

# The Music (and More)



# 2018 Quarter 2 Report

This report covers the time period of April 1st to March 30th, 2018. We inadvertently missed a few before that time period, which were brought to our attention by fans, bands & others. The missing are listed at the end. There's also a special thank you...

Wet Specimens - "[Demo 2018](#)" [garage punk hardcore] Albany

## RECORDINGS:

### Hard Rock / Metal / Punk

A and the B Killers - "[Florida \(2018\)](#)" [lo-fi garage punk] ALB/FLA

Between Now And Forever - "[No More Pain](#)" (single) [alt hard rock post-hardcore] Albany

Born Low - "[Sorry For Your Loss](#)" [hardcore] Albany

Hill Haints - "[Carcinogen](#)" [nowave psych punk rock] Schenectady

Hundreds of AU - "[Communications Link Re-established](#)" [emo post-hardcore punk] Albany

Invoke Thy Wrath - "[Snakes Always Smile feat. Frank \(StoneColdStunner\)](#)" (11 may 18) [black metal deathcore] Albany

Male Patterns - "[Headaches](#)" [hardcore punk] Albany

Neutron Rats - "[Primitive Past//Nuclear Future](#)" [hardcore punk] Albany

Owl - "[Believe](#)" (single) [hard rock] ALB/LA

Self Defense Family - "[Have You Considered Punk Music](#)" [alternative punk rock experimental hardcore indie rock post-hardcore post-punk] Cohoes

Skinless - "[Savagery](#)" [brutal death metal] Albany/Denver

State Champs - "[Living Proof](#)" [power pop punk] Albany

Sun Voyager - "[Seismic Vibes](#)" [heavy lofi stoner rock] Albany/Brooklyn

The Clay People - "[The Headhunter Demos](#)" (EP) [alternative industrial/metal] Albany

The Erotics - "[Stop, Drop, and Roll](#)" | "[I Dismember You](#)" (singles) [sleaze rock] Albany

The Great Pacific Garbage Patch - "[Weirdly Nervous](#)" [punk] Albany

### Rock / Pop

Bird Streets - "[Betting On The Sun](#)" (single) [power pop rock] Albany/LA

[Caramel Snow](#) - "I Break" to "Who's Afraid Of Sasha Grey?" (single tracks) [shoegaze dreampop] Delmar

Erin Harkes - "[Fall Out](#)" (single track) [blues rock] Valatie

Fig N Me - "[One of a Kind](#)" (single) [power pop rock] Gloversville

Hitrick and Brooks - "[Feel Alright](#)" (single) [funk pop rock] Broadalbin

Leah Woods - "[Feel Your Ground](#)" (single track) [indie soul pop] Saratoga Springs

Lunic - "[Magic Love-Hate Thing](#)" (single) [pop rock] Albany/San Diego CA

Luxtides - "[Fragile](#)" (single) [pop] Clifton Park/Brooklyn

Madison Vandenburg - "[Need a Little Heartbreak](#)" (single) [pop] Albany

MIRK - "[Only You](#)" (single track) [electro pop soul] Albany

Pete Donnelly - "[Afrodite](#)" (single track) [pop rock] Saratoga Springs/Philly

Phantogram - "[Someday/Saturday \(Sparklehorse Cover\)](#)" (single) [electronic pop rock] Greenwich

Playin with Fire Band - "[Closer Than We Know](#)" [classic rock] Delmar

Sandy McKnight - "[Living On The West Side](#)" (single track) [power pop rock] Lee MA

Separated at Birth - "[Walking Through Time](#)" [album rock] Saratoga Springs

Tell Keller - "[Made in America](#)" | "[Self Esteem](#)" (singles) [alt rock] Saratoga Springs

The Va Va Voodoos - "[Kill Ugly Radio](#)" (single track) [garage rock] Albany

Titanics - "[Golden Hour](#)" (single) [tranquil chillwave pop] Albany



## **Americana / Folk / Country / 'grass / Singer-Songwriter**

Asa Morris - "[Mundane Things](#)" | "[Above My Head, as Above Yours \(2018\)](#)" | "[June and Nothing \(2018\)](#)" [acoustic lo-fi folk] Glens Falls/FLA

[Dan Berggren](#) - "Share the Bowl" | "Finding My Voice" (single tracks) [folk] Ballston Spa

Dan Johnson - "[your own true man](#)" [folk s/s] Burlington VT

Ellen Keehan - "[Hen House](#)" [folk] East Greenbush/Kailua Kona Hawaii

James Hearne - "[JH is: One-Take Bartlet, Volume III](#)" | "[Two Nights In October](#)" [americana s/s rock] Catskill

Jay Maloney - "[Day In Day Out](#)" (single track) [country bluegrass & electronic] Albany

Katie Haverly - "[Bigger Heart](#)" (single track) [s/s folk] NY/AZ

Keanen Stark - "[Folk Songs 1 \(2018\)](#)" [traditional folk] Whitehall

Liv Carrow - "[Dub Narcotic Demos](#)" [alt folk country s/s] Hudson/Davenport IA

Matt Krahula & The Nightmare River Band - "[Rustler's Moon](#)" (single) [americana alt-folk] Colonie/Brooklyn

Mike Packard - "[With A Hammer In Her Hands](#)" (single) [country folk blues] Glens Falls

Rhiannon's Lark - "[Variations on an Appa](#)" | "[Keep Your Head Up](#)" | "[Plagueherald](#)" | "[More](#)" (single tracks) [geek folk pop] Troy

Ryan Clark - "[Show Me How](#)" (single) [country pop] Lake George

Sheen - "[Willy's BBQ](#)" (single track) [country rock n roll] Glens Falls

[Stephen Clair and The PushBacks](#) - "The Women I'm Not Married To" b/w "Typing Tippy" [americana pop rock] Beacon

[Stories Told](#) - "Every Square Inch of the Earth" to "Been to Canaan" (single tracks) [acoustic folk s/s] Saratoga Springs

The Hudson Dusters - "[Dare To Dream](#)" [americana folk] Catskill

The Insolent Willies - "[Five for the Road](#)" [americana folk] Johnstown

The Maloy Brothers - "[In It](#)" (single) [country pop] Clifton Park

The Sea The Sea - "[Bang Bang Bang](#)" - "[Phototropic](#)" - "[Ricochet](#)" (singles) | "[From The Light](#)" [alt folk pop] Albany

TJ Foster - "[First Person, Volume One](#)" [folk pop] Albany

[Tristan Bouchard](#) - "Harsh Winds Of Wellesley" to "Ophelia" [s/s piano] Menands/Boston MA

Useless Cans - "[WEXT](#)" (2-tracks) [old-time jazz folk traditional Russian] Albany

Will Seifert - "[Endless, Seamless](#)" [acoustic s/s lo-fi indie emo folk] Ballston Spa

Will Foley - "[I Am the Highway](#)" (single track) [s/s pop rock] Clifton Park

## **Jazz / International / Classical / World**

[Bob Gluck](#) - "Friday Song" - "Friday Song (rehearsal)" (single tracks) [free jazz piano] Albany

Elizabeth Woodbury Kasius & Heard - "[Flyway](#)" [world jazz fusion] Albany

Jim Sande - "[Silver](#)" (06jun18) [post-modern classical avant-garde] Delmar

News From Planet Kniffen - "[Dreamland](#)" [jazz blues rock] Saratoga Springs

## **Instrumental / Electronic / EDM**

Andrew Hassenger - "[Expergfacient Auditory Hallucination, Reified](#)" (single track) [experimental ambient hypnagogic piano synthpop] Saratoga Springs

Basement Vacation - "[very cool #1 piano song](#)" (single track) [alt folk s/s] Glens Falls

Big Malk - "[Sounds From The Vault Vol. 1](#)" [instrumental hip hop beats] Albany

Burnt Hills - "[043018 \(excerpt\)](#)" (single track) [psychedelic noise guitar improv] Albany

Chris Bassett - "[Grim Discovery](#)" [ambient industrial lo-fi noise] Troy

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[DComposeuЯ](#) - "GIMMEgimmeGIMME - DCOMPOSED" to "PURPLEDOVES - DCOMPOSED" (single tracks) [electronic deconstruction assemblages] STEAL CITY  
[Elsphinx](#) - "wattbøttage" to "Sandoz Laboratories" (single tracks) [hip hop rap] Albany

Germey Cats - "[PAGE 5](#)" (single track) [electronic art] Saratoga Springs

[Hand Habits](#) - Cornelia45" | "Nylone" (single tracks) [instrumental ambient guitar] Albany/LA

Jaded Machine - "[Sunday All Alone](#)" | "[I'm the only one who gets to scare my cats, ya Dick!](#)" (single tracks) [scifi moody bass] Glens Falls

Kazufro2 - "[Mal](#)" (single track) [hip-hop/rap instrumental beats] Troy

Lone Phone Booth - "[429-2](#)" (single track) [experimental noise] Albany

Matt Weston - "[This Is Your Rosemont Horizon](#)" (2-song) [experimental electronic] Albany

Michael Bohne - "[Never Looking Back](#)" (single track) [solo new age piano] Albany

Rambutan - "[The Salt Migration](#)" (single track) | "[March of the Mutilated, Vol. 3](#)" [electronic experimental ambient drone improv techno noise] Albany

Rrarebear - "[Summer2018](#)" | "[Island](#)" | "[Mellow](#)" to "[Graceful](#)" (single tracks) [chill electronic beats] Albany

Still.Floating - "[In This, That We've Built.](#)" [hip hop instrumentals] Albany

The Sigma Sound Project - "[\(influence\) Vol. I](#)" [jazz math piano drum duo] Albany

Thomas LaFond - "[FAINTGOATS](#)" (single track) [electronic dance] Albany

two point five - "[Well Well Well...](#)" | "[Rest in Peace Two Point 5](#)" [experimental idm electronica plunderphonics] Albany

## **R&B / Soul / Hip-Hop / Rap / Funk**

Airline Jay - "[4 My Dawgz](#)" (single track) [hip hop rap] Albany

AMJ - "[RockStar](#)" (single track) [hip hop rap] Ballston Spa

Ayo B - "[Dreamland](#)" [alt r&b soul pop] Albany

B. Chaps - "[Clips](#)" [alt hip hop rap] Albany

[Charles O'More](#) - "Pride" | "Ricochet" | "Same Old Lies" | "Unconditional" | "Wait" | "Be Good to Me" (single tracks) [r&b soul pop] Troy/MD

Chris Cool Peebles - "[VISUALS/BRAINS](#)" | "[DMT](#)" [hip hop rap] Schenectady

[Cole King](#) - "Know Your Name w/ AMJ" to "Hold It Down (AMJ & Cole King)" (single tracks) [hip hop rap] Saratoga Springs

D-rect - "[This is America' Freestyle](#)" (single track) [hip hop rap] Albany

Emcee Graffiti - "[Bits 'N Pieces](#)" [hip hop rap] Albany

Hartley's Encore - "[Hartley's Encore](#)" [funk groove soul rock] Albany

Jordan Taylor Hill - "[One Thing Freestyle](#)" (single track) [afrobeat hip hop rap] Albany

Leah Woods - "[Mama Says](#)" | "[Feel Your Ground](#)" (singles) [r&b soul] Saratoga Springs

[MiKEY SANZ](#) - "but it hard prod. CHOPtheHEAD" | "Black Oak" (single tracks) [hip hop rap] Albany

Ozymandias - "[Godly](#)" [hip hop rap] Albany

PhillyFine\$\$e - "[Kryptonite](#)" [hip hop rap] Albany

[PHILTHY/Phil Derrico](#) - "Open Road (Ft. Turkish Delight)" | "PHILTHY X OTAKU TAKU- Rockstar Lifestyle" (single tracks) [hip hop rap] Albany

Pink Nois - "[The Mandela Effect](#)" - "[Yung Void](#)" - "[\(Insta\) gram Highs](#)" (singles) | "whats the SCOOPITYPOOP" to "for the love (ft. Money Making Biggz) [Isley Bros. Remix]" ([single tracks](#)) [r&b soul hip hop rap] Albany

Professor Buggy Jive - "[The Buggy Jive Mixtape](#)" [alternative black rock hip-hop neo-soul singer songwriter] Albany

[Rawhead](#) - "Solitude No. 14 (Draft)" to "Solitude No. 40 (Draft)" (single tracks) (11 apr-21 apr 2018) [hip hop rap beats] Glens Falls

Rhakim Ali - "[WAR / REGULATE](#)" (single) (15 apr 18) [hip hop rap] Albany

Rick Whispers - "[Let The Devil Out](#)" [hip hop rap] Albany

Suave The Don - "[HeatWave2](#)" [hip hop rap] Troy



The Vinylcologist / Bumrush - "[Follow The Smoke](#)" (single track) [hip hop rap] Albany

[Tiff Gabana](#) - "Crash Landing" to "TYPE OF TIME (REMIX)" (single tracks) [hip hop rap] Albany

[Tony Louie](#) - "No Spaghetti" | "New Fashion" (single tracks) [hip hop rap] Albany

UnEvEn StEvEn - "[Believe In The Uneven](#)" [progressive jazz funk instrumental] Albany

Wavy Cunningham & DJ Mercy - "[After Hours \(demos\)](#)" [hip hop rap] Albany

Words Hurt - "[The Attitude](#)" [hip hop rap] Hudson

Young Cobain - "[6AM \(prod. saavane\)](#)" | "[Young Cobain](#)" (single tracks) [hip hop rap] Albany

## **Blues / Gospel / Christian**

Mark Tolstrup - "[Northstar](#)" [roots blues] Saratoga Spring

## **Alternative / Indie / Other**

Asa Morris and the Mess - "[Breathe](#)" (4-track single) | "[You Have No Idea What This Sounds Like \(2018\)](#)" [heavy garage lo-fi post-folk rock] Glens Falls

Bear Grass - "[Unawake](#)" (single) [indie pop] Troy

Bell's Roar - "[Bamboo](#)" (single) [electro pop soul] Albany

Benjamin Lazar Davis - "[Nothing Matters](#)" [indie pop s/s] Saratoga Springs/Brooklyn

[Christopher Pellnat](#) - "Pennies - ft. Erin Pellnat" | "Ode to Olivia Rhodes" (single tracks) [alt pop folk rock] Hudson

Conor Grocki - "[partyhouse](#)" [alternative pop] Albany

Dan Paoletti - "[Out of Water](#)" (06may18) [alternative punk basement rock school-core] Albany

Dolphin Pal - "[Slight Exhale](#)" (EP) | "[Thick Skin / Kind, Dandy](#)" (2-track) [alternative emo grunge slacker rock] Saratoga Springs

free cake for every creature - "[Around You](#)" | "[In Your Car](#)" (singles) [indie emo pop] Saratoga Springs/Philly

[Hate Club](#) / [Bruiser and Bicycle](#) - [SPLIT] [alternative punk slacker rock tweemo] Albany

high fashion normalize - "[sometimes i'm happy, sometimes i'm sad, but i'm always me.](#)" [shoegaze blissrock] Saratoga Springs

Honeyfitz - "[Cutting Your Hair](#)" (EP) (29jun18) [rural indie emo folkpop] Western MA

i feel okay - "[climate trauma](#)" - "[where is my great big glo up?](#)" [experimental indie noise pop rock] Albany

Joseph Beaty - "[No One Forgets](#)" (single track) [indie electro industry rock] Glens Falls

Joe Mansman and The Midnight Revival Band - "[Revels](#)" (single) [outlaw americana alt rock] Glens Falls

Jouska - "[cold lighters](#)" [basement emo rock] Albany/Philly (from benefit compilation "Bummer Presents: A Comp for ADAPT/NNIRR")

Justin Friello and the Jack & Jill Orchestra - "[Why Won't You Talk? \(Live Remix\)](#)" | "[English 101 \(Live\)](#)" [acoustic chamber rock folk pop] Schenectady

Kite Person - "[Atavism](#)" [electronic synthwave pop] Glens Falls

Lucy - "[Hotel Room](#)" (single) [alt rock] Saratoga Springs

Neighborhood of Make Believe - "[Between Two Nighttimes Lightning](#)" (single track) [indie folk pop] Albany

[NPK](#) - "Moist Song (Live Demo)" | "Smashing the State" (single tracks) [thrash folk punk] Albany

Odd Cadre - "[Cabal](#)" [chamber grunge rock] Albany

Onlyness - "[Somebody's Son](#)" | "[Comfortable](#)" (singles) [lofi deadpan folk] Albany

Paradox Saints - "[Shoot Out The Sun](#)" (single) [alt rock] Saratoga Springs

Plupen - "[lo](#)" [indie folk rock] Schoharie

Rechorduroys - "[Rechorduroys](#)" [surf indie rock] Troy

Ritz Carlton - "[Makin' Love - A Taste of Ritz's Upcoming Release](#)" (single) [garage lounge rock] Albany

Sinkcharmer - "[Stand On The Other Side](#)" | "[Something Supernova](#)" (single tracks) (10may18) [indie electronic pop] Ballston Spa

Sirenne - "[Mistake](#)" | "[The Spaces Between The Stars](#)" (single tracks) [darkwave ambient electronica] Albany

Sydney Schizzano - "[Terrified](#)" (single) [indie pop soul R&B rap] Albany

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- The Mountain Carol - "[Starkiller and the Banshees](#)" [electropop jam synthpop] Saranac
- The Parlor - "[Kiku](#)" [indie dream-pop trance-folk] Albany
- The Static Dive - "[High and Dry](#)" (single) [alt rock] Queensbury
- they are gutting a body of water - "[the kid from the dream who called it a body hi](#)" | "[gestures been](#)" | "[yawner](#)" (single track) [lofi bedrm pop] Albany/Phila
- Tip - "[Besides](#)" [jam alt rock] Loudonville
- Underwater Cartographers - "[shando](#)" (single track) | "[Underwater Orchestra](#)" | "[LETS GET LOST](#)" [indie concept pop rock] Albany
- UTAH - "[Reaper's Gain](#)" [alternative down-tempo slowcore folk rock] Troy
- Will Seifert - "[Endless, Seamless](#)" [acoustic hypnagogic lo-fi emo] Ballston Spa
- Zane Agnew - "[Breathe](#)" (single) [indie rock] Glens Falls

## COLLECTIONS / COMPILATIONS

**Formula 5**  
Live soundboard recordings, from April 1st to June 30th

**Gordon St**  
A set of recorded live sets, April 1st up to June 30th

**Mike Gent** - 2018 Last Friday Of The Month Singles Club  
A series where The Figgs member releases a song on the last Friday of every month throughout 2018 (or somewhere close to the last Friday...)  
#4 - "[Buck/Stipe](#)"  
#5 - "[No Worries](#)"  
#6 - "[Graham Isn't Dead](#)"

**Mister F**  
Live recordings of the band's funky proggy shows. For this report, from April 1st up to June 30th

## VIDEOS:

Beyond Hope - "[Marvels of Science](#)" (Official)

- Buggy Jive - "[This Is Not a Pipe \(for René Magritte\)](#)" Official Music Video
- Cosby Gibson - "[By the Light of the Lantern](#)" | "[April Snow](#)" | "[What I Did on my Birthday](#)"
- Dark Honey - "[Harlequin Blue](#) (Official Music Video)"
- Dominic Orlando - "[Remembering You](#)" | "[The Color Blue](#)"
- Fig N Me - "[One of a Kind](#)"
- geoff gordon - "[interlude](#)"
- Joe Mansman and The Midnight Revival Band - "[Revels](#)"
- Justin Friello - "[English 101](#)" (Live)
- Mike Grutka - "[Running Away](#)"
- Ozymandias - "[Been Busy](#)"
- Phantogram - "[Calling All](#)" | Moog Sound Lab
- Sawyer Fredericks - "[Gasoline](#)"
- Self Defense Family - "[Have You Considered Punk Music](#)"
- State Champs - "[Our Time To Go](#)" (Official Music Video)
- Sydney Schizzano - "[Creeping/Creaking](#)"
- Sydney Worthley - "[Better Than You](#)" (Live)
- Tell Keller - "[Self Esteem](#)" | "[Made in America](#)"
- The Clay People - "[Supersonic Overdrive](#)"
- The Mountain Carol - "[Dino](#)" | "[Sway](#)" (Official Music Videos)
- The Sea The Sea - "[Bang Bang Bang](#)" (Lyric Video)
- they are gutting a body of water - "[yawner](#)"
- Und3rstanding - "[MC3](#)" | "[We Home](#)"
- Young Cobain - "[Young Cobain](#)"

## FILM / DOCUMENTARY

The Buggy Jive House Concert (Full Video)  
[THE BUGGY JIVE HOUSE CONCERT](#) is just that: a video document of a short set of Mr Jive's trademark solo-electric soul rock songs, filmed in his home studio in front

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of a small audience of some of his oldest and dearest friends. The video premiered on Facebook Live May 11, 2018.

## "TOAD MOVIE" VHS TAPE

From Bee Side Cassettes, a very limited edition which includes several shorts and guest commentaries

## **MISC / OTHER:**

### 518 Sessions - Exit 97.7 WEXT

Live performances and conversations with Local 518 musicians. Each week highlights a different Local 518 artist or band with a brief interview as an introduction. Airdates are Thursdays 11:30pm, same session airs again Saturday 6:30pm. The latest includes TJ Foster, Dyer Switch Band, Girl Blue, and Heard.

### **Bandcamp Daily for May 17, 2018:**

Bandcamp Daily published a story "[Eight Contemporary Artists Making the Most of Modular Synth](#)". One of the eight was Emily A. Sprague (Florist) [Album of the Day](#) was by Albany death metal band Skinless, with recent album "Savagery". Also listed among [The Best Metal on Bandcamp](#) for May 2018.

### Listen: On Demand - Exit 97.7 WEXT

Catch new *On Demand* listening opportunities all gathered in one spot. 518 Sessions, along with Live at EXT sessions and various interviews, will all land here as well as on their associated WEXT program pages. Have a listen to the following from the Local 518:

[TJ Foster](#)  
[Albert Cummings](#)  
[Blind Crow](#)  
[Girl Blue](#)  
[Stephen Clair](#)  
[HEARD](#)  
[The Sea The Sea](#)

### Local 518 Show - Exit 97.7 WEXT

The Local 518 Show showcases original music from bands and musicians based in, or have strong ties to, the Capital District. Each show features an Attic Classic - a song/band from generally a decade or more ago. It's WEXT's original half hour show dedicated to new and significant music and honoring the roots of the Local 518's diverse music scene.

### **GuitArthur**

He plays guitar, a lot. There's over 100 songs, all over the map in terms of style, at [ReverbNation](#). Go give a listen when you've a moment.

## Interview: Mike Stack Of The Final Sleep/Dying Breed

Mike Stack is a guy who has carved out a significant portion of extreme music history with pure, unrelenting RIFF. Based in the 518/Troy area, Mike has written, recorded and performed since 1989 with a bunch of Troy, NY's bands, such as Flat Broke, Execution Style, Politics of Contraband, Withstand, and Dying Breed.

## Lost Radio Rounders

The acoustic American roots duo of Tom Lindsay and Michael Eck play classic historic American music, and are sometimes joined by various locals.

## **Spotlight on the City with Lottie on BTRtoday.com**

Once a month, [Spotlight On The City](#) highlights the local music scene of a different city from around the world. Albany, New York artists are featured on the June edition of the podcast. Featured are Jouska, Moon Worship, Hill Haints, Scum Couch, Mystery Girl, Modern Psychics, The Parlor, Hospital Corners, Blue Ranger, Stellar Young, Titanics, Bare Mattress, Bruiser & Bicycle, Hate Club, Che Guevara T-Shirt, A Judgemental Swarm of Bees, 1313 Mockingbird Lane, The Erotics, Trauma School Dropouts, Capitle, Ritz Carlton, The Jagaloons and highlighting bands from Albany label Cacophone Records.

## SUPER DARK Live Music

Christopher Brown (Bad Culture Films), in association with Super Dark Collective and Lofi Kabuki Records, presents live music in the upstate, New York (518) area and beyond. A variety of sounds from local to touring artists. Mostly filmed in Albany, Saratoga Springs, and the surrounding areas.

## **The Formula 5 Flavor Shake**

Albany-area jamband Formula 5 has lent its name to [a new shake in Capital District Ben & Jerry's scoop shops](#). Combining the iconic Cherry Garcia, Totally Baked and Phish Food ice creams with mini M&Ms and milk, it's available throughout the summer of 2018 at scoop shops in Saratoga Springs, Albany and Lake George. A portion of the proceeds from sales will benefit the FUND for Lake George and Friends of Five Rivers.

## **TRAX:**

A local music tv/video program, aired on LOOKtv, with music and talk in front of a small audience (sometimes) or on location. Recent episodes have featured:

[Drew Wardle](#)  
[Jeff Brisbin](#)  
[Corry Loveday](#)  
[Girl Blue](#)



## INADVERTANTLY OVERLOOKED - RECORDINGS:

### **Hard Rock / Metal / Punk**

Comrade Nixon - "[Odd Todd](#)" [punk noise rock] Lyon Mountain

Fine Grain - "[First Coarse](#)" [shoegaze post-punk] Albany

[Oakheart](#) - "Age Of Desperation" | "I'm Not Fine" (single tracks) [metalcore] Glens Falls

### **Americana / Folk / Country / 'grass / Singer-Songwriter**

Dan'l - "[Myth of Me](#)" [roots folk rock] Albany

Dee and the Sunny Saps - "[whispers](#)" (unofficial EP) [s/s folk pop] Hudson

Joan Kelsey - "[kitchen tape](#)" [folk] Troy

[Ryan Rosmarin](#) - "Maybe" | "Sorry Won't Save Me" | "See It Through" (single tracks) [s/s pop] Saratoga Springs

### **Instrumental / Electronic / EDM**

Tilted/Arc - "[Ghost in the Square](#)" (2 tracks) [electronic classical electroacoustic musique concrete] Baltimore MD/Troy

### **R&B / Soul / Hip Hop / Rap / Funk**

[B. Chaps](#) - "Be Myself" | "facts." (single tracks) [alt hip hop rap] Albany

Craft - "[The Lot Rent is Due 2](#)" [hip hop rap] Albany

Ohzhe/Ozymandias - "[Godly](#)" [hip hop rap] Albany

PhillyFine\$\$e - "[12:23](#)" [hip hop rap] Albany

young cobain - "[hopeshelovesghosts.](#)" (single track) [hip hop rap] Albany

### **Blues / Gospel**

Alana Wyld & Wyld Blu - "[Taste](#)" (EP) [texas-style blues rock] Windham

### **Alternative / Indie / Other**

[Christopher Pellnat](#) - "Another Number - Mercy Weiss" to "The Bane of My Existence is My Heart" (single tracks) [alt pop folk rock] Hudson

Ignation - "[Promise](#)" (single track) [alt rap rock] Albany

Jacqui Alpine - "[Difficult Body](#)" [indie rock] Bennington VT

stillwaterspecs - "[boston](#)" (single track) [acoustic emo folk] Rexford

Sydney Schizzano - "[Wolves](#)" (single) | "[You Gave Me Love](#)" [indie pop soul R&B rap] Albany

The Mountain Carol - "[The Mountain Carol](#)" | "[Transmission from Robot Dog](#)" [electropop jam synthpop] Saranac

Turbine Sunrise - "[Turbine Sunrise](#)" [alt rock] Saratoga Springs

### **Holiday Sounds**

Hitrick and Brooks - "[Holidays](#)" (single) [funk pop rock] Broadalbin

## COLLECTIONS / COMPILATIONS

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#1 - "[Down In The Valley](#)"

#2 - "[Wild Dogs Piss](#)"

#3 - "[Left Hand Of Kindness](#)"

### **Super Dark Collective**

Latest releases on the two independent record labels from the Saratoga Springs, NY based [Super Dark Collective](#) of artists and musicians.

#### *Super Dark Records:*

Blood Blood Blood - "[Stranglers / Vault Dweller](#)" (2 tracks) [alternative electronic psychedelic rock]

Nuclear Dung - "[Love Muzzle](#)" [alternative electronic psychedelic rock]

Bye - "[Bye \(old demos\)](#)" [alternative electronic psychedelic rock]

Physiognomy - "[Argi Iluna 3 \(abridged\)](#)" [electronic psychedelic rock]

VARIOUS ARTISTS - "[BEST OF SUPER DARK MONDAY AT ONE CAROLINE](#)" [multiple rocks]

Mr. Cancelled - "[Half Dead or Worse](#)" [alternative electronic post-punk psychedelic rock]

## VIDEOS

Bells Roar - "[Echoes From Below](#)"

HollyHood Shumpo - "GameBoy" (03feb18)  
<https://youtu.be/hFePHGle7d0>

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Justin Friello and the Jack & Jill Orchestra - "[Why Won't You Talk? \(Live Remix\)](#)"

Sydney Schizzano - "[Gibberish](#)"

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*There's an amazing amount of original music recorded and videos produced by Capital Region musicians, bands, and artists every year.*

*By no means is these listings all-inclusive. If you know of a release or video you loved but was inadvertently overlooked, let me know. You can reach me at [apgregory65 at gmail dot com](mailto:apgregory65@gmail.com)*

*If you or your band have an upcoming release planned, please visit [The Local 518 Show](#) for airplay submission guidelines.*

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Thanks to **Mike Guzzo** of CRUMBS.net for encouraging me to post those first local music reports on the [CRUMBS blog](#) at the timesunion.com. What began as just a list of recent releases in [September of 2010](#) expanded to a [year-end round up for 2011](#), then revised to a [quarterly format for 2012](#).



It's been an eye-opening experience putting these reports together, which I hope to continue for a long time to come - For the fans, supporters, and most importantly the creators of music in the Capital District (and just a bit beyond).

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