

VILLAGGIO SPRING FLING

Contra Dance

Saturday, May 4th

5-8 pm \$20/pp **BYOB**

**Fried Chicken Dinner w/
Vegetarian / Gluten Free Options**



Live Music with
"Caller" Liam Egan



What is Contra Dancing?

Contra dance is social interaction, set to music. A caller, working with live musicians, guides new & experienced dancers through a variety of dances. Parallel lines of dancers are opposite, "contra to" their partners.

The caller teaches each dance *before* it is actually done to the music. This gives everyone an idea of what to expect so the movements can be easily executed. The caller leads the dances while they are being done to music, so dancers are able to perform each movement to the music. Once the dancers appear to have mastered a particular dance, the caller may stop calling, leaving the dancers to enjoy the movement with music alone.