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Genevieve in concert for Hurricane Relief Benefit.

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# Music Review New Wave of Music Moves U.S. Into Future of Danceteria

By Rosa Laborde

Technomania! The music of the future is here. The new European style of techno music has entered the U.S., and it has everybody dancing to it's jumpy beat.

You might have already heard of some of these music groups: Bass Killer, 2 Unlimited, K.W.S, Dynamic

Noise, and there are lots more. The music is a sampler of instruments, pop music, and rave. The techno music is the wave of the future that will keep you moving.

To catch this new wave, come check out the music at dance clubs "Trocadero", "Beach Club", "Revival", and the "Aztec Club".

#### **Genevieve Displays Hot Sound**

By Christine Phillips

Genevieve is a band with an original sound whose performance many of you might have seen here on October 1. Playing as part of the hurricane relief benefit concert, the band drew an impressive crowd. Genevieve played an hour long set of mostly originals and only a few covers, including a great rendition of the Rolling Stones classic "Sympathy for the Devil." One of the band's originals that caught my attention particularly was the upbeat song titled "Proud."

Leeway must be given to the band, however, whose sound system battled the distortion caused by the "slap back" off the cement library steps. The offset in the sound system also made it difficult for audience members to hear lead singer Ryan Farrell. A graceful triumph over these obstacles added substantial merit to the band's already impressive performance.

The band is composed of Ryan Farrell, Bill Ruggerio, Richie Maisano and Delco's own Artin Armani. Believe it or not, the band has only been together a year, with about nine months of serious "playing time." They recently put together a demo tape and have begun gaining exposure as the tape

circulates. Another interesting little fact about Genevieve is that their drummer, Richie Maisano, is only fifteen years old! Despite all the things this band seems to lack- age, experience and exposure- they play as fiercely and professionally as any of the local "veteran" bands.

To categorize Genevieve is a difficult task if using conventional labels. I put them in what I call the "bass band" category. All their songs have a predominant underlying bass sound which is the driving force of their music. So, by this definition, Genevieve falls gloriously into the "bass band" category, compliments of bass player Artin Armani.

These guys are a noticeably mismatched group, appearance wise. Though Ryan definitely looks and moves like the music he plays (those of you who saw the show will know what I mean), the rest of the

band seems unconnected to the whole "categorical motif" which, in effect, is pretty cool.

Overall, I have to give high praise and support to Genevieve. What can I say? These guys are talented! Though they have some polishing to do in both attitude and performance, the potential is definitely there. These guys are the ones to watch. So go ahead guys......We're watching.

#### **Performing Arts:**

### **Hedgerow Offers Alternative To Usual Mundane Activities**

By Phil Liberto

For those of you interested in entertainment other than the movies, the mall, or other mediocre activities, why not experience a play at Hedgerow Theater in Media. The playhouse offers two plays a night on Friday and Saturday nights from 8 to 10 p.m. The plays currently featured are Farfetched Fables and How He Lied to Her Husband, both by George Bernard Shaw.

The first play looks at how we as humans interact with the world and each other and how we can sometimes destroy both with petty ideals and the idea that what is being done in the world is for the so called "good" of society.

The second play is about a love triangle between a husband, wife,

and a young man who is madly in love with the wife. It seems that the young man does everything he can to express his love, but the wife won't have anything to do with him. The husband finds out about the young man's feelings and almost gets into a fight with him. But the whole thing is resolved by the end and everyone goes off as friends.

The acting is very good, considering the amateur look of the building and stage, which shows that you shouldn't judge a book by its cover. I highly recommend the plays as a refreshing alternative to a two or three hour walk through the mall.

For more information call the Hedgegrow Theater at (215) 565-4211.



Hedgerow Theatre in Rose Valley, PA recently presented a thoughtful and witty evening of George Bernard Shaw.

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