

# Cooldog Concert Series

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Liz Longley

&

Casey  
MacKenzie

Sunday July 11<sup>th</sup>  
3pm



(Doors open at 2:30)  
Suggested Donation:

\$15 per person,  
\$10 kids 10-18 & active military

## Liz Longley

During the past year, Liz Longley has received the kinds of accolades and awards that recognize her as one of the finest new talents writing songs today. In 2010, Liz took the Overall Grand Prize, amongst 9,000 entries, in the International Acoustic Music Awards (IAMA). Last summer she garnered three of the top honors on the acoustic music scene: 2009 Co-Winner of the Mountain Stage New Song Contest, finalist in the 2009 Grassy Hill Kerville New Folk Competition, and Grand Prize Winner of the Rocky Mountain Folk Festival's Songwriter Showcase.

Liz has been hailed by singer-songwriter Livingston Taylor as "a world-class singer... one of the best I've ever heard". In addition to regularly sharing the stage with Livingston Taylor, Liz has opened for acclaimed artists such as Shawn Colvin, Paula Cole, Colin Hay, Nanci Griffith, Jesse Colin Young, and Jonathan Edwards.

## Casey MacKenzie

Casey has played here before, opening for several shows. It's extremely gratifying when the opening act gets a standing O. She's well-loved here, and this time she's coming back in a co-billed show with another Berklee student.

When a musician can balance on the borderline between seductive and sweet while maintaining integrity, it is both a beautiful and powerful thing. Such is the case for singer/songwriter Casey MacKenzie who combines wise observations and playful antics to create a captivating story that weaves in and out of her lyrics. She draws her inspiration from many artists like Billie Holiday, Sara Bareilles, Dar Williams, Allison Krauss, and Regina Spektor and combines their sounds to create a soft, approachable music genre. Her music has often been described as '... heartbreakingly soft and pure, but strong and knowing.' With a large range of influences and inspirations, this self-taught pianist takes listeners through her musical journey as they experience pop, jazz, folk and country, all in one sitting.



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