



Sunspot Concerts at the Lyceum

Harpists Marta Cook & Maeve Gilchrist

Wednesday, Nov. 3, 2010, 7:30 PM

Takoma Park Community Center, 7500 Maple Ave., Takoma Park, Md.

\$10 advance/\$15 door



Harpists Marta Cook and Maeve Gilchrist are at the forefront of the new wave of young Celtic harp players. Maeve's harp and vocal style blends her Scottish roots with the colors of jazz, creating a unique and multicultural sound. Marta is known for the originality of her arrangements and improvisations, particularly in the accompaniment of traditional music. She has recorded for the Sony Classical label, collaborating with Yo-Yo Ma and Natalie MacMaster.

Scottish Singer Jim Malcolm

Sunday, Nov. 14, 2010, 8 PM

The Lyceum in Alexandria

\$20 advance/\$24 door

Jim Malcolm, one of the most distinctive voices in Scottish music, returns to the Lyceum for a solo performance. Jim was the lead singer with the Scottish group Old Blind Dogs from 1999 until 2006.

Jim, who has twice been booked to sing for Prince Charles, was voted Scotland's Songwriter of the Year in 2004 and shortlisted for the Scots Singer of the Year award in 2004, 2005 and 2009. He has been described as "one of the most outstanding talents to emerge from the Scottish Folk Scene in years".

Jim is looking forward to returning to The Lyceum. "I love playing for American audiences, which have always been good to me," he said, "and the acoustics in the Lyceum Theater are wonderful. Scottish audiences can be a bit reserved but Americans seem better at having a good time." Visit Jim's website at www.jimmalcolm.com.



The Lyceum, 201 South Washington St, Alexandria, VA
Tickets available at www.sunspotpro.com

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About the Concerts

Sunspot showcases musicians from the United States and around the globe, representing all styles of traditional and contemporary folk music. Sunspot shows feature musicians who often perform as part of larger groups in larger venues, who have an independent career after leaving another group or who are just beginning their careers. Each show is presented in an intimate setting that allows the performers and audiences to enjoy a close connection not possible in larger venues.

The concerts take place in Old Town Alexandria. Sunspot's primary venue is the 130-seat Lecture Hall at The Lyceum, Alexandria's city museum, which lends its historic atmosphere to the presentation of traditional music. With no seat more than six rows from the stage, The Lyceum provides an ideal meeting place for artists and audiences to share a unique musical experience.

For additional information, including driving, parking and Metro directions, visit the Sunspot website at www.sunspotpro.com.

Ordering Tickets

Order tickets through the Sunspot web site: www.sunspotpro.com. We are a volunteer organization, so we do not have a box-office staff to take orders. If you cannot use the web site, you can purchase advance tickets at any Sunspot show, or call 800 404-9049 to request that we contact you by phone.

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Past Sunspot Shows

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