

TALBOT
STREET
FILES



No. 05

DON'T TALK TO STRANGERS

FREE

MAY
2026

printed at the holy diver

THE EAR

HOLY DIVER

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NINE
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FIVE
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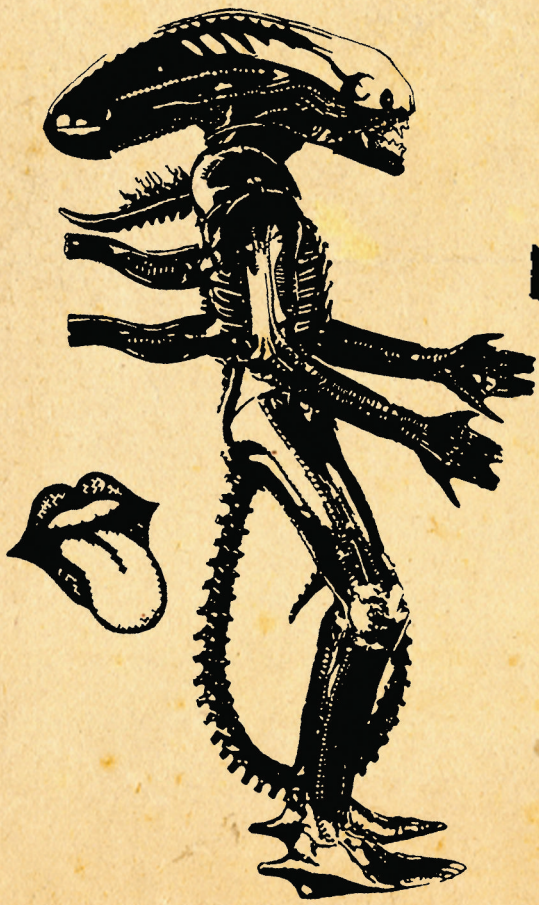
you probably
shouldn't go
in there

LOCAL EVIDENCE No. 002



PUNK Rock Bowling
2ND PLACE
2026

PRINTED
SOMEWHERE
ON TALBOT ST.



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WHO ARE WE WHO WE ARE FOR

Don't Talk to Strangers is made around tables, between sets, after last call, and sometimes in the afternoon when the room is quiet again.

It's a place to collect what's happening here.

And what's happening nearby.

And what's happening just under the surface.

Some of it starts at the Holy Diver.

Some of it passes through.

Some of it was already moving before we noticed.

There are people in this city making things all the time.

Bands. Posters. Records. Zines. Ideas. Nights that only exist once.

This is where some of that ends up.

Not everything fits. Not everything stays. That's part of it.

This isn't a program. It isn't a brand. It isn't a finished story.

It's a record of the room while it's still changing.

For the bartenders.

The DJs.

The kitchen.

The regulars.

The first-timers.

The ones who stayed longer than they meant to.

If you're holding this, you're already in it.

DRINK TALES



THE TALLBOY TOP-UP

INVENTED BY PEOPLE WHO ORDERED ONE
AND MEANT IT.

YOU NEED:

- ★ 1 TALL CAN OF
LONDON BREWING CO-OP
ORGANIC CERVEZA
LIGHT LAGER
- ★ 1 OZ TEQUILA
- ★ LIME WEDGE

HOW IT WORKS:

- ① OPEN THE TALLBOY.
- ② TAKE A PROPER SIP.
- ③ ADD TEQUILA
DIRECTLY TO THE CAN.
- ④ SQUEEZE LIME IF AVAILABLE.

NO STIRRING.
NO GLASS.
NO CEREMONY.

JUST A QUIET UPGRADE HALFWAY
THROUGH THE FIRST ROUND.

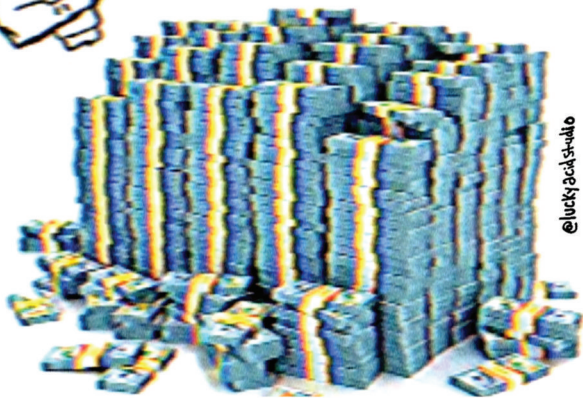
Some say it makes the beer stronger.
Some say it makes the night longer.
Both are correct.



BEST ORDERED BEFORE THE BAND STARTS.
BEST REPEATED AFTER THEY FINISH.
BEST NOT EXPLAINED TO ANYONE
WHO ASKED FOR SOMETHING
WITH A GARNISH.



LUCKY
LUCKY



@luckyacidstudio



forever

forever

forever

forever

Soft Fest

June 12 - 14
in London Ontario



SOFT FEST IS A FEELING

a more tender approach
to community building.

FRIDAY JUNE 12

**Softer Cities
Art Show Opens
at Xuux Artists**

SATURDAY JUNE 13

**Meet Cute &
Art Viewing
at Xuux Artists**

SUNDAY JUNE 14

**Everyones favourite
Tender Market
at Blackfriars Gardens**

*it happens on
a weekend in june...*

**MORE INFORMATION SOON
FOLLOW SOFT FLIRT
ON INSTAGRAM**

BERRY YOUR DEAD



PUNK AND METAL
SATURDAY MAY 2ND
SEPULTURA PRE AND
AFTER PARTY

HOLY DIVER

NO WONDERWALL

HOLY
DIVER

HOSTED BY

JOEY LETDOWN

MONDAY MAY 4TH



OPEN *mic* **NIGHT**

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OUT OF
TUNE
KARAOKE



HOLIDAY DIVER
STARTS @ 9 PM

HOSTED BY
MADISON



PREFM

20

SPRING

MAY

SEPTEMBER

NOVEMBER

@PUNKROCKFLEAMARKETLONDON





26

X

MARKET
2

CITY OF MUSIC CONCERT

JULY 30



PRFM X 10TH ANNIVERSARY

MBER 24-26



HOLIDAY MARKET

OVEMBER 22



SEE YOU ON THE STREET!

VINYL FLIP

HOSTED BY SAILOR
RAID YOUR MOM'S RECORD SHELF EDITION



SPONSORED BY
GROOVES

SUNDAY MAY 10TH
SUNDAY DINNER  **FEATURE** 
\$6 FEATURE CANS

**HOLY
DIVER**

SUMMERCAMP PRODUCTIONS

PRESENTS

Y2K-OS

MUSIC TRIVIA

MONDAY

MAY 11

5 CATEGORIES

**HOLY
DIVER**

8PM-10PM

**MUSIC AND ARTISTS
FROM 95-05**

HOSTED BY
**SAMMY G
FT. T-BABY**

**SEE YOU
THERE!**



SEX TOY BINGO



HOSTED BY
@SEXTOYBINGO519
IN SUPPORT OF
'OPENING THE CIRCLE'
HOLY DIVER

TUES
MAY
12

**HOLY
DIVER**



**records
with
soul**

dunccity and mediafrenzy



SATURDAY MAY 16TH



LGRC+

SUMMER '26 ♥ R

LGRC+ is back for 2 weeks this Summer
at the London Waldorf School!

July 20-24

July 27-31

9am-3:30pm

(Aftercare available until 5pm)

Open to girls and gender
expansive youth ages 8-14

MORE INFO →

Camp includes...

Instrument Lessons
(Guitar, Bass, Keys, or Drums)

Band Rehearsals (writing songs,
creating a band logo, screen
printing t-shirts and more!)

Hot lunch from Growing Chefs

Friday Night Showcase at
Palasod Social Bowl



No experience necessary!

Register now at

londongirlsrockcamp.ca

HOUSEMAD

HOUSEMAD



Street funk cuts rooted in Orange County. Bounce-heavy drums, talkbox hooks, and backyard boombox pressure. This mix lives between dance circles, curbside hangs, and worn cassette decks. Press play and let it ride.

IG: @gr1ppl.effect
housemadrecords.com

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DOWNTOWN
- LONDON -
2WIN**

AN INITIATIVE OF:

**DOWNTOWN
LONDON**
BUSINESS ASSOCIATION

You could

**\$1,000
WEEKLY
DRAW**

**\$500 in Downtown
\$500 to share with a local**

May 4 - Ju



enter
here!

A WINNER EVERY WEEK!

- 1 Save receipts of **\$15 or more** (restaurants, retail & services)
- 2 Scan QR code or visit **ShopDTL2Win.com**
- 3 Upload all your receipts by midnight every Sunday

NO PURCHASE NECESSARY TO ENTER OR WIN. This Contest begins 4/5/26 at 12:00 a.m. EST and ends on 14/6/26 at 11:59 p.m. EST. Leg of \$15 or more (including taxes, excluding tips/other fees) from any Qualifying Business. In total, there are six (6) Prizes to be won and \$500 to be issued to the business associated with the winning entry. An Initiative of The Downtown London BIA. For entry and contest disclosure, no purchase entry option, privacy policy and other details, visit ShopDTL2Win.com

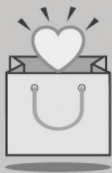
and win 1 of 6

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WEEKLY
PRIZES

in \$100 Gift Cards and
business in Downtown London

June 14, 2026



Digital receipts
and online reviews
are all acceptable
entries!

Official residents of ON, 18+ may enter up to 20 times with receipts
consisting of one (1) Weekly Prize of \$1,000; \$500 to keep
official rules with complete eligibility, prize descriptions, odds

WHATS HAPPENING



STAY IN THE LOOP

- explore live music and events on our
- Event Calendar, and sign up for the
- Downtown - your insider
- guide to all things downtown!

ExploreDowntownLondon.ca

DOWNTOWN TRAILS

Discover hidden gems with
Downtown London Trails!



Patio Trail
Launching
May 08!

WELCOME TO A WORLD WITH RULES

MOVIE TRIVIA NIGHT

HOLY
DIVER

STARTS
8PM

HOSTED BY RADIO WESTERN'S OUTSIDE THE FRAME



Hyland Cinema

**RADIO
WESTERN**
fm94.9 radiowestern.ca

TUES MAY 19TH



URBNET



FRESH KILLS & MYER CLARITY

OCDC

WITH

dj versatile



A HEALTH CLINIC EVENT

8PM

\$15 ADV

\$20 DOOR

EVENTBRITE.CA

LONDON

HOLY DIVER

MAY 22ND '26

FEATURING

Eyeda

with Celinee

&

Lionize Prime

LAUGHING DUCK TATTOO

FLASH OF THE MONTH:



LAUGHING DUCK TATTOO

London, Ontario

- Custom tattooing
- Walk-ins when available
- Flash + custom work

— ARTIST FEATURE —

NICK LECLUYSE

FLASH ARTIST — MAY

laughingducktattoo.com

[@laughing.duck.tattoo](https://www.instagram.com/laughing.duck.tattoo)



NICK LECLUYSE

FLASH OF THE MONTH



Inquire at Laughing Duck

DIVER LISTINGS

MAY

MAY 1

JASON
HOLINATY



MAY 4, 18, 25

OPEN MIC
WITH
JOEY LET DOWN



MAY 6, 13, 20

NO JOKE
WITH
DUNNCITY



PUNK AND METAL:

MAY 7

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MAY 14

JOEY
LETDOWN



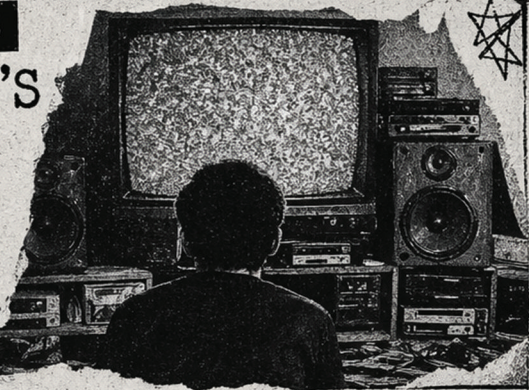
MAY 21

CALEB



MAY 28

**TYSON'S
LOUD
VIDEO
PARTY**



EVERY SUNDAY:

**VINYL
FLIP**

**WITH
SAILOR**

SPONSORED BY

GROOVES



POSTERS

T-SHIRTS

MIXES

RADIO SHOW

TORONTO

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COLLAGE

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MUSIC

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PRINT

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ARCHIVE

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DESIGN



THIRD ATLANTIC

MADLIB

—

ROY AYERS

—

GRACE JONES

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MILES DAVIS

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FUNKADELIC

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KAIDI TATHAM

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MEG'S BANANA BREAD

INGREDIENTS:

- ♥ 1/4 CUP BUTTER
- ♥ 1 CUP SUGAR
- ♥ 1 EGG (BEATEN)
- ♥ 3 RIPE BANANAS (MASHED)
- ♥ 1 1/2 CUPS FLOUR
- ♥ 1 TEASPOON BAKING SODA
- ♥ 1/2 TEASPOON SALT
- ♥ ALL THE CHOCOLATE CHIPS

♥ P.S. A LITTLE LOVE &
♥ A LITTLE LAUGHTER
♥ MAKE IT PERFECT. ♥

INSTRUCTIONS:

- ♥ CREAM BUTTER & SUGAR
- ♥ ADD WET INGREDIENTS
- ♥ ADD DRY INGREDIENTS
- ♥ MIX WELL ♥

* BAKE:
1 HOUR (SLOW OVEN)
350°

Warning:

May cause
the munchies
(and extreme
happiness)



SATURDAY MAY 23RD

CURATED BY

DAVID



**EMO (HARDCORE)
(ALTERNATIVE)**

POP PUNK



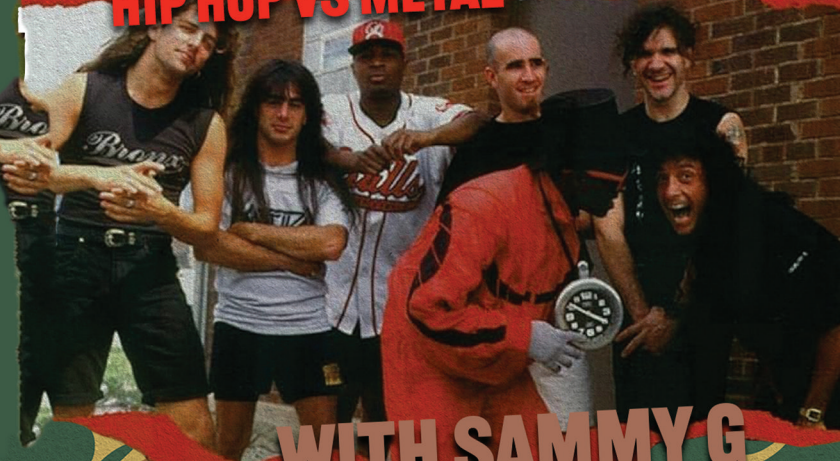
BOBBY'S WORLD
Tues May 26th

JOIN US ON MAY 26TH
AS BOBBY PLAYS AN
ECELCTIC MIX OF MUSIC
AT THE HOLY DIVER

**HOLY
DIVER**

HEAVY ROTATION

HIP HOP VS METAL



WITH SAMMY G
FRIDAY MAY 29

HOLY DIVER HOLY
DIVER

I GOT MY...
FRESH COFFEE,
GREAT DONUTS, AND
GOOD VIBES FROM...

DONUT DUTCH

621
DUNDAS ST.
LONDON, ON



+ DAMN GOOD PLACE TO BE! +

WEEKLY SPECIALS

SUNDAY

SUNDAY DINNER
SPECIAL

\$6 FEATURE
CANS

WEDNESDAY

1/2 PRICE
WINGS

\$6 CANS

MONDAY

\$10 SMASH
BURGERS

\$4 PBR CANS

THURSDAY

\$6

DRAFT

TUESDAY

\$20
PITCHERS

FRI & SAT

\$4
FIREBALL
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TALBOT STREET CLASSIFIEDS

MAY
2026

FREE!

LOST:

one black hoodie
last seen
near the
jukebox



FOUND:

NO RECORD
INSIDE

record
sleeve
no record
inside



WANTED:

quiet bar
does
not exist



FOR SALE:

2nd place
bowling
trophy
lightly
celebrated



MISSED CONNECTION:

you said
"play
something
weird"
we did



NOTICE:

someone left
with the
wrong lighter
it knows
what it did



SEEN:

three people
arguing about
the same song
none of them
right



AVAILABLE:

one extra chair
at the end of
the bar
most nights
after 11



WARNING:

if you hear
the last
call bell
you stayed
too long



FREE:

advice from
strangers
take at your
own risk



CURRENT EVENTS:

live music.
bad jokes.
good people.
same story.



THIS SPACE FOR RENT:

probably
not
though



leave replies at the holy diver
talbot st.



printed at
the holy diver

