



**Beyond The Pale** delivers a wild musical ride outside the boundaries of convention. Delighting audiences for over twenty years, the DFW-based band is grounded in the traditional Celtic music of Ireland and Scotland, with imaginative ventures across musical borders into Americana Roots music and Texas Swing! **Beyond The Pale** has been performing at festivals and concert venues since 2001 and delivers stunning harmonies and dazzling instrumental flare. The band effortlessly spins out intricate and rousing instrumentals and humorous and haunting songs from a variety of musical traditions on fiddle, mandolins (Gordon McLeod); guitar (Christy McLeod); accordion, bodhran (Betsy Cummings); flute, hammered dulcimer, whistle, concertina and saxophone (John Delaney). Discover your roots and expand your borders with this highly versatile, never-a-dull moment band! **Beyond The Pale** has recorded seven albums including their latest, **Wantin' Something More** – 2019.

- “Mesmerizing...outside the expected” ---Dirty Linen Magazine,
- “Superb Vocals—fine singers”—Hot Press Magazine
- “Brisk Irish flavored tunes with a jazzy edge—Nice!”—Sing Out! Magazine
- “A rare treat. I wholeheartedly recommend them”---Peter Massey, Greenman Review
- "A good showcase of talent...A band with a promising future" ...Dirty Linen Magazine.
- "A true gem---Beyond The Pale absolutely carries you away!"—The Ceili Magazine
- "--strong singers--eclectic tunes"--Hot Press Magazine, Ireland
- "Local treasures"--Ft. Worth Star Telegram

**Recent Major Accomplishments:** Headliners at numerous major festivals for over 20 years, 7 full-length albums, band members include past President of SCMA (Cummings) and are past instructors and directors at O’Flaherty Irish Music Retreat and O’Flaherty Irish Music Youth Camp (McLeods).

**Recordings:** “Wantin’ Something More”, “Paleontology”, “The Music Plays Me”, “Queen of Skye”, “Strange Turns”, “The Angel On The Seventh Stair”, “Life Is All Chequered”

**Links:** scan QR code below for links to website, streaming platforms, YouTube and Facebook:



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