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HANDMADE PEROGIES

SMALL-\$12 LARGE-\$20 12 perogies

INCLUDES A TRADITIONAL COLD BEET SALAD, SAUERKRAUT & DILL INFUSED SOUR CREAM.

LEVEL UP! ADD BACON & SAUTEED ONIONS FOR \$3

THE TRADITIONAL WIZARD PICK

Potato & cheese wrapped lovingly in our delicate secret dough. Simple & comforting. PRO TIP: add bacon & sauteed onions to create the ultimate Wizard fuel.

KICKSTART MY HEARTICHOKE

A Mötley Crüe of ingredients including: artichoke hearts, spinach, roasted garlic, cream cheese & potato.

LE CHAMPIGNON

A mix of seasonal mushrooms, caramalized onions, potatoes, cheddar & roasted garlic wrapped in dough. Super Mario's fave!

THE VEGAN

A faux "cheddar & bacon" perogi made with a traditional Polish dough. Served with a dill cashew cream sauce on the side, WARNING, CONTAINS NUTS!

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COD SAVE THE QUEEN - \$16 WEVE

Atlantic cod and sauteed fennel in a white wine tarragon sauce topped over 5 celeriac and potato perogies. Served with cherry tomatoes and asparagus. A new dish inspired by Chef Sammy's Maritime roots!

USE THE SCHWARTZ - MTL SMOKED MEAT PEROGI DINNER PLATE - \$15

4 mega sized caraway dough perogies with a potato, sauerkraut, chive & garlic filling topped with a generous portion of MTL SMOKED MEAT, swiss cheese, finished with an an in-house made Cognac mustard drizzle. Bonus dill pickle spear on the side.

LITE & FRESH... BRUSCHETTA PEROGIES - \$8.50

4 handmade potato & cheddar perogies topped with Roma tomatoes, red onion, fresh basil & finished with a balsamic reduction. Served on a bed of spinach & arugula.

THE BIG SWEETIE - \$11

4 oversized & absolutely delightful apple/cinnamon/brown sugar dessert perogie. Guaranteed to act as a love potion when you share it with a friend.

THE CHEESECAKE- \$11

4 oversized graham cracker crumb encrusted. cream cheese filled perogies with a mixed berry compote & chocolate infused whipped cream.

WIZARD

HEY OTTAWA - WELCOME TO THE HOUSE OF TARG! We've got a sweet month of arcade action planned for you with exciting new games to explore, delicious varieties of handmade perogies to sample and a calendar packed with every sort of show/event under the sun!! HALLOWEEN is our favourite time of year and we've got some serious fun planned for you - check out our listings and join us!! Thanks for checking out issue 55 of our monthly TARG zine - we hope that you find it useful and entertaining!! Thanks you for your continued interest and support - we are here to serve you!! #nevergiveup#nevergiveup - Yogi

OTTAWA PINBALL SHOW STRIKES BACK! FUNDRAISER WED OCT 17 SPM-11PM PWYC ALL AGES

The annual Ottawa Pinball & Gameroom Show, in it's silent glory (150+ GAMES), had to be torn down having never opened it's doors to the public due to power outages caused by the Tornadoes last month.

Thankfully no one was hurt and no games were damaged but our pal and expo organizer PINBALL JOSH along with some other supporters/partners put down serious dollars to make the show that never happened, happen... So we are having a fun little fundraiser on We Oct 17 to help out. We hope that folks in the pinball community and fans of games can attend to show some support and have fun time doin it

- ARCADE GAMES ON PREEPLAY
- SILENT AUCTION
- KILLER PRIZES
- 31 OFF PEROGIES
- PWYC / ALL AGES WELCOME
- O-TOWN THROWDOWN PINBALL TOURNAMENT
- INTERACTIVE AMUSEMENT GAMES MUSEUM

We will also donating a portion of the funds raised to the Ottawa Food Bank Tornado Relief effort.





TARG JIBBER JABBER

MEET THE GENTLE GIANT

Robert Wadlow "The Giant of Illinois", was famous for being the worlds tallest person in recorded history - he reached an amazing 8' 11" before his death in 1940. **AMSTERDAM 3**

SPEED LAGER aka "The TARG Beer Fridge Giant" has the distinction of being the tallest can we have ever served. This gentle 568ml giant is crisp, light (4.2% AVB) & is only \$6.50 every Thursday! Who says TARG Zine aint no learnin' book with all sorts of informations?





NEW MENU OPTION - VEGAN WIZARD CHILI

TVP loaded & hearty enough to satisfy even the most dedicated meat eater. Have it on its own in a bowl or try it on top of your perogies!
*PRO TIP Tastes great on Traditional or Vegan perogies

BOWL - \$6 | ADD TO PEROGIES \$2



Lots of magic happened at this year Beau's Oktoberfest, especially at the BLACK FOREST STAGE. Birling, Beau's, Vans & House of TARG all joined forces to raise over \$6000 dollars for our fave skateboard charities in Ottawa - Thanks to everyone who donated by to playing "Beat the Wizard" & signing their name on WIZARD1. Perhaps even more magical and bewildering is that not 1 penis was drawn on our 1973 Beetle this year. There is hope!



THE SEGA GENESIS TURNS 30 THIS MONTH

On October 29, 1988 - Sega released the Mega Drive home console in Japan which would be known as Genesis when it was introduced to North America the following year. It has sold over 30 million units and boasts a library of over 900 games including ultra violent & controversial games like Mortal Kombat & some stinkers like SHAQ-FU. Anyhow we know you had one and just wanted to make you feel old.



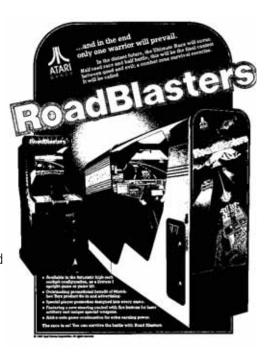
TARG VS THE TORNADO

Last month we set out a few donation jars to help get the OTTAWA FOOD BANK shelves stocked again and you guys really came through to help out with the tornado relief effort by donating \$951 in just one weekend... talk about a high score - way to go Targians!



HOW COULD FREEPLAY SUNDAYS GET ANY BETTER?

Well.....how about we make Jägermeister shots only \$5. Join us for unlimited arcade action every Sunday 8pm - 2am for just \$6.



ARCADE RUMOUR ALERT

There is talk that the 1987 ATARI futuristic warfare driving game ROADBLASTERS is finally coming to TARG this month. This rarely seen cabinet (especially around TARG) is equipped with an ultra cool steering wheel decked out with thumb buttons/triggers & there is only a gas pedal, no brake... who needs to slow down when you can blast through traffic with your laser artillery & special weapons?



BE THE OFFICE HERO: SUGGEST HAVING THE STAFF XMAS PARTY AT TARG

Now is the time to start putting the bug in your office admins ear about having an actual fun xmas party this year. We are already starting to book private parties for the holiday season - so speak up now to avoid the horror of another lame xmas gathering without unlimited arcade action & delicious handmade perogies. Everything they need to know is at www.houseoftarg.com/party





6AME: ARHANOIO 2 YEAR: TAITO 1987 RANH: ★★★★

Taito certainly lives up to its name as far as video games are concerned, and Arkanoid: Revenge of Doh is no exception. Along with Double Dragon (1987), and Chase H.Q (1988), Taito's supremacy can almost give Atari a run for its money.

With its graphics and setting dazzling, Ark 2 starts out like the first Arkanoid, with a story line to boot. It appears that Doh, a dimensional controlling entity, has escaped. To capture this fiend, a new type of vaus (paddle) has been sent to the coordinates of Zark, where Doh was last seen. Players must fight their way through 34 levels of puzzle madness, as new mazes of blocks stand in their way. You can destroy blocks for

points. Watch out for the gold ones, as those cannot be destroyed. And BE CAREFUL! Some blocks, either gold or silver, will move across the screen once hit, which might help or hinder your progress. You'll receive an extra Vaus at 20,000 points.

Even the capsules have received an upgrade

B-BREAK: Provides an emergency exit to clear the present round

C-CATCH: Vans (paddle) catches energy ball and player can shoot it wherever they like.

D-DISRUPTION: Energy ball splits into 8

E-EXPANDS: Expands Vaus horizontally. **I-ILLUSION:** Phantom Vaus reflects energy balls as well.

L-LASER: Vaus shoots laser beams.

M-MEGA BALL: Will break through blocks on its way

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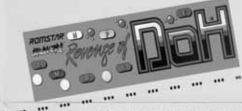
N-NEW DISRUPTION: Energy ball splits and stays at 3 parts.

P-PLAYER EXTEND: Awarded with additional Vaus.

R-REDUCTION: Vaus contracts, but awards twice the points.

T-TWIN: Splits Vaus in two, Finally, laser beams will take out silver pieces, but not the gold ones.

Happy Thanksgiving, gamers! See you next month!



ABOUT PROFESSOR BERNIE
- VIDEO GAME PHD.

He's a TARG fixture & can be found at the TVs watching his beloved Senators or rippin' it up on Classic Vid Games. He's a bit of a "chip-nut" so bring him a bag of All-Dressed and he might give you some valuable vid tips in exchange.

HARSH HALLOWEENS of the 1970's & 80's

In the 70's & 80's there was only one name in Halloween Costumes - BEN COOPER. The company offered kids a chance to be just about any pop culture hero of the day... only problem was they totally sucked! Each box contained a suit - which was basically a garbage bag with the name of what you were supposed to be on it, & a poorly ventilated mask that would make your face sweat profusely (which is how i think acne was invented) + you were lucky if the elastic head-strap survived the nite. Here are some of unusual costume choices Gen X'ers had to make at Kmart back in the day...



CHACHI ARCOLA Fans of Joani Loves Chachi had a very limited window to rock this costume cause the show only ran for 1 season between '82 & '83.



RAMBO
The only way to
authentically emulate Sly
Stallone's non emotive
facial acting is to wear this
mask.



CHUCK NORRIS
Chuck is so tuff he can
make onions cry...
children on the other hand
start crying after wearing
this sauna of a costume
for less than 15min.



THE FONZ Heeey...yourself. Heeey who are you supposed to be again?"





CRAPPY BUNNY
I wore this one year and got beat up by Batman AND Spiderman. Thanks Mom!





PEROGRAM

A GUIDE TO ALL THE CONCERTS TAKING PLACE AT HOUSE OF TARG THIS OCTOBER.

WED OCT 10 - House of TARG presents: Video Game Music Live w/F8-BIT - a cover band dedicated to classic console game themes. The quartet consists of some of Ottawa's highest-scoring jazz players, who owe their quick fingers and epic grip strength to blistering rounds of Super Mario Kart as much as they do to music school. Expect to hear modern takes on the themes from Punchout, Super Mario World, Excite Bike, Mega Man, the Legend of Zelda, Sonic the Hedgehog and many more of your favourite classic console games. These top notch musicians deliver a total K.O every time! ***1\$ OFF PEROGIES FROM OUR CLASSIC MENU! EVERY WED***

THUR OCT 11 - House of TARG and Whitewater Brewing present: GONE IN APRIL w/sg Valfreya + Unknown + Projekt Göthenburg a special weeknight presentation of melodic/symphonic/ metal brought to you by our pals at Chord productions - doors@8pm!! ***EARLY START/ EARLY FINISH***

FRI OCT 12 - House of TARG, Ottawa Synths, Beaus All Natural present: Switched On Synths: KONTRAVOID (Toronto EBM/Industrial) + GLASS APPLE BONZAI (Toronto SynthPop) + THE MARQUIS (MTL DarkWave) + INFINITY'S ASTRUM (Ott instrumental Modular). The forecast for this show???? Some very Dark Synth downpours with a 100% chance of SynthShine.

SAT OCT 13 - House of TARG, Sitting On The Outside and Ashton Brewing present: FLESH RAG w/sg Vanity Phase + Priors + EMPTY NESTERS Don't miss a moment of this stacked punk SUPER bill featuring ex members of all your favourite bands SONIC AVENUES, TV FREAKS, VAPIDS, ZEBRASSIERS, CENTURY PALM and more!!

STOKED

WED OCT 17 - House of TARG and present:
OTTAWA PINBALL AND GAMEROOM SHOW
STRIKES BACK!! Join us for an important benefit/
evening in support of our friends at OTTAWA
PINBALL - sadly their entire show was unable
to open due to tornado/loss of power - all
of our classic arcade cabinets will be set to
FREEPLAY mode with a sweet pinball tournament
happening on the other side of the room - win
great prizes while supporting a special cause!!
FUNDRAISER

THUR OCT 18 - House of TARG and Whitewater Brewing present: THE MOTORLEAGUE + QUIET CRIMES + THE TACO BANDITS. A wildly mixed bill is on the menu with 3 courses served featuring the return of our east coast friends/rockers MOTORLEAGUE - doors@8pm!! ***PUNK/ALT ROCK/SKA***

FRI OCT 19 - House of TARG, Spectrasonic, Beau's All Natural present: MEGATIVE (NYC dub/punk/reggae) + a rare performance by local indie/hiphop heroes ZOO LEGACY + more!! MEGATIVE is an NYC collective of musicians, artists and producers featuring Tim Fletcher (THE STILLS) & Gus Van Go (Me Mom & Morgentaler). Expect the spirit of late-70's UK punk and reggae mixed with today's sense of urgency and foreboding to create a deep, dense, subterranean dub - don't miss this amazing bill!! ***NOT TO BE MISSED***

SAT OCT 20 - House of TARG, Ashton Brewing present: BIG SHINY TUNES LIVE! Red Hot Chili Peppers Episode! VJ SKA JEFF transports you back to the 90's by playing all the best music vids of the day on the big screen a la MUCH MUSIC Plus 2 live sets of RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS mega hitz performed live by PARALLEL UNIVERSE - Canada's best tribute to RHCP ("Flea" even has THE pants) ***TAKE IT AWAY NOW***

MON OCT 22 - House of TARG and First Crush Promotions present: Goodbye Honolulu (Burger Records) + Winona Forever (MTL indie) + Jack Moss (Ottawa DreamPop). - Toronto Slacker Garage Rockers GOODBYE HONOLULU VOKING mix vintage garage rock n roll history with modern elements, it's not exactly pop and it's not exactly punk - expect a wild live show & remember to practice their shout along choruses - doors@8pm!! ***EARLY START/EARLY

TUES OCT 23 - House of TARG presents:
ART D'ECCO (B.C. Neo Glam) + DEUX TROIS
(Kingston Pop) + THE PALE LIGHT (Ottawa
SynthPop). ART D'ECCO is climbing the CBC
Radio3 charts with their David Bowie leaning
memorable tracks all the while fluidly crossing
musical and gender lines - doors@8pm ***NEO
GLAM***

WED OCT 24 - House of TARG and Ottawa Synths present: Switched On Synths: LE PRINCE HARRY (Belgium SynthPunk) + DADA POGROM (Iceland DarkWave) + MARK ii (Ott Nu Disco). A special weeknight edition of Switched On Synths showcasing the best in live synth action and featuring artists from all over the globe!! ***SYNTHTOBER***

THUR OCT 25 - House of TARG and Whitewater Brewing present: THÜNDERKOK W/sg Astral Witch + Roscoe New Wave of Canadian Heavy Metal. Ottawa's most outrageous noize makers - for fans of partying loud! What in gods name will these depraved deviants bring to the stage this time around... Every show is a new adventure in absurdity with a rad soundtrack!

FRI OCT 26 - House of TARG, Spectrasonic and Beau's All Natural present: Halloween Emocore 3: THRICE (Mosely) + JIMMY EAT WORLD (My Friend PJ) + MY CHEMICAL ROMANCE (Slip) + more!! It's that fun time of year where you get to dress up for prizes, eat candy, party & see you fave local bands pay tribute to the EMOCORE bands that got you thru all those tuff times ***COSTUME PARTY***

SAT OCT 27TH - House of TARG presents: WIZARD WORKS Halloween Craft Show - check

out some Ottawa's craftiest vendors in the comfort of our humble arcade!! 2pm - 5pm ***NO COVER ALL AGES***

SAT OCT 27 - House of TARG, Shade Nyx's Theatre of Macabre: BURLESQUE SHOW: Girls! Girls! Girls! And Ghouls! Featuring the super spooky special guest, from Toronto, the LEGENDARY TANYA CHEEX + the best of Ottawa BURLESQUE nite ***GUARANTEED FUN***

MON OCT 29 - House of TARG and Spectrasonic present: KEN MODE (Winnipeg noise/metal) + BIRDS IN A ROW (Laval Hardcore) + HAMN (Ott Grunge) Doors@8pm for this VERY special weeknight presentation featuring JUNO winners KEN MODE - join us!! ***HIGHLY RECOMMENDED***

TUES OCT 30 - House of TARG presents:
DAIQUIRI (L.A electro Glitch Rock) + THE WORLD
PROVIDER (MTL, Synth Rock) + GARBAGEFACE
(Ptbr Doom Rap/Industrial soul) + MC Algoriddemz
(Cybernetic Entertainment unit of the future) super
stoked/bananas for a night of weirdo wonderland
action featuring some of our all time favourites doors@8pm!! ***SYNTHTOBER****

WED OCT 31 - House of TARG presents:
HALLOWEEN KROOKED KARNIVAL - now 20%
more Crooked, The Carnies are back... More
Games of Chance, Insane side shows, Bigger Big
Costume Prizes, New Redemption games - more
fun!! Ottawa's favourite HALLOWEEN experience
featuring carnival game heaven, side shows
and a special MIDNIGHT performance by THE
MISSEDRIFTS Playing all your fav spooky THE
MISFITS tunes ***THE MOST KROOKED SHOW
ON EARTH***

FREEPLAY - EVERY SUNDAY NITE NOW STARTING AT 8PM /19+ - House of TARG, Collective Arts Brewing present: TOUGHEN UP! w/DJ KJMAXX - Every Sunday night DJ KJMAXX & Guests, spinning 100% vinyl arcade jamz. Sleaze rock, Punk, Metal & retro electronic tunes to provide the soundtrack to your highscore pursuits. All pins & vids are set to FREEPLAY mode starting at 8pm for your unlimited arcade pleasure.

FREEPLAY



THE MURDER PLANS – GOOD OMENS RELEASED 2010

RECORDED AND MIXED AT GALLERY STUDIOS MASTERED AT BOVA SOUND

This time, let's take a trip to the not-so-distant past and take a look at what was at the top of my list of local releases in 2010, The Murder Plans LP Good Omens. This was the band's second (and final?) release, following up their self-titled 2007 EP. On this record, the four piece has moved away from the straight-up rock of their debut and produced 11 tracks of introspective, mostly mellow pop/rock, with bits that remind me of Wilco and Nick Cave, with slight traces of Tom Waits, PJ Harvey and even Mazzy Star (that's just me though!).

From the first few rotations of this disc, it is apparent that you are hearing some exceptional songcraft. The band took two full years to record the album, and this time well spent resulted in a meticulously thought out album. The arrangements are tight, melodies are singable but complex, and the harmonies add depth to the tasteful instrumentation. While they do get to let loose on a couple more rock-leaning tracks, the drums and percussion on this album are always propelling the band, even in the guieter



moments. The lyrics are original and require thoughtful listening, and the vocal performances are superb.

The attention to detail on this recording is staggering, with not one note sounding gratuitous or out of place. Overall, the album is somewhat dark and brooding, but the quality of the songwriting and performances make it uplifting at the same time. This is not music to get you pumped for the big game, but it ain't sit in the dark and cry over that lost love type stuff either.

As you've probably guessed by now, I love this album. Do yourself a favour and find a download online, or if you are lucky enough to come across a copy on vinyl don't hesitate. Be sure to give it a first listen through good headphones if you can, it will make you happy.



Larry is one of the owners of Meow! That's
Hot Kitchen + Bar at 519 Bank St., where
they feature local products and spin
Canadian vinyl all day, every day. He also
performs bass duties with local hardcore
heroes Slim and Popular, and rockers
Thunderuncle.







AN INTERVIEW WITH

KIM MOSS

JOB TITLE(S): President of Kamp Operations & Mom

Kim heads up KAMP OPERATIONS, an integral & unique business that helps keep some of our cities most important cultural events running smooth. Not only does her company provide security services (& special portal wizards for TARG), KAMP also offers a robust list of logistics support & volunteer services for large events & festivals including Ottawa Bluesfest, Arboretum Festival, Ottawa Folkfest... if you had fun at it, Kim & her peeps were probably involved.

WHAT JOBS AND EXPERIENCES HAVE LED TO YOUR PRESENT POSITION(S)?

I've always been drawn to events and music and festivals but more so the people and personalities behind the lights and sound and the facade, if you will. Psychology is a passion of mine, in particular the psychology of people and what better place to find such a mishmash of personalities at an event. From the organizers, to the artists, the labourers, security and volunteers. It truly takes all kinds.

WHAT DOES A TYPICAL WORK DAY ENTAIL FOR YOU?

Well, I'm a mom of a 6 and 3 year old as well as a business owner and entrepreneur so I'd best describe my typical day as a juggling act. I work from home most days, so in between doing payroll, wiping butts, scheduling staff, making lunch, talking to volunteers and clients and taking out the garbage, I sometimes manage a little time to crochet a blanket or work on my latest 'paint by number's' project. And then it's

show time when everything I've orchestrated plays out and I get to watch all my work unfold, in the moment, for all it's beauty and chaos. Maybe even have a beer.

TELL US ABOUT A PROJECT OR ACCOMPLISHMENT THAT YOU CONSIDER TO BE SIGNIFICANT IN YOUR CAREER.

Truly, my kids are my greatest accomplishment. They have been and continue to be most significant to my career because when I'm on site at an event and everything feels crazy and the anxiety starts to kick in and I wonder if I'm good enough, smart enough or if doggone it, people like me, I think to myself "at the end of all this, do I still have my kids?" and the answer to that is always yes. That keeps me grounded and sane and focused on my work. That is what allows me to accomplish anything because the thought of them and their future propels me forward. I need both my little girl and my little boy to see a strong woman, on top of it all, taking care of bidness and not lying down when the going gets tough.

WHAT DO YOU LIKE MOST ABOUT WORKING IN YOUR INDUSTRY?

The people, not all the people because let's face it, a lot of people suck. Especially in events. It can be very cut throat and very bottom line and sometimes you have to ask yourself, where is the love but it's there for the most part. It's like going to battle and at the end of the day, you look around and you see your team and they have that same, 'holy crap' look on their face but you know you did it and you know you did it together. And even though you may not see these people every day or even every month, it creates a special bond. It's very meaningful for me.

HOW DO YOU BEST SEEK OUT OPPORTUNITIES FOR NEW PROJECTS?

There's a lot of opportunity for networking at events. Ottawa isn't a huge place. Most people work on more than one event so just getting to know those around you, asking questions, figuring out where you might fit in and knowing what you like to do and are capable of doing is huge.

HOW DO YOU KEEP UP WITH THE LATEST NEWS IN YOUR LINE OF WORK?

Social media is obviously a source for finding out about new events but again, it's all about talking to people and finding out who's dreaming up the next fun thing to work on.

WHAT WOULD YOU TELL SOMEONE ABOUT TO START A CAREER IN YOUR FIELD?

It's Tricky to rock a rhyme, to rock a rhyme that's right on time

It's Tricky, it's Tricky (Tricky) Tricky (Tricky)-[RUN-DMC outro plays]

WHERE CAN WE FIND YOU ONLINE? www.kamp-ops.com

ABOUT THE INTERVIEWER: Sheila is a TARG Perogi Wizard & is heavily involved in the local music scene as a promoter. She is also an aspiring sound tech.



ARDETH'S TOP 5 HALLOWEEN CANDIES

ARDETH is a BIG fan of Halloween - she's usually the hander-outer of candy but she might take a tour this year and has hinted at a TARG appearance...

HERE ARE THE TOP 5 SWEETS THAT GET WIZARD ARDETH ALL JAZZED:

#1 SOUR PATCH KIDS
#2 ROCKETS
#3 M&MS
#4 STARBURSTS
#5 REESE PB CUPS

It's funny she didn't mention those new Gummy Worms she has been going on about... maybe it's cause she only gets them through the mail.

WICKED SHOWS ALERT

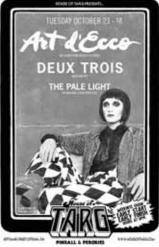
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A stacked bill electronic artist from far and near ... LE PRINCE HARRY (Belgium Synth Punk) + DADA POGROM (Iceland Darkwave) + MARK ii (Ott NuDisco)

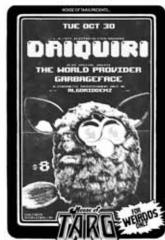
Catch CBC Radio 3 Charting ART d'ECCO fluidly cross musical & gender lines with tunes influenced by BOWIE, VELVET UNDERGROUND & even GRIMES inspired electronica.

Guaranteed fun and mayhem whenever THUNDERKOK take the stage. ASTRAL WITCH from Hamilton will lay down some Doom Metal to round out this Heavy event.









FOR WEIRDOS ONLY CRAPT SHOW An evening on the outter edges of entertainment with an electronic thread loosely holding it all together. Electro Glitch Rockers DAIQUIRI return to give Ottawa one last chance to "get it".



TARG HALLOWEEN The Kooked Karnies are coming back ... to screw you! Bring your "A" game (costume & midway skills) if you want to emerge a winner at the most unusual Carnival around. New games, Side Shows & Classic Carnival prizes.

ACROSS THE STREET BY JOSH STAFFORP



HALLOWEEN MONTH!

or many Mayfair patrons, October is their favourite month of the year. We screen cool horror movies all year long, but of course like to spotlight the genre as all Hallows' Eve approaches.

On the theme of 'I can't believe you haven't seen' essential viewing, the Embarrassing Humans podcast presents the Mel Brooks masterpiece, YOUNG FRANKENSTEIN.

A Company of Fools presents a fundraiser screening of GHOSTBUSTERS. I saw Ghostbusters on the big screen when I was eight years old. I wanted to be a Ghostbuster when I grew up. I still do.

By popular demand, and because the powers-that-be took notice of how great our box office was on the initial run, we are able to host encores of the Nic Cage phenomenon that is MANDY.

Proud to present Ottawa Premieres of two Canadian horror films, KNUCKLEBALL, and THE HOLLOW CHILD.

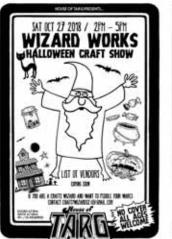
Sadly double bills don't work for the most part anymore. The exception seems to be our annual horror movie double-bill. Get there early, and expect a blockbuster line-up for THE SHINING / THE EXORCIST.

And, the tradition that is the marathon of three nights, and seven screenings of THE ROCKY HORROR PICTURE SHOW, featuring the spectacular Absent Friends Shadow Cast!

For showtimes and other upcoming movies, please visit www. mayfairtheatre.ca



PREMIERES OCTOBER 12



WIZARD WORKS HALLOWEEN

Check out some of Ottawa's craftiest vendors selling unique and inspired items ... just in time for the all important spooky season. Treasures await!



Dear Slo'- My fridge is always full of food that's way past the 'best before' date. My boyfriend says it doesn't really matter but I say "No way, José" (that's his real name!). I want to chuck it out but José says it's still good! Who's right? Please help us figure this out!

Signed, BestB4now

HEY BESTB4NOW: Your boyfriend, José, is right this time! Those best before dates are pretty fake in the first place, but anything in the fridge is good for weeks (and sometimes MONTHS) longer. As I write this column, I'm eating a piece of naan bread that had a best before date of September 1st! That's over 5 weeks overdue! Sure, I feel a little queasy, but there's nothing else in the fridge and my Mom hasn't brought over anything for me to eat lately (or clean this place up!) so what am I supposed to do, you know?

And what if it's in the freezer? Freezers are magic – frozen stuff is good for YEARS! So ignore those pesky best before dates and put everything in the fridge or freezer! You'll thank me for it! Bon appetite, BestB4now

Dear Slo - Why do men always urinate on the toilet seat? Would it kill you guys to lift the seat when you take a wiz? We women put up with a lot dealing with you idiots without having to endure ignorant stuff like this. What the hell is wrong with you and your gender? Are you animals? I don't want to know what you guys are up to in there, but for cryin' out loud, could you at least LIFT the seat before you let 'er fly? I don't think this is asking too much. Signed - PissedOFF

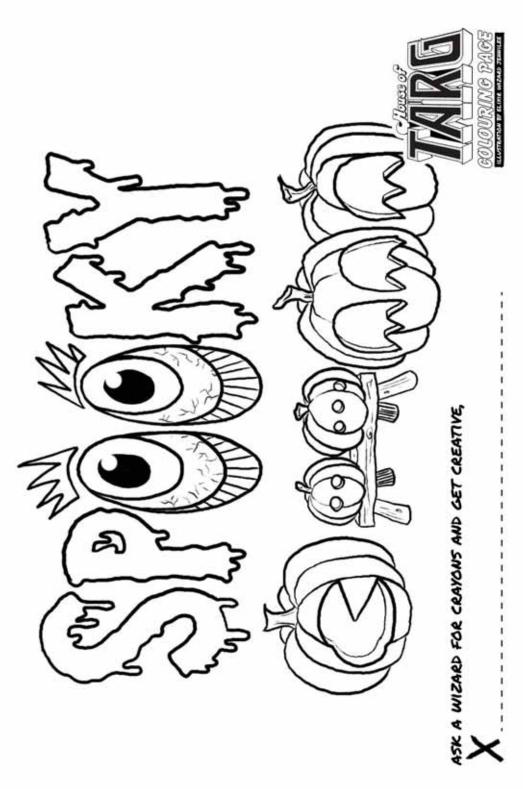
DEAR PISSEDOFF: Thanks for your letter. Many people don't know this, but up until the early 1960's men DID lift the toilet seat before "drainin' the main vein". Guys NEVER use to piss on the seat! That all changed in 1963, however, when the World Health Organization passed a resolution asking - as a fairness to men - that women leave the toilet seat up half the time. Women flat out refused to do this

(there were even violent protests in Washington with women burning toilet seats!). Remember - men only need it down half the time. Women always need it down (unless they're, like, puking or something). So in response to this unfair practice, men ALWAYS purposely pee on the seat if it's left down. The hope is that someday women will come to their senses and leave the toilet seat up at least half the time. Once they do this, men have agreed to stop pissing all over the seat. So the solution to your problem is pretty simple, PissedOFF... either leave the seat up or deal with the consequences! Fair is fair.

P.S. Don't believe me? Check out any men's bathroom. You'll see that we always leave the seats urine free in the upright position. We know exactly what we're doing in there.

Dear Slo - I like your advice column but half the time you just sound like your ranting about whatever stuff is bugging you instead of actually supplying advice! Are any of the questions actually from real people? Or is your column just an opportunity to voice your latest complaints? Signed: ????ingly

DEAR ???INGLY: A lot of my readers have accused me of just making up these letters and that all I really do is use the advice column as a thin disguise to spout whatever half-baked rants come to mind. And you know that buck-a-beer thing? Will they be available in the dollar store? How will that work? How can they make a beer for a dollar when a bottle of water costs more than a buck? What will they make the beer out of? It must be water they can't sell as... you know... water, right? And what about those chemtrails? Did you ever think about those? I mean, if the government can arrange to have all these planes and pilots and airports and maintenance people filling these jets with some kind of secret gas to spray into the atmosphere, wouldn't they just use a gas that isn't visible? Like, why would they use a gas that looks like condensation? I don't get it. And remember when Gary Coleman died? Whatchu'talkin' 'bout, Willis? That was messed up. My dad couldn't believe it. Have you ever been at one of those parties where suddenly you go "YEAH!" and you start running around and spilling everyone's drinks and skipping the record? That's pretty bad ass. Ok, my mom says I have to get off the computer now.



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