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# KUBASONICS



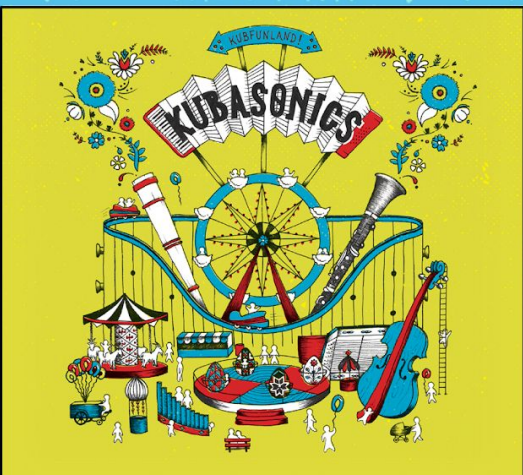
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The Kubasonics are arguably Newfoundland's finest Ukrainian band. Winners of three 2017 MusicNL Awards (Group of the Year, Folk/Roots Artist of the Year, The Overcast Fan's Choice Entertainer of the Year), their trademark sound combines top-flight musicianship spiced with quirky humour, a dizzying array of exotic traditional instruments, and an eclectic high-energy stage show. They have appeared in 9 of Canada's provinces and territories. In March 2017 they performed and recorded in Trinidad as one of only 6 acts selected from the Atlantic provinces for the Club One New Releases program. In summer 2017 they completed a three-week tour of Eastern Europe, with concerts in Ukraine, Poland, Slovakia and Romania.



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The Kubasonics are (L-R): Matt Hender (Bass), Maria Cherwick (violin), Brian Cherwick (vocals, accordion, & assorted Ukrainian weirdness), Darren "Boobie" Browne (guitar) & Jacob Cherwick (drums)



The Kubasonics' newest CD "Kubfunland" takes listeners on a wild ride through a variety of musical styles and textures. The repertoire draws on a wealth of Ukrainian traditional material ranging from centuries old chants, ritual dance melodies, songs of love and troubled relationships, toe-tapping party music, and even a set of Newfoundland dance tunes. All are given a refreshingly new interpretation in the Kubasonics' arrangements. "Kubfunland" was selected to the short list for the 2017 Borealis Music Award.

Audio Samples:

**Muzha (3:52)**      **Kozak (4:20)**      **Otoman (4:07)**

Engineered by Krisjan Leslie at LabOfChaos. Mixed by Scott Hammond at The Blue Room. Mastered by Jason Whelan at The Sound Solution. Artwork by Perfect Day.

### Press Links:

- "What Makes The Kubasonics The Most Entertaining Live Band In Newfoundland?" - [The Overcast](#)
- "How the Kubasonics became more Ukrainian by moving to Newfoundland" - [CBC](#)
- "Kubasonics: De La Musique Ukrainienne À Terre-Neuve" - [Le Gaboteur](#)

### Video:

- "[Arkan](#)" Live at the 2017 Toronto Ukrainian Festival
- "[Apple Carol](#)" Live at Mallard Cottage
- "[Goat 1 & 2](#)" Live at the 2017 Toronto Ukrainian Festival



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