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## 2020 Member Application

Your membership gives you voting rights in Folklife elections, \$2 off most concerts, and is tax deductible! You'll even get a nifty membership card to show your friends and neighbors!

Individual (\$20) or  Family (\$25) Renewal? Y N

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Please send Folk Talk by (choose one) US Mail  Email  Both

### I can help 3RFS with:

- Refreshments at concerts
- Setting up chairs
- Fund raising
- Taking admission at events
- Folding newsletters
- Coffeehouses
- Serve on Board of Directors
- Publicity
- Song circles
- Demonstrating folk arts
- Membership
- Tumbleweed Music Festival
- Other

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# Folk Talk

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## As Dylan would say: "You Ain't Goin' Nowhere!"

With the Covid-19 pandemic going on, our state and now our Tri-Cities community hard hit, and with the current stay at home edict from our governor, it is imperative that we do all we can to help flatten the curve and help ourselves and others stay safe and stay healthy. Most of our 3RFS membership and followers are in the age group that is considered most vulnerable so we have to be especially careful and guard the health of each other.

Because of the new "Stay Home, Stay Healthy" mandate, Three Rivers Folklife Society will be postponing all planned events in the month of April, including contradance workshops and contra dance, coffeehouse, singalongs, and the Hank Cramer lecture and Tumbleweed Benefit Concert. We hope all these events are just postponed and not canceled, and will keep you informed of future plans as the health of our community dictates.

We will make decisions about May events which include our Annual Meeting and election of officers in mid-April as we receive more information about the progression of the pandemic. We are not cancelling Tumbleweed Music at this point, so will continue planning this event. We will be holding virtual Three Rivers Board and Tumbleweed planning meetings April 13 and 21 respectively, and welcome anyone who would care to join us. Contact any of the

3RFS board members to receive information on how to join these meetings.

Check out our websites, 3RFS.org and Tumbleweedfest.com, 3RFS and Tumbleweed Facebook postings for further updates this month, or call a board member if you want to know the latest developments. Stay at home! Stay safe and stay healthy!

## Elections in May? Nomination of Officers

We hope that our Three Rivers Folklife Society annual meeting and elections will occur in May, but that may change. Officers and Board members need to be elected at the Annual Meeting and you need to be a member to vote, so if your haven't become a 3RFS member yet, now is a good time to join.

Our 3RFS board meets regularly on the 2nd Monday of each month. Please contact Board president Jim Kelly (thisoldjim@gmail.com) if you would like to serve on the board or could pitch in to help support our great organization in other areas. The 3RFS and TMF leadership teams are especially seeking volunteers to support the newsletter, public relations, social media posting, concert production, and Tumbleweed volunteer coordinator and publicity positions. WE need all the help we can get to keep our organization going and growing and Tumbleweed rolling along. We need YOU!

## Let's Stay Connected

With the pandemic going on and our governor's "Stay Home, Stay Healthy" orders Three Rivers Folklife Society will try our best to stay in touch with our Folk Community. The following means of communication will be used to that end: abbreviated newsletters with monthly updates on activities and postponements, e-mails sent out from our database (you may receive more than one e-mail message,) Facebook messages and postings on our web page 3rfs.org., which will be kept up to date with changes noted.

If there are changes or corrections that need to be made to your contact information (e-mail or phone numbers) or if you want to be taken off our mailing or contact list, please let us know. If you do not get an e-mail from us, it probably bounced and we need to get updated information. Mail us at 3RFS, PO Box 1098, Richland, WA, 99352, call 509 308-7420, or send an e-mail to Tumbleweedchair@gmail.com with your new information

## DO THE FIVE!

- HANDS Wash them often
- ELBOW Cough into it
- FACE Don't touch it
- SPACE Keep safe distance
- HOME Stay if you can

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