

Main Stage Performers

August 1979 – 1st

Art Thieme
Betsy Lucas
Bill White and Paul Gifford
Dakota Dave Hull and Sean Blackburn
Mike Seeger
Steven Sleight and John Warstler
Terry Lee Hale and Becca Sarow
The Bosom Buddies
The Fiction Brothers
The Gogebic Range Tamburitzans
The Limestone String Band
The Lost World String Band
The Marquette Folk Dancers

1980 – 2nd

Joel Mabus
Port City Bluegrass
Robin and Linda Williams
Roustabout String Band
Sally Rogers
Terry Lee Hale and Becca Sarow
The Bob Lucas Band
The Bosom Buddies
The Costa Bella Cloggers
The Fiction Brothers
The Gogebic Range Tambouritzans
The Lost World String Band
Walking on Air

1981 – 3rd

“Sparky Rucker”
Close to the Floor
Footloose
Hamlin Garland
John Evans
Kitty Donohoe
Mary Corbin
Roxanne and Dan Keding
The Boreal String Band
The Costa Bella Cloggers
The Lost World String Band
The New Moon Swing Band
The New Prairie Ramblers
Thimbleberry
Third Generation

1982 – 4th

And Lending a Hand
Bluewater
Boston Blackie
Dave and Kay Gordon
Gale Lajoie
Hamlin Garland
Iowa Rose ‘n’ Riffraff
Jack Bowers
John Evans
Lost World String Band
Mary Corbin
Ray Kamalay
Stoney Lonesome
The Clearwater Cloggers
The Hot Mud Family

1983 – 5th

Boston Blackie
Daithi Sproule and Patty Bronson
Hamlin Garland
Helmer Toyras
Jack Bowers
Jan Fowler and the Silver String
Serenaders
Jan Marra
Jim Stedman – “J.T.”
John Evans
Leftwich and Higgenbotham
Mark Mitchell
Mary Corbin
Mike Felton
Scott Alarik
The Armstrong Brothers
The Clearwater Cloggers
The Hotfoot Quintet
The Lost World String Band
Thimbleberry

1984 – 6th

Baboo
Bear Creek
Bill Hart
Claudia Schmidt
Cousin Abby
Double Decker String Band
Footloose
Jack Bowers
Josh White Jr.
Leftwich, Higgenbotham and Ritchie
Mark Mitchell
Mary Corbin
Mike Felton
Sabia
Society Dance Band
Stone Soup
The Clearwater Cloggers
Tompkins County Horseflies

1985 – 7th

Clyde Leitermann
Costa Bella Cloggers
Jerry Mills and Dan Flesher
John Evans
Lotus Dickey
Northern Light
O.K. Bayou
Oulu Hotshots
Sally Rogers and Howard Bursen
The Dave Berry Band
The Frank Wakefield Band
The Lost World String Band
The Red Clay Ramblers
Tompkins County Horseflies

1986 – 8th

Bob Bovee and Gail Heil
Frank Youngman and Dave Ross
Iowa Rose
Jethro Burns
Jim and Ray
Mark Mitchell
Mike Stadler and Marguerite Millard
Rory Block
The Chicken Chokers
The Feltliners
The Keltones
The Maxwell St. Klezmer Band
The Shuffle Creek Dancers
The Swamp Cats
The Unculled Four
Tom Peas

1987 – 9th

Anne Hills
Clay Riness
Dr. Goodhart's Home Remedy
Holly Kriegel
Ira Bernstein
Larry Sparks & the Lonesome Ramblers
Loose Caboose
Lou and Peter Berryman
Peter Ostroushko
Symphony Bay
The Balkan Rhythm Band
The Feltliners
The Heartbeats
The Keltones
The Laketown Buskers

1988 – 10th

Dave Berry and Friends
David and Tiyi Burce-Schippers
Del Ray and the Blues Gators
Joel Mabus
John Evans
Raiders of the Lost Barn
Rhythm In Shoes
Rick Good and Sharon Leahy
Sally Rogers and Claudia Schmidt
The Bone Tones
The Boreal String Band
The Feltliners
The Lost World String Band
The Red Clay Ramblers
Whitewater
Wisconsin River Bluegrass Boy

1989 – 11th

Candice Anderson
Dick Siegel
Jack Bowers & Toni Heikkinen
Kitty Donohoe
Lady of the Lake
Laketown Buskers
Mike Penglase & Dan Flesher
Niomi y Daniel
Rhythm In Shoes
Roy Book Binder
Skip Jones
The Feltliners
Trapezoid
Volo Bogtrotters

1990 – 12th

Bob Brozman
Buzzard Rock String Band
Harmonious Wail
Jean Ritchie
Michael Camp
Pet Survey
Rhythm In Shoes
Tanya Jurvelin
The Bone Tones
The Cobb Brothers
The Feltliners
The Keltones
Wild Thyme Country

1991 – 13th

Howard Armstrong w/Rich& Maureen
Del Grosso
Ira Bernstein
Jan Fowler and the Silver String
Serenaders
Joel Mabus
Kitty Donohoe
Liz Carroll and Marty Fahey
Liz Masterson and Sean Blackburn
The Bud Gartman Quartet
The Cobb Brothers
The Lost World String Band
The storytellers
The Thimbleberry Band
The Volo Bogtrotters

1992 – 14th

Allen Street String Band
Bandulu Reggae Band
Basin Brothers
Catfish Keith
Corinne Rockow
Helmer Toyras & Friends
Marley's Ghost
Pat Donohue
Pop Wagner
Stoney Lonesome
The Feltliners
The Michael Camp Band
The Stump Jumpers

1993 – 15th

Andre Marchand & Grey Larson
Art Moilanen & Joanne Palonen
Dave Moore
Eddie LeJeune & the Morse Playboys
Fast Eddie Trio
Lizette Chevalier
Mustard's Retreat
Peaceful Women
Rhythm In Shoes
Robert Lucas
The Hellbenders
Traditional Grass

1994 – 16th

Conga se Menne
Dave Van Ronk
Dead Beat Society
Mad Cat Ruth and Kane
Midlife Isis
Oren Tikkanen & Thimbleberry HiLites
Rarely Herd
Robin & Linda Williams
Spider John Koerner
The Bone Tones
The Cantrells
The Ill-Mo Boys
The Pashami Dancers
The Wild Goose Chase Cloggers

1995 – 17th

Clear Fork
David Menefee
Gogebic Range Tamburitians
Gospel Warriors
Harmonious Wail
Jack Williams
Mary Flower
Rhythm In Shoes
Seamus Eagan & Eileen Ivers
The New Ballard Branch Bogtrotters
Third Coast

1996 – 18th

Balfa Toujours
Cathy Fink and Marcy Marxer
Joel Mabus
Lightnin' Wells
Matchbox
Neomi y Daniel
Peter and Lou Berryman
Rhythm In Shoes
Skip Gorman
The Hix
The Laurel Canyon Ramblers

1997 - 19th

Bill Staines
Ira Bernstein
Jive at Five
Mongo Zid
Peaceful Women
Pierre Schryer
Rarely Herd
Red Mules
The Bone Tones
Tom Ball and Kenny Sultan
Whitewater

1998 - 20th

Boreal Stringband
Claudia Schmidt
Erik Koskinen
Laurel Canyon Ramblers
Peter Ostroushko and Dean McGraw
Rhythm In Shoes
Robin and Linda Williams
Sally Rodgers
Spider John Koerner
The Feltliners
The Frontline
Volo Bogtrotters

1999 - 21

Catfish Keith
Eddie from Ohio
Ecuador Manta
Fat City String Band
Foreign Born Irish
Jive at Five
Kate MacKenzie
Lake Effect
Mayor and James
Raisin Pickers
Wyrd Sisters

2000 - 22nd

Buffalo Gals
Connie Kaldor
Frieght Hoppers
Les Ross Sr.
Malkum and Chris
Mike Waite
New Five Cents
Norman Blake
Pat Donohue
Rhonda Vincent and the Rage
Rhythm In Shoes
Scruj MacDukh

2001 - 23rd

Barachois
Corndrinkers
Hot Club of Cowtown
Third Generation Bluegrass
Jeremy Kittle and Jesse Mason
Peter Keane
New Riverside Ramblers
Steppin' In It
Tom Ball & Kenny Sultan
Rachael Davis & Brett Hartenbach
Stacey Earle with Mark Stuart

2002 - 24th

Cathy Fink and Marcy Marxer
Greg Boerner
Jim Stedman
LaFeufollet
Man Alive!
Myllarit
Rani Arbo and Daisy Nayham
Rhythm In Shoes
Tangerine Trousers
The Keltones
True Blue

2003 – 25th

Frostbitten Grass
Hot Club of Cowtown
Joel Mabus
Kevin Burke
Lou and Peter Berryman
Steve Riley & the Mamou Playboys
Susan Werner
The Duhks
The Mammals
Uncle Earl

2004 – 26th

Barm MacNeils
Eddie from Ohio
Jali Markebe Kovyar
Jeremy Kittel
Karen Savoca
Mollie O'Brien & Jive and 5
Rachael Davis
Rhythm Billies
Roy Book Binder
Virginia Crossties

2005 – 27th

Big Garlic Ramblers
Blue Moon Rising
Bohola
Dave Bett
In Process
Jim Stedman
Jonathon Edwards
Maura O'Connell
Rhythm In Shoes
Seth Bernard & Daisy May
The Wilders

2006 – 28th

Cephas & Wiggins
Dale Ann Bradley
Garnet Rogers
Jalya Ensemble
Mammals
Pat Madden & Sally Potter
Royal Garden Trio
Solazo
Wild Goose Chase Cloggers

2007 – 29th

Cheryl Wheeler
Dean Magraw & John Williams
Ellis Paul
Hayseed
Kenny & Amanda Smith
The Carolina Chocolate Drops
The Milroys
The New Riverside Ramblers
The Wiyos
Yid Vicious

2008 – 30th

Connie Kaldor
Guy Davis
Joel Mabus
Les Ross Sr.
Reshuffled Creek Dancers
Santa Cruz River Band
Seth Bernard & Daisy May
Steppin' In It
The Dixie Hummingbirds
The Duhks
Zydecology

2009 – 31st

Café' Accordion
Feufollett
Josh White, Jr.
Lucy Kaplansky
Mamadou Diabate
Pat Donahoe
Rhythm In Shoes
Tangled Roots
The Derrell Syria Project
The Stair Well Sisters

2010 – 32nd

Bayou Grenoville
Big Medicine
Bryan Bowers
Charlie Parr
Claudia Schmidt
De Temps Anton
Dixie Bee Liners
Fishtank Ensemble
Green Grass Cloggers w/Elder Bullies
Hot Club of Cowtown

2011 – 33rd

Beachley and Scott Band
Big Ron Huter & Ironing Board Sam
Canyon Creek Cloggers
Ebony Hillbillies
Harmonious Wail
Jerry Mills
John McCutcheon
Le Vent Du Nord
Top Drawer String Band w/Joel Mabus
Trees (Lindsay Tomasic Jessie Fitzpatrick)

2012 – 34th

Cedric Watson & Bijou Creole
Dan Crary and Thunderation
Jim and Ray
Josh Davis and His Band
Lumber Jakki
Pat Donahue & The Praire Allstars
Pert Near Sandstone
Ray Bonneville
Ruth Moody
Wild Goose Chase Cloggers

2013 – 35th

Atje Duvekot
Bonsoir, Catin
Charlie Parr
Costabella Cloggers
Craver, Hicks, Watson, Newberry
Ironweek Bluegrass Band
John Gorka
Kaivama
Royal Garden Trio
Solas
The Door Cats

2014 – 36th

Harp, Hart & Bones
Jonathan Byrd
The Good Lovelies

Robin and Linda Williams
Run Boy Run
The String Doctors
Susan Werner
Teada
Ventucky
Woodland Sky Native Dancers

2015 – 37th

Bonsoir Catin
The Duhk's
Extra Crispy Brass Band
The High 48's
Good and Young Band
Michael Waite
Northern Kentucky Brotherhood Singers
Papa John Kolstad
Polyphony Marimba
Richard Scofano

2016 – 38th

Guy Davis
The Jeremy Kittel Trio
Jonathan Byrd & the Pick Up Cowboys
Les Poules a Colin
The Claire Lynch Band
Red Tail Ring
The Henrie Brothers
Stolen Sweets
The Dead Pigeons
Cimmarron (cancelled due to illness)
Dean McGraw & Peter Ostroushko

2017 – 39th

The Cactus Blossoms
Pert Near Sandstone
Jayme Stone's Folklife
Sones De Mexico Ensemble
The Barley Jacks
Dan Newton & the Café Accordion
Orchestra
John Gillette & Sarah Mittelfehldt
The Bucking Mules
The Sweet Water Warblers
All Strings Considered (Fri Dance)