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“A Prairie Home Companion” recently announced that mandolin stud/genius grant recipient **Chris Thile** of **Punch Brothers** and **Nickel Creek** fame would be a guest host for two weeks in February. What **Garrison Keillor** hasn’t announced is that the **Guy’s All Star Shoe Band** is no longer his house band. The change happened when the new season began in September. Keyboardist **Richard Dworsky**, the band’s leader, is still on board every week but the other musicians vary, depending on the style of the musical guests on any given week. And their moniker varies depending on the whim of Keillor, who last month called the musicians the November Boys. Guy’s All Star Shoe Band will make the occasional “APHC” appearance and even an occasional non-radio performance. After spending the last few Decembers in New York, “APHC” is home at the Fitzgerald for another show on Saturday featuring **VocalEssence** and **Heather Masse**.

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