Bounding Main

Vocalists

Dean Calin, Christie Dalby, Gina Dalby, Patrick Knapp, Jon Krivitzky

Bounding Main is a Great Lakes based, acapella vocal group that sings richly harmonic versions of traditional and contemporary maritime songs. Their shows are filled with spirit, humor and harmony and their arrangements of nautical-themed music bring the listener into the world of fellowship, adventure and romance.

The group, founded in 2003, has performed across North America and Europe and their music is sold internationally through Spotify, Apple Music, Amazon, Bandcamp, and other music portals.

Quotes

"People are saying this was [our] best festival ever, with great talent. I believe it was in large part due to your wonderful singing and your humor." About the 2022 event - Emma Czarapata, Shawano Folk Music Festival

"The layered and very polished sound is enthusiastic and energetic." About Lost at Sea - Susan Hartman, Dirty Linen Magazine

"Sea shanties mingle with originals and forays into barbershop harmony and sweet swing for a fulsome sound. The three guys and two gals of Bounding Main have the chops to sell their schtick." About Kraken Up -Jamie Lee Rake, Shepherd Express.

"It's listenable, unique and fun." About Lost at Sea -Avery Comarow, US News & World Report.

Discography

Fish Out of Water, 2016 Kraken Up, 2011 Operation Share the Shanties, 2008 Going Overboard, 2008 Lost at Sea, 2005 Maiden Voyage, 2004

Radio Appearances

Armed Forces Radio (Germany)
Simply Folk (WPR)
Bordel de Mer (Canada)
Trossen Los on Radio Ridderkerk (Netherlands)
Radio Bremen (Germany)
Folk Festival, WDCB Public Radio
Lake Effect, Wisconsin Public Radio
Higher Ground, Wisconsin Public Radio

Air Play

WAMU Washington, DC's 1A Program WFMT's Midnight Special Shanties bij de Vleet (Netherlands) Het Zeegat Uit (Netherlands) Salty Dog Radio Bilgemunkey Radio Celtic Radio

Beautiful Harmonies with a Maritime Flair



Music for Film & Video

Flotsam, British Film Institute, Noel Goodwin The Polar Sea, TVO & arte, Primitive Entertainment "Treasure" Exhibit, NRG!'s traveling museum exhibit.

Concerts & Festivals

Shawano Folk Music Festival, Wisconsin Albany International Folk 'n' Shanty Festival, Australia Portsmouth Maritime Folk Festival, New Hampshire Bie Daip Int'l Folk & Shanty Festival, Netherlands Falmouth Int'l Sea Shanty Festival, Cornwall, UK Papenburg Harbor Festival, Germany Festival du Chants de Marin de Paimpol, France Fête des Chants de Marins, Saint-Jean-Port-Joli, Quebec Folk & Shanty Festival, Giethoorn, Netherlands Shanties Festival, Krakow, Poland Festival Maritim, Bremen, Germany Lierliet Festival, Workum, Netherlands Pepsi Tall Ships Chicago Nicolet Bank Tall Ships Festival, Green Bay, Wisconsin Port Washington Maritime Heritage Festival, Wisconsin Chicago Maritime Festival Bristol Renaissance Faire, Wisconsin Kenosha Days of Discovery Tall Ships Festival, Wisconsin St. Louis Pirate Festival, Missouri Barnes & Noble CD Release Event Many other corporate, public and private events

Museums & Institutions

The British Library
Landstuhl Regional Medical Center, Germany
National Geographic Real Pirates Exhibit at the
Milwaukee Public Museum
Pirates Exhibit at the Door County Maritime Museum
Wisconsin Maritime Museum
Oshkosh Public Museum Pirates Exhibit
Door County Maritime Museum Wooden Boat Show
Great Lakes Naval Base

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