What We Sing and Play at the Twin Cities Ukulele Club Jams, Song Sheet Formatting and Automatic Email Notification of Ukulele Events

General guidelines about Twin Cities Ukulele Club jams, materials and notifications.

- 1. There may be a **song list for Zoom jams**, but there will not be one for BUG, Wednesday, or UkeAmericana, or Friday jams. If there is a list, we will do our best to get the song list to Twin Cities Ukulele Club jammers before the Zoom jams.
- 2. Monday Evening In-Person Bluegrass Ukulele Group (BUG) These jams will use songs in the Twin Cities Ukulele Club Dropbox 1A ALL SONGS folder, along with song sheets provided to the jammers at the BUG jam. For songs you bring, have about 15 copies and know the song well enough to lead it. If you aren't comfortable leading the song, another jammer will lead it for you. We will not use the Yellow or Blue books at the Monday BUG. Jam information <u>https://www.bluegrassfun.com/bug-bluegrass-jams.html</u>.
- 3. Wednesday Morning In-Person <u>Meadowood Village</u> Jams Every Wednesday These jams will use songs in the Yellow and Blue books and songs provided by jammers. For songs you bring, have about 15 copies and know the song well enough to lead it. If you aren't comfortable leading the song, another jammer will lead it for you. Jam information -<u>https://www.bluegrassfun.com/wednesday-morn-jams.html</u>.
- Thursday Evening In-Person UkeAmericana Jams Songs in the Dropbox 1A ALL SONGS folder, songs in the Favorite Old-Time Songs for Ukulele book, in the Daily Ukulele: 365 Songs for Better Living (Yellow Book), in the Daily Ukulele: Leap Year Edition (Blue Book) -<u>https://www.bluegrassfun.com/uke-americana-jams.html</u>.
- 5. Friday Morning In-Person Jams Songs in the Favorite Old-Time Songs for Ukulele book, in the Daily Ukulele: 365 Songs for Better Living (Yellow Book), in the Daily Ukulele: Leap Year Edition (Blue Book), along with song sheets provided to the jammers. For songs you bring, have about 15 copies and know the song well enough to lead it. If you aren't comfortable leading the song, another jammer will lead it for you. <u>https://www.bluegrassfun.com/friday-morning-jams.html</u>.
- 6. Sunday Evening Zoom Jams People attending the Sunday Evening Zoom Jam may either (1) request a song for someone else to lead or (2) submit a song that they are willing to lead. All requests should be submitted to the jam leader by noon on Sunday. Songs may be include songs from prior Sunday Evening Zoom Jams, songs provided in pdf or Word format by the person requesting the song, or songs from Dropbox, the Yellow Book, or Blue Book. The jam leader will show ALL of the songs on a shared screen as they are sung. Keep in mind that the Yellow and Blue book pages may not show large enough to be legible on some computers/tablets. You may want to have your hard copy Yellow and Blue books available during the jam. After the jams, not all songs will be available in Dropbox. Requests for copies of songs not in Dropbox should be sent to the jam leader. Jam information - https:// www.bluegrassfun.com/uke-zoom-jams.html and https://www.bluegrassfun.com/2-zoom-jams.html.

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- 7. Dropbox songs will come from only the Dropbox 1A ALL SONGS folder.
- 8. Formatting for songs you provide for jams PLEASE 1. Use the songs in Dropbox as a formatting example. 2. Convert songs to a PDF. 3. Try to use only one page for a song. 4. Try to use only one column for a song. 5. Include chord diagrams or numbers (like 3321) for unusual chords when using chord letters for chords. 6. Use the Nashville Numbering System numbers for chords when reasonable. 7. Put chords in brackets [] in the same line as the lyrics. 8. Use a clear font (preferably Arial), and a large font size (12 or 14).

<u>Questions</u> - <u>Automatic Notification of Events</u> - You may sign up for automatic e-mail notification of the Twin Cities Ukulele Club jams and events or ask questions about the Twin Cities Ukulele Club by contacting <u>tcuker@icloud.com</u>.