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## American Folk Trio performs at Estero library

### Musicians don't use their quiet voices

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The music of the American Folk Trio proved irresistible by the way the audience swayed side to side, tapping their feet and bobbing their heads during a concert Saturday at the South County Regional Library in Estero.

The event was the first of three concerts sponsored by the Friends of South County Regional Library. They draw people to the library and offer a chance for fun, said Claire Hauenstein, president of the group.

The crowd listened as the band strummed "The Black Mountains Rag," "The Milk Cow," and "Orange Blossom Special" on mandolin, fiddle and acoustic guitar.

The trio has been playing for five years and features Steve Rosen on mandolin, Louie Salvatore on guitar and fiddle, and Roli Scholl, who was substituting, on acoustic guitar.

"You guys are good singers," Salvatore told the crowd of more than 70 between songs.

The audience didn't hold back when it came time to sing "You Are My Sunshine" or Hank Williams' "Hey Good Looking."

"They're the best I've heard for this type of music. They're just naturals," said Joseph Reynolds of Estero.

This was the first time Reynolds heard the band and he said the scope of the American Folk Trio's music is impressive.

He enjoyed all the songs, but Reynolds said "Orange Blossom Special" was especially appropriate since Ervin Rouse composed the song about a train that used to come to Naples.



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Steve Rosen and Louie Salvatore strum along to a song while entertaining a crowd of more than 70 people at South County Regional Library. They are members of the American Folk Trio and have been playing together for five years.

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