



## COMMUNITY

### 🌟 IC Community Update: SXSW Edition

ft. your SXSW showcases and panels, a 25th Anniversary Braid release, new music from Madge, Mandy, Indiana, and mui zyu, new catalogs + signings, an Alvvays and Alex G co-headline tour, shows, & more!



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Howdy y'all and welcome to bumper edition of our IC community updates, packed to the rafters with your SXSW showcases, new music releases and artists on tour.

*As usual, if you're an IC catalog/creator and have any news you'd like featured, just reply to this email and let us know!*

## **SXSW SHOWCASES**

Sadly we won't be there IRL this year, but a lot of you folks will be! Here's a fun lil graphic we made to help you mark your calendars.





Mar 13, 2023  
4pm - 5pm CT

**MORE INFO**

aim panel  
*how to ethically game a release*  
austin convention center  
4pm - 5pm

**Human Connection**

WITH ANDREW JERVIS  
HEAD OF ARTISTS AND LABELS, AND  
AMIT NERBURKAR (HIP-HOP AMBASSADOR)

2:30PM - 4:00PM CT  
TUES MAR 14  
JW MARRIOTT, ROOM 203-204

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bandcamp  
*use bandcamp tech to make that human connection*  
jw marriott room 203-204  
2:30pm - 4pm

tuesday

**Y'all Ball**

GRACE GARDNER  
SUDDANIELS  
MADISON HAKER  
KINDRETT  
HEAR HER COOK

ALL + BLK VINYL + \$5  
2594 E VTH ST  
MARCH 15 + 12-1030 PM

-VENDORS

weird sister y'all ball  
blk vinyl  
12pm

the bandcamp meet up  
hilton austin downtown  
room 408  
2pm - 3pm

secretly distribution  
in-store performances  
end of an ear  
1:30pm

captured tracks &  
sinderlyn presents  
the creek and the cave  
8pm

a2im official showcase  
seven grand whiskey  
8pm

# wednesday 15th

**The Bandcamp Meet Up**

TAKE A SIX BREAK AND  
COKE AND MEET TONIGHT ON BANDCAMP  
WE'D LOVE TO HEAR ABOUT YOUR MUSIC  
AND GET YOUR FEEDBACK ON BANDCAMP

2PM - 3PM CT  
WEDS MAR 15  
HILTON AUSTIN DOWNTOWN ROOM 408

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**CAPTURED TRACKS** PRESENTS  
& SINDERLYN

**The Creek and The Cave**

8-9PM: **SECRETLY DISTRIBUTION** / **THE CREEK AND THE CAVE**  
9-10PM: **SECRETLY DISTRIBUTION** / **THE CREEK AND THE CAVE**  
10-10:30PM: **SECRETLY DISTRIBUTION** / **THE CREEK AND THE CAVE**

**OFFICIAL SHOWCASE**

TITA  
KATE DAVIS  
BILFILLIAN  
BABY ROSE  
OVERCOATS  
SEVEN GRAND WHISKEY

8PM

**SECRETLY DISTRIBUTION**  
3000 WILSON CENTER

**END OF AN EAR**  
FREE IN-STORE PERFORMANCES & SHOWCASES

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15TH

3:30-4:00 **MUI ZYU**  
FATHER DAUGHTER RECORDS

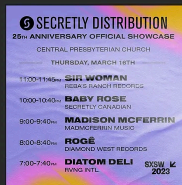
2:30-3:00 **JACKIE MENDOZA**  
23 RECORDS

1:45-2:15 **CONSTANT SMILES**  
SACRED BONES RECORDS

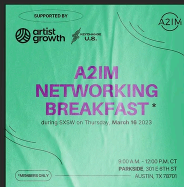
1:00-1:30 **MORIAN BAILEY**  
REBEL SCALES

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# thursday 16th



**a2im networking breakfast**  
parkside  
9am - 12pm



**secretly distribution 25th anniversary showcase**  
central presbyterian church  
7pm

**don giovanni showcase**  
13th floor  
7:30pm



# friday 17th



**father/daughter & bayonet showcase**  
vaquero taquero  
8pm

**ari's take x labelcoin**  
half step  
8pm



kill rock stars showcase  
/ cheer up charlies  
8pm - outside  
8:20pm - inside



## NEW IC CATALOGS

Maybe it's the Q1 Special, maybe it's the new lower pricing, maybe it's this newsletter — whatever it is, we've added more new catalogs in the past few weeks than any period in IC history. Thrilled to welcome these new faces!

**Born Yesterday Records** is a Chicago-based label, founded by Kevin Fairbairn and Greg Obis, that's released records by the likes of **Lifeguard**, **Moontype** and **Lawn**.

**Hydration Records**, a Gospel R&B label from the UK who started out as a blog and [YouTube channel](#) (which now has over 196k followers!)

**Enabler Records**, a record label based in Wakefield, Quebec, run by musician Andrew Johnston.

**Drilo's Den**, an Orlando-based boutique record label and music production house, with artists including **Big9Dawg**.

**NOS (No One's Safe) Recordings**, a new label from one of the owners of **Sleeping Giant Music**, who just released their first single - *Story of My Life* by **Freshcobar & Lavelle Dupree**.

**Dalliance Recordings**, a record label that was originally set-up in 2017 to release

the debut album from Brooklyn's **Wilsen** and now includes **Gia Margaret**, **Common Holly** and **HighSchool** on its roster.

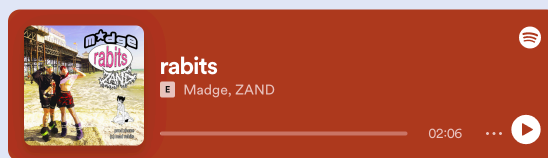
**Reggae Library**, a London based reggae catalog run by **Curtis Lynch Junior**, also known as **The Grynch**, a British record and dancehall producer (including for **Gorillaz!**), who also runs **Necessary Mayhem Records**.

And last but not least, **Jigsaw Music Group Ltd**, a music publisher who've been around since 2016 and are based in the South East of the UK.

## NEW RELEASES

Here's a round-up of what you've been announcing and putting out over the last couple of weeks!

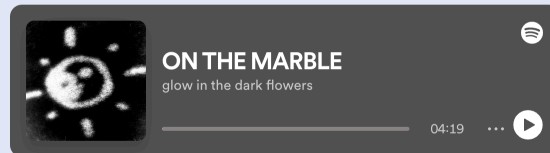
💡 **Weird Sister** released the new **Madge** track *Rabits*, which premiered at #1 on Spotify's Hyperpop playlist. Check it out [here](#) or preview below:



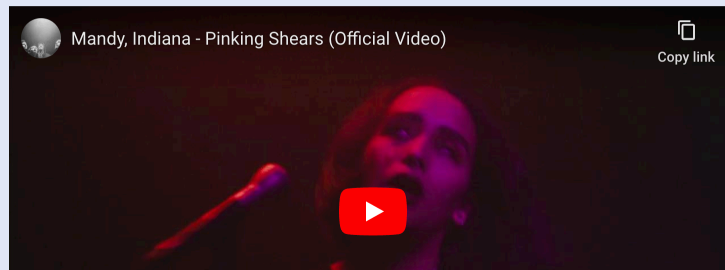
💡 **H1 Massive** is putting out the new **Billy Botox** track *Lucky Day* "a hip hop track that is a rally call for never giving up on yourself". Check it out when its released on

13th March!


💡 **Born Yesterday** announced they've signed **Glow In The Dark Flowers**, and will release their [self titled debut](#) LP in April. Buy [here](#) or preview below:



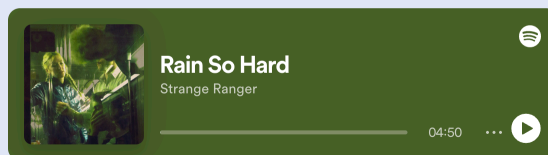
📺💡 **Fire Talk** announced that *i've seen a way*, the debut record from **Mandy, Indiana** is coming out May 19th. The long awaited release was recorded in caves, crypts, and shopping malls and is available to pre-order on purple swirl vinyl, trad black wax and CD [here](#). Check out the video for the lead single from it, *Pinking Shears*, below:





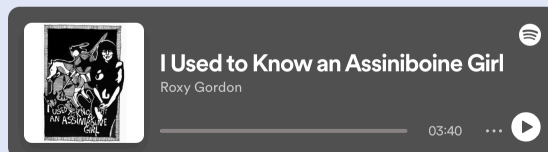
Watch on  YouTube

They also released the new **Strange Ranger** single *Rain So Hard*. Listen below and check out details of their US tour later in the email.



💡 **Paradise of Bachelors** announced a partnership with the estate of **Roxy Gordon**, poet, journalist, visual artist, American Indian Movement activist, and musician. Their reissue campaign begins on May 12 with Gordon's private-press album (and accompanying poetry chapbook) from 1988, *Crazy Horse Never Died*

Listen to a track from it, *I Used to Know an Assiniboine Girl*, [here](#)/preview it below:



💡 **Overseas Artists Recordings** put out *Manchaca Volumes 1 & 2* by **Boogarins** as a

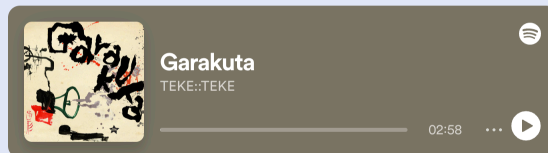
double album on vinyl, CD, cassette and digital, over [here](#)

💡 **Double Double Whammy** announced *Could Have Done Anything*, the fifth full-length album by Toronto's **Charlotte Cornfield**. Pre order and check out lead single *You and Me* [here](#)

💡 **Father/Daughter** released the debut album from **mui zyu**, *Rotten Bun for an Eggless Century*. Check out an album that's "pop at its disarming, melodic, weird, folkloric, and wild best", and surely an early contender for album cover of the year. Buy it [here](#) and check out the cover art by [Clio Isadora](#) in all its glory below...

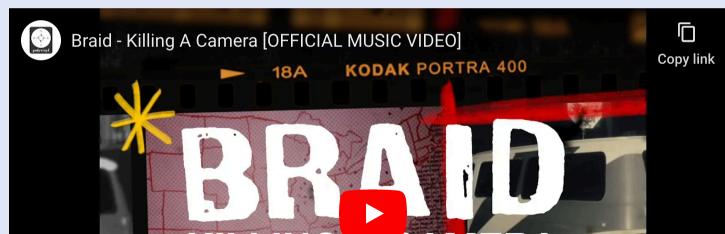


🔔 Kill Rock Stars band TEKE::TEKE (one of our favorite's from last year's Great Escape!) announced a new album *Hagata*, as well as releasing new single *Garakuta*. Check that out below or pre-order the album (due June 9th) [here](#).



🔔 Joyful Noise released the new *Kishi Bashi* single *Winter's Eve*, available [here](#) on a limited edition lathe cut 7".

🔔 Polyvinyl are releasing a 25th Anniversary Edition of the legendary Braid album *Frame & Canvas*. They also created a video for the track *Killing A Camera*, using archival footage of the band, which you can check out below:





## NEW SIGNINGS

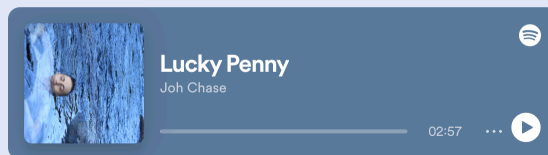
Raw Tapes introduced the newest member of their family, **Shir Frum**. She wrote her first song *Heaven* in first grade and now self-described her music as 'elegant indie'. Check her out or pre order the record [here](#).

Kill Rock Stars welcomed prolific independent artist and activist **Ryan Cassata** to their family and shared the video for debut single *if you ever leave long island*, which you can watch below or listen to the song [here](#).



Watch on  YouTube

They also added **Joh Chase** to their roster, announcing the partnership with the single *Lucky Penny*, which you can listen to [here](#) in full and preview below:



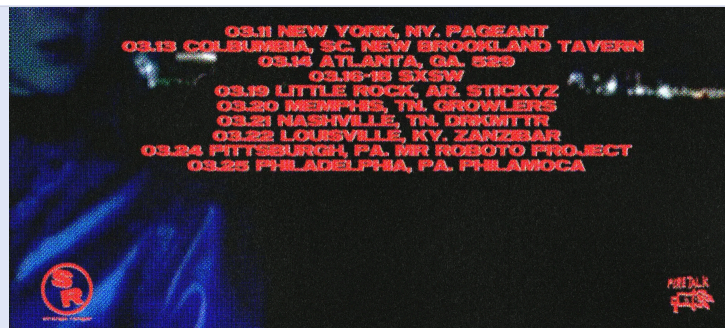
GRADUATION\* announced that [Saint Levant](#) has joined their family! Following his global hit and multilingual rap song *Very Few Friends*, he just dropped his debut EP *From Gaza With Love*.

## SHOWS, TOURS + EVENTS

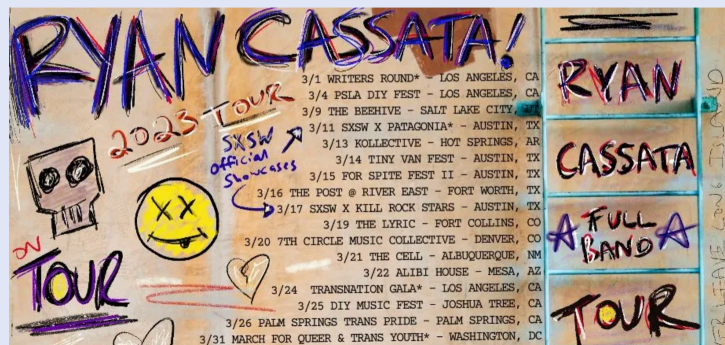
 **Strange Ranger (Fire Talk)** start their tour this weekend in New York







🇺🇸 The aforementioned Ryan Cassata (Kill Rock Stars) just started their tour, including showcases at SXSW on 11th and 17th of March. Tickets available [here](#)





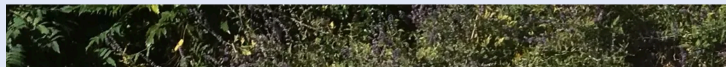
🇺🇸 Alvays (Polyvinyl) and Alex G (Domino) are co-headlining a summer tour:





AUGUST	23	BROOKLYN, NY	PROSPECT PARK
AUGUST	25	BOSTON, MA	LEADER BANK PAVILION
AUGUST	26	PHILADELPHIA, PA	DELL CENTER
AUGUST	28	TORONTO, ON	THE BUDWEISER STAGE
AUGUST	30	DETROIT, MI	ROYAL OAK
AUGUST	31	PITTSBURGH, PA	STAGE AE
SEPTEMBER	01	BUFFALO, NY	ART PARK

🇬🇧 Sun June (Keeled Scales) are doing a full band tour of the UK in May! [Tickets](#)





**SUN JUNE  
SOMEWHERE IN THE UK  
FULL BAND TOUR 2023**

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- 9/05 Bristol**
- 12/05 London**
- 14/05 Leeds**
- 16/05 Manchester**
- 17/05 Edinburgh**
- 18/05 Glasgow**



That's it for this one! Safe travels to SXSW and we'll catch you soon.

Adam & the IC Crew

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