

# INSTRUCTORS

## FIDDLE

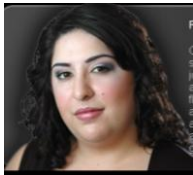
**GORD STOBBE** from Chezzetcook, NS Former host of "Up Home Tonight". Gord plays many styles and is an inspiring teacher. He has been at many fiddle workshops and fiddle camps all over Canada. He is the author of "Of Course You Can Play the Fiddle" series and wrote a number of "Canadian Old-Time Fiddle Hits Volumes."



**JJ GUY** This popular award winning fiddler, has a strong grassroots following in western Canada. He has played with numerous groups and bands while passing on his skills to others at the many fiddle camps he teaches at. His fun upbeat stage show makes him a strong and often repeat performer at festivals. JJ has released two albums; his latest entitled "Cadillac", has been receiving air play from BC to as far east as Nova Scotia.



**ROXANNA SABIR** is known for her clean, precise and danceable fiddle style. She has a passion for traditional influences such as Celtic, Acadian, Bluegrass and old time fiddling. She brings a great deal of exposure with her to the Fiddle Camp. She has opened for the Rankin Family and Michelle Wright and performed for such dignitaries as Jean Cretien.



**SHAMMA SABIR** was the first and youngest female BC nominee ever to be invited to the Canadian Grand Masters Championships and placed in Canada's top eleven in Ottawa. In 1996, she was invited to play with Ashley McIsaac and Rita McNeil for the Canada Day Celebrations. Shamma is a prolific writer and composer with writing credits for "Waltz for Eva", "Holding On", "In Loving Memory", which is the title track from the Sabir Sisters' debut CD.



**KALISSA HERNANDEZ** At the age of 12 Kalissa made fiddle history by being the youngest person ever to win the title of BC Provincial Fiddle Champion. Kalissa has represented BC at the Canadian Grand Masters, and has performed at various Folk Festivals, both fiddling and step dancing. She teaches fiddle lessons and enjoys teaching at fiddle camps as well. Kalissa has won many awards playing classical violin, but mostly enjoys jamming and sharing tunes!



**KEITH WILSON** is a well-known BC Fiddle instructor and accomplished judge at fiddle contests. He has represented BC as a competitor and judge at the Canadian Grand Masters in Nepean Ontario, and has judged at the National US Fiddle Competition in Weiser, Idaho. Keith is also a Director of the BC Old Time Fiddlers Association



**KARNNEL SAWITSKY** has experience playing in various styles and has composed over thirty-five original fiddle tunes. Karnnel is the recipient of many fiddle awards and has been invited to the Canadian Grand Masters Championship for the past ten years. He has performed at various solo shows in Saskatchewan as well as with his family throughout North America.



## GUITAR

**RAY BELL** from Regina SK teaches at the Academy of Music in Regina and has been teaching at the Emma Lake Fiddle Camp for quite a few years. He tours with "Newkirk and Bell" and plays a variety of music with flash and precision.



## PIANO



**ALICE WILSON** is a well-respected back-up pianist for many fiddlers. She has instructed at several Fiddle Camps in BC and currently is giving private back-up instruction to upcoming musicians. Alice resides in Abbotsford and is a member of Branch #4 Old Time Fiddlers.



We are pleased to have our eighth workshop in the Kootenays at Selkirk College with a collection of Canada's great musicians for an intimate five-day workshop. The workshop caters to a broad range of fiddling skill levels from the novice to the professional. There will be workshops for the guitar and piano accompanists as well as step dance sessions. Classes are all designed for learning and fun. Students will learn to play by ear in a group environment. Fiddlers and accompanists of all skill levels will be better players when the camp ends.

Students will have an opportunity to work with several instructors in small groups. **All students must provide their own instrument.** Bring your cassette recorder to keep track of all the tunes.

Evenings feature concerts by instructors, dances and jam sessions. On the final day there will be a "community concert" where students and instructors play.

**Registration and auditions will begin at 8:00 am Monday morning July 13<sup>th</sup>**



# REGISTRATION FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ Prov \_\_\_\_\_  
Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone \_\_\_\_\_  
Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Mastercard/Visa \_\_\_\_\_  
Expiry Date \_\_\_\_\_

## REGISTER FOR:

Fiddle \_\_\_\_\_ Guitar \_\_\_\_\_ Piano \_\_\_\_\_

## PLAYING LEVEL

Beginner \_\_\_\_\_ Intermed. \_\_\_\_\_ Adv. \_\_\_\_\_

**EARLY BIRD registration deadline:  
May 31, 2009**

## TUITION

Tuition till May 31                   \$195.00  
As of June 1 - Tuition               220.00

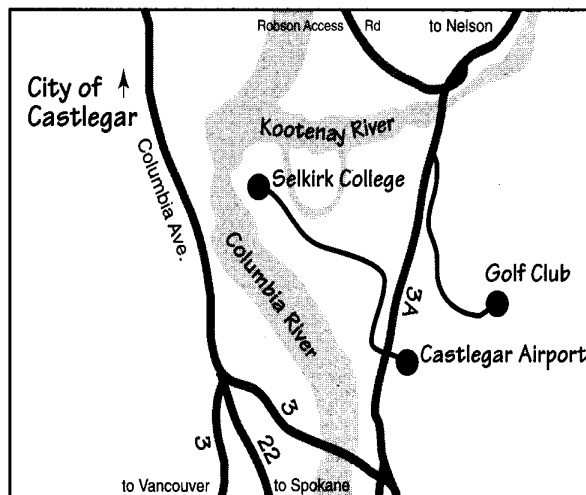
**Register early as spaces are limited!**

Please make cheque payable to Selkirk College.  
Enclose cheque with your registration form  
and mail to:

**Community Education, Selkirk College**  
301 Frank Beinder Way,  
Castlegar, BC V1N 4L3 OR  
fax to (250)365-3929

# LOCATION

Selkirk College, Castlegar Campus



Call (250) 365-1227 to book a room at Kekuli House Residence. Room Rates \$25 (bring own bedding) \$35 (bedding supplied) per day. Rooms in the Kekuli House Residence have cooking facilities, a bathroom and a shower.

Individual meals may be purchased at the College cafeteria.

RV parking over night is not permitted at Selkirk College; however, there is RV parking available nearby.

Donations supported by Tim Hortons, Safeway, Kootenay Market, Plaza Bakery, Extra Foods and Art Dahr.



# KOOTENAY #9 FIDDLE, GUITAR & PIANO WORKSHOP JULY 13 - 17, 2009

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