

MAAA NEWSLETTER APRIL, 2026

NEXT MEETING: APRIL 19, 2026 – 1:30 PM

CIOCIARO SOCIAL CLUB

144 BRIDGE STREET, NEWTON, MA 02458

DOORS OPEN AT 12:30 PM



THIS MONTH'S FEATURED GUEST ARTIST

CORY PESATURO

You won't want to miss this meeting. Come and listen to Cory perform his "accordion magic"! To describe him is to say *amazing, fantastic, unbelievable etc., etc., etc.!*

The meeting format will be the play along (short; selections are below), immediately followed by a short open mic session then a break for refreshments. The remainder of the afternoon will be for Cory to perform and hopefully for a "meet and greet" session.

APR 2026 PLAY ALONG SELECTIONS

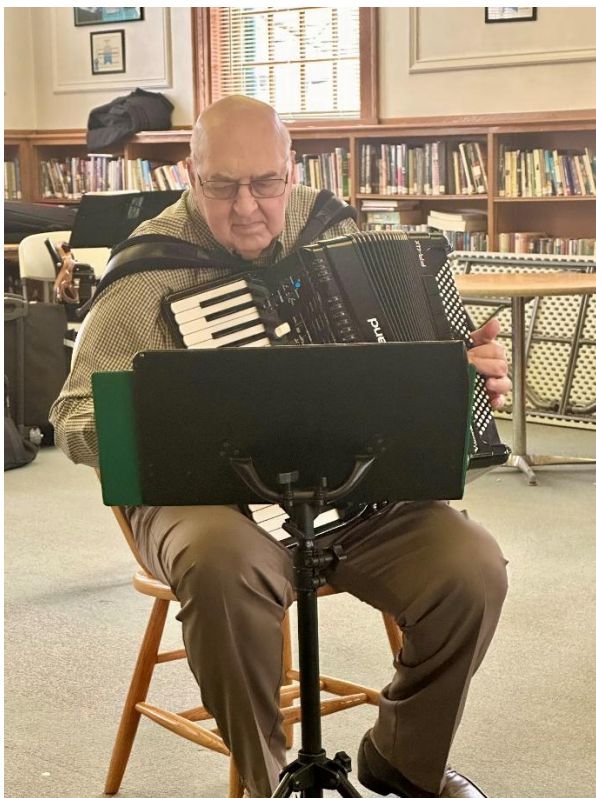
1	APRIL IN PARIS
2	RAINDROPS KEEP FALLIN' ON MY HEAD
3	ONCE IN A WHILE
4	SAIL ALONG SILV'RY MOON
5	KNOCK THREE TIMES
6	OB LA DI, OB LA DA

Thanks to all the performers, friends, patrons and guests who attended and participated in last month's meeting and special thanks to those of you who brought something for the buffet table. Deserts and personal specialties are always greatly appreciated.

We would like to remind the audience to refrain from talking, singing or walking around while any performance is taking place.

Thank you for your cooperation.

PHOTO GALLERY (courtesy of M/M Bob Bonanno)







UPCOMING EVENTS

At next month's meeting the Ruk Orchestra under the direction of maestro David Rukhelman will perform a tribute to Bach. More info to follow.

An Accordion Extravaganza!



Presented By

The American Accordionists' Association

Sunday, April 26, 2026 at 2:30pm

Crystal Hall, 34 Hillandale Rd, Yorktown Heights, NY 10598

Featuring Performances by:



Connecticut Accordion Orchestra



Mario Tacca



Beverly Roberts Curnow



Dominic Karcic



Ray Oreggia



Michael Goetz



Special Guest Vocalist
Mary Mancini



Peter Blume

Master of Ceremonies – Kevin Friedrich

Tickets: \$45 per person

Purchase tickets via PayPal or Zelle (ameraccord1938@gmail.com)

Pre-paid tickets will be held for pick-up at the door.

Questions – Contact The American Accordionists' Association at Ameraccord1938@gmail.com

Or call Don Gerundo at 914-261-9320.

Meet the artists
after the performance
when desserts and coffee
will be served.

TRIVIA

Can you name the band; identify the leader and name all the musicians? (WITHOUT Google or other reference sites)



Click or copy and paste the link below to your browser for interview.

<https://www.youtube.com/shorts/GidXxBDcZ1I>

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Please do not hesitate to submit photos, stories or events you wish to share with fellow members and the audience. This is your Association and Newsletter!

Hope to see everyone on the 19th