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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### **HULA ON THE MOUNTAIN** *Sunday, August 9, 2009*

**DENVER – July 21, 2009** – Grab your ukulele and grass skirt and head up to the Buffalo Bill Museum for an afternoon of regional American music during the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual **Mountain Melodies Music Festival** on Sunday, August 9, from noon to 5 p.m. In addition to traditional bluegrass, Appalachian, and folk music, the line up this year will include **Book ‘Em Danno**, Colorado’s foremost Hawaiian Swing Band. They, along with some of Denver’s top acoustic musicians, will provide an afternoon of music, kids’ activities and crafts. And it’s all FREE!

Every year the Mountain Melodies Music Festival hosts a different line-up of local musicians. This year, in addition to Book ‘Em Danno, the Museum will present **Finders and Youngberg, The Uptown Relics and Martin Gilmore Duo**. Limited seating is available and blankets and lawn chairs are welcome. Visitors may bring their own picnic or take advantage of the full café located in the Museum Gift Shop.

Located on top of Lookout Mountain, the Buffalo Bill Museum enjoys one of Denver’s most spectacular overlooks, with clear views of the Continental Divide, Pikes Peak, the Denver skyline and the Northern Front Range. This is, in fact, what inspired Buffalo Bill Cody to request Lookout Mountain as his final resting place. Visitors to the Mountain Melodies Music Festival will have the option to purchase entrance into the Museum itself where they will learn more about the life of Buffalo Bill through exhibits, videos and hands-on interactive areas. The cost of Museum admission is \$4 for adults, \$3 for seniors ages 65 and above, and \$1 for children ages 6 - 15. But the music under the pines is all free.

This event is sponsored by the Scientific and Cultural Facilities Tax District (SCFD) and the Denver Department of Parks and Recreation. For more information call 303-526-0744 or visit [www.buffalobill.org](http://www.buffalobill.org).

**WHAT:** Mountain Melodies Music Festival  
**WHEN:** Sunday, August 9, 2009  
**WHO:** Buffalo Bill Museum and Grave  
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**WHERE:** Lookout Mountain Road, Golden, Colorado