

# MUSIC LISTINGS

## THURSDAY 8/18

**5TH ST. PUBLIC MARKET** Gumbo Groove—6pm; n/c

**AXE & FIDDLE** Olivia Aubrey, Sneaky Bones—8:30pm; Folk, n/c

**B&B LOUNGE** Karaoke—9:30pm

**BARN LIGHT** Karaoke w/Bre—9pm; n/c

**BEERGARDEN** Still Thinking Trio—7:30pm; n/c

**THE BOREAL** Boy on Guitar, The Lucid Trees, Self Proclaimed Nercissist, Tijuana Ty, Axis Salvation—7pm; Pop, \$8

**COBURG CITY PARK** Riffle—6pm; n/c

**THE COOLER** Karaoke w/Cammi—10pm

**COWFISH** Purrsday w/Kitty Trap—9pm; Hip hop, trap, edm, n/c

**COZMIC** Upstate Rundown—9pm; Americana, \$8-\$10

**DEXTER LAKE CLUB** Karaoke—7pm; n/c

**DRIFTWOOD** Karaoke w/Slick Nick—9pm; n/c

**EL TAPATIO CANTINA** Karaoke—8pm; n/c

**GREEN ROOM** Open Mic Comedy—9pm; n/c

**GROWLER UNDERGROUND** Acoustic Underground Open Mic—8pm; n/c

**HAPPY HOURS** Crystal Harmony Karaoke—8:30pm; n/c

**HI-FI LOUNGE** Daryl Hance Powermuse, T-Bone Waldon & The Prime Cuts—10pm; \$5

**JAZZ STATION** The World's Finest Apples—7:30pm; \$9-\$12

**THE LOUNGE** Karaoke w/Sassy Patty—8pm; n/c

**MAC'S** Shreve Jones Shreve Project—6pm; n/c

**MAX'S** DJ Victor—10pm; n/c

**THE OLD PAD** Karaoke—9pm; n/c

**OVERTIME TAVERN** West Side Blues Jam—8:30pm; Open jam, n/c

**REALITY KITCHEN** Acoustic Reality—5pm; Open mic, n/c

**RESTOBAR** Steven McVay—5pm

**SAM BOND'S BREWING** Chibuku—6pm; African guitar, n/c

**TERRITORIAL VINEYARDS** The Porch Band—7pm; n/c

**VANILLA JILL'S** Ryan Kwan—7pm; Mystic folk, \$5 sug. don.

## FRIDAY 8/19

**5TH ST. CORNUCOPIA** The Klezmonauts—9:30pm; n/c

**AXE & FIDDLE** LeMaster & Abrams—8:30pm; n/c

**BILLY MAC'S** Christie & McCallum—7:30pm; n/c

**BLACK FOREST** Eugene Metal Celebration—9pm; Rock, n/c

**BLAIRALLY ARCADE** '80's Night w/Chris, Jen & John—9pm; \$3

**THE BLIND PIG** Karaoke w/Jim Jim—9pm; n/c

**COWFISH** Freek-Nite w/SPOC-3PO—9pm; Hip hop, juke house, \$3

**COZMIC** Aloha Friday: Neal Chin & Friends—6pm; n/c

**D'S DINER** Karaoke—9pm; n/c

**DOC'S PAD** Karaoke w/KJ Mike—9pm; n/c

**DOMAINE MERIWETHER** Heavy Chevy—6pm; n/c

**DRIFTWOOD** Karaoke w/Slick Nick—9pm; n/c

**EL TAPATIO CANTINA** Karaoke w/KJ Rick—9pm; n/c

**EUGENE WINE CELLARS** Plays Well w/Others—6:30pm; n/c

**GROWLER UNDERGROUND** You & I, Elizabeth Cable, Jarod Jackson—8:30pm; n/c

**HI-FI** Battle of the Bands: Spectrum Lake vs. Hyding Jekyll—7pm; \$5

**HI-FI LOUNGE** Bustin Jieber, Astro Tan & Thom Simon—10pm; \$5

**HILTON HOTEL** Aftermath—7pm; Jazz, n/c

**JAZZ STATION** Noel Jewkes—7:30pm; \$9-\$12

**JERSEY'S** Karaoke—9pm; n/c

**THE KEG** Karaoke w/Cammi—9pm; n/c

**LAVELLE VINEYARDS** Mike Brewer & Brewketts—6pm; n/c

**LEVEL UP** DJ food stamp—9pm; Rap, breaks, soul, n/c

**MAC'S** The Ty Curtis Band—8pm; \$10

**MOHAWK** Country Wide—9pm; n/c

**NOBLE ESTATE** Skip Jones & Friends—6pm; n/c

**O BAR** Karaoke w/Jared—9pm; n/c

**OKASHIRE** Walker T. Ryan—5pm; Blues, n/c

**O'DONNELL'S** Karaoke—9pm

**OLD NICK'S** Crimson Altar, Gorgon Stare, White Wall—6:30pm; Doom metal, \$5

**PORKY'S PALACE** Karaoke—8pm

**SAGINAW VINEYARDS** Coupe De Ville—6pm; n/c

**SAM BOND'S BREWING** Will Carpenter—6pm; n/c

**SAM BOND'S GARAGE** Tracy Bonham Fine, Dale Bradley—9:30pm; \$10

**SPRINGFIELD CRUISE-IN** Taylor's Crossing—6pm; Rock, country, n/c

**TAYLOR'S** DJ Victor—10pm; Hip hop, dance, n/c

**TERRITORIAL VINEYARDS** Lonesome Randall—7pm; n/c

**TRACKSTIRS** Karaoke w/James—9pm; n/c

**VANILLA JILL'S** Heir to Heartache—8pm; Whimsey & woe, \$5 sug. don.

**WANDERING GOAT** PhiloPhobia, Impulse Control, Purple Frankie—8pm; \$5

**WHITE HORSE SALOON** Karaoke w/Ted—9pm; n/c

**WOW HALL** Music's Edge Summer Rock Camp Show—7:30pm; \$5

## SATURDAY 8/20

**5TH ST. CORNUCOPIA** Tripolee—9:30pm; n/c

**16 TONS CAFÉ** The Traceys—6pm; Soul, n/c

**ATRIUM BUILDING** Blue Crew—7pm; n/c

**AX BILLY GRILL** Peter Giri & Lloyd Tolbert—7pm; n/c

**AXE & FIDDLE** The Bougies, The Big Poppies—8:30pm; Garage rock, blues, n/c

**B&B LOUNGE** Karaoke—9:30pm

**BARN LIGHT EAST** Lori Jean—3pm; Alt-rock, n/c

**BEERGARDEN** Spectrum Lake—7:30pm; n/c

**BLACK FOREST** Eugene Metal Celebration—9pm; Rock, n/c

**CITY NIGHTCLUB** Crystal Harmony Karaoke—9pm; n/c

**COWFISH** Sup! w/Michael Human—9pm; Hip hop, edm, \$3

**CUSH CAFE** Open Mic—2pm; n/c

**DOC'S PAD** Evolve Saturdays—9pm; EDM, hip hop, n/c

**DRIFTWOOD** Karaoke—9pm; n/c

**DUCK BAR** Karaoke w/Bre—9pm; n/c

**DUCK INN** Karaoke—10pm

**EL TAPATIO CANTINA** DJ & Dance Music—9pm; n/c

**EUGENE WINE CELLARS** Guy Russell & Lyn Burg—6:30pm; n/c

**GROWLER UNDERGROUND** Steve Goodbar—8:30pm; n/c

**HI-FI** Battle of the Bands: The Architect vs. Met Diggy—7pm; \$5

**HI-FI LOUNGE** Broncho—10pm; \$7-\$10

**JAZZ STATION** Dawn & Hawkes—7:30pm; \$9-\$12

**MAC'S** Coupe De Ville—8pm; \$5

**MOHAWK** Goshwood—9pm; n/c

**POUR HOUSE** Karaoke w/KJ Mike—9pm

**QUACKER'S** Ladies Night & DeeJay—9pm; n/c

**RASTA PLUS** Open Mic—7pm; n/c

**RAVEN A** Karaoke w/Zach—8pm; n/c

**SAM BOND'S GARAGE** Fresh Inc.: Cypher Fresh, The Reward System, Stryk-9 & 28 the Native, The Cave Dwellers, Fahari Classix—9:30pm; \$5

**SARVER VINEYARD** Mike Brewer & Brewketts—5pm; n/c

**TRACKSTIRS** Karaoke—9pm; n/c

**VANILLA JILL'S** Open Mic—7pm; n/c

**WESTEND TAVERN** Karaoke—9pm; n/c

**WHITE HORSE SALOON** Karaoke w/Ted—9pm; n/c

## SUNDAY 8/21

**AGATE ALLEY BISTRO** Karaoke w/Bre—9pm; n/c

**AXE & FIDDLE** Out to Lunch—8pm; Electrosoul, n/c

**THE BOREAL** Glass Cat, Amelie Prime, Lord Becky—7pm; Post rock, \$5

**COWFISH** Los Domingos Calientes—9pm; Latin, n/c

**CUSH CAFE** Open Mic—2pm; n/c

**THE EMBERS** Karaoke—7pm

**HAPPY HOURS** Crystal Harmony Karaoke—7pm; n/c

**ISLAND HUT** Karaoke—2pm; n/c

**MOHAWK** Karaoke—8pm; n/c

**QUACKERS** Karaoke—9pm; n/c

**RIVER STOP** Open Jam Session w/Brian Chevalier—6pm; n/c

**SAM BOND'S GARAGE** Carissa Johnson, Ellis Moore, Songs by Thom—8:30pm; n/c

**VILLAGE GREEN** Dave Bach—7pm; Guitar, n/c

**WEBFOOT** Karaoke—9pm; n/c

**WOW HALL** Sean McConnell w/Andy Davis—8pm; \$12-\$20

## MONDAY 8/22

**BLACK FOREST** Karaoke w/Cammi—9pm

**BUGSY'S** MondayBug—7pm; Acoustic, n/c

**COWFISH** Gourmet Monday w/Chef Baoteng—9pm; Trap, n/c

**FIRST NATIONAL TAPHOUSE** Open Mic—8pm; Rock, n/c

**GRIDIRON** Karaoke—8pm; n/c

**PORKY'S PALACE** Karaoke—8pm

**ROARING RAPIDS** Sean Peterson, Jason Palmer, Tony Glausi, Josh Hettwer & Torrey Newhart—6:30pm; n/c

**WANDERING GOAT** Singer Songwriter's Open Mic—7pm; Originals only, n/c

## SEATTLE SLUDGE REVIVAL

Sometimes a band's strength lies not in its particular sound but in each player's ability to unite fully behind the sound, to present a single battlefront, to commit individual expression to one common purpose — to communicate, combust and even, at times, self-immolate as a whole.

Hard-hitting Seattle trio **So Pitted** does just that on its impressive Sub Pop Records debut *Neo*. Guitarist-vocalist Nathan Rodriguez tells *EW* his band is "very much a punk band" in the vein of *Bleach*-era Nirvana. *Neo*'s sound also references the myriad side projects of legendary producer and musician Steve Albini.

And Rodriguez even cites the unlikely influence of Janet Jackson and what he calls the "hard, industrial R&B" of the new jack-swing era.

Each member of So Pitted has "different ideas of what a song can sound like," Rodriguez explains, but the final product is sludgy, grimy, brutal and doomy with a sly wink, as if to say, "Look out: We've arrived to tear shit up and have fun while doing it."

Guitarist Jeannine Koewler supplies guitar lines on a nasty low-end, acting almost like a bass. Drummer and vocalist Liam Downey is a passionate lover behind the kit. So Pitted are most formidable when Koewler and Downey lock together in mosh-inducing, militaristic grooves, such

as on "Holding the Void." Throughout, Rodriguez gulps, gargles and barks like a young Kurt Cobain, somehow always managing to stay tuneful.

Rodriguez says signing to Sub Pop still "has a lot of prestige in this [Seattle] area." He adds quickly that So Pitted is still a small band, committed to the DIY ethos of all-ages venues like The Boreal, where So Pitted play this time through Eugene. Rodriguez says he discovered music in venues like The Boreal, which unfortunately have become all too rare around Seattle.

So Pitted plays alongside **Chastity Belt**, **VCR** and **iLee** 7 pm Tuesday, Aug. 23, at The Boreal; \$10, all ages. — *William Kennedy*

