

Vienna Union Hall News

Music and Magic!

Get set for a fun evening of music and magic as the **Sixth Annual Winter Revels** at the Vienna Union Hall gets under way on Saturday, December 15, at 7:00 pm.



This year after a long absence **Northfield** returns to the Hall. Northfield, an early music a cappella singing ensemble with deep roots in the Farmington area, sings early music such as madrigals, motets, and American shape note hymns. They have been singing together, in varying line-ups, for over thirty years, and draw their repertoire largely from the sacred and popular music of Renaissance and Medieval Europe and the early American shape note tradition. Northfield's namesake is the popular Early American fuguing tune by Jeremiah Ingalls, written in 1800.

Today, Northfield is a 10 member group, and recent concerts have featured works by Byrd, des Prez, and Farmington's own Supply Belcher.

Be prepared for a lot of local fun in the form of dancing, an "ancient" mummings play and a special guest just for the young ones.

Finally, the Union Hall Association is pleased to present **magician Peter Boie**. Peter first became fascinated with magic at the age of eleven when he stumbled across a magic book at his local library. He now travels around the country performing his award winning magic that will defy your reality. Peter's show is about two things, astonishing magic, and having a good time; and he doesn't skimp on either. You might recognize him by his trademark orange sneakers, or from the group of people around him freaking out at his magic and having a good time. The title *Magician for Non-Believers* is about being honest with his audience. Magic isn't real... but Peter will make you believe it is for the length of his show. Combining original mind blowing magic, and a heavy dose of humor is his secret to success and why it's made him one of the top booked college acts around the country. Peter recently showcased his talents on national TV, where he performed for the CW Network's hit show, *Penn & Teller Fool Us*. He was also nominated for "Entertainer of the Year 2015" from Campus Activities Magazine.

Other nominations include 'Best Variety Performer' (2010,2011,2012, 2013), 'Fastest Rising Star' (2010 & 2012) and 'Best Male



Performer' (2011 & 2012). He has performed for such celebrities as legendary musician Neil Young, quarterback Tom Brady and the Patriots football team and ownership. He tours the country 12 months out of the year. Tickets are on sale now: \$10.00 adult; \$5.00 children 12 and under. For tickets call 293-2674, 293-2362 or email viennaunionhall@gmail.co. They are also available online through our website [here](#).



The **winter solstice** (or **hibernal solstice**), also known as **midwinter**, is an astronomical

phenomenon marking the day with the shortest period of daylight and the longest night of the year. It occurs when one of the Earth's poles has its maximum tilt away from the Sun. Our winter revels celebrates these darkest days of the year when we turn inward towards family and friends for comfort and joy.



Calling for members

Do you have a bit of spare time that you could donate to the arts in our community? The Union Hall is in need of new members! Older members have been moving on and our numbers are dwindling. If you have enjoyed the offerings at the Union Hall over the past several years and would enjoy helping to keep things moving along send an email to : viennaunionhall@gmail.com or call 293-2674. Members are welcome from anywhere, not just Vienna!

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