# Americana



BLUE SAGE BAND
ROSEWOOD BAND
IVERSON-CRAGUN DUO

FOLK-SINGER
CLAWHAMMER BANJO
BLUEGRASS BANJO
ACOUSTIC & ELECTRIC MANDOLIN

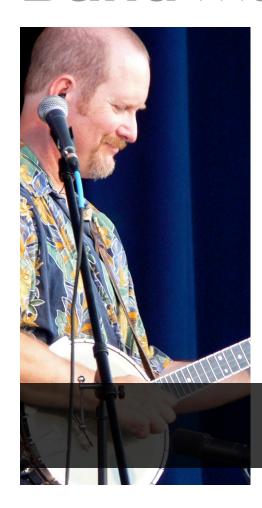
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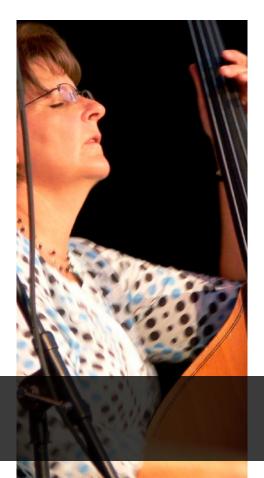
# Blue Sage Band -who we are...



Featuring banjo, bass, fiddle and guitar - the Blue Sage Band is a high energy acoustic folk ensemble specializing in bluegrass, folk, western and acoustic rock.

## Band members









The music of the Blue Sage Band revolves around the repertoire of folk singer Mike Iverson. One of the finest clawhammer style banjo players, Mike also plays mandolin with the band.

Shauna Iverson plays upright bass fiddle with the band. It's Shauna's driving bass lines that power the Blue Sage sound. Rocking out on stange, audiences find Shauna as much fun to watch as to listen to!

Blue Sage also features the fiddle stylings of Heather Blaisdell. Heather draws upon the rich heritage of Celtic and American fiddle tunes to fill out the sound of the band.

The newest member of Blue Sage, Shaundra Cragun is an exceptional singer, songwriter and guitarist. We are proud to showcase many of her original songs in our performances.



#### Select list of **Past**

#### **Performances**

\*Channel 2 Days of 47 Pops Concert Salt Lake City. Utah

\*National Western Music Festival Albuquerque, New Mexico

\*OFOAM Acoustic Music Festival Ogden, Utah

\*Festival of the American West Logan, Utah

\*O.C. Tanner Amphitheater
Zions National Park

\*Clark Co. Fair and Rodeo
Logandale. Nevada

\*Entrada Institute Concert Series
Bicknell, Utah

\*Mormon Trail Celebration Ashland, Nebraska

\*Utah Arts Festival Salt Lake City, Utah

\*Moapa Valley Arts Council Concert Series
Logandale, Nevada

\*Birch Creek Bluegrass Festival Fountain Green, Utah

\*Moab Arts Festival Moab, Utah

\*Timpanogos Storytellers Festival Orem, Utah

\*Fort Bridger Mtn. Man Rendezvous Fort Bridger, Wyoming

\*Buckaroo Festival

Heber City, Utah

\*Western Legends Festival Kanab, Utah

\*Music in the Mountains Concert Series
Park City, Utah

\*Southern Utah Folklife Festival Springdale, Utah

\*Wilderness Circuit Finals Rodeo

Ogden, Utah
\*Park City Arts Festival

Park City, Utah
\*Twilight Music Series

St. George, Utah

\*Summerfest

Logan, Utah

\*Helper Arts Festival Helper, Utah

\*Cowboy Music & Poetry Roundup Torrey, Utah

\*Ogden Harvest Festival Ogden, Utah

\*Utah Cultural Center Concert Series
West Valley City, Utah

\*Beehive Jubilee

This Is The Place State Park

\*Canyon Country Western Arts Festival Cedar City, Utah

\*Iron County Cowboy Days
Parawan. Utah

\*Davis County Fair Farmingtion, Utah

\*Mtn. Man Rendezvous
Fort Buenaventura State Park

\*Cowboy Music & Poetry Concert Malad. Idaho

\*Red Rock Bluegrass Festival St. George, Utah

\*Pioneer Days Concert at Egyptian Theater Ogden, Utah

\*Dedication Celebration
Old Deseret Village
\*Millard County Fair

Delta, Utah

\*Morgala Days Celebration Morgan, Utah

\*Scandinavian / Pioneer Festival Ephraim, Utah

\*Ogden River Parkway Festival
Ogden, Utah

\*Carbon County Fair Castledale, Utah

\*Hof Winter Carnival Ogden, Utah

\*Porter Rockwell Cowboy Poetry Gathering
Brigham City, Utah

\*Golden Spike Cowboy Music Festival Ogden, Utah

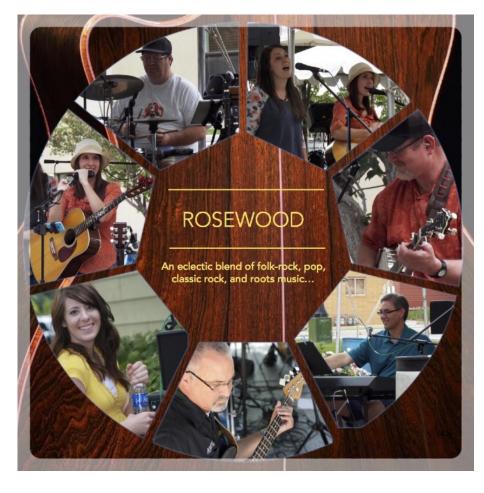
\*Concerts in the Park in:

Park City, Layton, Ogden, Murray, Smithfield, Logan, Riverside, Delta, Tremonton, Richfield, Mendon, Oak City, Midvale, St. George, Richfield, and Brian Head

### Versatile solo folk to acoustic rock







Blue Sage can perform in a variety of configurations for different events. Solo, duo, trio, quartet, or quintet. Here you can see Mike doing a solo show for the Smithsonian Institute at one of their traveling exhibitions.

We host old-time barn dances for many events for which we are hired to play (especially weddings). We use excellent callers, all of whom are very good at getting non-dancers on the floor and having a good time! Shaundra and Mike also perform with the band Rosewood. Rosewood plays a wide variety of folk-infused popular rock and pop favorites as well as introspective, original pieces written by Shaundra Cragun. Perfect if you are looking for a more contemporary sound.

Discover more about Rosewood by visiting their website at:

www.rosewoodbandutah.com



# Blue Sage -why we are the right band for you!

Our instrumentation is based on folk and bluegrass stylings but our songs are rooted in the western tradition and therefore perfect for 'western' themed events!

Blue Sage performances feature a wide variety of styles - folk, western swing, bluegrass, cowboy and classic folk/rock. We are very easy on the ears!

We pride ourselves in being personable and adaptable and we always try to accommodate the wishes of those who have hired us.

We always dress appropriately. Our costuming is usually "nice western" but changes if the presenter wants another theme (old time cowboy, pioneer, nice casual, etc.).

The music of Blue Sage appeals to all age groups.

We can provide our own professional quality sound reinforcement, which you are welcome to use for announcements.

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Video Samples