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Tom Paxton to headline 16th Cooper's Glen Music Festival

KALAMAZOO, MI --

The Great Lakes Acoustic Music Association (GLAMA) will host the 16th Cooper's Glen Music Festival on Saturday, February 3, 2018 at the Radisson Plaza Hotel, 100 West Michigan Avenue, in Kalamazoo.

Americana folk icon Tom Paxton will be the lead entertainer among a varied, impressive lineup for evening concerts. Jam sessions, vendor displays, and afternoon workshops led by the featured musicians will round out the one-day fest. After performing thousands of concerts around the world, Paxton is celebrating his 80th birthday with a new recording and a tour.

Other featured artists are the two-time Grammy-winning duo, Cathy Fink and Marcy Marxer, Michael Cleveland & Flamekeeper, named the Instrumental Band of 2017 by the International Bluegrass Music Association, and an acoustic trio led by Don Julin, who hails from Traverse City and has been referred to as The Mandolin Master of Michigan.

Formed in 1998, The Great Lakes Acoustic Music Association is an all volunteer organization dedicated to promoting, performing and preserving acoustic music.

For more information about GLAMA and the Cooper's Glen music festival, including tickets, visit [www.greatlakesacoustic.org](http://www.greatlakesacoustic.org).

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