

Gaelic Storm to Thunder into Stockton's Performing Arts Center on March 8

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Galloway Township, **NJ** - Gaelic Storm's signature sound gets audiences dancing and never lets them go! It will be a night audiences won't forget when the group performs at the Stockton Performing Arts Center on **Sunday**, **March 8**.

Show time is 4 p.m. Tickets are \$32 and may be ordered online at <u>stockton.edu/pac</u> or by calling the Box Office at (609) 652-9000. The Box Office is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and 90 minutes before the performance. For group sales, call (609) 652-4786.

"A party band in a family-friendly, and the best, sense of the word, Gaelic Storm knows how to show audiences a good time." -- *Washington Post*

"Gaelic Storm is rock-flavored... music as Irish as Guinness and Harp." --- Pittsburgh Tribune

Gaelic Storm is back with the #1 Billboard World Album, *The Boathouse*, a seafaring album of traditional songs of the ocean, recorded in one whiskey-fueled week in a converted boathouse on the Chesapeake Bay. The Boathouse is the first release from Gaelic Storm's "Small Batch Sessions," a new series that will offer truly exclusive releases only available for purchase on the band's website and at their live shows.

With catalog sales of more than 1 million, the group has now had four consecutive albums debut at #1 on the Billboard World Albums Chart: 2008's *What's the Rumpus*?, 2010's *Cabbage,* which remained parked in the top slot for three consecutive weeks, 2012's *Chicken Boxer, and* 2013's *The Boathouse.*

*Th*e group's ability to deftly incorporate a rock sensibility into their sound affords them rare crossover appeal. In recent years, they've performed on the same bill with acts ranging from Zac Brown Band and the Goo Goo Dolls to Emmylou Harris and Lyle Lovett, at events as varied as the Telluride Bluegrass Festival and Milwaukee's Summerfest.

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With their signature acoustic production, Gaelic Storm blends indie-folk and world grooves with Celtic tradition to bring you 12 tales of plight and plunder, whiskey-drenched pirates, flying cannon balls and ladies of ill-repute. Ready your sea legs; you'll need them for The Boathouse!

For our patrons with special needs, the Stockton Performing Arts Center offers wheelchair accessible seating, large type programs, and listening assistive devices. Please identify any needs you may have when making a reservation.

The Stockton Performing Arts Center, the Jersey Shore's Center for the Arts, is located on the campus of The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey, on Vera King Farris Drive, just off Jim Leeds Road, in Galloway Township. Just 12 miles west of Atlantic City, the center is easily accessible from the Garden State Parkway and the Atlantic City Expressway.

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