

## The Waynewood Boys Bluegrass Band



The Waynewood Boys bluegrass band will be performing at SEMMantics 39 on Saturday, April 21

Corn Belt meets Rust Belt with The Waynewood Boys, a bluegrass quartet made up of Detroit'er Hugh Fader, rural Illinois-bred Tom Megli, and Michigan natives Albert Young and Keith Buchanan. Megli's spot-on guitar chops mixed with Fader's hard-driving banjo set the band's tone, while Young's energetic mandolin work and Buchanan's rock-solid bass lines keep it rolling. Captivating vocals with crisp harmonies complete the picture to make for a high, lonesome, Motor City-influenced sound.

The Boys' repertoire includes traditional bluegrass and country numbers from legends such as Flatt and Scruggs, The Stanley Brothers and Jimmie Rodgers. The smart melodies and lyrics of original compositions like Fader's up-tempo life lesson, "Off the Sauce," and Megli's melancholy ballad, "Train" offer insight into the creative minds of these seasoned musicians. Supplementing their tight musical performances, their on-stage humor and wit engages the audience and keeps them smiling throughout each show.

This band obviously has a ton of fun doing what they do and it shows. Catch them at SEMMantics 39!