

# COLUMBUS FOLK DANCERS NEWSLETTER

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Summit United Methodist

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## NEWS AND NOTES

On the occasion of **Alburuj Rahman's** 20th birthday CFD presented him with a certificate of membership in CFD, which is good for as long as CFD exists. Alburuj has accompanied his mother, **Sultana**, to CFD from the time he was born, so has truly been a part of CFD "all his life" though it did become somewhat intermittent as he progressed through the various levels of school, and now can only come when he is on break from Cornell.



Nobel laureate physicist, **Kenneth Wilson**, died in June in Maine. He and his wife, **Allison**, danced with us at CFD after he joined the OSU Physics Department in the late 1980s. A friend of theirs told us that, in fact, they had met at folk dancing in California.

The September 5 Booster featured **Mixed Bag**, in color, practicing at the home of Lea Anne and Tom Kangas as they practiced for their upcoming performance at the ....

## NEWS AND NOTES: cont.

**Kathy Epp** reports that she is happy to have found a dance group in Maplewood, NJ not far from where she lives with her sister.

Many dancers remember **Laurel Tigner** who danced with both CFD and Whetstone. She is now in assisted living in Cedarville, MI which is near her Michigan home town. She reports that she "has 2 large rooms: the living room has double doors that look out on the back lawn which is fenced in by a hill and a tree" and she goes for walks every day. If you would like to drop her a note she would love it. Ask Ann Kangas or Betty Searles for her address.

Columbus Dispatch featured **Gretchen, Gregg and Swea Kumlien** in their August 25 Metro section. The 3 were pictured playing for an Open House at a Delaware County dairy farm, seated in an empty silo. John Switzer reported that Gretchen said "When singing in a silo, the acoustics are so great that it's almost like being in a great cathedral."

## .... Clintonville Arts & Music Festival on September 7.



Notice the new director in center stage.



Chris Gecik is leading the line followed by Gretchen & Swea Kumlien, Marcela & Pedro Amaya, Pat Larson, Nancy Scotford, Teresa & Mike Passerini, and Tom Hixon

And dancers get some new direction, too



We started dancing and there was Nancy — as though she hadn't just flown in from New York City for a long weekend.

