

# EUGENE WEEKLY'S BEST OF EUGENE BALLOT 2005

Every year the Eugene Weekly's readers wait for the results of our annual "Best Of Eugene" readers' poll. Who mixes up the best Bloody Mary? Who is Eugene's best local radio personality? Who will readers name as Eugene's best rock band?

This year, to celebrate the release of the "Best of Eugene" results, we're throwing one heck of a party. Saturday, Oct. 15, we're taking over the McDonald Theatre, bringing in some of the area's hottest musicians and bands and announcing the much-awaited results of the 2005 "Best of Eugene" readers' poll which will be published in the Oct. 20th issue.

But we're doing something more than just throwing a big party. This event is also a benefit to support FOOD for Lane County, the organization our readers picked as the "Best non-profit" in 2004.

## Big Fish (Small Pond)

Best activist \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best community service organization \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best cop \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best local TV personality \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best local print personality \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best local radio personality \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best public figure \_\_\_\_\_

## SEX, DRUGS & ROCK 'N' ROLL

Best barista \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best bartender \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best beer selection/list \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best bloody Mary \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best happy hour \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best hangover breakfast \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best live music venue \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best local DJ (live/clubs) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best local blues band \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best local hip hop group/artist \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best local jam band \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best local jazz band \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best local hard rock/metal band \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best local punk band \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best local reggae/world band \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best local rock band \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best Latin band \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best local singer/songwriter/folk performer or band \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best place to shake your booty \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best place to shoot pool \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best radio show \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best singles bar \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best smoking area \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best smut (strip clubs, escorts, sex shops, porn) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best tattoo artist \_\_\_\_\_

## art & Other Pretensions

Best artist \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best local performing art group (dance, symphony, chorale etc) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best local poet \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best local winery \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best nontraditional film venue \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best theatrical performance \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best visual arts exhibition \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best wine list \_\_\_\_\_

## CONSUMER TEMPLES

Best bookstore \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best green business \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best local clothing shop \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best music store \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best secondhand store \_\_\_\_\_

## FORKIN' GOOD

Best Asian \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best bakery \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best BBQ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best coffee place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best Italian \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best meal under \$7 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best Mexican/Latin American \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best Middle Eastern \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best new restaurant \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best Northwest \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best outdoor seating \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best pizza \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best sushi \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best Thai \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best vegi-friendly \_\_\_\_\_

## The Kitchen Sink

Best place for a first date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best category to add to best of Eugene in 2006 \_\_\_\_\_

**Your ballot cannot be counted without the following info:**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**RULES:** Print your answers clearly (We can't count 'em if we can't read 'em) • You must vote in at least 20 categories • Please keep your answers local  
 • Only one ballot per person! Ballot stuffing is bad karma — ballots may not be collected and submitted en masse by individuals or businesses.



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