

The Muse Letter

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We hit the Northwest by storm! Well, okay, it never really storms there, but it did rain a lot. And we had a great time! We were well received at all of the Sno-Isle and King County Libraries as well as a knock out again at the Seattle Irish Week on St. Patrick's Day. This was our second year performing for them and once again it was a pleasure. We headed down to Oregon where we performed for the Wilsonville Library for the first time and the Canby library for the second year running.



April 2008 Tour Schedule

Friday April 18th 7:00 pm
Gallatin County Library
209 West Market Street
Warsaw, KY 41095
(859) 567-2786
<http://www.gallatincountylibrary.org>



Saturday April 19th and Sunday April 20th
Saturday on the Main Stage at 1:15 pm
Sunday on the Main Stage at 2:40 pm
Georgetown International Kite and Cultural Festival
Cardome Center
800 US 25 N.
Georgetown, Kentucky 40324
502-863-1575
<http://www.kitefest.com>

Friday April 25th 9:00 pm – after midnight
Paddy's Pub
2339 N. Murray Ave.
Milwaukee, WI 53202
414-223-3496
<http://www.paddyspub.net>

Both the Arlington, WA and the Canby, OR libraries have big votes coming up this year to increase funding for the library. One will allow for a new library building, the other will decide the future of the library. Please make sure you support your local library and vote when the time comes!!!

After that it was a big Aloha to the state of Hawaii. We got on a plane at 6:00 am (Portland time), got off at 1:00 pm (Hawaii time) and then did a show at 7:30 that evening with Switchback and the Doolin Rakes! Two great bands! Switchback is a marvelous duo from Chicago and can be found at <http://www.waygoodmusic.com> The Doolin Rakes are a local Hawaii Celtic Rock band and are a force to reckon with in their own right. They can be found at <http://www.myspace.com/808doolinrakeshawaii> We also played the Hawaii Scottish Games with them. (Yes, Hawaii has a Scottish Games. Can you think of a better reason for us to go every other year?) Our friends the Celtic Waves played the Games (<http://www.celticwaves.net>) and several other wonderful bands as well. We played for 15 different Hawaii State Libraries on 5 different islands. I think Matt and Lindsay calculated 20 shows and 11 flights in 13 days. (PHEW!) Not to mention battered luggage, some damaged sound equipment and 3 very tired musicians. A vacation in paradise this was not. Lindsay and Tanya did get some time to get tan, Matt got his typical sun burn and a good time was still had by all. For lots of fun pictures, go visit the Blog <http://www.kiltedmanblog.com> Matt has finally gotten it all up to date.

We are now in Kentucky, where we have two shows left, we played our full 2 hour concert at the Thoroughbred Theater last night, and will play the Georgetown Kite and Cultural Festival this weekend. Then we are off to Milwaukee, Lindsay's Home Town. We'll be performing at Paddy's Pub for an evening. Matt and Tanya will head for Colorado while Lindsay will stay in Milwaukee so all can get some much needed R&R. Then in May we'll head south to Texas to get some of that much vaunted Southern Hospitality. We look forward to seeing you out on the road. Come on out and support live music!

Take care,
-Tanya, Matt & Lindsay
The Muses

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