



National Park Service
U.S. Department of the Interior

Cuyahoga Valley
National Park

15610 Vaughn Road
Brecksville OH 44141

www.nps.gov/cuva
www.dayinthevalley.com

Cuyahoga Valley National Park News Release

For Immediate Release – Thursday, April 22, 2010

Mary Pat Doorley, (440) 546-5995, (440) 343-7355 (cell), or mary_pat_doorley@nps.gov

Lonesome Stars Play House Concert Season Finale

Ranger-led tour of unique architecture of Hines Hill area and Gioia family before concert

Brecksville, Ohio – On Friday, May 14, 2010, Cuyahoga Valley National Park will wrap up this season with its final gathering of the spring Cuyahoga Valley House Concert Series. This series features current Artist-in-Residence Ed Caner who serves as both musician and host. The series highlights different styles of music in the intimate setting of a restored bank barn, on the Hines Hill Campus. Concerts start at 8 p.m. Doors open at 7:30. Admission: \$6 adults, \$5 CVNPA members. Advance sales are available by calling (330) 657-2909. Seating is limited. Facility is not wheelchair accessible. Complimentary refreshments will be served.

Joining Ed Caner for tonight's concert are *The Lonesome Stars*. Self-described as AltBluesGrass, the trio, composed of Chris Allen, Austin "Walkin' Cane" Charanghat, and Tom Prebish, met in the first grade at St. Christopher's parish in Cleveland, Ohio. After almost 25 years of friendship, they decided to form *The Lonesome Stars* as a side project from their primary bands of *Chris Allen*, *Walkin' Cane*, and *Bolo Deluxe*. All three men provide vocals with Chris and "Walkin' Cane" playing guitar and Tom on bass. Ed will join *The Lonesome Stars*, as they perform their entire CD, *Motorbikes, Radios & Dancehalls*.

Ranger-led Tour of Hines Hill area and Gioia Family

Park Ranger Karen Kopchak and Sales and Guest Services Director for Cuyahoga Valley National Park Association, Lisa Battista, will host a guided walk of the Hines Hill grounds and facilities. Learn about the components of the property including the many unique architectural features as well as the Gioia Family who once lived there. The tour, which does not require a concert ticket, is open to all visitors, and begins at 6 p.m.

Hines Hill Conference Center is located at 1403 W. Hines Hill Road in Peninsula. This is approximately one mile east of Riverview Road.

CVNPA is a nonprofit organization created to engage public support for the park and provide services to enhance public use and enjoyment of the park. For more information about CVNPA and its membership program, visit www.cvnpa.org or call (330) 657-2909.

-more-



CVNP encompasses 33,000 acres along the Cuyahoga River between Cleveland and Akron. Managed by the National Park Service, CVNP combines cultural, historical, recreational, and natural activities in one setting. For more information about the park, visit www.nps.gov/cuva/ or www.dayinthevalley.com/ or call (330) 657-2752 or (800) 445-9667.

-NPS-