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### **WATKINS FAMILY HOUR TO MAKE SHLEDON DEBUT JANUARY 19**

ST. LOUIS – The Sheldon presents **Watkins Family Hour** on Wednesday, January 19, 2022 at 8 p.m. in the perfect acoustics of the Sheldon Concert Hall. Founding members of Nickel Creek, Sean and Sara Watkins, created the Watkins Family Hour in 2002 as a side-outlet to try out original songs and a few covers that weren't quite right for the band.

Now, returning to the stage as Watkins Family Hour, with Sean primarily on guitar and Sara on fiddle, and with both sharing vocals, the siblings harness an energy and honesty that can only be experienced live. The sibling duo will perform music from their latest album, *brother sister*. Sara says, "These are songs that would not have come out of either one of us individually, and it feels like a band sound, like this is what we do, the two of us."

Anyone aged 12 or older, attending a ticketed event at The Sheldon, will be asked to show proof of full vaccination OR a negative COVID-19 test taken no more than 48 hours before time of entry into the event. Patrons should be prepared to show their vaccination card, or proof of negative COVID test, or a photo of their vaccination card or test results on their mobile devices, before entering The Sheldon.

Ticket buyers have until 11:59 p.m. the night before the event to request a refund for their tickets. The Sheldon will also maintain a flexible ticket exchange policy throughout the season to accommodate any health and safety-related concerns.

Tickets are \$35 orchestra 1 / \$30 orchestra 2 / \$25 balcony, and are on sale now through MetroTix at 314-534-1111 and through The Sheldon's website at [TheSheldon.org](http://TheSheldon.org). For more information, call The Sheldon at 314-533-9900 or visit [TheSheldon.org](http://TheSheldon.org).

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