

BLUE SUMMIT ELECTRONIC PRESS KIT

Band:

Blue Summit

Genre:

Bluegrass/Americana

Contact information:

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Members:

AJ Lee- Mandolin and Vocals

Jesse Fichman- Guitar, Mandolin, Bass, Vocals

Sully Tuttle- Guitar, Vocals

Isaac Cornelius- Bass, Vocals

(Optional) Joey Lynch- drums

BIOGRAPHY:

Blue Summit combines accomplished instrumental work with powerful vocals and a loose interpretation of traditional bluegrass. Taking in elements from western swing, soul, folk, rock, and old time music, this band of friends puts their heart into their music, and has honorably been recognized as 2018 NCBS Band of the Year. At the head of the group is AJ Lee, eight-time winning NCBS Female Vocalist of the Year, and 2018 Mandolin Player of the Year.

The rest of Blue Summit's accomplishments can be accredited to the dedication, persistence, and passion of founding member Isaac Cornelius (bass), Jesse Fichman (guitar), and two-time Guitar Player of the Year, Sullivan Tuttle. Blue Summit has played at festivals all around California, including the CBA Father's Day Festival, the Good Old Fashioned Bluegrass Festival, and the Kate Wolf Music Festival. They have recently released their first album, "Sweet Company".

"While AJ Lee is only 19 years old, she's been the new face of bluegrass for more than a decade." - The San Francisco Chronicle

Awards:

Best band of 2018 for the Northern California Bluegrass Society (NCBS)

AJ Lee: Eight-time winner of Female Vocalist of the Year for NCBS, including 2018, Mandolin Player of the Year for NCBS 2018, and top five finalist for Momentum Vocalist of 2017 for the International Bluegrass Music Association.

Sullivan Tuttle: Male Vocalist and guitarist of the year for NCBS 2017, and guitarist of the year for NCBS 2017 and 2018.

Notable Venues We've Played at:

The Curran Theater, San Francisco, CA

Moe's Alley, Santa Cruz, CA

Don Quixotes, Felton, CA

Father's Day Bluegrass Festival, Grass Valley, CA

Parkfield Bluegrass Festival, Parkfield, CA

Kate Wolf Music Festival, Laytonville, CA

Strawberry Music Festival, Tuolumne, CA

The Crepe Place, Santa Cruz, CA

Freight and Salvage, Berkeley, CA

Hopmonk, Sebastopol, CA

Crow's Nest, Santa Cruz, CA

Redwood City Music in the Park, Stafford Park in Redwood City, CA

Good Ol' Fashioned Bluegrass Festival, Hollister, CA

McCloud Bluegrass Festival, McCloud, CA

Plumas Homegrown Americana Festival, Quincy, CA

Showcase at IBMA, Raleigh, NC

The Catalyst, Santa Cruz, CA

Santa Cruz Music Festival

LINKS TO MUSIC:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jaWhIattTU8>

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ymNzSJh6cDw&list=UUzCHHsIaw3g_KLmU8ficuUw

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5vR16WP68BU>

Blue Summit Stage Plot

Drums

Xlr for mandolin preamp
Vocal mic

Xlr for bass preamp &
Vocal mic

1/4" for acoustic guitar preamp &
Vocal mic
Mic for electric guitar amp

Xlr for guitar preamp &
Vocal mic

Audience