



The Local 518 Music (*and More*) Report

2018 – Quarter 1



This report covers the time period of January 1st to March 31st, 2017. We inadvertently missed a few before that time period, which were brought to our attention by fans, bands & others. The missing is listed at the end.

RECORDINGS:

Hard Rock / Metal / Punk

[Arch Fiends](#) - "Love Is Like a Homicide" | "Prisoners" (single tracks) [horror punk] Glens Falls

Blind Threat - "[Everyone's a Killer](#)" [hardcore metal] Albany

Candy Ambulance - "[Spray](#)" [alt grunge rock] Saratoga

Cats Don't Have Souls - "[Twenty four days of scaring the neighbors with devil music](#)" | "[Cats Don't Have Souls](#)" [alt post punk prog rock] Albany

Che Guevara T-Shirt - "[Seven Out, Pay the Don'ts](#)" [post-punk rock] Albany

Kardia - "[Metamorphosis](#)" (single track) [melodic hard rock] Pittsfield, MA

Lame - "[Working Titles Shouldn't Stick](#)" [skate pop punk] Albany

My Last Mile - "[Let's Go Wild](#)" (single) [hard rock] Saratoga Springs

Mystery Girl - "[I Love Kissing b/w Shattered Dreams](#)" (2-tracks) [punk pop rock] Albany

Stretch Heart - "[Rise](#)" (single track) [progressive metal] Albany

The Backseat Bullets - "[Cascading Failures](#)" | "[Nothing New](#)" (singles) [alt emo punk] Albany

The Northway - "[A Good Taste In Life](#)" [pop punk math rock] Scotia

Uncivil Liberty - "[Let's Ride](#)" (single) [heavy rock] Albany

Von Rudder - "[Life Forsaken](#)" (single) [prog rock] Albany

Rock / Pop

Ampevene - "[Valencia \(Radio Edit\)](#)" (single track) | "[Ephemagoria](#)" [progressive rock] Albany

Balcony - "[Canvas](#)" | "[Blind](#)" (single tracks) [pop rock] Saratoga Springs

Boo Fookin' Radley (BFR) - "[Freedom of Thought](#)" (EP) [alt pop rock] Saratoga Springs/Stony Brook

Brad Whiting and The Cadillac Souls - "[Six-Wire](#)" | "[No 2nd Chances](#)" (single tracks) [blues rock] Glenmont

Caramel Snow - "[Are You Unreal?](#)" (EP) | "Happy Birthday (Happy New Year" to "Are You Unreal?" ([single tracks](#)) [shoegaze dreampop] Delmar

David Tyo - "[Oh, Life](#)" (single) [acoustic pop] Saratoga Springs

Girl Blue - "[Lolita](#)" (single) [alt soul pop] Albany

Great Mutations - "[Live at the Tang](#)" | "[Already Dead](#)" (single track) [psych pop baroque rock] Troy

Julia Gargano - "[Turn Cold](#)" (single track) [pop] Staten Island/Albany

Leah Woods - "Mama Says (Live Session)" | "Talk About It (Live Session)" ([single tracks](#)) [indie soul pop] Saratoga Springs

Mike Gent - "[Wild Dogs Piss](#)" | "[Left Hand Of Kindness](#)" [power pop rock] Saratoga Springs/Boston

Nick Rossi - "[For Tomorrow](#)" (EP) [pop punk rock] Clifton Park

Northern Faces - "[Firecracker](#)" (single) [alt rock pop] Albany

Sorrow Estate - "[The Happy EP](#)" [indie folk pop] Clifton Park

Todd Pasternack - "[Start Again](#)" (single) [s/s pop] Saratoga Springs



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

A Judgmental Swarm Of Bees - "[Shit, Let's Try That Again](#)" | "[This Is Not A Friendship \(Where I Came From SHITPOST REMIX\)](#)" (single track) [acoustic folk punk] Albany

Anthony Prezio - "I Need 5 Minutes in 2018" ([single track](#)) [blues rock s/s] Troy

Asa Morris - "[Attempts](#)" | "[Color](#)" | "[Years and Miles](#)" [acoustic lo-fi folk] Albany

Aurora LaFond (Philosophical Waffles) - "Baby" ([single track](#)) [folk] Voorheesville/Bar Harbor ME

Brain Medicine - "[So Much For Dare](#)" (EP) [americana folk punkgrass] Glens Falls

Buffalo Stack - "[Live at The Colony, Woodstock NY 11.10.17](#)" [americana rock folk] Hudson

C.K. & The Rising Tide - "[St. Vitus' Dance](#)" (single) [country folk rock] Ravena

Dan Berggren - "Share the Bowl" ([single tracks](#)) [folk s/s] Ballston Spa

Dave Maswick & Joel Brown - "[Skyline Drive](#)" [country pop] Saratoga Springs

Dust Bowl Faeries - "[The Dark Ride Mixes](#)" (EP) [ethereal dark-carnival gypsy folk] Hudson

Hop City Hellcats - "[Relics](#)" [americana country honky-tonk] Albany/Oneonta

Jay Maloney - "[Signals & Strengths](#)" [americana bluegrass] Albany

Jockimo Brown - "[Porchfront Roller](#)" (single track) [ambient lo-fi folk] Saratoga Springs

Karen Caruso - "[Addict's Ransom \(Remix\)](#)" | "[Whiskey in the Bottle](#)" (singles) [country pop] Fort Plain

Larry Quinn - "[Just Want You To Love Me](#)" (single) [country pop] Troy

Lucas Garrett - "[Live at WEXT](#)" (EP) [folk rock] Queensbury

Marilyn Miller - "Something We Can Do" (from Women's March, Hudson, NY 2018) | "This Night" ([single tracks](#)) [s/s folk] Hudson

Maurizio Russomanno - "[How Can I Choose' Live: Rustic Barn Sunday Sessions Jan 7th 2018](#)" (single track) [s/s folk pop] Troy

Mike Grutka - "Mountain Song (Remix)" | "Wake Up (Remix)" ([single tracks](#)) [acoustic folk rock] Guilderland

Mike Short - "[Wishes](#)" (single track) [s/s folk pop] Guilderland

Peggy Morck Young - "[We Are Strong](#)" (single) [s/s pop] Mayfield

Peter Anello - "[Compatible](#)" | "[What Comes Around](#)" | "[Weight Off My Shoulders](#)" | "[Uncolored Walls](#)" | "[Touché](#)" (demo single tracks) [folk blues] Albany

Rich Clements Band - "So Much On My Mind" to "You're Not the Only One" ([single tracks](#)) [alt country pop s/s] Saratoga Springs

Rocks and Water - "[All Through The Night](#)" (single track) [folk pop] Albany

Sam Reed - "[Differences](#)" (EP) [alt folk world] Saratoga

Sawyer Fredericks - "[Hide Your Ghost](#)" [new alt folk s/s] Fultonville

Terra Naomi - "[Nothing To Hide](#)" (single) [s/s folk pop] Saratoga Springs/LACA

The Nightmare River Band - "[Tonight](#)" (single track) [americana alt-folk] Colonie/Brooklyn

The Sea The Sea - "[Good for Something](#)" | "[Everybody](#)" | "[Let It Be Said](#)" (singles) [alt folk pop] Albany

TJ Foster - "[An Ode to My Twenties](#)" (single track) [folk pop] Albany



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Jazz / International / Classical / World

Bob Gluck - "[2018 home recordings & new compositions](#)" [free jazz piano] Albany

Cliff Brucker - "[Full Circle Vol. 2](#)" [jazz standards] Schenectady

Darryl Kniffen / News From Planet Kniffen - "Freddie Freeloader (Live in Readsboro VT)" to "Peace Journey" ([single tracks](#)) [jazz blues rock] Saratoga Springs

Golfstrum - "[Vintage Old-World Music](#)" [world folk pop] Capital Region

Neil Tater - "[After The Rain](#)" [contemporary new age] Queensbury

Novus Cantus - "[In the City](#)" (single) [acoustic progressive folk word rock] Schenectady

The Men O' War Balladeers - "[Rise with the Moon](#)" [celtic folk] Cambridge

Instrumental / Electronic / EDM

Apostrophe S - "[y3arly](#)" [electronic glitch hip hop beats] Albany

Chris Bassett - "[Day of Super Darkness: Live at One Caroline 12/11/2017](#)" [ambient industrial lo-fi noise] Troy

DComposeuЯ - "THIS CHARMING MAN" to "SLEEP_TALK" ([single tracks](#)) [electronic deconstruction assemblages] STEAL CITY

Elsphinx - "Americade" to "coyote on the roof of the museum" ([single tracks](#)) [hip hop rap beats] Albany

[Garbage Can Abomination](#) - "The Rock was Cooking Bathtub Linguine" | "https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tariff_of_Abominations" [experimental everything] Troy

[Horse Apples](#) - "Anchovies in red sauce" | "There are no good actors in the great spreading belly of sky" | "music for lunch" | "They tell a story of how I swallowed a wasp, I don't remember but I always felt a nest building inside me, like I was made of paper & spit" | "Song of

the Tree That Owns Itself" | "My body weighs as much as fifty brains" | "S/T" (single tracks) [electronic atmospheric synth world] Albany

Jim Sande - "[Silver](#)" (single track) [electronic jazz pop] Delmar

Kazufro - "I love you" | "Finally Remix" | "Neighborhood hoez" ([single tracks](#)) [hip-hop/rap instrumental beats] Troy

Lady Starlight - "[Which One of Us is Me?](#)" (EP) [techno edm dj] Schenectady/NYC/Europe

MithrilNova - "[Foreign](#)" (single track) [electronic pop] Troy

Moon Risk 7 - "Hills" to "Other" ([single tracks](#)) [electronic ambient chiptune] Albany

Optimus Chad - "[Optimus Chad Vs Insane Clown Posse](#)" (2 tracks) [8-bit chiptune synthwave] Cybertron/Clifton Park

Pinkamena Party - "[IT'S 2018 \(BPM\)](#)" [electronic breakcore hardcore speedcore noise] Troy

Rambutan - "[Crawling in the Margins](#)" [experimental ambient drone improvisation noise] Albany

[Rrarebear](#) - "Blend" to "Goodbye Winter" [chill electronic beats] Albany

Scott Hannay - "[Scott Hannay Plays Video Games Live @ Toad's Place 1/19/2018](#)" [8-bit chiptune themes] Hudson Falls

[two point 5](#) - "solar eclipse" | "Two Point 5 (I've Been Stuck in This rut for a While now but I'm Getting Used to it)" | "Two Point 5 (Wasterzzz)" | "The Great Winter" | "Disgusting" [experimental idm electronica plunderphonics] Albany

Xrentul Zkentie - "[Ether](#)" [alternative experimental ambient lo-fi] Schenectady

Zovi - "U [official soundtrack for BIG NOISE]" | "Older" (TMBG cvr) ([single tracks](#)) [industrial pc noise rave] Troy



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

3ality - "[Sic Parvis Magna](#)" [hip hop rap] Schenectady

Against The Grain - "[Cheated Death](#)" [hip hop rap] Troy

Airline Jay - "[Demons Remix \(feat. Elizabeth Ann\)](#) [Remix]" | "[Cop a Benz \(feat. Nbhd Nick\)](#)" (singles) [hip hop rap] Albany

AMJ - "[Dua Lipa - New Rules \(AMJ Remix\)](#)" (single track) [hip hop rap] Ballston Spa

Benn Grim & Rob Viktum - "[Dry Aged](#)" (EP) [hip hop rap] Albany

Cole King - "[Not the One \(feat. Kemba\)](#)" (single) | "[All The Way](#)" (single) | "All That I Know ft AMJ & Grav" to "MME ft Suave the Don & Hank" ([single tracks](#)) [hip hop rap] Saratoga Springs

D-rect - "Trappin Home Alone" to "Another One" ([single tracks](#)) [hip hop rap] Albany

DeoWorldWide - "Wedding Cake" | "Tempo Of Your Heart" ([single tracks](#)) [r&b soul] Albany

Fortysvn - "[I Need You \(w/ Onetake\)](#)" | "[Congratulations](#)" | "[Bag Szn](#)" (singles) [hip hop rap] Albany

GREEZ DA BEAST - "[Trust In Self](#)" [hip hop rap] Troy

Jack Martian - "[Jack Martian](#)" [neo soul pop] Schenectady

Jordan Taylor Hill - "[Real](#)" | "[Take It There](#)" | "[Be Free](#)" (singles) [afrobeat hip hop rap] Albany

JOYARD - "[Gangway](#)" (Lil Baby Suplex x Ace \$upreme x Hank \$tackz x RedGod) [hip hop rap] Albany

Knowle'ge - "[More \(ft. Master P & CJ\)](#)" (single track) [hip hop rap] Albany

Kyle Albano - "[Better](#)" (single track) [hip hop rap] Albany

Miss This - "[Sit Back](#)" (single track) [disco funk] Albany

pinknois - "[Still](#)" (single track) | "[F.A.I.L.](#)" (EP) | "old ways (Small Talk Remix)" to "Outside (ft. Pat Flores) [Cover]" ([single tracks](#)) [r&b soul hip hop rap] Albany

PonyBoy 518 - "[Coors Light](#)" (single) [hip hop rap] Troy

PJ Katz and Alaska - "[He's the PJ, I'm Alaska](#)" (EP) [hip hop rap] Albany

Rawhead - "The Ductaped Woofer Manifesto (beats circa 2003-2005)" to "Psychopomp - Side B (Vinyl Rip)" ([single tracks](#)) [hip hop rap beats] Glens Falls

Sime Gezus - "[Corny Rappas Feat. Jay Burnz Jay](#)" (single track) [trip hip hop rap] Albany

Suave the Don - "[Know the Vibes](#)" [hip hop rap] Troy

The Headless Shogun - "[Aint No Grave](#)" (single track) [hip hop rap] Albany

The Vinylcologist - "[@UnitedCrates - 10](#)" [underground hip hop rap] Albany

Und3rstanding - "[Und3rstanding](#)" [hip hop rap] Albany

Young Paris - "[Soco \(freestyle\)](#)" (single track) [hip hop rap] Hudson/NYC

Blues / Gospel / Christian

Thomasina Winslow - "[Charlie's Gone](#)" | "[Moanin' the Blues](#)" (single tracks) [acoustic blues] Albany

Alternative / Indie / Other

basement vacation - "night drive" to "haunted home" ([single tracks](#)) [alt folk s/s] Glens Falls

Becoming a Ghost - "[Becoming a Ghost](#)" (EP) [alt pop rock] Troy

Bell's Roar - "[We Carry Us](#)" [electronic pop soul] Albany

Boo Fookin Radley - "[Freedom of Thought](#)" (EP) [alt rock] Saratoga Springs/Stonybrook

Brendan Eprile - "[Gravity Girl](#)" (single track) [bluesoul pop rock] Bennington, VT



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Chris Kyle - "[Falling In Circles](#)" (single) [avant-garde folk pop] Saratoga Springs/Brooklyn

Dark Honey - "[Harlequin Blue](#)" (single) [pop rock] Albany

El Modernist - "[Up](#)" (single) [modern alt rock] Albany

Fresh Oil and Chips - "New York Smile" | "Month In A Day" | "Prototype" ([single tracks](#)) [indie rock] Saratoga Springs/Nashville

[Haunted Cat](#) - "Haunted Cat" | "Bonus Trax" [experimental rock pop folk glam] Albany

Ignis - "[The Face of Mars](#)" [rock] Albany

Immune Friction - "[Coping with Insurmountable Fear](#)" (EP) [grunge folk rock] Bennington VT

Izzy Heltai - "[Sweet Apathy](#)" [emo folk rock] North Adams, MA

Jouska - "[from Elson to Emmett](#)" [basement rock] Albany/Philly

Katie Haverly - "[Pluto](#)" [electronic folk rock alt-country pop rock jazz political singer-songwriter] Albany/Tucson

Long Neck - "[Will This Do?](#)" [lo-fi folk pop] Hudson/Jersey City NY

Los Elk - "Allston" | "Hands" ([single tracks](#)) [indie dance rock] Saratoga Springs/Boston

NOWA - "[The Folly](#)" (EP) [alt electronic rock] Ballston Spa/Bronx

Patrick Porter - "[Porter In Moderation LP](#)" [indie outlaw outsider music] Albany/Austin TX

Rats With Wings - "[Dear Sam](#)" [alt rock] Albany

Sandy McKnight - "[A Kid With A Gun](#)" (single track) [pop rock] Lee MA

Shannon Straney - "[alchemy](#)" (single track) [emo pop] Albany

The Death Vacation - "[Cosplay Bonegripper](#)" [garage psych rock] Albany

The Flam Flams - "[When the Lights Go Low](#)" [indie pop rock] Delmar

Underwater Cartographers - "[Webster's Dictionary](#)" (EP) [indie concept pop rock] Albany

COLLECTIONS / COMPILATIONS

[Formula 5](#)

Live recordings from the soundboard, for this report from January 1st up to March 31st.

[Gordon St](#)

A set of recorded live sets, January 1st up to March 31st

[Mister F](#)

Live recordings of the band's funky proggy shows. For this report, from January 1st up to March 31st.

VIDEOS:

Balcony - "[Blind](#)"

Beyond Hope - "[Yours to Hold](#)" | "[Where We Belong](#)"

Broken Field Runner - "[Skin Under These Nails](#)" (The Trundle Sessions)

C.K. & The Rising Tide - "[Friends](#)" (Official Music Video)

Deb Cavanaugh - "[In Winter](#)"

Dust Bowl Faeries - "[dark ride \(the gothic limo remix\)](#)" | "[The Field](#)" | "[Sirens](#)"

Franklin Micare Duo - "[Day O](#)"

geoff gordon - "[MHL Jesus](#)"

Haley Moley - "[Blue Light](#)"

Katie Haverly - "[Wreckage](#)"

Leah Woods - "[Mama Says](#)"



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Mike Grutka - "[Fallen](#)" | "[Painting the Silence](#)"

Owl - "[Things You Can't See](#)"

PJ Katz & Alaska - "[OneTooWonTwo](#)"

Ryan Clark - "[The Way That You Move](#)" (Official Music Video)

Sam Reed - "[Doing Fine](#)" (Official Music Video)

Sawyer Fredericks - "[Hide Your Ghost](#)"

Sly Fox and the Hustlers - "[Let Me Down Easy](#)" (Official Music Video)

Stretch Heart - "[Rise: Music Video \(7 Note Challenge\)](#)"

Sydney Worthley - "[1 2 3](#)"

Terra Naomi - "[Nothing To Hide](#)" | "[Machine Age](#)"

The Adirondack Whaling Company - "[The Timed Match](#)"

The Parlor - "[Soon](#)"

Young Culture - "[Biggest Mess](#)" (Official Music Video)

FILM / DOCUMENTARY

[Karen or Bust](#)

Local filmmaker Don Rittner tells the tale of Ringo and Freddie, two 16-year old teenagers from upstate New York, hitchhiking to Florida in 1966, the summer before the "Summer of Love," to see an old girlfriend. They don't make it but they battle with segregation, discrimination, injustice, almost get killed by rednecks, and learn about an underground community in Baltimore where Ringo falls for someone else. On the soundtrack are a bunch of tunes by Steve Candlen.

[Don Rittner's WMHT special](#) on the making of his latest movie Karen or Bust. It features nearly 30 of Steve Candlen songs.

[Our Hologram Mother](#)

A VHS visual album project by Doug Dulgarian (Jouska, they are gutting a body of water), Dan Paoletti (Apostrophe S, Confusician) and Ben Opatut (No Friends, Pinesheets, David Attias) has 33 original tracks narrating video samples from wide-release films.

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 Thursday 11:30pm, same session airs again Saturday at 6:30pm. The latest includes David Tyo, Lucas Garrett, Katie Louise, Sam Reed, Joel Brown & Dave Maswick.

[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:

[David Tyo Explains Life](#)

[Sawyer Fredericks "Hide Your Ghost"](#)

[Lucas Garrett](#)

[Katie Louise](#)

[Sam Reed](#)

[Joel Brown & Dave Maswick](#)

[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.



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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.

Paste Music & Daytrotter - The Sea The Sea

They described The Sea The Sea “as a pop band only in their melodic infectiousness—otherwise they are at their best when subverting conventions. They’re defined by their infallible vocal harmonies and their unconventional song arrangements.”

[WATCH](#) - [LISTEN](#)

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 NPR Tiny Desk Concert Contest - Local Entrants

NPR Music has hosted hundreds of musicians at their Tiny Desk. This video contest was a way to find another for NPR's Tiny Desk Concert series. Winner (not announced as of this report) tours the U.S. with NPR and Lagunitas Brewing Company. These were some of the local entries:

Terra Naomi - "[Nothing To Hide](#)"

Matt Krahula - "[Tiny Desk](#)"

Ryan Leddick Trio - "[Honey, Our Love](#)"

Hudson Dusters - "[The Part That Matters To Me](#)"

deVer - "[Don't Go \(Lonely Town\)](#)"

Shane Guerrette - "[Anastasia](#)"

Belle-Skinner - "[Violets](#)"

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:

[Wild Adriatic](#) [Joan Kelsey](#) [Rich Ortiz](#)

Sawyer Fredericks, Sydney Worthley Helping To Define New 'Saratoga Sound'

An article in Saratoga Living, brought to you by the letter 'S'. A trio of young local artists - Sawyer Fredericks, Sydney Worthley, and Shane Guerrette - are

continuing to put Saratoga Springs on the map as a musical mecca.

STEREOGUM - Band To Watch: Jouska

An interview with Doug Dulgarian about Albany/Philly, Jouska's new EP "From Elson To Emmett", and etc.

Jocelyn and Chris Arndt demands attention, and they're getting it

Jocelyn and Chris Arndt reached the Top 40 in Billboard's Adult Alternative Album chart last December and will hit the main stage at Monster Jam in June. Get an update on what's next.

INADVERTANTLY OVERLOOKED - RECORDINGS:

Hard Rock / Metal / Punk

Greasefire - "[Pocket Full Of Beers](#)" [power sludge rock] Albany

Incontinence - "[Prey For Us](#)" [grindcore death metal] Albany

Scotchka - "[Afraid To Fall Asleep](#)" (EP) [emo pop punk] Albany

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Jeff Brisbin - "[Foreverly](#)" [pop rock] Saratoga Springs

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Emily Mitchell - "[Retrospect](#)" [s/s folk pop] Albany

Pete Furlong - "It's Only Right Now" | "And It Will Be" | "Listen" ([single tracks](#)) [s/s] Albany

Rich Clements Band - "Emily" to "So Much On My Mind" ([single tracks](#)) [alt country pop s/s] Saratoga Springs

Jazz / International / Classical / World

Al Kash - "Spectrum Bateria" [percussion jazz rock world] New Baltimore

Charles Cornell Trio - "[Your Choice](#)" [contemporary jazz] Saratoga Springs



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The Men O' War Balladeers - "[Live at Hubbard Hall!](#)"
(EP) [celtic folk] Cambridge

Instrumental / Electronic / EDM

Chris B Neuhaus - "[White Lightning](#)" [rock solo bass]
Schenectady

I, Conqueror - "[Our Dying World](#)" (single) | "[The Last of Us](#)" [metal] Albany

[two point 5](#) - "Stop!" | "For Your" | "Dog" | "Good Vibes Forever" | "B-sides and rare steaks" | "Iced" (collections) [experimental idm electronica plunderphonics] Albany

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

Jordan Taylor Hill - "[Rites of Passage](#)" (single) [afrobeat hip hop rap] Albany

Souly Had - "[crush](#)" (single track) [hip hop rap] Albany

Suave the Don - "[HeatWave](#)" [hip hop rap] Troy

Alternative / Indie / Other

Laveda - "[Serity](#)" (single track) [lo-fi pop] Saratoga Springs

Red Light Rivals - "Drown" | "San Francisco" ([single tracks](#)) [indie pop] Troy

UTAH - "[Field Rec](#)" [bedroom/roof slowcore country] Troy

Holiday Sounds

Jed Davis - "[In the Presence of Presents](#)" [holiday original + nine covers] New York

VIDEOS

Carmen Lookshire - "[Lord Why](#)"

MISC / OTHER:

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[Cradle Switch](#)

[Peter Anello](#)

[Mike Grutka](#)

[Emily Rose Burnett](#)

[Adrenaline Pumpkin](#)

[Jeff Brisbin](#)

ReGen Magazine - [The Clay People InterView: Conquering the Colossus](#)

Back from the brink of self-destruction, The Clay People seems finally poised to return with a new album as vocalist Daniel Neet tells ReGen about his battle with addiction and the band's evolution into a tight-knit alternative industrial/metal unit.

###

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, leave a comment on the [CRUMBS blog](#).

If you or your band have an upcoming release planned, please visit [The Local 518 Show](#) for airplay submission guidelines. You can also reach me at [apgregory65@gmail.com](#)