

THE SILVER AGE PRESENTS

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LEDGE
HELLO WHIRLED
SUPER JACK

VENUE FEATURE: OVER YONDER

In Memoriam
Mary Elizabeth Grigg



LE DGE

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SPECIES: post-hardcore, grunge, *Crunchy grunge, post-grunge,*
CENTER OF OPERATIONS: Philadelphia, PA *Crunch core,*
DATE OF ORIGIN: November 2022 *hard grunge, hard crunch,*
MEANS OF PRODUCTION: Anthony J. Drexel *post-grunge*
WEAKNESS: unable to rent a car *harder than most grunge)*
MEMBERS: DOM, LUCAS, LYDIA, MADDIE, HARRISON

DOM

AGE: 20

WEAPON OF CHOICE: vocals

KNOWN AFFILIATION: Wildlife Rehab

TRAINING: musical theatre, clarinet lessons

LUCAS, GEORGE

AGE: 20

WEAPON OF CHOICE: drums

KNOWN AFFILIATION: 3R

TRAINING: School of Rock → Miranda Cosgrove ↗
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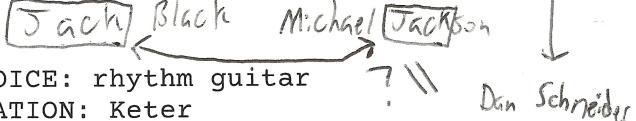
LYDIA

AGE: 20

WEAPON OF CHOICE: rhythm guitar

KNOWN AFFILIATION: Keter

TRAINING: self-taught



MADDIE

AGE: 20

WEAPON OF CHOICE: bass guitar

KNOWN AFFILIATION: Henry Sully

TRAINING: School of Rock, music major
(geology)

HARRISON, GEORGE

AGE: 21

WEAPON OF CHOICE: guitar

KNOWN AFFILIATIONS: Armbite, Men's Volleyball,

Peter Griffin's Chin ↗

TRAINING: music minor

KNOWN TO IMITATE: Super Heaven, Super Chunk, Dave Grohl, Temple of the Dog

WORKS: Gridlock (EP)

- Analog: journey through sexuality, the mental and emotional toll of denial
- Dino: climate crisis
- Pressure: self doubt, pressure from family, not living up to standards
- .gov: transportation Buttigieg!

RELATION BETWEEN MEMBERS: MADDIE and LUCAS met in Seattle, Washington (98XXX). MADDIE, LUCAS, DOM, and LYDIA all enrolled at Drexel University in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (19104). HARRISON was recruited from Haverford, Pennsylvania (19041).

DOGMA: frustration with everything everywhere, including one's self; feeling stuck

RAISON D'ÊTRE: véritable amitié

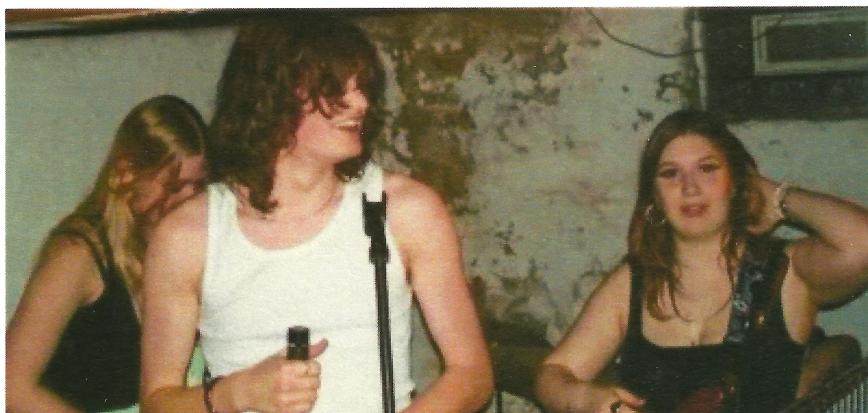
CHAÎNE OPÉRATOIRE:

1. LYDIA writes a riff
2. LUCAS adds a beat
3. MADDIE smashes pumpkins
4. DOM hums over instrumental, writes lyrics and melody
5. HARRISON tinkers and shreds

LAST KNOWN WHEREABOUTS: The Ankle Pit, 06/28/2024

LIKELY NEXT MOVES: working on a new song to be released either as a single or as part of a larger work.

UPCOMING SHOWS: July 23rd at Drexel



Hello Whirled

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SPECIES: lo-fi indie rock

CENTER OF OPERATIONS: Philadelphia, PA

POWERHOUSE OF THE CELL: BEN SPIZUCO

AGE: 25

GENETIC MATCHES: DAN SPIZUCO (exact)

AFFILIATIONS: Bushworms, Crawling Visitors,
Embalming Druid

WEAPONS OF CHOICE: guitar, vocals, bass, drums,
keyboard

KNOWN BACKGROUND: 8 years of guitar lessons, minor
in music technology

MOTIVE: fulfillment and life affirmation of new
songs and ideas

HABITS OF COMPOSITION: DAW* + guitar; iterative
recording; lyrics sometimes one line at a time

HABITS OF LEISURE: Dragon Quest, Unicorn Overlord

KNOWN TO IMITATE: Robert Pollard/Guided by Voices
(primary), Wire, Deerhoof, Mt. Airy

DOGMA: dangerous politics destroying the world;
feeling unequipped to deal with the world

RECENT WORKS: Big Little Things, Fractions of
Worlds, Jack of Legs, The Ocean on Fire, etc.

LIKELY NEXT MOVES: 50th Album comprised of 50
songs, coming August 2024

SO ALBUMS = 50 SONGS = 50 STATES = PUERTO RICO IS NEXT



*Destroy All Worlds? Democrats And Republicans? Don't Ask Why?

SUPER JACK

ig: Superjackattacks | Superjack.neocities.org

SPECIES: post-punk, r&b

CENTER OF OPERATIONS: Central NJ

CHRISTIAN NAME: [REDACTED]

ALTER-EGOS: Tempest Ravyn (former), Regular Jack

AGE: 24

WEAPONS OF CHOICE: guitar, vocals, keyboard
(prefers synth), bass, drums

KNOWN BACKGROUND: journalism, guitar and piano
lessons, music production major

MOTIVE: make people feel less strange and alone,
easy means of self-expression

HABITS OF COMPOSITION: pass music around to
collaborators; spur-of-the-moment lyrics

HABITS OF LEISURE: unfortunately, no

GOODS AND SERVICES: music production for others

KNOWN TO IMITATE: Beck, Gorillaz, David Bowie,
Talking Heads, Brian Eno, Prince

DOGMA: depression, [paranoia], overthinking, the
weather, long-lost love

RECENT WORKS: Tempest Ravyn & the Coming Winter,
Trans-Atlantic Test Flight, Super Jack Eats the
Mind!, [Hiding in Plain Sight], etc.

LIKELY NEXT MOVES: album to be released in the
coming months, new music videos

↳ He makes the
Myth



Venue feature **OVER YONDER**

ig: @Overyonder.phl

CENTER OF OPERATIONS: North Philadelphia

PAST LIVES: Blacklight

ORGANIZERS: ARIEL, VIVIAN, MERRITT

ARIEL

AGE: 24

IMPETUS: wanted to become **deeply** involved in the
DIY* scene

FAVORITE FEATURE: Maryland flag **in** the bathroom



VIVIAN

AGE: 23

IMPETUS: persuaded to get involved by Ariel

FAVORITE FEATURE: lighting throughout **the** venue,
the bar, the Obitchen

MERRITT

AGE: 20

IMPETUS: swept up by roommates

FAVORITE FEATURE: the **basement**

*Dream, Imagine, Yearn



MERRIT, VIVIAN, ARIEL

FRONT: Smog Emissions Check Station

GENRES: any and all

AFFILIATED ACTS: No Coast (ARIEL) *iViva Bolivia!*

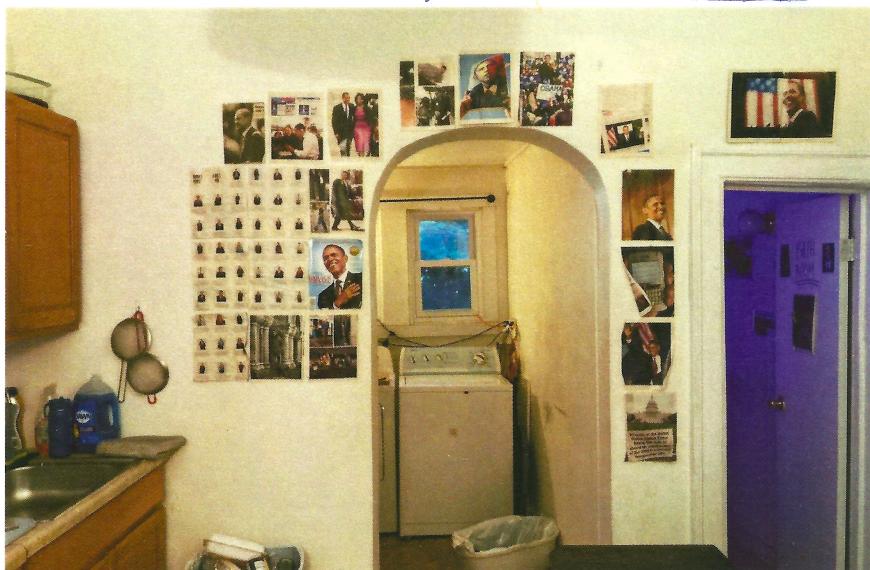
BOOKING METHOD: Instagram DMs*

ACCESSIBLE VIA: Broad Street Line

PROVISIONS: free water for all; emergency sugar and toast

MUSES OF DECOR: Thunderbird Salvage, seltzer, Mary Elizabeth Grigg (deceased)

*Dungeon Master? Drum Major? Drug Mule



"The Obitchen"

4 More Years!

FIRST CONTACT: ARIEL and VIVIAN met at the first DIY* Superbowl (July 2021). VIVIAN and MERRITT met in the bathroom line at a show (n.d.). VIVIAN later invited MERRITT to move in (Spring 2022).

CONCEPTION: VIVIAN wanted to throw a party and asked ARIEL to borrow PA* speakers. ARIEL convinced VIVIAN to run a house show instead.

GESTATION: ran Blacklight from November 2021 until moving; looked for a new place ideal for shows

DATE OF BIRTH: August 26th, 2022

APPELLATION PROCEDURE: months of deliberation, then a last-minute pick right before the first show

*Don't IMMUNIZE yet

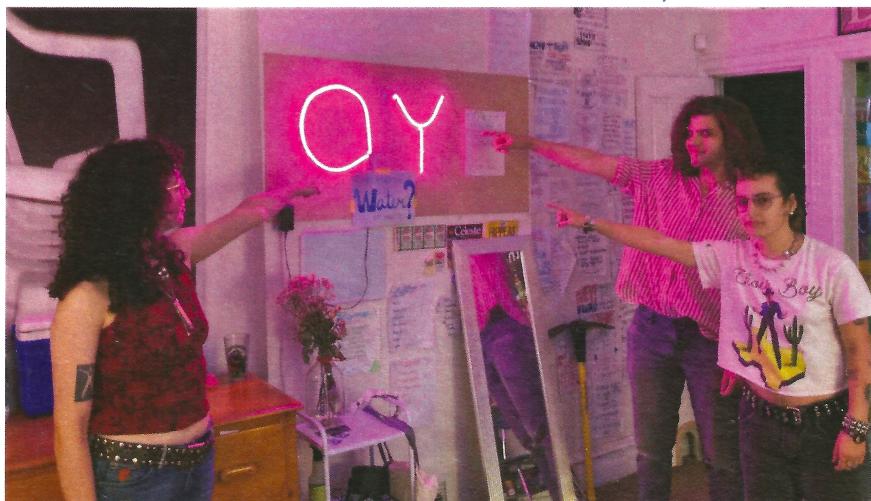
**Pennsylvania*

ARCHITECTURAL BOONS: non-resident-facing backyard entrance, multiple chillable spaces, music side of basement is away from street, basement stairs are away from music

CLASSIFIED TECHNOLOGIES:

- acoustic dampening (>800-1000 Hz)
 - wall-to-wall carpeting ↔
 - floor-to-ceiling moving blankets ↑
- PA* system
 - subwoofer
 - backline miked to project over crowd
- suppliers
 - Facebook Marketplace
 - thrift stores
- air quality
 - Corsi-Rosenthal box
 - fans (multiple)
 - occasional shopvac

*Pennsylvania



"OY"

243+3

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ZENITH: 4333 Collective show in October 2022,
featuring Kerosene Heights, Cali Cousins, HC
Behrendtsen, Gre/ay, and Kicker

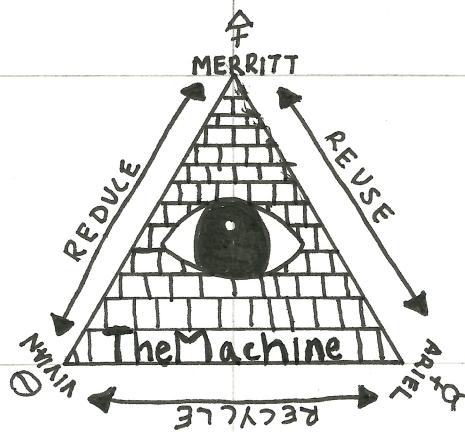
NADIR: MERRITT was throwing a rave in January 2024;
location fell through, couldn't find the backup
spot. ARIEL became lost in the woods. Moved the
show to OVER YONDER at T-2 hours, then ~150

ravegoers descended on the property. Nightmare procedures activated.

MESSAGE FOR US: "Most people involved in this scene are not from North Philly. The Temple DIY*scene takes away from the local community; try to give back instead. Clean-ups, food drives, etc. Be aware of the fact that we are transplants."

UPCOMING SHOWS: July 19th, 2024

* Donald Is You



Upcoming Shows at the HQ

July 27th
Theme: The War on Terror

August 24th
Theme: Oldies

September 28th
Theme: Space Race

Doors at 7, Music at 7:30

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