



LEADING RIGHT TO THE LAST

The headline act always closes the show. The 2008 season concludes as O.C. McCuin & Sons presents **Tammy Fletcher and Mountain Girl** in the Summer Sounds concert in Highgate Municipal Park on Sunday evening. Tom Messner says it will be dry. There were no Summer Sounds concerts in St. Albans City in 2008.

Tammy Fletcher is best-known as Vermont's Soul Queen but she has enthralled audiences from the Apollo Theater in Harlem to the Gaiety Theater in Dublin because she sings. My, oh my does she sing. She has sung in Reykjavik and Highgate. She has sold out the Flynn while fronting the Vermont Symphony Orchestra. She sang the National Anthem at Fenway Park. Deeply rooted in our American traditions, Ms. Fletcher sings gospel and rock, opera and country, and the blues.

Mountain Girl is a raw to the roots Americana band. The band includes Ms. Fletcher on vocals; Dave Lovald on guitar, Dakota Foley, mandolin; Jim Pitman on dobro/steel; and Thom Carvey on bass.

"We'll do rockin' bluegrassy country alternative folk," Ms. Fletcher said of the *Summer Sounds* event. This concert marks the second time she has finished the season for us.

The Summer Sounds concerts are sponsored by the Town of Highgate and the All Arts Council, and underwritten by Chevalier Drilling, Desorcie's Market, Drummac Septic Service, O. C. McCuin & Sons, Pete Paquette Real Estate & Development, Ray's Extrusion Dies & Tubing, Scotty's Taxi, and Stewart Title Guaranty Company.

The community based All Arts Council brings the performing arts to northwestern Vermont. The concerts are always on Sunday evenings, always at 7 p.m., always in Highgate Municipal Park, and always free. Bring a blanket or a lawn chair as you settle in to enjoy outdoor family music and festivities. The rain site is the Highgate United Methodist Church. There will be no Summer Sounds concerts in St. Albans City in 2008.



All Arts Council Summer Sounds

Outdoor Concert Series



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The Highgate Farm Market has fresh fruits and vegetables, some craft items, and even bakery sweets.