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*Photo: Shamrock Tenors*

## Four events to put you in the Irish spirit this month at Overture Center

**Madison, Wis.** (March 3, 2025) — Celebrate the spirit of Ireland all month long at Overture Center this March, where a vibrant lineup of performances will immerse you in the heart of Irish culture. From traditional Irish music and dance to high-energy shows that fuse rock and pop with classic sounds, there's something for everyone. Whether you're kicking off the festivities or keeping the St.

Patrick's Day celebrations going, Overture's diverse events will bring the magic of Ireland to the stage with unforgettable performances.

### **International Festival**

Saturday, March 8, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Throughout Overture Center

Irish performances include:

- Last Gaspe (1:30 p.m. on Rotunda Stage)
- Mad Craic Irish Dance (2:15 p.m. in Capitol Theater)
- Madison Pipes & Drums (3:30 p.m. in Overture Hall)
- Breckenridge School of Highland Dance (4:30 p.m. in Overture Hall)

### **Danú**

Saturday, March 15, 7:30 p.m.

Capitol Theater

Celebrate an early St. Patrick's Day and the magic of Ireland with Danú, one of today's premier traditional Irish ensembles. Delight in flute, fiddle, accordion and vocals as they blend ancient Irish music and vibrant new repertoire in high-energy performances. Dan

### **Shamrock Tenors**

Wednesday, March 26, 7:30 p.m.

Overture Hall

Direct from Belfast, Shamrock Tenors are Ireland's most exciting new music sensation. Proudly supported by Tourism Ireland, the group features performers from both sides of the community across Northern Ireland, with vocalists from London's West End along with the country's best multi-instrumentalists.

### **The Red Hot Chilli Pipers**

Saturday, March 29, 7:30 p.m.

Capitol Theater

Experience the electrifying return of The Red Hot Chilli Pipers! Bagpipes with attitude, drums with a Scottish accent and a show so hot it carries a health warning. With their groundbreaking fusion of traditional Scottish music and rock/pop anthems they've coined "BAGROCK," they deliver a high-energy performance like no other.

Don't miss the chance to experience the excitement of Irish artistry throughout the entire month!

**Celebrating 20 years in Madison, Wis., OVERTURE CENTER FOR THE ARTS** is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit arts organization that features seven state-of-the-art performance spaces and five galleries where national and international touring artists, nine resident companies and hundreds of local artists engage people in nearly 500,000 educational and artistic experiences each year. Overture's mission is to support and elevate our community's creative culture, economy and quality of life through the arts. [overture.org](http://overture.org)

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