



# Sunspot Concerts at the Lyceum

## Karan Casey & John Doyle

Thursday, February 11, 2010, 8 PM

\$25 advance/\$29 door



**John Doyle and Karan Casey** were both founding members of the Irish supergroup Solas, and they both left the group to move on to successful solo careers. In 2008, they got together to produce a duo CD, but before they could release it and tour together, John was offered a position as musical director and guitarist for Joan Baez.

Now that he has some free time, John and Karan are heading out on tour to sing the songs from the new CD, *Exile's Return*. Both John and Karan have visited the Lyceum before, but this will be their first time here together.

**Furnace Mountain, Saturday, March 20, 2010, 8 PM.** Furnace Mountain is a quartet of traditional musicians who play the music of the Virginia countryside and mountains. Dave Van Deventer (fiddle) and Danny Knicely (mandolin & guitar) front the instrumental side of things, while vocalists Morgan Morrison (bouzouki) and Aimee Curl (bass) layer in a stunning mix of the earthy and ethereal. \$18 advance/\$21 door

**Martin Hayes & Dennis Cahill, Saturday, April 10, 2010, 8 PM.** Martin Hayes has drawn musical inspiration from sources as diverse as the Estonian composer Arvo Pärt, the Spanish viola da gamba master Jordi Savall and the jazz genius John Coltrane to create his own signature style of Irish fiddle music. Still, he remains grounded in the music he grew up with in his own locality, East County Clare. \$26 advance/\$30 door

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