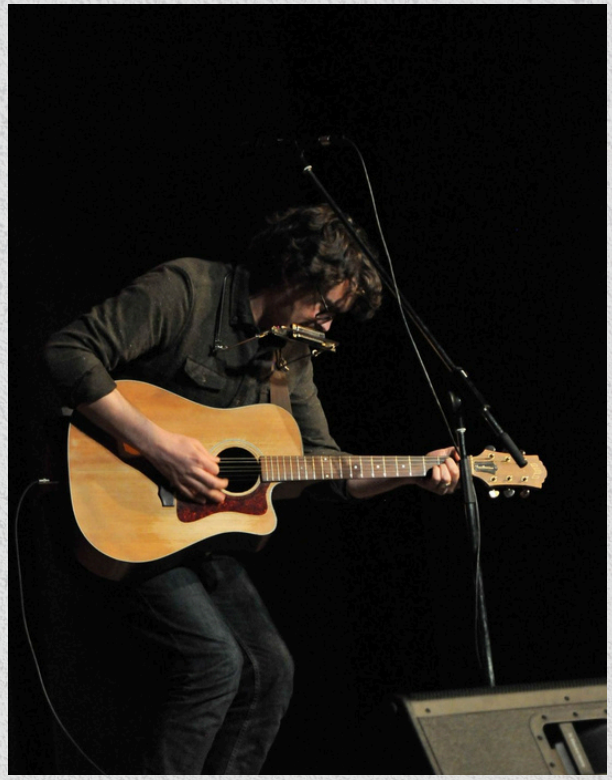
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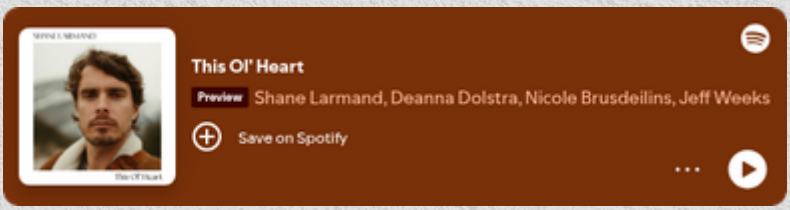


Short Bio

Shane Larmand is an Americana tunesmith, featuring shadowy blue songs of prairie skies, mountain highs and nomad vibes. This campfire tapestry of crackling wood, wire and crooning calls will satisfy fans of John Mellencamp, Waylon Jennings, Tom Petty, David Crosby and Neil Young.

Single Released - “This Ol’ Heart”





Shane’s newest single is a toe tapping, melodic and traditional country number that reflects on his love for his daughter. Featuring the fiery talents of Lakeland fiddle player, Deanna Dolstra, this track will warm your heart and keep you humming along.

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https://shanelarmand.bandcamp.com/

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Bio

Shane has felt the beat in his blood since being born to a very musical family; his father - Art Larmand - was a consummate entertainer who performed in the gritty heart of the Yonge Street, 60's music scene for a decade at The Zanzibar Tavern. His father taught him and his siblings how to play and treated music with a reverence usually saved for the church. Shane carries on this confidence as an entertainer and songwriter and is so grateful for the gift of music handed down to him by his father. His Martin, Guild and Fender F-65 acoustic guitars are the physical embodiment of this gift.

Though he owes great thanks to the part his father played in his music, Shane's own stock is rising - He recently performed at the Heartstrings and Honky Tonks show with Dan Davidson, Clayton Bellamy, Chad Brownlee and Tracy Millar at the Strathcona Performing Arts Center in Bonnyville, AB as a dedication to CFCW radio as well as performing as the opening act for Corb Lund at the La Corey Farm Festival. In 2025 he was appointed the Artistic Director for quarterly Lakeland Live shows at the aforementioned Arts Center.

From 2020-23 Shane worked at 302 Productions studio in Bonnyville when possible during COVID and culminated a number of single releases and becoming a dad into the release of his second full length, "National Ramble" on all streaming services as well as on CD and vinyl in 2024. He likes to refer to it as "his humble tribute to Harvest Moon," a personal favourite record of his and great inspiration.



A Child is Like A Song is a mellow and pretty acoustic love song for Shane's little girl.

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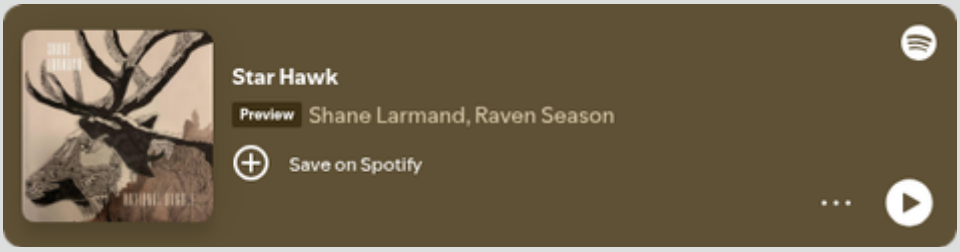
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Bio

Shane Larmand and Raven Season went on tour for the “Root Foot” 2019 Summer Tour into BC. This Americana, Roots-Rock, trio featured Randy Padlesky on percussion and Kevan Vachon on Banjo. This eclectic and rootsy trio was an enticing mixture of classic and fresh sounds and they created new fans all throughout the Kootenays with their energetic shows. This sound was captured in the "Star Hawk" recording before events of life forced a disbanding, most notably the COVID pandemic.

Before this, he won the Runner-Up Prize in the Sunrise Records Local Artist Contest in 2018 which subsequently saw his debut CD – “You Are My Home” – see distribution from Vancouver to Winnipeg in all Sunrise Records Locations. He toured various parts of Alberta and Saskatchewan on the “Running with the Sun” 2018 Summer Tour.



Star Hawk is the quintessential example of nomad folk. Check out this mysterious tale of a goddess in search of artistic freedom.

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Bio - Conclusion

Overall, Shane's life is his family, his students, his art and his music. He is a veteran performer and music educator in both public and private settings, has played numerous festivals including at North Country Fair in 2017, The Willows Folk Festival in 2018, The East Coulee Fest in 2018, 2021 and 2022 and was featured on several college radio stations during his tour (CJSW, CJSR, CFCR and CJTR).

Also, he's there for his community. He was a feature artist during the 2019 Winter Blues Concert to raise funds for a new music theatre in Bonnyville, Alberta. He also opened up for fellow Albertan singer/songwriter Mike Plume for another theatre fundraiser at Notre Dame School and was written up in Canadian Musician Magazine as a featured new artist in the same year.

He is a consumate musician, artist, songwriter and entertainer and he is sure to be a highlight in any lineup, large or small, due to his sincere, passionate and talented focus on his craft. This nomad folk artist will grip at your audiences heartstrings with his songs of prairie skies, mountain highs, and nomad vibes. Hear his lonely call of the open road and see what paths that will take you down.



Wave to Glide is a California themed tale of surf, sun and going with the flow.

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Testimonials

"If ever there was an artist whose sound perfectly reflected the land they called home, Alberta's Shane Larmand could be held up as a prime candidate. While he certainly isn't the first country-flavoured artist to emerge from the province, Larmand's songs lean more into the typically genre-fluid Americana than those that have come before him. With his most recent record, 2018's You Are My Home, he invokes early career Wilco on the title track while adding a touch of the blues to songs like "Monkey Train" and "April on My Mind." Overall, Larmand's record maintains a loose, casual feel throughout while nicely blending various styles and keeping the depth of his songwriting front and centre.

Canadian Musician, September Issue, 2019

"Listen to his music, and you'll hear the lonesome wind of the prairies. You can taste the dust. Harvest time. The prairies are a part of him, just as much as his guitar is, or his paint brush, or his pen...his music and artwork go hand-in-hand."

Mike Plume, Albertan singer-songwriter

"Shane is dedicated, incredibly hard working and driven to succeed as a songwriter and performer. He brings the experience of past bands and music styles to his craft and is capable of playing the smallest of acoustic venues, the largest of festival stages and any style of venue in between."

Laurie Brown - Porch Swing Entertainment

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