

PEAS PAMPHLET...whirling writings April 4, 2011 *Vol. 2*No. 14

PEAS PERFORM AT PUB CATHERINE ROONEY'S

The *Peas* will perform at Catherine Rooney's 1616 Delaware Avenue in Trolley Square this Wednesday, April 6th, 2011. Start time is 7:30 and will be ending about 10. Check out Catherine Rooney's website for directions, menu selections and so on. www.catherinerooneys.com

OTHER PEAS GIGS

Mark your calendars for the following *Whirled Peas* road trips. Details will be forthcoming.

Killians Pond - July 15th Trap Pond - August 5th Delaware City - August 13th

CD'S AND T-SHIRTS

Check out the *Peas'* website: www.whirledpeasband.com for purchase of this merchandise. And, the *Peas*, are working on 2 more CD's. Delivery date TBA.

MUSIC OF INTEREST

Guest musician Ed Dwornik hosts a jam session 6 til 8:30 every Thursday at the Bellefonte Café, 804 Brandywine Blvd. in the heart of Bellefonte. 302-761-9175

This weekend at *The Kennett Flash* is *The Calabrese Sisters* Friday, the 8th. *Terry Garland* is on Saturday, the 9th. *Butch Zito* hosts Open Mike on Sunday, the 10th.

HE DANCED WITH THE STARS AND TAUGHT THEM

Arthur Murray "rumba-ed" with Eleanor Roosevelt, "dipped" with the Duke of Windsor, "jitterbugged" with John D. Rockefeller and "mambo-ed" with the Manassa Mauler, aka Jack Dempsey. Murray's dancing techniques (circa early 1920's) and dance studios still live on.

Born in Austria April 4, 1895, he emigrated with his mother when he was 2 years old. Shy and self-conscious about his tall lanky appearance, he sought his popular friend's help - Joe Feigenbaum taught him his first dance steps. He practiced, practiced, practiced by attending all the neighborhood weddings.

He won his first contest while in high school. The prize, a silver cup, was taken home by his partner making such an impression that he made sure **every** winner in **his** dance competitions took home a prize.

His first venture into teaching dance was through a mail order business...dance steps with footprint diagrams....500,000 dance courses were sold.



1925, In he married his beloved dance partner, Kathryn. They opened their first studio shortly after their marriage. followed Success more and more studios were opened and both he

and his wife appeared on television. The Arthur Murray Dance Studio is the second oldest franchise following A&W Restaurants.

PEAS PONDERING

"...you know, I have an idea on how you can collect money. Just teach 'em with the left foot and don't tell 'em what to do with the right foot until they pay up."

An inspiration to Arthur Murray delivered by William Jennings Bryan