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**PRESS RELEASE**

**ALLAN YN Y FAN**

**Home Ground Tour Spring 2010**

**with Robin Huw Bowen**

**8 pm, Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> April 2010**

Aberystwyth Arts Centre are proud to present Wales' leading Celtic band of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century - Allan Yn Y Fan - on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> April, 8pm with special guest Triple Harpist Robin Huw Bowen.

Allan Yn Y Fan has been touring internationally since 1996 and has been steadily building its' reputation through appearances at some of the UK's most prestigious festivals, such as Celtic Connections Glasgow, Trowbridge Village Pump Festival, Llangollen International Eisteddfod and Brampton Live. The band's work abroad has included concerts in Ireland, Luxembourg, the Czech Republic, Germany and France. Their three albums for Steam Pie have achieved international acclaim. The most recent album '*Trosnant*' has received plaudits for the mix of "Fiery instrumentals and beautiful vocals".

"... full of power, love and fun with a solid backbone of that old Celtic magic running through the hills and streams of Wales. A near perfect mix of tunes and songs performed with real drive by the five piece. It never gets predictable in any of its twelve tracks..." [Spiral Earth website](#), 4\* Review, September 2009

Robin Huw Bowen has been enchanting audiences across the globe for many years, as a soloist and member of bands such as Mabsant and Crasdant. His mastery of the iconic Welsh instrument – the triple harp - is celebrated both at home and abroad. Robin's most recent solo album is *The Road To Aberystwyth* - what could be more apt!

Tickets for this performance are £10 and can be booked by contacting the Arts Centre Box Office on 01970 62 32 32 or online at [www.aber.ac.uk/artscentre](http://www.aber.ac.uk/artscentre)

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The Allan Yn Y Fan / Delyth Jenkins Home Ground tour is supported by a lottery award from the Arts Council of Wales.

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