

MUSIC LISTINGS

THURSDAY 11/2

B&B LOUNGE Karaoke—9:30pm; n/c

THE BARNLIGHT Karaoke w/ Breezy Bee—9pm; n/c

BEERGARDEN Hip Billies—7:30pm; folk, blues, n/c

COWFISH 90s Night!—9pm; n/c

DEXTER LAKE CLUB Karaoke w/ Jared—9pm; n/c

HI-FI LOUNGE Go By Ocean w/ Sequel—10pm; indie rock, \$10

HI-FI MAIN HALL Black Dahlia Murder—8pm; metal, \$20-\$25

JAZZ STATION Northwest Guitar Group—7:30pm; jazz, \$12

LUCKEY'S Grateful Dead Family Jam—10pm; dead covers, open jam, \$3

MAC'S Dueling Pianos w/Skip Jones & Hank Shreve—6pm; variety, n/c

MAX'S DJ Victor—10pm; hits, old standards, requests, n/c

MCSHANE'S Acoustic Underground Open Mic—7:30pm; n/c

MULLIGAN'S PUB Karaoke—9pm; n/c

OLD NICK'S Your Hands Write History, When The Broken Burn, Hostages—9pm; post-hardcore, \$5

OVERTIME BAR & GRILL Blues Jam w/Dave Roberts ft. Morgan Cagle—7pm; n/c

SAM BOND'S GARAGE Gramps The Vamp, Spiller—9pm; \$6

SHADOWFOX Open Mic—8pm; n/c

THE SHEDD Keep Your Sunny Side Up: The Music of De Sylva, Brown & Henderson, 7:30pm; \$22-\$30

TERRITORIAL VINEYARDS Heavy Chevy Lite—7pm; n/c

WHIRLED PIES Whirled Music Series ft. St. Germain Street Band—6pm; jazz trio, n/c

WOW HALL Stylust Beats—9pm; EDM, \$10-\$15

FRIDAY 11/3

16 TONS Still Thinking—6pm; n/c

5TH ST CORNUCOPIA Elena Leona Project—9:30pm; n/c

AXE & FIDDLE The Paula Boggs Band—8:30pm; soulgrass, n/c

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

BLAIRALLY Church of the 80s Night w/Chris, Jen & John—9pm; DJ, \$3

BREWSTATION Restless Souls—7:30pm; rock originals & covers, n/c

BRONCO SALOON Karaoke w/ Lindsey—9pm; n/c

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

COWFISH Freek-Nite w/SPOC-3PO—9pm; underground, pop, remix, \$3

DOC'S PAD Karaoke w/KJ Power—9pm; n/c

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

DUCK BAR Karaoke w/Breezy Bee—9pm; n/c

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

EUGENE PUBLIC LIBRARY Calamity Jazz—6pm; Dixieland tunes, n/c

HI-FI MAIN HALL Shook Twins—9pm; folk, \$16-\$20

JAZZ STATION Fresh Ham w/ Fred Wesley—5:30pm; jazz, n/c. Jerry Rempel Jazz Syndicate—8pm; jazz, \$12

JERSEY'S Karaoke w/Sassy Patty—9pm; n/c

KEG TAVERN Karaoke w/J'Lynn—9pm; n/c

LUCKEY'S Ready Steady Soul Club Whole Lotta Soul Dance Party!—9:30pm; rare soul DJs, \$3

MAC'S Daddy Rabbit—8pm; 50s & 60s covers & originals, \$5

MOE'S JAZZ Comedown ft. Barbara Dzuro w/poetry—6pm; n/c

MOHAWK TAVERN Haywire—9pm; country, n/c

NOBLE ESTATE URBAN Jen Sennett Franklin—6pm; blues, R&B n/c

O BAR Karaoke w/Jared—9pm; n/c

OLD NICK'S Northwest Oregon Different Arts & Music Showcase presents the 1st Annual NOADAMS Concert—9pm; \$7

PFEIFFER WINERY RIFFLE—6pm; blues, R&B, rock, n/c

SAGINAW VINEYARD 2 Hot 4 Fido—6pm; country, n/c

SAM BOND'S GARAGE Thee Commons, Holler House—9:30pm; psych, cumbia, punk, \$10

SPFD ELKS BTM Karaoke—8pm; everyone welcome, n/c

TERRITORIAL TASTING ROOM The Miller Brothers—7pm; n/c

WAYWARD LAMB Glamazons Drag Show—10pm; burlesque, cabaret, \$5

WHIRLED PIES Whirled Music Series ft. Peter Almeida w/ MISsING MAsS—6pm; psychedelic rock, n/c. The Grateful Web presents California Kind—9pm; soul, rock, americana, jam fusion, \$17-\$20

WHITE HORSE SALOON Karaoke w/KJ Mike—9pm; n/c

WOW HALL The Russ Liquid Test w/DeFunk—9pm; funk, soul, electro, \$12-\$15

YUKON JACK'S Justin Case—9pm; classic rock, n/c

SATURDAY 11/4

5TH ST CORNUCOPIA Goshwood—9:30pm; n/c

ALESONG BREWING & BLENDING Sometimes Blind—4pm; acoustic, n/c

ATRIUM The Eugene Recorder Orchestra—2pm; n/c

AXE & FIDDLE Go By Ocean—8:30pm; indie, n/c

BEERGARDEN Holler & The Hive—7:30pm; old-time, n/c

BREW & CUE Sassy Patty, BTM Karaoke—9pm; n/c

BREWSTATION Gregg & Johnny—7:30pm; country blues, n/c

BROADWAY HOUSE Greta Matassa—7:30pm; jazz vocalist, \$10-\$15

COWFISH Sup! w/Michael Human—9pm; hip-hop, electro, top 40, \$5

CUSH CAFE Open Mic—2pm; n/c

DOC'S PAD Karaoke w/KJ Power—9pm; n/c

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

DUCK BAR Karaoke w/Breezy Bee—9pm; n/c

HI-FI LOUNGE Pancho Presents: Reptaliens, Surfs Drugs, Karl Blau!—10pm; rock, \$5

JAZZ STATION Idit Shner CD Release Party—7:30pm; jazz, \$12

KEG TAVERN Dance Music w/J'Lynn—9pm; n/c

LUCKEY'S Bad Girls Comedy Show, Midnite Mic—10pm; comedy, burlesque, variety, \$5

MAC'S The Deb Cleveland Band—8pm; classic & contemporary blues, \$6

MCDONALD THEATRE Tyler, The Creator & Taco—9pm; sold out

MOHAWK TAVERN Rockwork Orange—9pm; rock, n/c

NOBLE ESTATE TASTING ROOM Peter Giri & Lloyd Tolbert—6pm; acoustic-electric w/harmonica, n/c

OAKSHIRE PUBLIC HOUSE Jackie Jae & Jason—6pm; harmony driven hits, n/c

OLD NICK'S Caribbean Night w/DJ Crown—10pm; reggae, dance hall, \$3

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

SAM BOND'S GARAGE Casey Neill & the Norway Rats—9:30pm; rock, \$10

SATURDAY MARKET Joshua Caraco—10am; n/c. Rob Tobias—11am; n/c. The Pears—noon; n/c. The Long Hello—1pm; n/c. Grrrlz Rock—2pm; n/c. Kef—3:30pm; n/c

THE SHEDD Ehud Asherie & Hilary Gardner—7:30pm; \$19-\$29

WHIRLED PIES GRRRLZ ROCK FESETIVAL—4pm; Don. Tiffany Wilson Music presents Me & You Tour—10pm; soul, \$7

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

WOW HALL Halloween Freakfest: Maxxy From The Trap, Slimmy B of SOB x RBE, X Slapz—10:45pm; hip-hop, \$20

SUNDAY 11/5

AGATE ALLEY BISTRO Karaoke w/Breezy Bee—9pm; n/c

CENTRAL LUTHERAN CHURCH Dr. Barbara Baird—4pm; organist, \$10-\$20

COWFISH Sun Daze w/Aaron Jackson—9pm; bass, house, club, n/c

CUSH CAFE Open Mic—2pm; n/c

THE EMBERS Karaoke w/Sassy Patty—7pm; n/c

JAZZ STATION Sunday Learners Jam w/Andrew Lion & Negative Press Project—2:30pm; jazz, \$5. Andrew Lion & the Negative Press Project—7pm; \$12

LUCKEY'S The Broadway Revue Burlesque Show!—10pm; variety, \$5

MOE'S Stone Cold JAZZ w/Kenny Reed—6pm; jazz jam, n/c

MOHAWK TAVERN Karaoke w/ Caught in the Act—9pm; n/c

MULLIGAN'S PUB Open mic—8:30pm; variety, n/c

OAKSHIRE DJ Dawn Baby—6pm; 60s soul, n/c

OLD NICK'S A Flourishing Scourage, Divitus, Abiosis—9pm; prog metal, death metal, black metal, \$5

RIVER STOP RESTAURANT River Stop Sunday Jam w/Brian Chevalier—6pm; n/c

SAM BOND'S GARAGE Hot Damn Scandal, Corwin Bolt & the Wingnuts, DiTrani Bros—9pm; blues, americana, \$5

SEASONS BAR & GRILL Karaoke w/Tobey—7pm; n/c

THE SHEDD Keep Your Sunny Side Up: The Music of De Sylva, Brown & Henderson & Tony Glausi w/Shedd Youth Jazz Orchestra—2:30pm; \$22-\$30

UNITED LUTHERAN CHURCH Delgani String Quartet—3pm; classical, \$10-\$25

WEBFOOT Karaoke w/KJ Power—9pm; n/c



EAST L.A. CUMBIA PUNKS

David Pacheco, vocalist and guitarist with **Thee Commons**, discovered cumbia back in the 1980s, when the style took Los Angeles by storm.

"Cumbia music originated from Colombia," Pacheco explains, "from areas of less affluence." The kind of places where, a little like food, you can find world's best music.

Cumbia is rhythmic and danceable. As it spread around Latin America in the '50s and '60s, guitars replaced accordions, and the style melded with rock and surf music. This era also added heavy doses of swinging mid-century kitschy fun to the cumbia sound: a little Ventures, a little Juan Garcia Esquivel and a little Bogota street culture.

"We grew up listening to that music as kids," Pacheco recalls, referring to his childhood with his brother Rene, who plays drums and percussion in Thee Commons. "That's how we came about it."

As can be heard on the band's latest release, *Paleta Sonora*, or "sound palette," Thee Commons put their own twist on tradition. Pacheco says his band's latest release moves the band even further away from traditional cumbia.

"We started to incorporate as many different genres as possible," Pacheco says, "from disco music to banghra music to cumbia to straight-up Beatle-ish rock'n'roll."

Defying expectations is something Thee Commons are used to. Early on, Pacheco says, his band's decision to play cumbia was met with hesitation. "We did it our own way," he explains, recalling that friends said, "You need to work at it."

Thee Commons adopted a punk rock attitude and ignored the naysayers, creating the unique sound they have today: a messy, overheated traffic jam of style and culture that could only come from East L.A.

Catch Thee Commons with excellent Eugene rockers **Holler House** 9:30 pm Friday, Nov. 3, at Sam Bond's Garage; \$10, 21-plus. — *Will Kennedy*