

Donna sings at the Good Times Restaurant



The Good Times Restaurant on Ballston Lake was the scene of Donna's CD release concert on June 15th.



During a short "Irish Session" Donna plays the Irish tin whistle with Janet Yeates on guitar and Bert Mayne on bodhran -- the Irish drum. Janet designed the graphics of the CD and managed the project. Bert provided the sound system for the concert.





A lovely crowd of family, friends, musicians, and environmentalists joined together to hear Donna's concert, and support her project to prepare for the second leg of the circumnavigation.



"The answer my friend is blowing in the wind. . ." Donna and Bert lead the crowd in a singalong of Bob Dylan's famous song.



Many surprise visits occurred, from old classmates to recent friends who sought her advice on their future sailing adventures.

It was fun for family and friends



Donna's close family got together for rare portraits. Here are (left to right): Donna; Keel ; Cooper ; Ptarmigan; Kristy and Fletcher, her ex-husband.



Three generations: Great Grandmother Linda; with Donna's daughter Ptarmigan holding her new child Jael, born while Donna was at sea.



Donna greets daughter Kristy's adopting grandmother Toni, who heard the song "Reunion" written for Kristy about their reunion.



The women of the family (left to right): Donna's sister Jayne; Mother Linda; Donna; Kristy; Ptarmigan with baby Jael. Jayne is a missionary with her family in Bulgaria. Mother Linda was recently married to Ernie Moore. Kristy is presently a student at the New England School of Medicine in Biddeford, ME. Ptarmigan is living in Mechanicville with her husband Scott and son Zebedee and Jael.



Linda enjoys chatting with her new family, Pastor David and Cynthia Moore (background) with Fletcher at left. Pastor David is one of two of Linda's new step-sons. Now Donna has five brothers!!



Donna and son Keel jam on their guitars offering a song Donna wrote called “The Golden Years of Love” written at sea after hearing of Linda’s wedding plans.



The newly-weds, Linda and Ernie, captured everyone’s hearts.



Gail George gives inspiring plea for generous support of Donna’s circumnavigation project. Gail met Donna through a chance encounter with her husband Carl at the Paul Schaefer museum. (Connected with the Association for the Preservation of the Adirondack Mts. Of New York.)



Ernie and Linda dancing to “The Golden Years of Love.”



Kristy and boyfriend Matt, also a med student at UNE.



Keel and Cooper, presently both river raft guides on the Hudson River, flank Pauline, a friend from Petersburg NY.

Donna Lange Concert
Thursday, June 15 at 8:00 PM
FREE Concert 8:00-9:30pm • Come early for dinner!

CD Release Party

Donna Lange
ALONE AT SEA

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Spiced an evening with great music and tales of Donna's amazing 18M-day solo journey to New Zealand aboard her 28' sailboat, "Empire Invincible". Donna will play old and new songs and stories, and tell some stories of the sea, along with a bit of song along. Help welcome her home! —Donna is here on a brief visit before returning to New Zealand—

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Donna with Carl George an active environmentalist for the Adirondacks.



The last time Donna will see her family together until she completes her circumnavigation of the world.