



*Friends of the Lyme Public Library*

## **“Irish Folktales & Songs”**

**Presented by Ann Shapiro  
Master Storyteller & Musician**

**Saturday, March 16<sup>th</sup> @ 2:00 PM  
In the Library Program Room**

Ann Shapiro will present “Irish Folk Tales & Songs”, bringing the folk traditions of music and storytelling together in her presentation. Her Irish stories are full of humor, as well as poignancy. You will experience the wisdom and culture through her tales. Come and celebrate the Irish through their voluminous oral tradition and enjoy the participatory songs interspersed with the tales. Although Ann is not Irish herself, she was brought into the fold through her husband, Tom Callinan, and she has kissed the Blarney Stone!



Ann tours her variety of shows as a solo and with her husband, Tom Callinan. Their recordings include: *Hokey Folky* and *For No Good Reason At All* (sing alongs), *Imagine Menagerie & I'm Gonna Tell* (stories in tandem), *Let's Clean Up Our Act* (songs for the earth), and most recently, *Home Remedies* (original songs about family life).

**This program is free and open to all.  
For more information and to register, call the library at 860-434-2272.**