



2011-2012 CONCERT SERIES

September 30th

Danny Michel

With Special Guest Roger Marin

October 21st

Ridley Bent

With Special Guest Kayla Luky

November 18th

Oh My Darling

February 17th

Sultans of String

March 11th

Arrogant Worms

All shows start at 8pm. Doors open at 7:30

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The 2011 – 2012 WAC Concert Series

Friday, September 30, 2011

Danny Michel – "With two Juno nominations and six solo albums to his credit, Danny Michel is one of the finest and most charming songwriters to grace the stage. His honest and straight-forward lyrics, earnest live performances and witty stage banter have earned him a devoted global fan base. If you've seen Danny live in concert, you're probably already a fan. If you haven't, you are missing out on "One of this country's undiscovered musical treasures" (Toronto Star).

Friday, October 21, 2011

Ridley Bent – "Ridley Bent is one of Canada's strongest singer-songwriters, an exceptional lyricist who seems to have an endless cast of oddball characters running around in his head." - *John P. McLaughlin, The Vancouver Province* .

"A beat-poet cowboy that can sing a broken hearted country song [that will] make you want to cry" - *Lynn Saxberg, The Ottawa Citizen*

Friday, November 18, 2011

Oh My Darling – With a sweet name and even sweeter sound, **Oh My Darling** conjures up the right mix of emotion and elation with their unique brand of country. **Their prairie roots mixed with bluegrass, Appalachian old time, southern twang, and Franco-folk, makes their style a melting pot of musical languages.** Infused with dynamic vocals, brilliant claw-hammer banjo, inspired fiddling, and grooving bass, their music will get your hips swinging, toes tapping, and put your heart right into their hands. Each time Oh My Darling takes the stage, they prove time and again why they're captivating audiences and attracting an abundance of fans, because boy, can these girls can play! Individually, **they are known as some of the hottest players on the Canadian roots scene,** but there is strength in numbers, and combined, the foursome is strong as steel.

Friday, February 17, 2012

Sultans of String – "Canada's ambassadors of musical diversity"

Sultans of String thrill their audiences with their global sonic tapestry of Spanish Flamenco, Arabic folk, Cuban rhythms, and French Manouche Gypsy-jazz, celebrating musical fusion and human creativity with warmth and virtuosity. Their debut CD Luna soared to #1 across Canada on Top Ten national radio charts, and the Sultans of String won the award for Best Variety Act from Festivals & Events Ontario as well as the 2008 International Songwriting Competition!

Sunday, March 11, 2012

Arrogant Worms – It began as a hobby, making fun of a big dumb world. Luckily, the world is still dumb and The Arrogant Worms (Mike McCormick, Chris Patterson and Trevor Strong) still have plenty to sing about. The shows are fast, furious and family friendly. The wit is quick, the satire is biting and the musicianship is second to none. Their appeal has earned them fans from kids to parents to grandparents to Princess Leia.

The Arrogant Worms have sold more than 150,000 copies of their 12 albums and played on three continents to crowds as large as 100,000. They were recognized in 2003 as the Touring Act of the Year by the Canadian Arts Presenters Association. The Worms have entertained at corporate functions, sung anthems at sporting events and emceed at major festivals. Their songs are in school lesson plans, in textbooks and even played on the Space Shuttle. On earth or in space, everyone digs these Worms.

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