



# Uncle Calvin's Coffeehouse

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# Winter, 2006

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## Jan 06 (\$12/\$15) Albert & Gage (CD Release)

They gave us one of the most enjoyable shows last year, and now Christine & Chris return for the premier release of their new CD, *Cry Love*. Jazzy folk, country and rock songs, glorious harmonies, marvelous instrumental mastery, and sweet romantic songs framed with joyful enthusiasm and loving humor will be featured in tonight's memorable concert. Chris is a czar of guitar, accordion, and especially on barrelhouse rock, the piano. Christine's crystalline vocals and soulful rendering of French torch songs is enthralling. Don't miss out on this one. Order your tickets now!



**Opening:** **Frankie J. Meyer**  
Hilariously entertaining songs and persona.

## Jan 13 (\$15/\$18) The Texas Flatliners Steven Fromholz, Eric Taylor, Vince Bell

The group's name is homage to life threatening events each of these songwriters experienced: Steven, a debilitating stroke; Eric, a heart attack; Vince, a near fatal car crash.



Throughout their determined recoveries, these songwriters refined their talents and gained insights into the human condition. Tonight those insights in Vince's declarative anthems, Eric's atmospheric story-songs and Steven's pithy ballads will be wrapped in good natured ribbing and lighthearted banter as they join each other in a rare and historic confederation. As a bonus tonight bonus tonight we will we'll have a pre-release of Eric's new CD *The Great Divide*.

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[stevenfromholz.com](http://stevenfromholz.com)  
[bluerubymusic.com](http://bluerubymusic.com)  
[vincebell.com](http://vincebell.com)

## Jan 20 Michael McNevin

It's been a while since Michael has regaled us with recollected experiences of his life as a troubadour. His contemporary folk and real life story songs are engaging, absorbing and endearing tales of childhood antics, romantic interludes and exotic encounters. Michael holds many national songwriting awards, is an outstanding guitarist, a humorist, a published columnist and a recognized Etch-A-Sketch artist. Come and get recharged by Michael's positive outlook and recounts of the goodness in our world.



[michaelmcnevin.com](http://michaelmcnevin.com)

**Opening:** **Jonathan Byrd**  
Award winning trad flavored songs in a preview of next week's Labyrinth Walk Coffeehouse show.

## Jan 27 Buddy Mondlock

Soul and emotion are united in Buddy's thoughtful, romantic and sometimes melancholy songs. With a soft expressive voice, he sings of love's compassion and bliss, hope's joy and sadness, and the beauty and grace of life. Revered as one of the world's finest songwriters, Buddy's works are recorded by Joan Baez, Garth Brooks, Janis Ian, David Wilcox, Peter, Paul & Mary, Guy Clark and others. Come enjoy beautiful songs that reflect our own hearts and enlighten our emotion. Hopefully Buddy's new CD will be available tonight.



[buddymondlock.com](http://buddymondlock.com)

**Opening:** **Carley Wolf**  
Enthusiastic bluesy originals and covers.

## Feb 03 Denice Franke

It has been too long since Denice has mesmerized from our stage. Her heartfelt observations of life and relationships are illuminated in her subtle, yet passionate, lyrics of literate integrity, much like the works of Townes, Lyle, and Nanci. Denice has a warm, inviting low pitched voice that is soothing in its agility while treating us to acute insights of the darker side of humanity and its sometimes hilarious folly. Take this rare opportunity to see this musical genius.



[denicefranke.com](http://denicefranke.com)

**Opening:** **Erik Balkey**  
Kerrville's modern folk songwriting winner.

## Feb 10 Closed for Folk Alliance in Austin

## Feb 17 Kate McDonnell

Real emotion is laid bare in Kate's confessional songs of love. This modern folk stylist has a wonderfully supple voice that might remind you of that of Joan Baez or Patty Larkin. An observer of the social and political times, Kate also gives voice to Appalachian traditional folk songs. Her adroit finger picked guitar playing is even more remarkable when you realize that she plays it upside down and backwards! Tom Paxton says, "Kate's music has grace, intelligence, warmth and more. Go see her!" Heed his sage advice.



[katemcdonnell.com](http://katemcdonnell.com)

**Opening:** **Jubilant Bridge**  
Nice harmonies, guitar and dulcimer work.

## Feb 24 (\$15/\$18) Terri Hendrix

Get ready for smile-aching cheeks! Terri's uplifting shows are so much fun that your outlook gets a permanent grin on it. Exuberant joy, overflowing with compassion and the love for friends, finds a home in folk-pop-country-rock-bluegrass and jazzy songs delivered with energy in her unadorned voice and down home persona. There is abundant insight and humor as well, and tonight we celebrate the release of Terri's first children's music CD, *Celebrate the Difference*. The Most Awesome Master of Guitar, Dobro & Pedal Steel, Lloyd Maines, joins Terri for another unforgettable sure-to-be-sold-out-show.



[terrihendrix.com](http://terrihendrix.com)

**Opening:** **The Laws**  
Celebrating their new CD and tomorrow night's show at Labyrinth Walk Coffeehouse.

## Mar 03 Mad Agnes

Truth be told, they are not mad, nor are any of the accomplished trio members named Agnes. But that doesn't matter. What is true and what does matter is that Margo, Adrienne & Mark blend their voices in lush and angelic harmony on original works which straddle modern and traditional music and often includes ethereal Celtic arrangements. Acoustic instrumentation, piano, bass, and percussion, are guided by inventive guitar redolent of Richard Thompson. This sweet evening guarantees poignant and unhurried songs embraced by remarkably beautiful and sumptuous music.



[madagnes.com](http://madagnes.com)

**Opening:** **Warren Floyd**  
Accomplished modern folk writer and singer.

## Mar 10 Discoveries Abi Tapia, Calvert & Mims, Danny Schmidt

Tonight meet three of the best nationally emerging folk music entities on the scene.

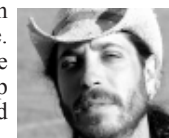


A Wildflower winner, Abi describes her music as "Wanderlust." Her country



influenced folk songs have a sassy sincerity and cosmopolitan subtlety that combine with her sensual vocals for sublime delight. Calvert & Mims first delighted listeners as

Wheatfield and later, with Ezra and Keith (Trout Fishing in America), as St. Elmo's Fire. Craig and Connie continue the legacy with great folk-pop songs, sweet harmonies and dexterous guitar stylings.



A clever turn of phrase turns Danny's seemingly simple and straightforward lyrics into intriguingly evocative prose of metaphoric depth and wit. Impassioned and inventive guitar performance frames his atmospheric modern folk music with indelible melodies.

[abitapia.com](http://abitapia.com)  
[calvertandmims.com](http://calvertandmims.com)  
[dannyschmidt.com](http://dannyschmidt.com)

## Mar 17 Johnsmith

If he has not already been awarded the title, we're doing it here and now: Johnsmith is "Everyone's Favorite!" His is inspired, sincere and optimistic music that can make you laugh, cry, dance and sing along. With his smooth voice, easy going nature and disarming humor, Johnsmith will put you at ease and will put a smile on your face. His uplifting and affirming songs are borne of wisdom garnered from the joys and pains of a life really lived and they connect us all to the "big picture." Come celebrate life with us!



[johnsmithmusic.com](http://johnsmithmusic.com)

**Opening:** **Molly Venter**  
Mod-folk songs sung with a beautiful passion.

## Mar 24 (\$15/\$18) Robin & Linda Williams

Again we're honored to host Prairie Home Companion's favorite: They're an annual fave of ours as well. Robin & Linda have performed over 30 years and released 18 albums of sweet folk and gospel tinged bluegrass and old timey country music. Along with Their Fine Group, Robin & Linda's vocal harmonies flow with a vibrant feel-good energy and there's instrumental magic in the guitar, banjo and mandolin playing. Their down home humor and jokes plump the program for a more-than-full evening of top notch entertainment. Don't miss it! Order tickets now!



[robinandlinda.com](http://robinandlinda.com)

**Opening:** **Carla Ulbrich**  
A self professed "professional smart aleck" previews her tomorrow night's show at Labyrinth Walk Coffeehouse.

## Mar 31 Dreamsicles

This delightfully groovy duo brings it all: Modern folk originals; rhythmic fave and self-penned R&B songs; anthems of social/political insights; hip-pop tunes of humor and oh-so-sweetly adoring songs of love. Tom Prasada Rao, singing in silky baritone, is a master of familiar and exotic stringed instruments and piano. Cary Cooper is an award winning songwriter with a winsome vocal and a sparkling stage presence. Together Tom and Cary are a charming, upbeat and engagingly energetic duo who should not be missed!



[dreamsicles.com](http://dreamsicles.com)

**Opening:** **Adrienne Braswell**  
Very hip and lyrical insightful modern folk songs  
**Breckenridge Raffle Drawing Tonight!**

# Uncle Calvin's Coffeehouse

## "Fine Acoustic Music for 22+ Years"



Uncle Calvin's is located at:  
**Northpark Presbyterian Church**  
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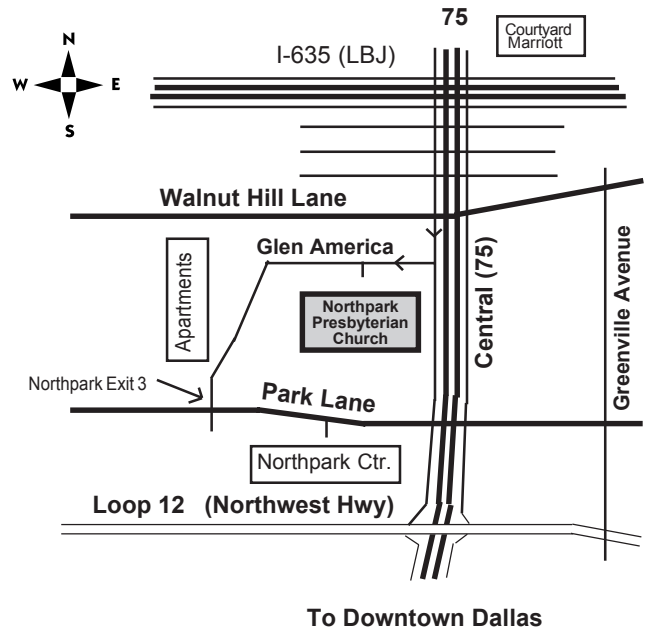
**Doors open at 7:30 PM, Shows begin at 8:00 PM**

General admission - no table reservations - advance tickets available

Admission is \$12, except as noted by (\$A/D) (Advance/Door)  
 Children and Teens are admitted for half adult price

Uncle Calvin's is a smoke and alcohol-free venue.  
 Delicious coffees, teas, juices, snacks & desserts are available.

Take the Central Exp. service Rd. south from Walnut Hill Lane to Glen America, or take Northpark Exit 3 north from Park Lane



### Calvin's Quick Calendar Winter, 2006

Date Main Act Opener/Notes

- Jan 06 ..... ALBERT & GAGE (\$12/\$15) ..... Frankie J. Meyer
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- Jan 20 ..... MICHAEL McNEVIN ..... Jonathan Byrd
- Jan 27 ..... BUDDY MONDLOCK ..... Carley Wolf
- Feb 03 ..... DENICE FRANKE ..... Erik Balkey
- Feb 10 ..... CLOSED FOR FOLK ALLIANCE CONFERENCE, AUSTIN
- Feb 17 ..... KATE McDONNELL ..... Jubilant Bridge
- Feb 24 ..... TERRI HENDRIX (\$15/\$18) ..... The Laws
- Mar 03 ..... MAD AGNES ..... Warren Floyd
- Mar 10 ..... DISCOVERIES (ABI TAPIA, CALVERT & MIMS, DANNY SCHMIDT)
- Mar 17 ..... JOHNSMITH ..... Molly Venter
- Mar 24 ..... ROBIN & LINDA WILLIAMS (\$15/\$18) ..... CARLA ULBRICH
- Mar 31 ..... DREAMSICLES ..... Adrienne Braswell
- Apr 14 ..... CLOSED FOR GOOD FRIDAY
- Apr 21 ..... Jack Williams
- Apr 28 ..... CATIE CURTIS
- May 05 ..... CHUCK PYLE
- May 12 ..... JACK HARDY
- May 19 ..... CLOSED FOR WILDFLOWER FESTIVAL
- 5/26-6/09 .... CLOSED FOR KERRVILLE FESTIVAL
- June 16 ..... JONATHAN BYRD
- June 23 ..... PIERCE PETTIS
- June 30 ..... SUZANNE BIURGY

(Special raffle at this Mar 31 show -- see note below)  
**Artists to be featured this spring include:**

#### A Special Raffle at Uncle Calvin's

Enjoy a week's stay in beautiful Breckenridge Colorado when we draw your number at our March 31 show. A spacious condo located just a 5 minute stroll from the heart of this charming and historic Rocky Mountain town will be yours for a week of your choice from April 1 to October 29 2006. Awesomesightseeing, sporting activities, eclectic dining, arts/boutique shopping and historic tours are minutes away from this condo which sleeps 8. Buy your raffle tickets at Calvin's on concert nights and this or other prizes may be yours. You must be present to win.

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