



Pow! Pow! Pow!

Dance, dance revolution!

This troupe of seven rogue punk rockers with a soft spot for electronica are making dance music for urbanites and hipsters, but they bristle when it's referred to as "danceable indie rock."

their status as dance laureates to the world and brought their funk-up '70s soul interpreted through '80s post-punk to the masses.

Like most good dance bands before them, !!! doesn't delve too deeply into politics, ("you

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These trippers chose three symbols as their name partly to be unconventional and partly to let people interpret the name as they pleased — it could be any three repetitive sounds, but most people vocalize it as "chk chk chk." The band shares three members with Out Hud, including Tyler Pope, who also runs with LCD Soundsystem.

!!! formed in Sacramento in 1997 as a reaction against the emo and indie scenes and what they saw as a city-wide propensity to dress in mod black, too cool to even stand when their favorite band was on stage. These guys, as unlikely as it seems, truly love shaking their asses. Moving to Brooklyn in 2000 affirmed

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can tell the president to suck my fucking dick," from Loudon Up Now's song "Pardon My Freedom") and all they ever really needed to

know they learned from smoking pot and taking acid. While the music cribs from funky soul, disco and techno, the sound is a mash of all three, with a big rebellious streak thrown in. They also wear their drug culture on their sleeves, but don't want to be associated with anything too hippie. !!! is touring on the strength of a new CD single, 17 minutes of two cover tracks: Nate Dogg's "Get Up," the most soulful song I have ever heard white men play, and the Magnetic Fields' "Take Ecstasy With Me." **ew**



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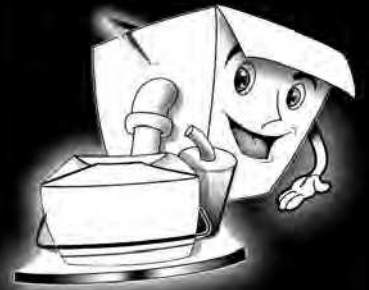
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