



THE IRISH ROVERS

2011

Home in Ireland Tour

Cowichan Theatre

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George Millar - Wilcil McDowell - John Reynolds
Sean O'Driscoll - Ian Millar - Fred Graham

All band members hail from Ireland. Founding member George Millar and Ian Millar are from Ballymena, original member Wilcil McDowell is from Larne, Sean O'Driscoll from Cork, John Reynolds and Fred Graham are both from Belfast.

"Throughout the years, these international ambassadors of Irish music have maintained their timeless ability to deliver a rollicking, rousing performance of good cheer - one that will soon have you singing and clapping along. Their songs have become anthems of revelry and joy among generation after generation of fans." - **Belfast Telegraph, 2010**

Their recent album, *Gracehill Fair*, which was produced on their Rover Records label in 2010 has been well received from Glasgow to Maui, as well as at home on Vancouver Island.

2011 marks the 45th anniversary of the band's first recording in 1966. To celebrate this landmark the lads chose their favorite spots to film while producing a new DVD/television special and CD, *Home In Ireland* around their old stomping grounds in Northern Ireland. Some of the spectacular locations include Carnlough Harbour, Dunluce Castle, Slemish Mountain and Giant's Causeway, as well as concert footage from Waterfront Hall, Belfast. This television special will be launched nationally on the PBS network in November.

There will be one 20 minute intermission. Enjoy the show!



The Irish Rovers (from left): Wilcil McDowell, Fred Graham, George Millar, Ian Millar, Sean O'Driscoll and John Reynolds - taken at Dunluce Castle, Northern Ireland, 2010 during the filming of their new television special, *Home In Ireland*.