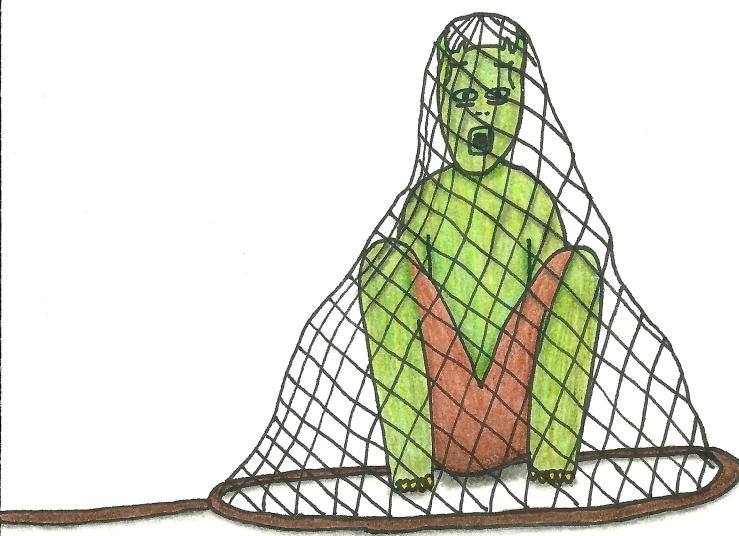


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THE SKIRTS

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SPECIES: alternative rock, psychedelic soul

CENTER OF OPERATIONS: Philadelphia, PA

COMMANDER: ERIN

WEAPONS OF CHOICE: guitar, piano, vocals

LANDS AMONG: Stevie Wonder, Kings of Leon, Queens of the Stone Age *wilma jean*

ORBIT INSERTION: their mom played by ear at church; when they got a keyboard at home, they learned they had her gift; started writing songs at age 15

CHRISTENING: while working at a summer camp, they doodled a pink bird with spiky hair and a choker in space and vowed to name a future project after it

CREATURES: Miss Fine Ginuwine (cat)

COMFORTS: YouTube let's plays, spicy food, frogs, family, feeling warm, tea

DISCOMFORTS: inauthenticity, being too cold

FLIGHT PLAN: Writes on guitar or piano first, then lyrics emerge. Adds drums last. Uses Pro Tools to record; keeps mistakes in when a take is good.

FUELED BY: anime, video games, being by water

DOGMA: love, life events, one dance song per album

MOTIVE: music chose them; making music is innate

LIKELY NEXT MOVES: new album coming out 2026

UPCOMING SHOWS: April 12th, 2025 (The Grape Room)



the Skirts

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SPECIES: pop songs with folk-punk sensibilities

CENTER OF OPERATIONS: Philadelphia, PA

LOCUS NATIVITATIS: Boston, MA

ESTABLISHED: 2015

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AFFILIATED ACTS: Dear Future Archaeologists

MEMBERS: IVY, LO, VIOLET

IVY

WEAPON OF CHOICE: violin

SKIRT YEARS: 1.5

HOBBIES: piano composition, chess

INTERESTS: piano repair

COMFORTS: coffee, inventory management and
wealth accumulation in RPGs

DISCOMFORTS: waking up early

MOTIVE: uses music to process experiences

LO

WEAPONS OF CHOICE: bass, vocals

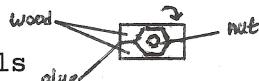
SKIRT YEARS: 6

HOBBIES: building things (including the banjo
bass she plays)

COMFORTS: listening to music on YouTube in the
Firefox mobile browser with an ad blocker

LATEST UNDERTAKING: harmonium repair

DISCOMFORTS: when her hands and feet are cold
MOTIVE: visual art is too hard



VIOLET

WEAPONS OF CHOICE: guitar, glockenspiel, vocals

SKIRT YEARS: 10

FIELD: fashion

HOBBIES: embroidery, crafts

COMFORTS: TV on demand, her wife

DISCOMFORTS: uncertainty, being sweaty

CURRENT OBSESSION: Project Runway reruns

MOTIVE: is no good at sports

FASHIONED AFTER: Jeff Rosenstock, Mischief Brew, Americana, every genre that has ever existed

EFFICIENT CAUSE: VIOLET formed the band because she was sick of being a solo act. Originally, the lineup was bass, guitar, and drums; when they needed a new bassist, VIOLET asked LO to join. In 2022, VIOLET and LO moved from MA to PA, and IVY joined on lead violin.

NAME GAME: name came to VIOLET in a flash; she liked it because it's edgy, cute, and twee

CREATURES: Jessica (tabby cat), Mara (black cat), Girl (IVY's tuxedo cat living in NY)

DESIGN: VIOLET starts with a song idea and comes up with roughly two verses, a chorus, and bridge. She writes based on her life, her friends' lives, and fictional narratives, and keeps a list of lyrical snippets in her notes app.

CUTTING: VIOLET brings a song to LO, who helps tie the pieces together, and they collaborate on the arrangement.

STITCHING: They show the song to IVY, who adds a lead part inspired by the song's themes.

PACKAGING FOR DISTRIBUTION: They record tracks with a Scarlett 2i2 in The Skirts' Headquarters (LO and VIOLET's basement)

DOGMA: religiosity, redemption, persevering through weariness, dark themes with a light sound

LIKELY NEXT MOVES: releasing their upcoming album Call Someone Else!, burning CDs

UPCOMING SHOWS: March 15th, 2025 (The Garden House)



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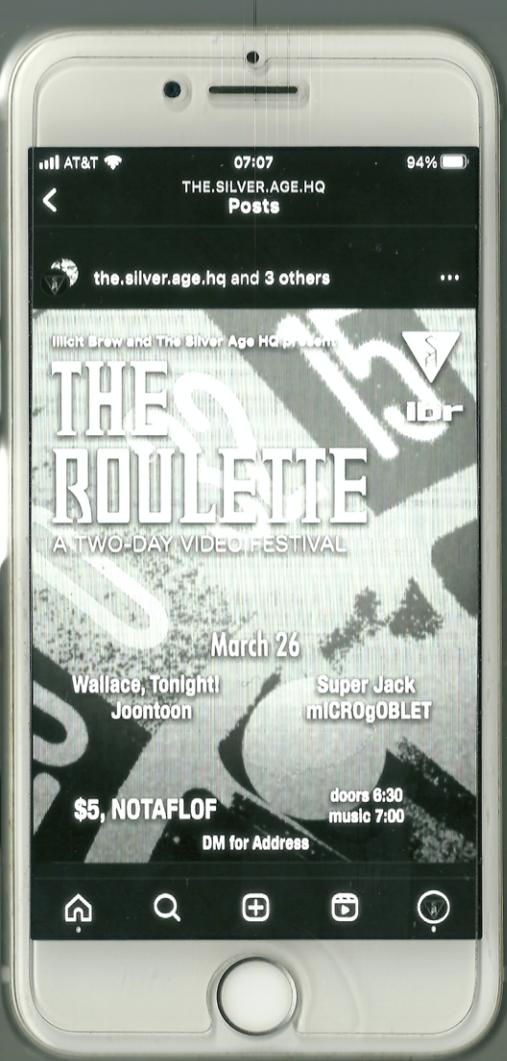
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Upcoming Shows at the HQ

March 15th, 7:30 pm
Guest Show: miau

March 22nd, 7:30 pm
Theme: Madness

March 25th & 26th, 7:00 pm
The Roulette

March 28th, 7:30 pm
Guest Show: Alaska's Angels

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