A folk and Cajun
St. Patrick’s Day

For a quiet, pleasant St. Patrick’s Day, check out Four in a Feire, a lovely traditional Irish ensemble. They appear tomorrow, 8:30 p.m., at the cozy Folkway, 85 Grove St. in Peterborough, N.H. For a different slant, the Boogaloo Swamis celebrate ‘A Cajun Ode to St. Patrick’ at the Allegro Cafe, 119 South Main St., Middleton tomorrow, 8:30 p.m. The merrily eclectic Gloucester Hornpipe and Clog Society appears at Saturday Night in Marblehead, St. Andrew’s Church, Lafayette Street (Route 114) in Marblehead, Saturday, 8 p.m. Texas songwriting legend Townes Van Zandt (‘If I Needed You,’ ‘Pancho and Lefty’) appears at Johnny D’s in Davis Square with John Walker on Sunday at 9 p.m. Exciting blues-based songwriter Martin Sexton is there Tuesday, 8:30 p.m.

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