

Official Full Bio for "The Fuller Boys of the RootBeer Reunion"

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Short Info:

"The Rootbeer Reunion is comprised of 3 young brothers who play and sing in perfect harmony. Their music can be designated a "Country" label, and reflects styles of music from the 50's and 70's all the way to what is heard on country and pop radio stations today. The boys are fluent in jazz, pop, country, rock, classical, and even an old west yodel is included."

Braden (17), Kort (13), and Trae (9) have been entertaining audiences for the past 6 years. They began learning and performing on musical instruments when they were very young. Their adventures have led them to having their music played on the radio not only in the U.S., but in Canada as well. They have been featured on TV, and have had the opportunity of opening for many acts including Capital Recording Artist Ryan Shupe and the Rubberband. They have recorded 3 albums with the most recent including originals.

They live in Wellsville, Utah and play many sports as well as several instruments each. Football, basketball, track, horses, and a spirit for adventure in the mountains are some of their biggest interests. Braden plays lead guitar, lead vocals, flute, and fiddle. Kort plays lead bass, guitar, flute, whistle, and vocals. Trae (the littlest brother) is back on the drum set, but he also plays the flute, piano, and sings. Their "brother" harmony is fabulous... Oh, and yes, they do yodel.

Extended Bio:

When these boys began entertaining as a brother duo, Kort was only 6 years old and Braden was 10. It didn't take long for word to get out about them and land them a regular gig performing at Hardware Ranch and Elk Refuge in Blacksmith Fork Canyon, Utah. They loved fishing the famous river on the way to entertaining every weekend.

The restaurant where this all took place has recently been closed down. But, the boys are still a big part of the entertainment scene in Utah. They have entertained for literally hundreds of private groups in either a Branson-Style concert or a Bar-J-Wrangler Style show with humor.

The Fuller Boys have studied music at home since they were 2 and 3 years old. Although they are classically trained, they prefer to entertain on the lighter side of music. They are becoming known in the music-education field as well as all outside entertainment areas. Their mother is responsible for most of their music education and has helped them develop their talents in many different areas.

- Braden has been contacted by and taken several lessons from American Idol voice coach Dean Kaelin. (coach of David Archuleta)

- These boys have studied flute classically by world-renowned instructors such as Kenichi Ueda and Rebecca Paluzzi. Guitar has been studied from several master teachers including Austin Weyand (Chicago/Utah) and Electric Guitar from European Labeled Kris Krompel. Braden learned to fiddle in a few lessons from Katie Davis of Fiddlesticks.

The styles of music being performed by these boys range from Old West to New Country Pop and Classical with a new twist on it. The most recent being a rendition of "The Flight of the Bumblebee on Flute and Electric Guitar.

Some notable or memorable performances for these boys are mentioned here:

- Oceanside California 4th of July.
- Flag Day Performance with Governor Huntsman.
- Fourth Of July Fireworks Display and Concert- Utah State University Stadium with 11,000 audience members.
- Festival of the American West several years in a row.
- Summerfests, County Fairs, and City Music in the Park Celebrations mainly Utah and Idaho.
- Heber City Cowboy Poetry Gathering 2 years in a row. Shared the stage with many greats including Sour Dough Slim and Michael Martin Murphey.
- Opened for Capital Recording Artist Ryan Shupe and the Rubberband. Twice.
- Main Entertainers for the Big Horse Adventures at the American West Heritage Center. Seasonal and bi-weekly for 3 years.
- Shared the stage with Acapella Group Tminus5.
- Featured on Canadian Radio "The Brent and Woofy Show".
- Featured on a commercial for "Where's Buster" celebration at the Utah State Fair Park. Shown on PBS KUTV for two years running.
- Many, Many private family reunions, tour groups, and corporate events as well as restaurant dinner/entertainment venues all around the state of Utah including Cache Valley and St. George.

To view photos of the boys and listen to clips from recent recordings, go to: www.rootbeerreunion.com The site has been recently updated, and still has several features to be added.

Questions should be emailed to: fullerboys@rootbeerreunion.com

Set lists include: (and many, many others not listed)

**We can't even mention how much Classical music we know. We have many volumes of music in our heads. It's great...Including Full Concertos and French Romantic pieces.*

Original Tunes

Yodel Jokes

Radio USA

Too Many Horses Blues

Cast and Reel

Yodeling Tunes

Yodeling Fool

How The Yodel Was Born

Will You Teach Me How To Yodel

Don't Fence Me In

Back In The Saddle

Old West

Happy Trails

The Auctioneer

Strawberry Roan

Don't Fence Me In

Home on the Range

Ghost Riders

Ghost Chickens

Blood On The Saddle

Back In The Saddle

Folk

The Fox

Big Rock Candy Mountain

The Snowman Song

The Painted Rooster

Black Socks

You Are My Sunshine

She'll Be Coming Around The Mountain

Man of Constant Sorrow

Crazy Plum Loco

Celtic

Danny Boy
Many, Many More
Inis Oirr

Fiddle Tunes

Red Haired Boy
Devil's Dream
Swallowtail/Boil 'em Cabbages
RootBeer Before Breakfast
Orange Blossom Special
Boogie Woogie Country Blues

Blues

Bob's
12 Bar made into pretty much anything
Fishin Blues – Taj Mahal

Holiday – December

We Play them all including 3-DogNight's Joy To The World
Rudolph
Jingle Bells
Silent Night
Christmas for Cowboys
The Marvelous Toy
Deck the Halls
Etc. Etc. Etc.

Holiday – Patriotic

Born Country
Home Free
Radio U.S.A - original

Country

John Denver – Rocky Mountain High
Mr. Ford – Jerry Reed
The Boot Scoot n Boogie
Sweet Home Alabama
Riding with Private Malone
Boogie Woogie Fiddle Country Blues

Tonight I Wanna Cry

60's-70's-80's

Big Jim

Rollin'

Sweet Child of Mine

Back In Black

Halleluia , I Love Her So

Limbo Rock

Minnie the Moocher

Cliffs of Dover

POP or Jazz

Rhythm of Love

Smile by Uncle Kracker

How Sweet it Is

Religious

Be Still My Soul

Joseph's Lullaby

High On the Mountain Top

Come Thou Font

Halleluja

Etc. (too many to name)

Novelty

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Sponge Bob

Hannah Montana

Canon Rock (pachebel on electric guitar and flute)

Flight of the Bumble Bee

Classical and Misc.

Songs and instrumentals from all parts of the world... a little bit here and there including Concertos, Serenades, Sonatas, etc.

