

2017 Richmond Folk Festival

October 13-15, 2017

Friday, October 13

Altria Stage

6:30 – 7:30	Dale Ann Bradley (bluegrass)
7:45 – 8:45	The Green Fields of America (Irish)
9:00 – 10:00	Eddie Cotton, Jr. (soul blues)

WestRock Foundation Stage

7:30 – 8:30	Hot Club of Cowtown (western swing and hot jazz)
8:45 – 9:45	Paulin Brothers' Brass Band (New Orleans brass band)

The Community Foundation Stage

8:00 – 9:15	Betsayda Machado y La Parranda El Clavo (Afro-Venezuelan <i>parranda</i>)
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Dominion Energy Dance Pavilion

7:15 – 7:45	zydeco dance lesson with Talia Moser
7:45 – 8:45	C.J. Chenier & the Red Hot Louisiana Band
9:00 – 10:00	Bitori feat. Chando Graciosa (Cabo Verdean <i>funaná</i>)

Saturday, October 14

Altria Stage

12:00 – 12:45	Nicolae Feraru (Romanian <i>cimbalom</i>)
1:00 – 1:45	Spencer Taylor & the Highway QC's (gospel)
2:00 – 2:45	Wayne Hancock (honky-tonk)
3:00 – 3:45	Paulin Brothers' Brass Band (New Orleans brass band)
4:00 – 5:00	The U.S. Army Blues (classic big band jazz)
6:00 – 7:00	Betsayda Machado y La Parranda El Clavo (Afro-Venezuelan <i>parranda</i>)
7:15 – 8:15	Hot Club of Cowtown (western swing and hot jazz)
8:30 – 9:30	Don Bryant (Memphis soul)

WestRock Foundation Stage

12:00 – 12:45	Grand Master Seiichi Tanaka & the San Francisco Taiko Dojo (Japanese <i>taiko</i> drumming)
1:00 – 1:45	The Green Fields of America (Irish)
2:00 – 2:45	Patti Kusturok (Métis fiddle and dance)

2017 Richmond Folk Festival Performance Schedule 2

3:00 – 4:00	<i>World Beats: Percussion Masters</i> —Ote Gomez, Orheo Gomez, Youse Cardozo, Blanca Castillo (Betsayda Machado); Grand Master Seiichi Tanaka, Nancy Lee; Miroca Paris, Chando Graciosa (Bitori); Naghmeh Farahmand (Sahba Motallebi); Misael Sanchez, Carlos Sanchez (Wempler's)
5:00 – 6:00	<i>Guitar Traditions: Andalusia to Austin to the Amazon</i> —Jan Knutson, Rose Sinclair (Wayne Hancock), Pablo Giménez, Victoria Macias (Corazón de Granada), Whit Smith (Hot Club of Cowtown), Alberto & Bonar Sanchez (Wempler's)
6:15 – 7:00	Innov Gnawa (Moroccan <i>Gnawa</i>)
7:15 – 8:15	Corazón de Granada: Flamenco Joven y Jondo (flamenco)
8:30 – 9:15	Grand Master Seiichi Tanaka & the San Francisco Taiko Dojo (Japanese <i>taiko</i> drumming)

The Community Foundation Stage

12:00 – 12:45	Hot Club of Cowtown (western swing and hot jazz)
1:00 – 2:00	<i>Community Music Celebrations: Venezuela, Morocco & New Orleans</i> —Betsayda Machado y La Parranda El Clavo, Innov Gnawa, Paulin Brothers' Brass Band
2:15 – 3:00	Eddie Cotton, Jr. (soul blues)
3:15 – 4:45	A Step Ahead (step team competition)
5:45 – 6:30	Be'la Dona (go-go)
6:45 – 7:30	Spencer Taylor & the Highway QC's (gospel)
7:45 – 8:30	Bitori feat. Chando Graciosa (Cabo Verdean <i>funaná</i>)
8:45 – 9:30	Dale Ann Bradley (bluegrass)

Dominion Energy Dance Pavilion

12:00 – 12:45	C.J. Chenier & the Red Hot Louisiana Band (zydeco)
1:00 – 2:00	The U.S. Army Blues (classic big band jazz)
2:00 – 2:30	square dance lesson with Julie Shepherd-Powell
2:30 – 3:15	Crooked Road Ramblers (old-time)
3:30 – 4:15	Innov Gnawa (Moroccan <i>Gnawa</i>)
4:30 – 5:30	Don Bryant (Memphis soul)
6:30 – 7:30	Eddie Cotton, Jr. (soul blues)
7:45 – 8:30	Los Wempler's (<i>cumbia amazonica</i>)
8:45 – 9:30	Be'la Dona (go-go)

CoStar Stage

12:15 – 1:00	Jan Knutson (jazz guitar)
1:15 – 2:00	Sahba Motallebi (Persian <i>tar</i>)

2017 Richmond Folk Festival Performance Schedule 3

2:15 – 3:00	Dale Ann Bradley (bluegrass)
3:15 – 4:00	Nicolae Feraru (Romanian <i>cimbalom</i>)
4:15 – 5:00	The Green Fields of America (Irish)
5:15 – 6:15	<i>Outside the Box: Accordion Traditions</i> —C.J. Chenier, Bitori, Billy McComiskey & Niall O’Leary (Green Fields), Marian Milita (Nicolae Feraru), Jeremy Rusu (Patti Kusturok)

CarMax Family Stage

12:00 – 12:45	Crooked Road Ramblers (old-time)
1:00 – 1:45	Northern Neck Chantey Singers (Menhaden sea chanteys)
2:00 – 2:45	Claire Hitchins (<i>presented by JAMinc</i>)
3:00 – 3:45	Northern Neck Chantey Singers (Menhaden sea chanteys)
3:45 – 3:55	Junior Ranger Swearing-In
4:00 – 5:00	The Scott Street Five-String Finals (youth banjo contest <i>presented by JAMinc</i>)

Union/Richmond Times-Dispatch Virginia Folklife Stage

12:00 – 12:10	Reverend Frank Newsome (opening Old Regular Baptist hymn)
12:15 – 1:00	Susan Gaeta & Gina Sobel (Sephardic ballads)
1:15 – 2:15	Cora Harvey Armstrong (gospel)
2:30 – 3:30	<i>Ladies Vocal Workshop</i> —Cora Harvey Armstrong, Telisha Williams (Wild Ponies), Laura Leigh Jones, Susan Gaeta & Gina Sobel
3:45 – 4:30	Wild Ponies (honky-tonk/country)
4:45 – 5:45	Big G (southern soul)
6:00 – 6:45	Sherman Holmes Project (Americana)

Virginia Folklife Cooking Demonstrations

12:00 – 12:30	Clyde Jenkins (apple tree grafting and heirloom apple varieties)
12:45 – 1:15	Luz Lopez (Mexican <i>cochinita pibil</i>)
1:30 – 2:00	Sondus Asad Moussa (baklava)
2:15 – 2:45	Chris Brooks (southern soul chicken)
3:00 – 3:30	Barb Gillespie (simple bread)
3:45 – 4:15	Red, White & Blue Stew Crew (Brunswick stew making)— <i>AT DEMONSTRATOR’S TENT</i>
4:30 – 5:00	Deborah Pratt & Clementine Macon Boyd (oyster-shucking contest)

Sunday, October 15

Altria Stage

12:00 – 12:45	Patti Kusturok (Métis fiddle and dance)
1:00 – 1:45	Don Bryant (Memphis soul)
2:00 – 2:45	Jan Knutson (jazz guitar)

2017 Richmond Folk Festival Performance Schedule 4

3:00 – 3:45	Los Wemblers (<i>cumbia amazonica</i>)
4:00 – 4:45	Hot Club of Cowtown (western swing and hot jazz)
5:00 – 6:00	Betsayda Machado y La Parranda El Clavo (Afro-Venezuelan <i>parranda</i>)

WestRock Foundation Stage

12:00 – 12:45	Sahba Motallebi (Persian <i>tar</i>)
1:00 – 1:45	Nicolae Feraru (Romanian <i>cimbalom</i>)
2:00 – 2:45	Dale Ann Bradley (bluegrass)
3:00 – 4:00	<i>Stringed Instruments of the World</i> —Sahba Motallebi, Nicolae & Laurentiu Feraru, Matt Leadbetter (Dale Ann Bradley), Sammy Shelor, Maâlem Hassan Ben Jaafer (Innov Gnawa)
4:15 – 5:00	The Green Fields of America (Irish)
5:15 – 6:00	Corazón de Granada: Flamenco Joven y Jondo (flamenco)

The Community Foundation Stage

12:00 – 12:45	Grand Master Seiichi Tanaka & the San Francisco Taiko Dojo (Japanese <i>taiko</i> drumming)
1:00 – 1:45	Spencer Taylor & the Highway QC's (gospel)
2:00 – 2:45	Corazón de Granada: Flamenco Joven y Jondo (flamenco)
3:00 – 4:00	<i>Saturday Night, Sunday Morning: Blues, Soul & Gospel</i> —Don Bryant, Eddie Cotton, Jr., Spencer Taylor & the Highway QC's
4:15 – 5:00	Grand Master Seiichi Tanaka & the San Francisco Taiko Dojo (Japanese <i>taiko</i> drumming)
5:15 – 6:00	Wayne Hancock (honky-tonk)

Dominion Energy Dance Pavilion

12:00 – 1:00	Los Wemblers (<i>cumbia amazonica</i>)
1:15 – 2:15	Eddie Cotton, Jr. (soul blues)
2:30 – 3:15	Wayne Hancock (honky-tonk)
3:30 – 4:45	Bitori feat. Chando Graciosa (Cabo Verdean <i>funaná</i>)
5:00 – 6:00	C.J. Chenier & the Red Hot Louisiana Band (zydeco)

CoStar Stage

12:00 – 1:00	<i>Troubadour Tales: Songs of Trial & Triumph</i> —Dale Ann Bradley, Wayne Hancock, Jackson Cunningham (Cabin Creek Boys), Mick Moloney & Liz Hanley (Green Fields), Alejandro Luján (Corazón de Granada)
1:15 – 2:00	Innov Gnawa (Moroccan <i>Gnawa</i>)
2:15 – 3:00	<i>Transatlantic Fiddle Traditions</i> —Athena Tergis (Green Fields), Elana James (Hot Club of Cowtown), Kilby Spencer (Crooked Road)

2017 Richmond Folk Festival Performance Schedule 5

	Ramblers), Patti Kusturok & Beverly Lambert
3:15 – 4:00	Crooked Road Ramblers (old-time)
4:15 – 5:00	Jan Knutson (jazz guitar)
5:15 – 6:00	Sahba Motallebi (Persian <i>tar</i>)

CarMax Family Stage

12:00 – 12:45	Angelica Garcia (<i>presented by JAMinc</i>)
1:00 – 1:45	Northern Neck Chantey Singers (Menhaden sea chanteys)
2:00 – 2:30	Paulin Brothers' Brass Band (New Orleans brass band)
2:45 – 3:15	Free Rangers (<i>presented by JAMinc</i>)
3:30 – 4:15	Patti Kusturok (Métis fiddle and dance)
4:15 – 4:25	Junior Ranger Swearing-In
4:30 – 5:00	Northern Neck Chantey Singers (Menhaden sea chanteys)

Union/Richmond Times-Dispatch Virginia Folklife Stage

12:00 – 12:05	Reverend Frank Newsome (opening Old Regular Baptist hymn)
12:05 – 12:45	Danny Knicely's Next Generation with Eli and Aila Wildman, Victor Furtado, Andrew Vogts & Jack Dunlap (bluegrass)
1:00 – 1:15	Ved Sheth (Hindustani <i>Khyal</i> singing)
1:30 – 2:15	Africa to Appalachia: Cheick Hamala Diabate, Sammy Shelor, Riley Baugus & friends (banjo traditions)
2:30 – 3:15	Cabin Creek Boys (old-time/bluegrass)
3:30 – 4:15	Laura Leigh Jones (Nashville singer-songwriter)
4:30 – 5:15	The Legendary Ingramettes (Richmond gospel)

Virginia Folklife Cooking Demonstrations

12:00 – 12:30	Chris Brooks (soul-style alfredo)
12:45 – 1:15	Luz Lopez (homemade tortillas)
1:30 – 2:15	Tina Ingram-Murphy (soul supper with the Legendary Ingramettes)
2:30 – 3:00	The Lohman Family (matzo ball soup)
3:15 – 3:45	Trushita Sheth (Indian cooking traditions)
3:45 – 4:15	Red, White & Blue Stew Crew (Brunswick stew making)— <i>AT DEMONSTRATOR'S TENT</i>
4:00 – 4:30	Deborah Pratt & Clementine Macon Boyd (oyster-shucking seminar)