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1ST ANNUAL DELTA BLUES DULCIMER REVIVAL

World-class artists to teach traditional blues on unique American instrument in the spring of 2020

[CLARKSDALE, MISSISSIPPI, December 7th, 2019] The **1st Annual Delta Blues Dulcimer Revival** is a unique opportunity to experience traditional blues music through the sounds of the Appalachian mountain dulcimer. Co-founders **Adrian Kosky** and **Carla Maxwell** are hosting the event **April 16th, 17th and 18th** at their venue, The Holy Moly, in downtown Clarksdale, Mississippi.

The three-day revival will offer workshops, concerts and panel Q&As with five internationally-renowned performers including co-founder **Bing Futch**, who competed in the 2016 International Blues Challenge in Memphis, Tennessee. He advanced to the finals and was named “Best Solo Guitar”, despite performing with the mountain dulcimer.

“We’re prepared to introduce people to the mountain dulcimer, because it’s kind of obscure and we’ll have loaners for folks to try out,” Futch said. “We’ll also have workshops for mountain dulcimer players of all skill levels.”

Joining Futch will be one-woman band **Sofie Reed**, blues dulcimer pioneer **Gary Gallier**, viral YouTube phenom **Sam Edelston** and mountain dulcimer troubadour **Robert Force**. Class subjects will cover a wide spectrum of blues music including Delta, Texas and North Mississippi Hill Country blues, break-downs of songs like “St. Louis Blues” and “Leaving This Morning” and workshops on songwriting and stage performance.

The final night of the revival coincides with the **2020 Juke Joint Festival** and The Holy Moly is an official nighttime venue. Registrants can choose packages that include a meal plan as well as a wristband which allows you all access to festival venues.

To register for the 1st Annual Delta Blues Dulcimer Revival, visit www.DeltaBluesDulcimerRevival.com

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