

Opera Boys bring their music to the masses with latest tour

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The Opera Boys have been delighting audiences all over the world for the past five years with their unique show, combining beautiful, powerful and emotional music with funny, engaging and light-hearted entertainment.

In that time, they've performed more than 1000 concerts to tens of thousands of audience members worldwide, surprised a lot of brides on their wedding day, and even brightened up a few dreary corporate dinners.

They've also performed as backing vocalists to big names including Elton John, Tom Jones and Russell Watson.

"It all started with Rob, who fronts the band," Colin Bryce said, explaining how the band began. "It's his baby – he contacted friends and people he knew and it just grew from there.

"It's been an organic process and we've worked hard to get to where we are – although it has been a lot of fun too.

"We contacted the best people that we know and just built the show around them."



Bringing their music to the masses...it's what The Opera Boys hope to achieve when they head out on tour next month.

"I think that opera still has the stigma of being a bit stuffy," Colin continued. "But I hope that with us, and acts similar to the Opera Boys, we can help bridge the gap a little bit and help popularise the genre and bring

it to the masses."

The four-piece bring their latest tour to Scotland next month, including a concert in Fife.

"I am looking forward to playing in Scotland later this year," Colin said.

"Coming from Glasgow, it's like homecoming gigs for me. There is a lot of humour in the show which I know the Scottish audience will really get so I'm really looking forward to it.

"Fans can expect to hear great music from beautiful Italian arias to well-known West end musical numbers and everything in between.

"At the end of the day it is four friends up on stage coming together to entertain with music and humour."

So what does the future hold for the band?

"We are a good way into the tour at the moment and it takes us through the majority of the year so we are just focusing on that at the moment," Colin added.

"But we are continuing to move the group forward and are excited to see what the future holds for us."

Catch the Opera Boys at Dunfermline's Carnegie Hall on Thursday, June 1.

For tickets, visit www.operaboys.com/concerts.

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