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72 Broad St., Eatontown NJ

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February 2, 12:30pm
(New Venue & Time)
Eatontown Community Center,
72 Broad St, Eatontown, NJ

FMERA Environmental
Advisory Cmte Mtg
Monday February 3, 5pm
502 Brewer Ave. (Ft Monmouth)
Oceanport, NJ

Navesink Maritime Heritage Assoc.
Annual Dinner Meeting
February 3, 6:00pm
Bahrs Landing Restaurant,
2 Bay Ave., Highlands, NJ

Whale Pond Brook Watershed
Cleanup
March 8 2014, 9:30am
Cindy Lane
Ocean Township, NJ

Annual N.J.F.C. Membershin

We Will Always Remember Pete!

by Ed Dlugosz

I personally mourn the passing of this man--this giant, this friend--Pete Seeger. If ever there was a life well-lived and exemplary, it was Pete Seeger's. He was a true leader, a courageous activist, and steadfast friend. He was a mentor, source of support and inspiration to me and to so many people. There have been so many tributes and remembrances already posted, both common and unique, that it would be impossible to say anything truly new at this time.



Ed & Pete Planning STSTW

Instead NJ Friends of Clearwater is hosting a small memorial gathering in place of its monthly membership and environmental committee meeting at the Eatontown Community Center (ECC) starting at noon on February 2nd. We will be showing the award-winning biographical film: "Pete Seeger: The Power of Song" that premiered at the Tribeca Film Festival in NYC on April 29,

2007. [Pete, his family, friends including Linda and I attended.] The screening of the film will start promptly at 12:30 pm. It will then be time to offer our personal memories of truly unique man.

The screening of the film will be followed by our monthly Circle of Song (COS) at 2:00 pm. Please see the included COS Flier below for details.

For a valiant but ultimately failed attempt at describing the life and full impact of Pete, please read this NY Times front page article:

Annual Meeting Membership
Clearwater Sail
Saturday, May 31 2014, 3-6:00pm
Departing from Alpine, NJ Marina



Google Directions from Your Location to Monthly Meeting @ Student Life Center, Brookdale

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Article Deadline for Next Issue is Last Friday of Month

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http://www.nytimes.com/2014/01/29/arts/music/pete-seeger-songwriter-and-champion-of-folk-music-dies-at-94.html?hp&_r=1

Eatontown Community Center is located at:
72 Broad Street, Eatontown, NJ 07724. Find location and directions from your location to the ECC at:

<http://www.google.com/search?client=safari&rls=en&q=72+Broad+Street,+Eatontown,+NJ+07724+map&ie=UTF-8&oe=UTF-8>

NJ FRIENDS OF CLEARWATER CIRCLE OF SONG

Please join our Monthly **SUNDAY SING-ALONG**
EATONTOWN COMMUNITY CENTER

72 Broad Street (Route 71), Eatontown, NJ 07724
Across from the Eatontown Museum. Handicapped Accessible

Sunday, **February 2, 2014, 2-4 pm**
and every 1st Sunday after that.

THIS IS OUR FOURTH YEAR. We've been so successful that we've outgrown our beautiful home at the Turnstile Coffee Bar in Belmar.

PLEASE NOTE: NEW LOCATION and NEW STARTING TIME

DIRECTIONS:

Parkway: Ex.105 – Rte. 36 East – take a left at the 2nd light (–Wykoff) – take a left at 2nd light (–Route 35 North) – take a right at 3rd light (–Broad or Route 71) go half a block. The center is on the right, turn into the lot (right before).

Route 18: Same directions as from the Parkway. The Exit is 13B (in both directions).

Route 35 North: Turn right at 3rd light after the Route 36 crossing (–Broad or Route 71), go half a block. The center is on the right, turn into lot.

Route 195: If you come on Route 195 East, turn right onto Route 18 or continue to Route 35 – follow those directions.

As usual, we will have (a) **Featured Leader-Performer(s)**. **Ingrid Heldt and Isis Ra**, the organizers, will also participate, and so can you. Similarly to the **Circle of Song Stage** at our **NJ Friends of Clearwater Festivals**, there will be **opportunities for audience members to take a turn or two to play – or to sing along** – please bring your instrument. But if you wish, just come and listen.

We encourage songs about the environment and sing-along songs, but you can do or request others.

The suggested donation of \$3-\$7 is still split between NJ Friends of Clearwater and Pastor Sony's work on behalf of the homeless and the hungry in Asbury Park.

Our Featured Leader-Performers for February 2 will be Circle Round the Sun



Circle Round the Sun is the folk/acoustic group of Marie Trontell and Jay Wlensky. Jay's warm baritone and Marie's rich alto let the group perform an eclectic mix of great acoustic songs with a special emphasis on duets and sensuous harmonies. They do both original tunes and covers. Their influences include great singer-songwriters like Dave Carter, Michael Smith, Cheryl Wheeler, and Tom Rush. They can be contacted at www.sonicbids.com/Circleroundthesun.

Please check www.ingridmusic.com under **Circle of Song** or www.NJClearwater.org under **Links/Circle of Song** for any potential changes to planned events or call 732-869-9276.



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