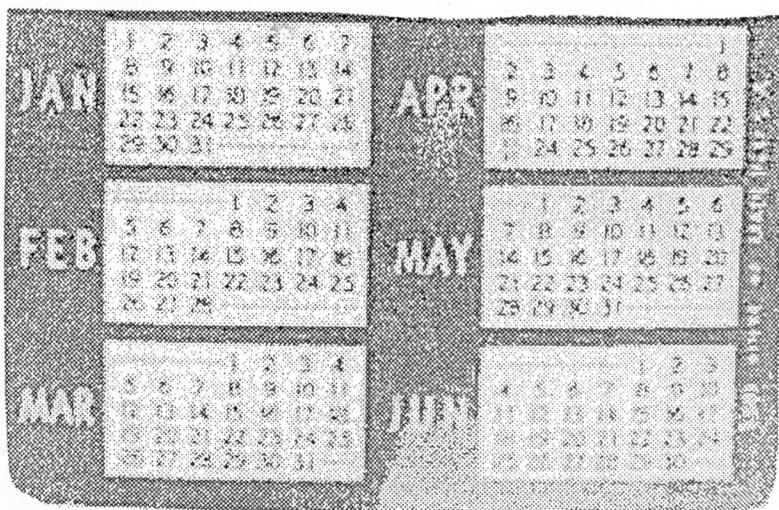


# A HOW TO GUIDE ON STARTING A D.I.Y. EVENTS CALENDAR (in your town)



# INTRODUCTION

i was first introduced to the idea of a "do it yourself events calendar" while visiting bloomington, indiana. they make a monthly calendar called "let's go!" that lists different punk shows, pot lucks, bike rides, movie screenings, and more. it was a great way to visit a new place and have "hey, what's going on while i'm here?" answered so easily. it was also a good feeling to have a piece of paper in my hands, rather than be recommended a website or message board to search out local events. as i traveled more, i noticed that people in other cities had similar projects.

## THE BEGINNING

in 2004 my friend mary started a little events calendar in pittsburgh, pennsylvania called "do it!". it listed different events happening over the winter. the calendar didn't last for long, just a few months. it wasn't until spring 2007 that i decided to get some people together and start up the "do it!" calendar again. it seemed like so many things were happening in pittsburgh and it was hard to keep track of them all! most people looked to the internet. personally, i found that frustrating. i wanted to produce something tangible that could be hung on walls and refrigerators. i wanted to list all kinds of events and hopefully stir an interest beyond one's regular comfort zone. it seemed like there were so many different groups of people all with the same interests: doing things yourself, seeing live music, free events, cheap food specials, crafting, etc.

maybe the calendar would bring tribes together? was i being too idealistic? it didn't matter, it was an idea that i cared about and did my best to make happen.

DO IT!

diy punk-activist-whatever events

BOOK 12

BOOK 'EM"  
books to prisoners  
packs books every  
wednesday 6pm at  
the thomas merton  
center

FREE RIDE  
recycle-a-bike shop  
tue 5-9pm  
thu 5-9pm  
sun 1:30-5pm  
at the multitool

FOOD NOT BOMBS  
serves tasty free  
vegan meals wed 6pm at  
"the wall" in oakland  
sun 2pm at market square  
downtown



RADIO SHOWS:  
on wrcr 88.3 fm:

CHICK PEA with  
miss mary mack  
sun late nite  
1-3am

BAGLADY with  
andalusia  
mon late nite  
midnite-2am



Sparklepussy Castle:

4906 Yew St. Bloomfield  
412-621-6381

Juniper House:

4739 Juniper St, Bloomfield  
412-803-7082

The Roboto Project: 724 Wood St. Wilkinsburgh, Pa  
412-247-9639

MORE STUFF LIKE THIS → [www.thebotoproject.org](http://www.thebotoproject.org)

The Multitool (Big Idea Bookstore & Free Ride)  
722 Wood St. Wilkinsburgh, 412-247-9639

Project 1877: 4805 Penn Ave. Garfield  
412-363-1877 [www.1877.org](http://www.1877.org)

hey, this is the seat-of-the-pants get this thing going version---I know it's far from comprehensive, so please get in touch to list yer event for december---especially free, community-building-style fun times, yeah. call 412-621-6381 or email chick\_peak@erowall.com  
thnx and up the punx

"do it!" november 2004 by mary mack  
pittsburgh, pa

## GETTING THINGS STARTED...

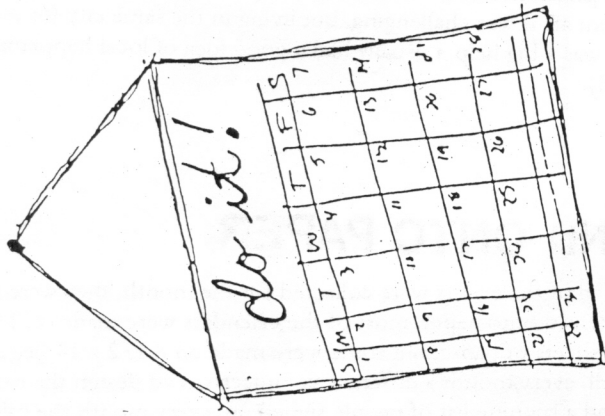
the first step was letting people know about the calendar. i made small handbills encouraging people to describe events that they knew about/were promoting all to one e-mail address. the fliers also encouraged people to get in touch if they wanted to help out with the calendar itself. the response was good, there was a group of about 5 people that seemed fairly committed to the idea. some people were into distributing the calendar, others wanted to make the artwork, and some agreed to send out mass e-mails to everyone they knew encouraging them to submit events. despite the group effort, the list of events was still a little thin. this got me searching out events in the city: looking at fliers in windows, scanning the internet, and talking to event promoters in town. this ended up being the most daunting task of them all. it was challenging, but living in the same city for so many years was a big help. i usually had a good idea of local happenings already.

## ...AND ONTO PAPER

once all of the events were collected for the month, they were then transferred onto paper. most of the calendars were made on 11 in x 17 in sheets of paper, but some were made on 8 1/2 x 14 (legal sized) as well. every month a different volunteer would design the calendar. we had a running list of people signed up. every month the calendar looked different: sometimes all handwritten and drawn, sometimes made on a computer, other times a little bit of both. a mission statement about the project and the name "do it!" always appeared on them, along with contact information.



original "call out"  
handbill used to  
promote "do it!"



DO IT! IS A MONTHLY EVENTS CALENDAR  
FOR THE PITTSBURGH D.I.Y / PUNK COMMUNITY  
AND WE NEED YOUR HELP! IF YOU OR FRIENDS  
ARE PROMOTING / HOSTING ANY SORT OF EVENT  
(SHOWS, DANCE PARTIES, DJ NIGHTS, RADIO  
SHOWS, FREE EVENTS, OUTDOOR GAMES, GET-  
TOGETHERS, AND THE LIKE) WED LIKE YOU  
TO SUBMIT THEM TO: [DOITPGH@GMAIL.COM](mailto:DOITPGH@GMAIL.COM)  
THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS IS THE  
25TH OF EACH MONTH.

IT SEEMS LIKE SO MANY HAPPENINGS IN  
THIS CITY ARE PROMOTED ONLY VIA THE  
INTERNET AND NOT WITH FLYERS WE  
FEEL THAT BY CREATING A PHYSICAL  
PIECE OF PAPER THAT FOLKS CAN HOLD IN  
THEIR HANDS AND CAN BE SEEN THROUGHOUT  
THE CITY WILL ENCOURAGE PEOPLE TO ATTEND  
MORE EVENTS AND HOPEFULLY SPREAD  
THE WORD.

DO IT!!! IS A MONTHLY EVENTS CALENDER FOR PGH'S DIY COMMUNITY. IF YOU'RE PROMOTING AN EVENT, EMAIL DOITPGH@GMAIL.COM AND LET US KNOW THE WHAT, WHEN, AND WHERE. THE DEADLINE FOR SEPTEMBER IS AUGUST 25TH. WANT TO HELP OUT? WANT TO DESIGN A CALENDER? GET IN TOUCH!

# DO IT!!! AUGUST 2007

<b>WEDS</b> 1 	<b>THURS</b> 2 first friday gallery crawl downtown all around	<b>FRI</b> 3
<b>SAT</b> 4 kiss and tell dance party @ remedy, 5121 builer street, lawrenceville, 11pm-3am	<b>SUN</b> 5 aquarium, allies, archeoptera, animal @ garfield artworks, 8pm-7pm	<b>MON</b> 6 learnie's birthday!!!
<b>TUES</b> 7 	<b>WED</b> 8 punkrock dj night @ kelly's bar, 6012 penn circle south, east liberty, 9pm, free	<b>THURS</b> 9 bicycle bike conference @ pgh limmakers, 10am-5pm presents meteor shower @ outside, night time
<b>FRI</b> 10 Mr. Roboto Project meeting @ Roboto, 7pm, free - come out to enjoy music and discuss the future of the spike!	<b>SAT</b> 11 bicycle bike conference @ pgh limmakers, 10am-5pm presents meteor shower @ outside, night time	<b>SUN</b> 12 bicycle bike conference @ pgh limmakers, 10am-5pm presents meteor shower @ outside, night time
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ADDRESSES OF PLACES THAT MAY OR MAY NOT BE PERCEIVED AS "COOL"  
ROBOTO - 722 WOOD ST. WILKESBURG PA 15221 WWW.THEROBOTOPROJECT.ORG  
GARFIELD ARTWORKS - 4931 PENN AVE PITTSBURGH PA 15224  
MODERN FORMATIONS - 4919 PENN AVE PITTSBURGH PA 15224

<b>WEDS</b> 15 have heart, death before dishonor, rise and fall, meltdown, draught @ roboto, 7pm, \$10	<b>THURS</b> 16 drothead, bloody phosna, caustic christ lab, turnip @ braddock eks lodge, 7pm	<b>FRI</b> 17
<b>SAT</b> 18 weekend nachos, 2 iba @ roboto, 6pm-8pm	<b>SUN</b> 19 witch hunt, maligael thrasher, plastered bastards @ con gallery @ roboto, 7pm, \$7	<b>MON</b> 20
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<b>MON</b> 27 mike lamburo, lusk lord, nick shillace, Josh Beyer @ modern formations	<b>TUES</b> 28 total lunar eclipse	<b>WEDS</b> 29 mika miko, himi, lolilla way @ garfield artworks, 8pm
<b>THURS</b> 30 harley poe @ roboto, 7pm	<b>FRI</b> 31 critical mass, monthly group bike ride, meets @ the Carnegie Museum @ the Carnegie Museum @ the Carnegie Museum 5:30pm	

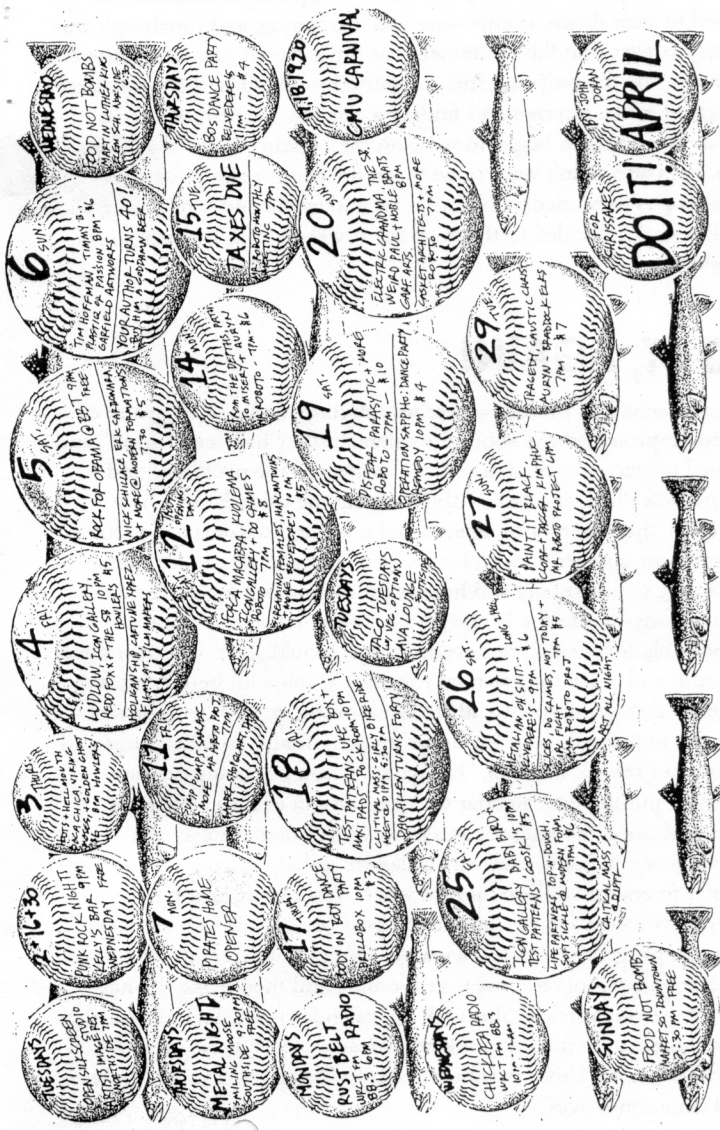
"do it!" august 2007 by greg mantooth  
pittsburgh, pa

## **COPYING AND DISTRIBUTING**

once the hard copy was finished i would usually make around 200 photocopies. it was important to me to not spend money on the project. there's usually a way to find free copies with a little creativity and scheming. it was a great feeling to have a tangible project that didn't cost anything but time. the copies were distributed to the same places every month: show spaces, coffee shops, art galleries, book stores, and collective houses.

## **DILEMMAS AND QUESTIONS**

as the calendar continued on, we consistently got more events than we could deal with! the dilemma of "what to list" versus "what not to list" came about. it seemed like most music events were already listed in the stupid alt weekly paper. what's the point in re-listing events already in print? the calendar's popularity caused another problem: people were reluctant to share more personal events. did joe want everyone in the city coming to his potluck? did anna want everyone in her backyard watching an outdoor movie? did sue want everyone knowing about the punk generator show down by the river? some events are meant to be low key, so listing them on a public forum can arise problems. this may not happen in a small town, but in a large city it can definitely be an issue. when starting the calendar i didn't think about this even happening, but it did. i wanted to list less music shows and more free events, like group bike rides, outdoor games, meteor showers, all that stuff. how do you gauge what to list and what not to? it'll depend on your calendar and your community.



"do it!" april 2008 by john doran  
pittsburgh, pa



# DYING DOWN

after about a year of working on "do it!" the project's momentum started to slow down. events were still happening, and pittsburgh was as busy as ever, but the excitement for the calendar just wasn't there. i seemed to be the only one still committed to the idea. the locals were still glued to the internet and finding a calendar's worth of events myself every month began to wear on me. i didn't want "do it!" to stop, but i also didn't want to work on the project alone. in the beginning i envisioned a collaboration and in the end it felt more like a solo effort. i decided to throw in the towel and put the project on the shelf.

# DO IT, AGAIN!

a few months had passed, winter was starting, and a small group of friends approached me about the calendar. they had seen "do it!" and wanted to start it back up again. we addressed the problems and frustrations i had, and talked about taking the calendar in a new direction. there were 4 of us involved now, and we decided to focus on small group events. we'd list the potlucks and movie screenings, live music in basements and houses (not clubs and bars), weekly soccer games under the bridge, etc. no one person would be responsible for seeking out events, we all would. we'd sit down once a month and make the calendar together. it felt a lot better this way, having a core group of friends to work on the project with. it was also fun to just hang out for hours, making funny little drawings and calling our friends bein' all, "hey what do you got going on next month?" putting the calendar together was an event in itself. we also tried using the internet as a positive resource instead of a negative one. there is a website called freecal at <http://freecal.brownbearsw.com> where you can make a free interactive calendar that anyone can post on. google also has a similar calendar program at <http://www.google.com>. we'd send out e-mails encouraging people to post events online and then make the hard copy from this version. although the calendar is on the internet, the paper one is a lot nicer to look at. instead of leaving the calendar all across town, we hand-distribute them to friends, collective houses, and common spaces.



# TIPS

this isn't a totally comprehensive calendar guide, it's just what i've learned by getting out there and "doing it!" here's a thing or two i've learned along the way:

- \* having an active member in the community (read: scenester?) be part of the calendar is a great help. also, having someone who puts together events is helpful too. getting information from the original source is the best way!
- \* distributing fliers with a small "mission" statement and contact information about your calendar works wonders! these can be left at different events, passed among friends and acquaintances, or hung on bulletin boards and in windows.
- \* starting an e-mail account specifically for the calendar is an easy way to collect events
- \* talk to different groups in your town: infoshops, bookstores, food not bombs, college radio programs, books to prisoner groups, diy show spaces, collective bike shops, punk houses, etc. ask when their events are and if they'd like to have them listed.
- \* when i doubt, ask. maybe the host of the backyard movie night wants the event to be on the calendar, but maybe not. it's always important to ask permission.
- \* make sure all of the responsibility doesn't fall on one person! it can be stressful for a single person to search out all the events, design artwork, photocopy and distribute. if different people are doing the various tasks, it makes the whole process easier and less of a drag.
- \* don't let the idea of a "calendar" limit your artistic ability. calendars can look like the one you see on a wall, or could be in a haphazard list. you could make drawings all over the place and put things out of order if you want. (see calendar examples)
- \* making a "weekly" section saves a lot of room and just makes sense.
- \* don't be afraid to go big! photocopiers can print up to 11 x 17. a bigger calendar means more room for events or artwork. it's also easier on the eyes to look at large text.
- \* make a list of spaces in town that might be good "drop off" locations. check in with these places and see if they'd be okay with you leaving a stack of calendars each month.

\* think about the audience you are trying to reach. do you want everyone in the city to know about events on the calendar, or would you rather keep it low-key? this is important to address, because it will transpire onto other aspects: where you hang calendars, events posted on them, the number of copies made, etc.

\* if there's a lack of fun events going on during a particular month, make them up! maybe people will show up for a water balloon battle in the park, a "who can drink this 40 oz the fastest" competition at the library, or clothing swap at your house.

## CALENDARS IN OTHER PLACES

the calendars i've seen in other cities have plenty in common to "do it!" but have their differences too. there isn't a "right" way to start a calendar, it's entirely up to you!

bloomington, indiana: whoever designs the calendar for the month is responsible for finding events. this person also chooses who makes the calendar next month.

athens, ohio: this calendar is put together by a group called "the action committee" that sets up different events in town. the events listed are all through TAC and each month someone new designs them.

columbus, ohio: different people volunteer to design the calendar each month. only shows in houses/basements are listed!

knoxville, tn: one person is responsible for compiling events, but different volunteers design the calendars each month.



let's go

november!

2KS



sunday

monday

tuesday

wednesday

thursday

friday

saturday

Boxcar shirt building and painting - 10am (DS)  
Pages moves out of the meeting space - noon (BB)

Paul Barbeau, Etiquette, Ghost Mice - 8pm (HSD)  
Free Screening of: Strong Enough to Break (a documentary about Hanson)

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this calendar was made by Ali Haimson  
next month will be made by Greg Harvett

"let's go!" november 2005 by ali haimson  
bloomington, indiana

places:

BB = Black Box - 1100 S. Washington St.  
BP = Bear's Place - 1316 E. 7<sup>th</sup> St.  
CBP = Community Like Project - 7<sup>th</sup> and Madison  
CD = Caste Gypsy - 522 W. 4<sup>th</sup> St.  
DS = Ducks in a Stock House - 628 S. Washington St.  
HSD = House of 1000 Daggers - 931 W. 7<sup>th</sup> St.  
HGW = House Gone Wild - 511 W. Wyle St.  
HS = Harmony School - 999 E. 2<sup>nd</sup> St.

all pictures courtesy of Bob O'Leary by Elliott Gunders

IMU = Indiana Memorial Union  
MUP = Max's Place - 103 W. 7<sup>th</sup> St.  
OAL = On a Lake - 419 W. 4<sup>th</sup> St.  
R's = R's - 1100 S. Washington St.  
SS = Second Story Nightclub - 201 S. College Ave.  
TSH = Totally Sweet House (formerly the Orphanage) - 1000 W. 7<sup>th</sup> St.

weekly:  
Sunday - 8:30-10:30pm (CBP)  
Monday - CBP 8:30-10:30pm PPT 7:30pm (BB)  
Tuesday - Women's Soccer 8pm (MS), Teen Tuesday  
Wednesday - 20cm meeting at Suburban Lane, CBP 8:30pm (MS)  
Thursday - PPT 7:11pm (BB)  
Friday - CBP 8:30-10:30pm  
Saturday - CBP 10am-1pm

Start in sales at Boxcar Books and Pages to Prosper volunteer opportunities - help us with our expansion! We need all the help we can get!

# FEBRUARY 2008

## LET'S GO!

Every Week! Pages to Peepers:  
Mon 7:30pm/Tues 7-11pm/Sat 1-3pm  
@ Boxcar Books

**1 FRI DAY**  
• Stopping Stones Homeless Youth Shelter Benefit featuring: Love and Sex, Gentleman Caller, Coke Dares, Dixie Flames, Dixie Fried Diablo, Fatted calf String Band, We Are Hex, Whippoorwill 6:30 pm, \$5 @ Rhinoceros  
• Peter and the Wolf, Husband and Wife, Sucky and the Bees, Ryan Helling 10pm, \$6 @ Bear's Place  
• Chocolate From (not a brand, an event!) featuring live music and lots of chocolate! 8-11pm, \$8 single, \$15 coupe @ Rhinoceros

**2 SAT**  
• Mason Prober, Everthins the Deadbeats, The Genuious, Prayer Breakfast 7-10 pm, \$5 @ Rhinoceros  
• Capillary Action, Mouthbreather, PushPull, The Alarmists (Calm Down) 8 pm, \$5 @ Ari Hospital  
• Boxcar Anniversary Party featuring desserts and door prizes! 7pm @ Boxcar Books  
• Recovery Period, Gourmet Scum, Thous 8pm, \$3 @ Lulu's

**3 SUN**  
• Six Organs of Admittance, Mick Turner (of Dirty Three) 8pm, \$8 @ Waldron Arts Center

**MON**  
• What The Kids Want, Cool Girlfriends, Jerk Alert 8-10pm, \$3 @ Western Skateland

**5 TUE**  
• Objects of War by Lania Joreige a video installation  
2/15/08 - 2/16/08 Times: Tues - Sat, 12 - 4pm @ SoFA Gallery

**6 WED**

**7 THU**  
• The Ready Set, Corporate Circus, the Method to my Medium, Page of Swords 8pm, \$8 @ IMU Gallery (Starbucks on 73rd Ave)  
• Early Day Miners \$77 @ Uncle Fester's

**8 FRI**  
• Herculaneum, Basilia, Ground-Ups 8pm, \$6 @ Ari Hospital

**9 SAT**  
• Hot New Mexicans, One Reason, Door Keys, Thomas Function 8pm, \$5 @ 524 South 1st Washington

**10 SUN**  
• Kirkwood Sunday Morning singing at a location disclosed only to a chosen few. That sounds both ominous and sexy all at once. 10:30am @ Biscuits

**11 MON**

**12 TUE**  
• Nina Nastasia, Resting Rooster, Normanoak 8pm, \$6 @ Ari Hospital  
• Paul Barbareau, Eric Aylotte, Super Bouby @ TBA (Max's Place or Guilty Pleasures, most likely)

**13 WED**

**14 THU**  
• Singles Awareness Day/Valentine's Day. Any excuse to eat candy is a good one, right?  
• Boxcar Books Valentine's Day Sale! Discount on any book in red or pink cover. All day @ Boxcar Books  
• Jonah Waters, Ghosttown Settlers, The Giggles, Either/Or 8pm, \$6 @ IMU Gallery (Starbucks on campus)

**15 FRI**  
• Bon Iver 10pm(?) \$6(?) @ Bear's Place  
• An Hospital Variety Show and An Exhibit 8pm Street @ Ari Hospital

**16 SAT**  
• Scary Kids Scaring Kids, Haste the Day, Drop Dead Gorgeous 8pm, \$13 @ Rhinoceros  
• Dat Dat Dat 10pm \$77 @ Bluebird  
• Cinephile Film Festival: Independent Hit Films 2pm, \$7 @ Buskirk Chumley Theater

**17 SUN** Are you going to eat the rest of that candy? Crumby Share!

**18 MON** • Axis of Evil \$37 @ Jake's

**19 TUE** • Wash off that eyeliner from Axis of Evil. You took baby. (Just kidding.)

**20 WED**

**21 THU**  
• Partners in Rhyme, BFA-Ent Presents: Tronide, 2 Mics and a Kit 8pm, \$8 @ IMU Gallery (Starbucks on campus)

**22 FRI** Has there been any sledding yet?

**23 SAT**

**24 SUN**  
• Mi Ami (former Black Eyes) w/ Food for Animals & Nearest Nova 8:30pm, \$77 @ Ari Hospital

**25 MON**  
• Take today to appreciate a kitten. Makes you feel all warm inside, don't it?

**26 TUE** • Mr. Fantastic, Dixie-Fried Diablo, The Post 8pm, \$3 @ Ari Hospital

**27 WED** • Baby Deer 8pm, \$7 @ Waldron Arts Center

**28 THU**  
• They Might Be Giants 8pm, \$77 (Ticketmaster) @ Bluebird  
• Gramppal Jookbox, Impure Jazz, Everybody 8pm, \$8 @ IMU Gallery (Starbucks on campus)

**29 FRI**  
• Leap Year Day. Leap off of things all day long in celebration  
• An Exhibit by Mperfect and Johnny Glucose 8pm, \$8 @ Ari Hospital

Next month: Crystal

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"let's go!" february 2008 by richrd  
bloomington, indiana

Locations:  
Ari Hospital  
1021 S. Walnut  
Bear's Place  
216 E. 3rd St.  
Bluebird Night Club  
216 N. Walnut  
Boxcar Books  
310 S. Washington  
Buskirk Chumley Theater  
114 E. Kirkwood Ave.  
Cineplex  
123 S. Walnut  
Cinley Pressures  
202 S. Washington  
Indiana Memorial Union  
502 S. 7th St.  
Jake's  
1416 N. Walnut  
Max's Place  
109 W. 7th St.  
Rhinoceros Youth Center  
331 S. Walnut  
SoFA Gallery  
1201 E. 7th  
Uncle Fester's  
430 F. Kirkwood  
Waldron Arts Center  
122 S. Walnut  
Western Skateland  
932 W. 17th St.

## bruce manor

221 west union st

Sept 18<sup>th</sup> 7pm  
darren deicide &  
cuomo

sept 24<sup>th</sup> 7pm  
i want to kill every human  
jigsaw rhetoric lowell jacobson  
bobb hatt & Friends

## browntown

35 brown ave

Sept. 22<sup>nd</sup> 6pm  
vivian girls from brooklyn  
the never-ers, spooktober  
submarine spaceship  
3-5 donation

Sept 26<sup>th</sup> 6pm  
one win choice  
american armada  
amish electric chair  
3-5 donation

## the smiling skull

108 west union st

Sept 8<sup>th</sup> 9pm  
sister shuffle, spoonboy  
from the depths  
3-5 donation

## donkey coffee

17 1/2 west washington

Sept 13<sup>th</sup> 9pm  
action committee benefit show  
bands tba  
3-5 donations

## dance or die

at the union

west union st

Sept 19<sup>th</sup>  
dj barticus & self help

at a sa nueva

Sept 27<sup>th</sup>  
80's dance party  
dj barticus

## the farm

at the union

18 west union st

Sept 20 3pm  
welcome back thrash  
attack!  
Phoenix, bobbies, masakari  
as good as dead, locusta  
endless vomit

\$5

Sept 24<sup>th</sup> 8pm  
bridge and tunnel  
Front royal sisters shuffle  
\$5

Sept 27<sup>th</sup> 3pm  
homecoming hardcore matinee!  
ramming speed, tides  
goodbye goats, wemarch

\$5

## the voting machine

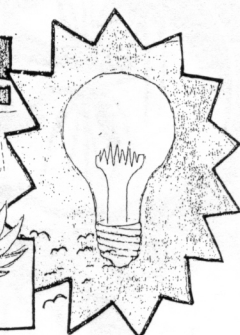
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Sept 12<sup>th</sup> 6pm  
american war  
more tba

# THE ACTION!

## Committee

hopefully and joyfully serving the  
athens, oh d.i.y. community  
since at least the day before  
yesterday if not earlier.



HEY! x MARCH HEY! x

4<sup>th</sup> Phosphorescent  
Order of the Spur  
Civil War Generals  
\$6 tickets 7pm  
@ the Manor

7<sup>th</sup> Coltrane Motion  
Five Deadly Venoms  
Run - Coward, BDPD  
donate! 8PM  
@ the Crystal Castle

3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Aquabear County Fair  
5<sup>th</sup> Renaissance, Dinner of Swords, Battle Exhibit  
donations, please 8pm @ the Manor  
6<sup>th</sup> Brainbow Casual 10:30pm @ Future, Five Deadly  
Casa Cantina  
7<sup>th</sup> We March, Dragline Bros., Kasko, 36 Bars  
Flotation Well, note. 8pm @ the Union

10<sup>th</sup> NICE! + Sapien(sapiens) Thesis exhibitions  
7pm @ Trisalini 9pm @ Siegfried Costumes  
FREE or \$3 for the vegan grub down and instruments  
encouraged

11<sup>th</sup> Wheels on Fire, Jail  
Bass Drum of Death, 1/2BF  
donate! @ Brown Town  
6 PM

14<sup>th</sup> Show to help Samantha Dessett  
Sister Shuffle, Welcome  
to Concrete, Penny Hearst  
donations, please @ Brown Town

15<sup>th</sup> Heavy Show @ the Manor  
Drop Off, SubSpace,  
etc etc etc etc  
7pm Donations

28<sup>th</sup> Japantbar, Jerky Beatz  
Spocketza, SubSpace  
\$6 @ Brown Town

### WHERE:

BROWN TOWN - 35 brown ave  
THE (bruce) MANOR - 221 west union st  
THE CRYSTAL CASTLE - central ave  
BEAVER RANCH - smith st  
UCM - college st

"the action committee" march 2009 by ryan williams  
athens, ohio





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2008

8PM FRI AUG 1 @ MONSTER HOUSE  
KBRUTAL, KITTEN FOREVER, UNICORN BASEMENT, THE READ

8PM TUE AUG 5 @ PUNK PORCH  
SCREAMING FEMALES, BLACK RAINBOW, DEAD DOG, SISTERSHOVEL

9PM WED AUG 6 @ 15TH HOUSE  
HIDDEN SPOTS, FUTURE VIRGINS, ADD/C, ROCK PAPER STUPID

9PM THUR AUG 7 @ MONSTER HOUSE  
THE BOY WHO COULD FLY, PAUL BARIBEAU, TBA

6PM FRI AUG 8 @ TRAP HOUSE  
ANOTHER BREATH, LAZARUS TAXA, EMPIRE

8PM FRI AUG 8 @ MONSTER HOUSE  
THE ERGS, HUNCHBACK, FRIENDLY FIRE, DELAY

9PM SAT AUG 9 @ SKYLAB  
CAVE, SHAKERAU RADIO, DEATHLY FIGHTER, BATHHOUSE

9PM SAT AUG 9 @ LEGION OF DOOM  
DANGEROUS, COUGH FORTS (?), MYSTERY OF TWO (??)

9PM THUR AUG 14 @ 15TH HOUSE  
VENA CAVA, TENEMENT, NO TARGET AUDIENCE, DAY CREEPER

9PM FRI AUG 15 @ LEGION OF DOOM  
CULT RITUAL, ALTARS, REFLECT, VILE GASH, JERK ALERT (?)

9PM FRI AUG 15 @ SKYLAB  
LAMBSBREAD JAMZ PARTY (ALL NITE LONG)

9PM SAT AUG 16 @ MONSTER HOUSE  
UNARMED, HIPSTER DEATH MACHINE, LOSE THE TUDE, SUPER STOKER, PYTHON

9PM MON AUG 25 @ MONSTER HOUSE  
BEST FRIENDS FOREVER, BOB CARLTON, VUG

## ALL SHOWS ALL AGES ALL D.I.Y.

PLEASE BRING \$3 - \$5 TO DONATE TO THE TOURING BANDS!!

MONSTER HOUSE 115 W. 10TH AVE  
LEGION OF DOOM 1579 INDIANOLA (NO BOOZE)

SKYLAB 57 E. GAY ST.

15TH HOUSE 369 E. 15TH AVE

PUNK PORCH BIKE PATH NEAR 5TH AND OLENTANGY

TRAP HOUSE 3014 HIAWATHA

"columbus sucks because you suck" august 2008 by jimmy turri  
columbus, ohio

# DO IT AGAIN!

## CELEBRATE THE IDEAS OF MARCH

http://freaky.brownbearsw.com/DOITAGAIN



March 3rd  
7:00pm - 9:00pm

The Big Idea/Merton Center  
bi-weekly radical film series.  
Free with FORCORN included.  
Check out this week's documentary  
film at 7pm at the Merton Center!

March 4th  
6:00pm - 7:30pm

Women's History Month at  
Carnegie Library Oakland  
Baking Gramine

March 5th  
7pm at the Merton Center

180 Babes  
Ed Hochman  
Be more TBA  
donation for birds

March 21  
10pm-2am

operation sapho @ remedy  
Lenny Caution  
Also, Lisers

March 26  
6:30pm - 7:30pm

Cyberpunk Apocalypse  
House Warming Paints  
5-5:31 Carnegie St (bring something)  
7:00pm - 10:00pm  
OPENING UNSMOKE ART SPACE,  
but an artist herself po  
Paper Thin Surface  
DJ and Wine (free)  
1517 Mendocino Ave

March 27  
5:30pm at the Dine by the

Critch Mass  
Carnegie Library  
NFA Artist talks  
Miller Gallery at CMU  
3rd floor  
Neon-1pm

### WEEKLY EVENTS

Monday  
6:30pm-7:30pm  
radio/radio 6pm

88.3fm WRCT  
northside elis lodge

Wednesday  
barnes, 21+ at  
northside elis lodge

Thursday  
AIR Open Studio 7-11pm

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6:30pm

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MFA Artist Show  
Miller Gallery at CMU

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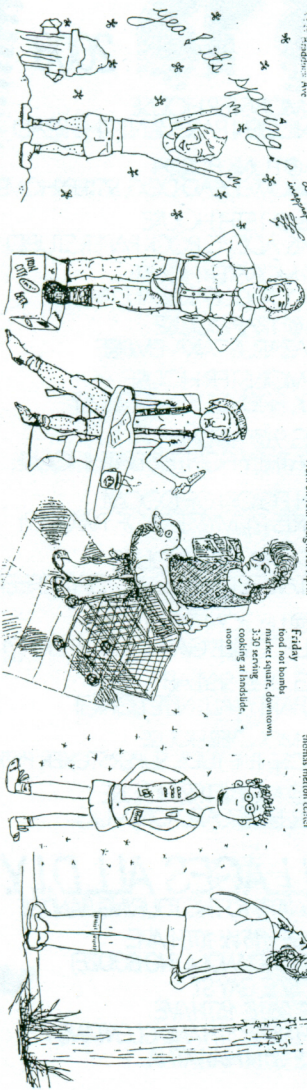
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"do it again!" march 2009  
pittsburgh, pa

# THANK YOU:

the roberts street social centre/anchor archive for inviting me to do a residency and make this 'zine, everyone who donated calendars for examples, mary mack, barry chad, ashley brickman, madi, lisa, sweet sweet southside chris for being an editing machine, and YOU for reading this and being interested..

## go start your own damn calendar!

for correspondence and questions, please get in touch:

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or

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LETS MAKE A DIY

EVENTS CALENDAR!

i'll be hosting an informal gathering to get people together and create a monthly events calendar for happenings in halifax. do you host different events (radio shows, organized bike rides, punk shows, dj nights, dance parties, movie screenings, games, etc)? do you like to draw? if so, please come to this little meeting and let's make a calendar!

ANY QUESTIONS

e-mail: [dearleanne@gmail.com](mailto:dearleanne@gmail.com) or  
call anchor archive ( )  
and ask for leanne

meet on wednesday, june 17th 2009  
7:00 pm at roberts st social centre!

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
HALIFAX			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

handbill used to promote starting a diy events calendar in halifax, nova scotia. alongside with making this 'zine as part of a artist-in-resident project at the anchor archive, locals in halifax and myself are starting a calendar here!

**go start your own!**