

Sister Girl

Proudly hailing from Revelstoke, BC, Sister Girl is a country/roots band focusing on solid musicianship and sweet, flawless harmonies. With the release of their self-titled CD in July 2009, Sister Girl has enjoyed success with radio airplay worldwide.



They've garnered numerous songwriting honourable mentions and were a top ten Canadian finalist in the 2009 Mountain Stage NewSong Contest for their song, *Lonesome Rambler*.

Sister Girl consists of four vibrant females and one lucky male, nicknamed, "Mr. Sister." Leading the pack is Joanne Stacey, (vocals, guitar, mandolin), who started the band with members, Sharlene Foisy, (vocals, guitar, banjo) and Janine Carey-Bourke, (vocals, bass guitar, piano) shortly after the three played in a musical together in 2007. The vocal trio was the start for the crystal-clear harmonizing this band would later become recognized for producing. But another voice was needed to round out the band and in early 2008 Stephanie Ballendine, (vocals, keyboard, harmonica, banjo and guitar) was chosen for her deep, resonant voice. Russ Brackenbury, aka Mr. Sister, (drums, percussion, vocals), was added in the summer of 2009 to compliment the band's versatility.

Currently, Sister Girl is preparing to record their second CD, *Amazing Things Happen* with world-renowned musician and award-winning producer, David Essig, credited for being one of Canada's "best interpreter's for original and contemporary folk music." With their vibrant and unique sound, Sister Girl is sure to capture your attention and your heart.

Words of Praise...

"I was very impressed with the songs – everything from the music & lyrics, to the production and the musicianship and lead/backing vocals. Great harmonies! The best vocal harmonies I have heard in a long time..." Eugene Foley, Foley Entertainment

"If the Dixie Chicks lived in Canada and added a man to their roster, you'd end up with Sister Girl. Sister Girl's self-titled album is full of energy, soul and authenticity..." JB Swift, Swift Reviews