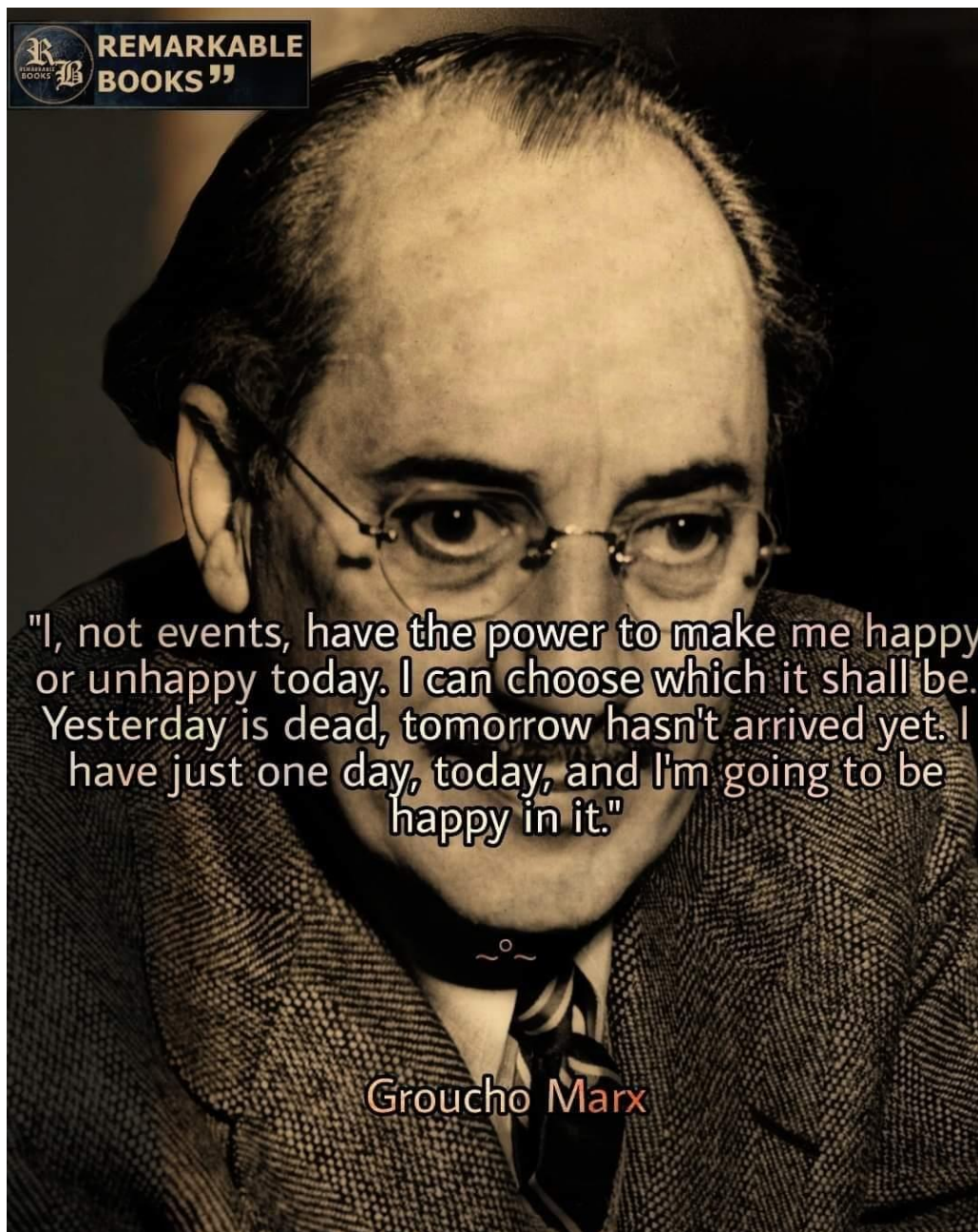


[Websites of Interest \(copy & paste to your browser\)](#)

[These folks know how to stay young, fit and have FUN!!](#)

https://youtu.be/a_BwsFinS1Y

[SOMETHING TO KEEP IN MIND](#)



"I, not events, have the power to make me happy or unhappy today. I can choose which it shall be. Yesterday is dead, tomorrow hasn't arrived yet. I have just one day, today, and I'm going to be happy in it."

Groucho Marx

Upcoming Event

The Ruk Orchestra will be performing at the Crafts Festival May 7th at the Trinity Episcopal Church (Canton, MA). Watch for further information and details about the event.

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Please do not hesitate to submit photos, stories or events you wish to share with our members and audience.

Hope to see everyone on the 24th!

Don't forget refreshments