



Sing Up The Past!

Music & Storytelling By Fred Keller

Very few people do what I love to do: Play a varied, engaging, foot-stomping music show and at the same time tell stories about the songs, tell stories about the ground beneath your feet and the people who once walked it.

Combine these two passions and you get a musician who loves writing songs about history. You get a historian who soaks up local stories—interviews, museums, books—and connects you to a Minnesota long past but not entirely lost. You get a personal guide through the Deep North: The old pineries, the trading posts, the portages, the camps and the settlements.

Programs Include

- US & Minnesota History: Themed Voyageurs, Fur Trade, Logging Era, Civil War, Immigrants
- The Story Of US Roots Music From Irish to Bluegrass to Blues
- Creative Writing Workshops Write songs, poetry, stories, and discuss process
- Kid's Music & Dance For All Ages
- "That's Different!": A Show To Help Your Group Acclimate to Minnesota
- Square or Contra Dancing! Any and all ages. I bring a caller and a band.



Options

- I Support Education Standards
- Shows For Every Age Group
- Add a Musician Want to hear about the banjo? The fiddle? I work with a bevy of top-notch local musicians.
- Choose Your OWN Theme: I will learn or write the songs.
- I Teach Music. I can teach individual or group lessons on mandolin or guitar, songwriting, performance, and genres.
- Vintage Slide Show Option! I display period pictures behind the music

Still not sure? Schedule a 20-minute FREE Assembly or Gathering!

Give Me a Holler!

I love to discuss how I can best meet your group's needs. Sure, the core of my programming focuses on the Minnesota stories and songs but as you can see, I'm flexible. Reach me here:

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