

Worcester's Ethnic Mosaic 2016

Shirim klezmer orchestra



**Tuesday, April 19 from 6 to 7 p.m.
Main Library - Saxe Room**

Shirim will take you on a rollicking ride through the world of klezmer music: the good-time dance numbers, the soulful laments and the poignant Yiddish songs which kept Eastern European Jewish dancing, laughing and crying (often all at once) for centuries.

Shirim has performed klezmer music, the lively Jewish folk music from Eastern Europe, at festivals and concert halls across North America and Europe. They have collaborated with Maurice Sendak (Pincus and the Pig), performed with the Philly Pops, and appeared on a Woody Allen soundtrack (Deconstructing Harry). Featured for this performance is a trio from the band: Glenn Dickson, clarinet; Lisa Jacobs, vocals; Michael McLaughlin, piano & accordion.

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