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Catch Wishbone Ash on their Spring Tour!

Wishbone Ash brings their twin-lead guitar mastery, driving rhythms and soulful harmonies to the United States for a Spring 2010 Tour. Hot on the heels of their 40th Anniversary Tour of Europe and the United Kingdom, the band led by founding member Andy Powell will rock American venues in the Northeast, Mid-Atlantic and Midwest beginning March 24 in Annapolis MD (*complete tour dates listed on next page*).



The classic rock bands of the late '60s and early '70s enjoy a unique place in popular music history. The Beatles had gone their separate ways; Britain had already gone through the blues boom, and psychedelia had made its impact. The possibilities were infinite.

Wishbone Ash, one of the new breed of progressive rockers, were quick to seize the opportunity, and in 1969, they were among those to take full advantage of this environment, producing their special brand of melodic rock.

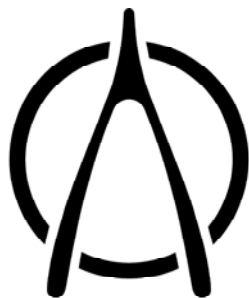
Forty years later, having pioneered the use of twin lead guitars, the band has gained worldwide recognition, based firmly on a regime of relentless touring. Wishbone Ash, the quintessential road band, is an acknowledged influence on many other bands, including Thin Lizzy and Iron Maiden. Power and melody have made the Ash a hard act to follow, while they are currently being discovered by new generations of loyal rock fans.

An exceptional recording and touring career has seen Wishbone Ash weather many changes in record labels, personnel and musical trends; but they entered the new millennium with most of the vast catalogue intact on CD, an award-winning website and a date sheet the envy of many other bands. Recording highlights are the multi-million-selling 1972 album, "Argus," considered to be one of the all-time classic rock albums. Recently, high praise has been garnered for the 2008 album, "The Power of Eternity."

With an extensive catalogue including more than 30 albums, the box set titled "Distillation" (1997) was inevitable; and the unplugged album, "Bare Bones" (1999), showed the softer side of the band.

In 2009, the band celebrated their 40th anniversary with a live DVD recording of a show at London's Shepherd's Bush Empire Theatre. Highlights of 2010 include a studio album featuring all original material, from which an advance single, "Reason to Believe," was just released in the UK.

For more information, visit www.wishboneash.com .



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Wishbone Ash Spring 2010 Tour dates:

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March 24

[Ramshead Tavern](#)

Annapolis MD

www.ramsheadtavern.com

410-268-4545

March 29

[Winchester Music Hall](#)

Lakewood/Cleveland OH

www.thewinchester.net

t: 216-226-5681

March 25

[Sellersville Theater](#)

Sellersville PA

www.st94.com

215-257-5808

March 31

[Ruston Hall](#)

Clay City IL

618-838-1444

March 26

[Bull Run](#)

Shirley MA

bullrunrestaurant.com

978-425-4311

Toll Free 877-536-7190

April 01

[Voodoo Cafe and Lounge](#)

Maryland Heights/St. Louis MO

www.harrahstlouis.com

(314) 770-8100

March 27

[Boulton Theater](#)

Bay Shore NY

www.boultoncenter.org

631-969-1101

April 02

[Fitzgerald's](#)

Berwyn IL

www.fitzgeraldsnightclub.com

(708) 788-2118

March 28

[Moondog's](#)

Blawnox PA

www.moondogs.us/Home.html

412-828-2040

April 03

[Shank Hall](#)

Milwaukee WI

www.shankhall.com

414-276-4545