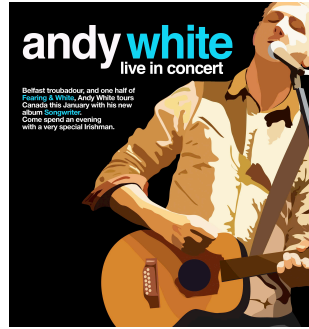


ANDY WHITE • ONTARIO & EDMONTON • LIVE IN CONCERT



Tall tales and troubadour soul in Ontario and Edmonton when Belfast songwriter Andy White returns to Canada for solo dates to follow up his touring with Stephen Fearing as one half of Irish-Canadian duo [Fearing & White](#).

Carrying a 12-string guitar under his arm and wearing his particular brand of Irish charm on his sleeve, Andy's new album 'Songwriter' (ALT Recordings/KERF) is his tenth, and he arrives next Friday to play Shelter Valley Folk Festival, a string of concerts in Ontario, and a return to The Artery in Edmonton, where he's producing an album in between shows.

With the political edge of Billy Bragg, the romance of David Gray and the Celtic lyricism of the Waterboys, Andy has won all the top Irish music awards and toured the world many times over.

He'd written with the likes of Peter Gabriel and Neil and Tim Finn before bumping into Stephen Fearing backstage at Winnipeg Folk Festival a few years ago. They hit it off and wrote a series of songs for Blackie And The Rodeo Kings, including 'If I Catch You Crying' and 'October Lies'.

Their self-titled debut album was released last year and since then the two chums have eaten toast and toured all over Canada and the UK - including Winnipeg, Edmonton and Vancouver folk festivals.

Lead track of 'Songwriter' is [If You Want It](#), a duet with Canadian singer Allison Russell (Po' Girl) and it was recorded in Vancouver with a host of Canadian musicians including Allison, Paul Rigby (Neko Case) and John Raham (Be Good Tanyas).

Andy's also a writer, with two books of poetry and an 'on the road' style novel 21st Century Troubadour up his sleeve.

Keep up with Andy's world via his [website](#), blog, and Facebook [fansite](#).

SEPT 1-2 SHELTER VALLEY FOLK FESTIVAL, GRAFTON ON
SEPT 5 OASIS, COBOURG, ON
SEPT 7 DORA KEOGH'S, TORONTO, ON
SEPT 13 THE ARTERY, EDMONTON, AB
SEPT 14 RANKIN GALLERY, KINGSTON, ON
SEPT 15 LONDON MUSIC CLUB, LONDON, ON

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