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# ROCK TALK

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## CELTS TUNE UP

**S**COTLAND MEETS Quebec as two of the most dynamic, forward thinking, exciting and engaging traditional Celtic music acts performing today join forces on another inspired Tune Up collaboration and the first TU Tour of 2010.

This joint tour will feature specially-devised collaborations as well as individual sets from one of Scotland's top young traditional acts Breabach and Québécois quartet Le Vent Du Nord.

Far more than just music, this is about the cultures of two nations, the relationships between them and how they have influenced each other through their music.

One of the most talked about bands on the folk scene, Breabach will preview material from their imminent second album, *The Desperate Battle of the Birds* with a line-up of twin bagpipes, fiddle, flute, whistles, guitar, vocals and Scottish stepdance.

Their innovative Celtic style brings flair, excitement and diversity rarely seen from such a young group.

You can catch their show on Tuesday, February 2 at Dunfermline's Carnegie Hall.

Doors open at 7.30pm and tickets are available by phoning 01383 602302.