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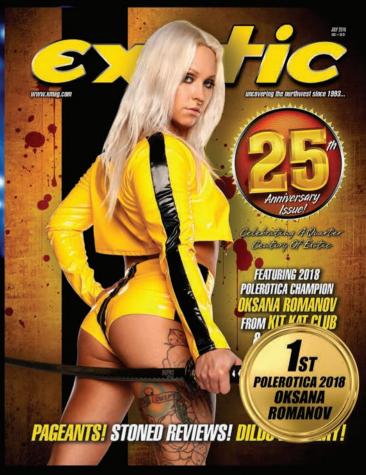


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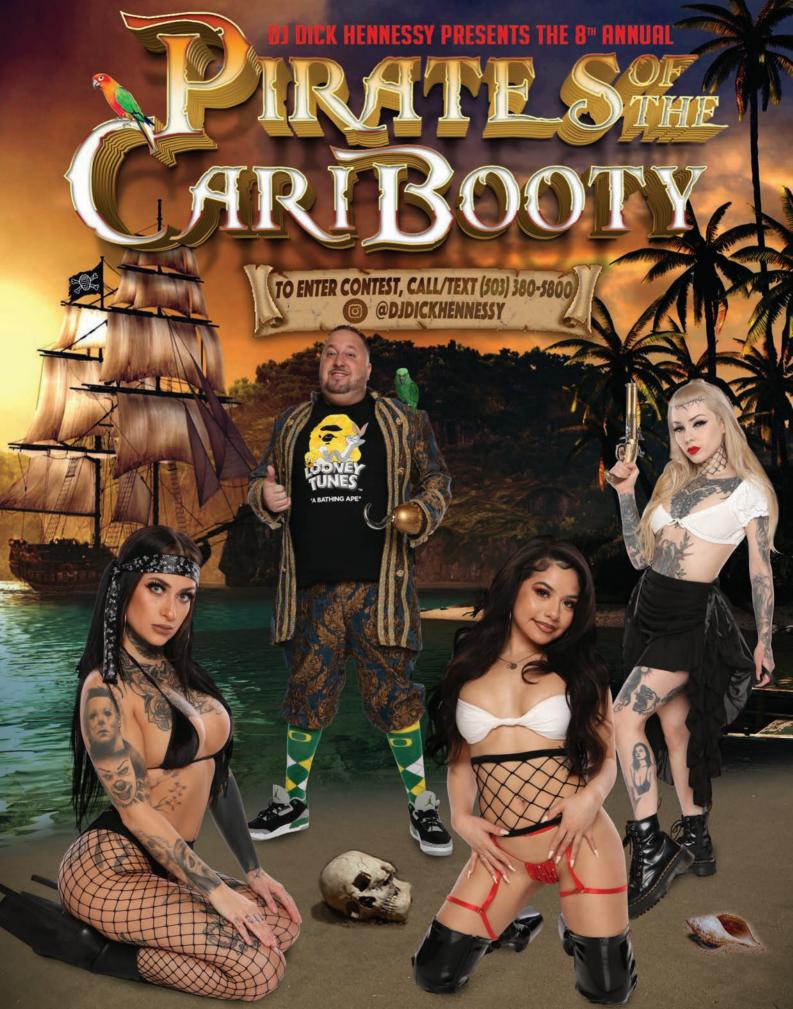


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That last week of February was colder than a stripper's stare with a tip-less rack in a busy club! Are you ready for spring yet? We are! Despite the half an hour of drinking you'll get screwed out of when daylight savings time hits, everything else will be quite grand. A warmer and slightly less soggy Pornland will soon be upon us!

March brings a fresh list of *industry* things to do, and we'll start with DJ Dick Hennessy's *Pirates of the Caribooty*. After a two-year lacuna in the Caribooty saga, it's back in all its glory, and it's now in its 8th year! It all begins on Friday, March 4, at X Exotic Lounge. Please see the complete list of event dates to the right, or check out page 16 for more information. See you there, mateys!

Social Suicide, one of our favorite new monthly industry events, will go down on Tuesday, March 8. We've said it before, and we'll repeat it—if you still haven't checked out Social Suicide, you are seriously asleep. See what you've been missing by visiting their IG (@socialsuicidepdx), complete with video and photo coverage

of the past events.

It wouldn't be March without mentioning St. Patrick's Day parties, right? We have two such shamrocked-out shindigs for you, so make sure to pace yourself! Guilty Pleasures and Stars Cabaret in Salem both want you to wear green, and you'll not only save green, but also get a free gift! Check out both of their ads for details!

We recommend you not blow your entire load at the aforementioned St. Paddy's parties because it's also The Lounge's very first anniversary party. That's right, folks, one of PDX's best new clubs is turning one, and given the pandemic shit show we've endured over the last few years, opening a strip club amidst all the uncertainty and chaos and doing it successfully is fucking amazing. We congratulate the owners, as well as Miranda...one of the hardest-working signoras in our industry!

Rounding off March's industry events is another unique P-town sound; El Gordo will be at Dante's on March 20, followed by Sinferno Cabaret. Pro tip: don't miss this night!

POLEROTICA STARTS NEXT MONTH!

That's right... *Polerotica* starts on April 2 at Cheetahs XXX Cabaret in Salem and runs through the end of May, and we have all the essential dates listed for you on page 14! Remember, you're not a true industry aficionado unless you have perfect attendance, so get those dates recorded!

Many of you are aware of *Miss Exotic* being the longest-running industry event, but did you know *Polerotica* is now in its 11th year? After applying some pandemic mathematics,





we will be medaling our tenth pole champion this year! With that, let's take a look at the very first *Polerotica* Champion in 2011: Trinity from the now-defunct Riverside Sports Bar & Grill in Umatilla, Oregon. Trinity would go on to win *Polerotica* two more times, sharing one of those first-place finishes with Chaos from the also now-defunct Safari Showclub in 2013.

That's all for today's industry history lesson—class dismissed! See you at *Polerotica* Round 1, and yes, we'll be taking roll!

Shine on, you crazy diamonds!

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NAUGHTY BY NATURE A Brief History of Sex Toys

BY ESMERALDA RUPP-SPANGLE

The history of human sexuality is littered with perversity. Unfortunately, most of it is overlooked or glossed over by your boring high school teacher in favor of whatever lame facts the current school curriculum requires. Who wants to know about the Civil War when the history of deviance is right there? No one, that's who. I bet if I'd been taught this kinda stuff in class, I would have gotten better than a C-.

The word dildo (from the Italian: diletto, meaning "delight" and the Latin: diatare, meaning "open wide") was invented around 1400, but phallic representations have been around far, far longer. One such curious item, a 7.8-inch stone dong, was discovered in Germany not more than a few years ago and dated back at least 28,000 years. Archaeologists aren't sure if it was ever, well, used, but I can't imagine spending all that time carving a detailed, generously-sized stone wang while fleeing from cave bears and foraging for scraps and not taking the time to use it.

Moving forward a bit, a number of curious sex toys like bronze strap-ons and jade butt plugs have been discovered in China, dating back to the Han dynasty. The butt plugs were "apparently" used on corpses to prevent—ah—leakage (or the loss of "vital essence," if you want to be nice), but I think we all know that's not where it ended. The bronze dildos, however, were described by the scientists as "definitely made for use" and were attached with a leather or silk thong, though it's not clear if these hollow metallic willies were meant to be worn by women, men, or both.

Not to be outdone, the Japanese invented the Ben Wa balls by 500 AD. Called Rin-no tama, the original balls



Fancy schmancy, China!

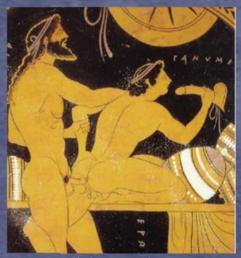
were a hard, metal sphere containing mercury (that seems safe), the movement of which was said to lead to a more intense orgasm if inserted into—eh—wherever you felt like it. These "geisha balls" were rediscovered and introduced into Western culture around 250 years ago via the French because, of course, it was the French.



Quite the array of ancient Japanese sexual aides

The first time the use of a dildo was immortalized in imagery was, you guessed it, ancient Greece. Are we even a little surprised by this? Known as olisbos, these were ostensibly for the use of the lonely woman (sure...). I first mentioned olisbos a couple of months ago in my *History for Hoes* article, and they

were made of—well, loaves of bread, but later were crafted of everything from leather to wood (splinters, much?), to stone.



Oh, Greece—you do you

Jumping into the relatively modern era, a recent discovery in Nantucket of a 150-year-old plaster dildo (along with letters, a shirt collar, a pipe, and a laudanum bottle) hidden in a chimney of a nice old woman named Connie Congdon highlighted a thus far little-discussed history of naughtiness in the US. Known as a "He's-at-Home," these recreational devices could be used (along with prayer, knitting circles, and copious amounts of opium) to quell the bitter sadness of a wife, sometimes called a "Cape Horn Widow," who might be left alone for years as her husband was off whaling. Captain Ahab, a fictional antihero of Moby Dick, in speaking of his own wife, mentions, "Wife? Wife? Rather a widow with her husband alive!" Apparently presented as gifts from man to woman, I suppose it would be better to imagine your wife diddling herself with this than running around with some poxy tramp, regardless of what the reality was.

Another even more modern device of—ah—pleasure (???) is the Detwiller Pneumatic Vibrator. We've all seen the intimidating-looking "massagers" of the era, but this one surely takes the cake. Powered by a separate tank of compressed air (seems kind of bulky, but ok), it reportedly sounded like a ratchet. Add to that the array of grimace-inducing attachments, and I can't imagine how this got beyond the prototype stage. Different strokes, different folks, I suppose.



That's a "nope" from me

Incredibly, the Fleshlight wasn't invented until the 1990s. I suppose for most people, the ol' hairy palms are fine, but not for Steve Shubin, an ex-cop who was trying to have one last child with his wife. She ended up getting pregnant with twins, but at 40, this was a dangerous proposition for her. Steve was understandably frustrated by her doctor-ordered abstinence, but rather than being unfaithful, he decided to go full mad scientist in his garage and whip up the best possible substitute for human flesh, that would be durable and not give you like, gnarly rashes or anything. Eventually, the modern pocket pussy was born. Congrats, dudes—it only took 28,000 years longer to invent than the first dildo.

On researching this article, I've come to the conclusion that archaeologists and historians are usually fucking squares. Things that you and I might look at and say, "definitely a sex toy," these nerds say, "religious totem," "mortician's tool," "massager," or "back scratcher." So, next time you pick up your favorite sexy accouterment, please take it to heart and remember these trail-blazing inventors for who and what they were and are. Heroes!

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Okay, yes, Portland does have a scene. But, what is the scene bringing to the national table, let alone the global one? Sure, stuff's happening here, but is it anything worth exporting? What new sound is coming out of Portland that's making snarky journalists from NME fly over here to coin a brutally scathing yet accurate term for it? Currently, none, but maybe we can change that. Right here, right now, in this magazine, you picked up in a sex toy shop!

It's not hard. At this point, people are pulling generic genre adjectives and gluing them together. Just throw "core" or "post" onto literally any word, and you have a new genre. Why is every Portland band trying to be the next Elliott Smith or Modest Mouse when we could start throwing darts at a dictionary.

The following are just a few ideas that I feel our wet, little, wooded city is already primed to make reality. The ingredients are there. We just need to put them in the oven and commit. So, all you song slingers out there reading this—chew on these and see if

you can spit anything out.



You may think I'm being derogative and offering this niche genre as an excuse to use some flippant pejorative to describe a softboi with a Jazzmaster and too many pedals, whose personality-defining trauma is that the cute goth girl he has a crush on won't fuck him. You're absolutely right. However, the term "shoegaze" was coined for exactly the same reason! Except for the poor, noisy UK bands from the late '80s only sin to earn this vicious branding was sim-

ply looking at their array of effects pedals. Still, that doesn't change the fact that the snarky NME journalist meant it as an insult. Of course, now we have offshoots such as metalgaze, blackgaze, and last year, I read about a new group described as jazzgaze. The term was reclaimed. I quarantee the same thing would happen to this new, PDX-born-and-bred genre (that, yes, would be yet another offshoot of shoegaze). We have enough thirsty, single, penis-owning songwriters to congeal their thinly-veiled misogyny into a cohesive sound. Lyrical content is just rearranged set pieces of Bob Dylan's "Like A Rolling Stone." Performative poor boys whining about attractive, popular women, who they resent for not touching their weiner. Fight me, boomers.

Depie Rock

Stay with me. You see, depie is short for dependent, just like indie is short for independent. See? Depie rock! Fuck DIY. Fuck small record labels. Fuck cassette tapes no one can play and fuck shows in basements. Let's start a new trend of Dependent Rock!

Just as there is literally nothing independent about the bands that describe themselves as indie, eventually, depie will also lose its capitalistic and money-hungry roots. However, the mood of demanding some sort of compensation for one's musical effort should permeate the sound. That vibe of only taking the paying gigs and catering to major labels with a non-offensive sound that your grandma can listen to. It could be a thing. Come on, Portland!



Superpop

Here's the thing. The existence of pop and the existence of hyperpop suggests the existence of superpop. We can't just skip a goddamn step in the trajectory. How do we know hyperpop is even feasible if we haven't achieved superpop? Leave it to Portland to take it down a notch. I have no idea what superpop sounds like. One would think this is the ultimate form of pop on a Shania Twain/Michael Jackson level. However, based on the designation we're giving nuclear-capable missiles that we're lobbing at each other from across the globe, hyper exceeds super. We jumped a level in pop, and that just seems wrong. Come on, Portland. Only you can give us 10 to 50 gecs, or thereabouts.

Nochillwave

One of the cool things about splitting hairs with microgenres is sometimes you can just invent a new one by be-



ing contrarian. In the early '80s, even Sonic Youth embraced the concept of "No Wave." As in, "Oh, New Wave? Actually, we're not that; we're No Wave." Once again, with the thought experiments—if we can have chillwave, we can also have nochillwave. Portland is the perfect breeding ground for this kind of anti-genre. We are flooded with hipster douchebags obsessed with VHS tape nostalgia, so we have the authentic love of chillwave to mirror off of. All we need to do is flip it on its head. Instead of smooth, synthy trips through an idyllic eighties dreamscape, imagine the broken, jittery nightmare of a post-Reagen hellscape. Just as chillwave celebrated the nostalgic veneer of the eighties, nochillwave can expose the brown, broken, cracked reality that it

actually was. How this can be musically achieved is up to Portland's finest. Throw a dollar to your dancer and get on it.

Punk Squat Pop

Despite the name, this genre has nothing to do with punk but everything to do with where the folks who like said genre live. The squats! This new genre is actually a response to the bedroom pop phenomenon that has imploded, thanks to the plague assist. Granted, any kind of music can be made in your bedroom, but the isolation and privacy do have an effect on the resulting product. With a laptop, Pro Tools, and your imagination, you could literally make anything—but the fact that you're alone in a room where you sleep will shape the kind of stuff you make. Let's apply that same environmental effect on those folks who have to couch surf to get by. They don't get to close the door. They're just there on the couch in the living room while six other unwashed dudes are playing beer pong, smoking cigarettes, and watching Futurama. That guiet, close intimacy will be replaced with random tangents and ambient noise. It could be a thing, and it could be a distinctly Portland thing.











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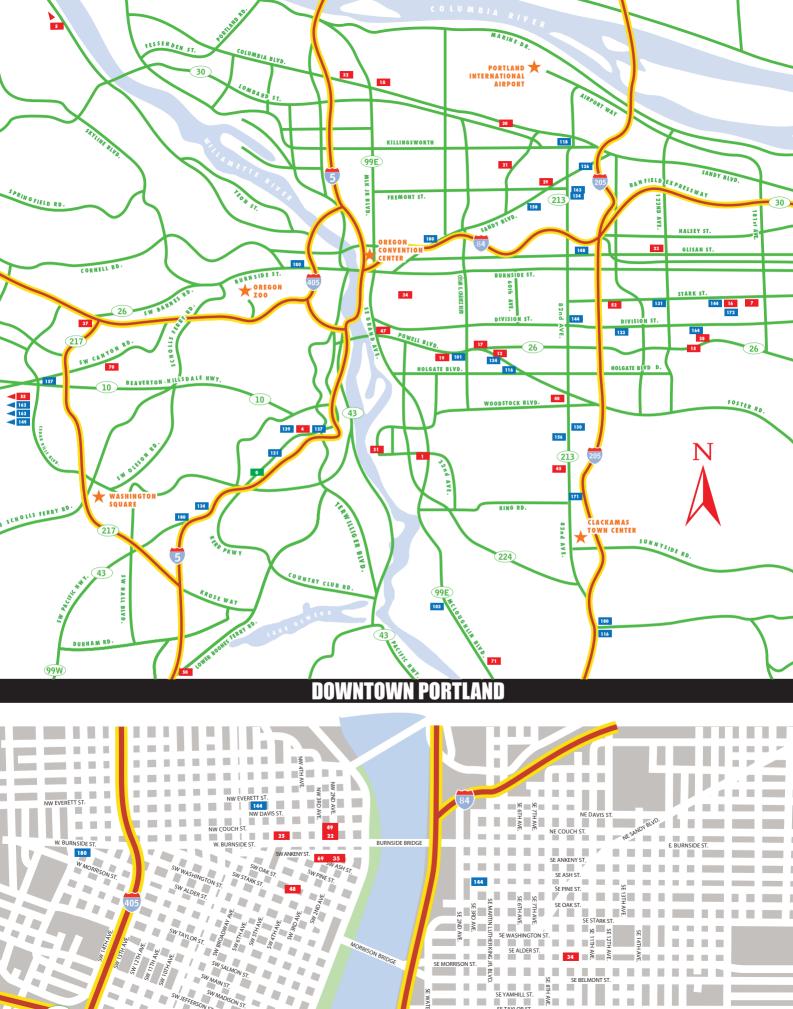


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AMONTHUTHEDAYOF

BY HANNAH ONE CUP

I really wanted to make this article more personal than the others because I feel that maybe you guys (the readers) want to know what us folks (the writers) actually do during their months, other than sitting around judging people, getting drunk, and writing for Exotic. We really have it all, the booze, the attention, the ladies and gents, and the money. None of this is in order, and none of it is bragging about how much of any of these particular items we have (I currently have about four bottles of whisky and one nefariouslooking bottle of gin, the rest is private).

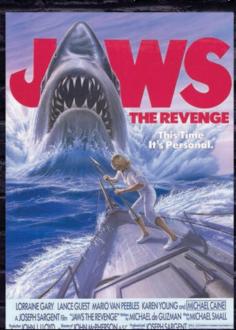
Along with all this swag, I personally have invested a great deal of time doing other shit (this is where you say, "What shit do you do!?" all excited like). Well, this is the shit I did this month...read up and guit asking.

Kept nuts in my pockets and started feeding my local murder of crows. Currently, I have two fairly-frequent flyers that will come by whenever I'm taking my dog George out to piss—one that will AL-WAYS fly by my head, perch on a branch above, cock his head to the side, shit, caw at me as if to say, "Where the fuck is the nut, lady?" and stare menacingly into my soul. I started arguing back to the crows and telling him to "get down," or "well, get the fuck down to get these nuts, fucker, FUCK!" I shake the nut around to try to coax it down to no avail (yet), drop it when I finally give up, walk George away from the area and watch proudly as my asshole crow picks up the nut, stares back at me, and leaves.

Note that these are uncracked walnuts I

purchased from QFC because they were \$1.88 a bag. I currently have eight bags of walnuts, so I'm sure I'll have a murder of crows as my pet soon enough. If anything, I might end up being the crazy bird lady from any number of movies.

Watched really crappy horror movies, and I mean really crappy. When Hulu and Netflix offer my significant other "Things you might enjoy," they base it all off of the fact that his phone most likely



heard him talk about Sleep Away Camp or Sleep Away Camp 2. Now, think about what could come of that and then multiply the SciFi channel in the 1990s x 20, and you get the best of the Leprechaun (which is, of course, 5), Gingerdead Man, Uncle Peckerhead, Birdemic...which was argued to be a tribute to Alfred Hitchock's masterpiece, The Birds. Most can't handle

the pasted-in bird gifs (I think they're turkey vultures?) and Death Bed, "the bed that eats." Jaws THE REVENGE never popped up, surprisingly. I take this personally.

Found the origin of the bean memes and am still confused. All those groups for "beans in places they shouldn't be" is honestly one of the most disturbingly low-key sinister things created on the internet. The memes don't hurt you, but they certainly will keep you up during the night or possibly in the middle of your workday, wondering how long it took that girl to clean the beans out of her crotch. Or, why that man wasted a perfectly good camera by filling it with beans. Or, why someone still wears Crocs and then goes and makes it worse by putting beans in them. I have gone through so many Google searches of "Where did the bean memes originate from" that the first two words in my phone's auto-fill are now "beans" and "horrible." Also, I now have the answer to what's really in a can of Del Monte green beans. So, I feel that my month wasn't a total waste.



https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=wKvRZtc3Qcl (Have this going on three different tabs simultaneously, for a good time.)

Played Trivial Pursuit Millennium Edition and was surprisingly horrible at it. Dick, my boyfriend (he'll hate this when he sees it published), and I decided to play this game with our good, very openly-Polish friend, who for some reason has an obsession with trivia. So much so that she has a collection of trivia games, including Trivial Pursuit Seattle, Trivial Pursuit World of Dinosaurs, Nautical Trivial Pursuit, and others that I can't even begin to remember. She has so many Trivial Pursuit games that she left one at our place for those "whenever I pop by, cuz I'm always going to beat your ass at trivia" moments, and it just happened to be Millennium Edition. Being that we should all mostly know what was going on during this time of our lives, we thought we'd be pretty decent. But, it turns out we all hate sports, and Millennium edition means the entirety of the last 1,000 years' worth of general knowledge guestions asked within TP at the time. So, you better have brushed up on your random facts about 1950s television and presidential hairdressers if you plan on even remotely coming close to finishing a game.



All of the cards shown were what was gone through in order to win a game.

So, yeah, that was my month. I feel that letting you, the reader, see a day in the life—or in this case, a month—lets you understand where I come from a bit when writing my amazing articles, which are so amazing and pretty much the best thing since sliced cheese (but not really, because sliced cheese is the best thing since cheese and nothing compares to cheese). I digress... I hope you enjoyed placing yourself in my shoes and feeding the crows. It's been a pleasure showing you around. If you need a second to play Trivial Pursuit, don't ask me. But, if you need someone to share some nuts, I might be able to weasel something in. I can be found on Facebook by my name or outside apartment complexes yelling at the fucking crows.







ORPHEUS: LUST AND OTHER SINS

by Elise Fontaine

When I think of Orpheus, I think of lust and other sins. Wildfire sunsets during the summer that choke the air with sublime beauty, smoke, and death. When we could taste the screams of faraway loss as we strolled to a nearby human-made lake to make out in the view of bright moss.

When I think of Orpheus, I think of flesh on flesh when we fused on his bed listening to Suicide's first album on vinyl. The devil's ivy filled the space with a sprawling hope I so desperately wanted inside of me.

When I think of Orpheus, I think of the last

time we were together. He apologized to me with tears in his eyes and ejaculated sorrow on my tongue because I demanded it.

When I think of Orpheus, I think of all the times I pulled off his shirt, and divinity inserted itself into our sweat. Each droplet embodied a symphonic energy of our love and desire, unending, as we writhed atop a gray comforter silken with our confessional moans of undying love.

When I think of Orpheus, I think of when he whipped homemade dressing on the counter where he smacked my ass. Swirls of apple cider vinegar, extra virgin olive oil, raw honey, and spice. This recipe is the incantation I use to conjure his ghost these days. I guess I can be a little bit of a hopeless necromantic. The real potency comes from the salt of my tears, that bleed with longing to join him in Hades. To kiss him as softly as clouds while we intertwine between heaven and earth, and he enters my pink gloaming.

When I think of Orpheus, I think of when he used to tell me: "Just give me a night every now and then so I don't die." The distance equaled murder, we agreed. Murder of the soul. The restriction of muses. Neither of us ever believed it would come true.

When I think of Orpheus, I think of begging the accidental reaper, "Please don't kill the twin flames who guffaw in unison at the most inappropriate and gruesome death

When I think of Orpheus, I think of how I swallowed his breath, and he swallowed mine. Back and forth, exchanging vital forces recycled through the lungs.

> scenes in Akira Kurosawa's Ran, at the cinema full of everyone else's gasps." We were always mutually, individually, and independently outcasts. But the reaper doesn't care for our distilled tastes and morbid sense of humor.

When I think of Orpheus, I think of how much of a nightmare life can be without him. But then he visits me in dreams so sweetly, and for that, I'm eternally grateful.

When I think of Orpheus, I think of how he died the same day we were supposed to hang out. I think of blaming myself for something that's not my fault.

When I think of Orpheus, I think of how authorities say, "accidental overdose," and I say,

"fentanyl poisoning." The world says, "relapse," and I say, "reliving too much pain over and over, to the point of the only choices feeling like madness or oblivion."

When I think of Orpheus, I think of the shaming narratives around addiction. I think of how a label like "addict" is deeply problematic and perpetuates a script of failure, a stuck-in-it-forever-ness that makes it hard to escape impulse. This negative branding unconsciously makes others anticipate failure and treat folks as if they have already failed because they inevitably will since they're an addict.

When I think of Orpheus, I think of how we both—at different points in our lives—crawled out of gutters and from under freeway bridges with bruised ribs and syringes dangled from



bloodied limbs. Sick and sullen with escapism. Obsessed and addicted to flirting with death. But without actually expecting to die. That wasn't ever supposed to happen. Especially since by the time we met, we were both sober and immersed in the light of poetry and music.

When I think of Orpheus, I think of a percussionist's hands gently cupping my face and smothering me in the sweetest kisses, from the time I crossed the threshold into his home until we landed in his bed, switching positions 156 times because it was so fun and felt so good.

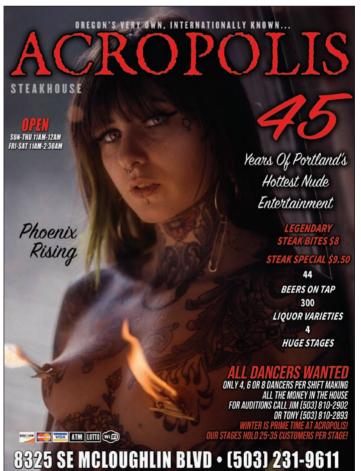
When I think of Orpheus, I think of how I swallowed his breath, and he swallowed mine. Back and forth, exchanging vital forces recycled through the lungs. An innate tantra in the moment of our union.

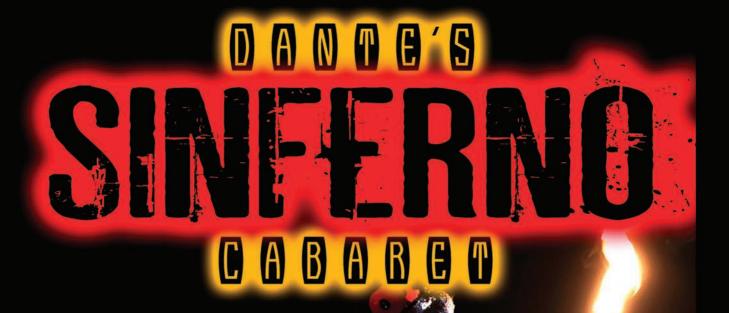
When I think of Orpheus, I think of how the stars spilled fables of a lion and goat fumbling under the bull's moon during the spring of 2017. We toggled between quintessential beauty and beast roles, depending on our infidelity. Everyone involved was very emotional and sometimes a bit vain, in an animalistic sort of way. I guess, technically, no one really cheated because we were always broken up during our rendezvous.

When I think of Orpheus, I think of how somewhere along the way, we figured out that when people get defensive and accuse you of being judgmental, they're really just judging themselves.

When I think of Orpheus, I think of chastity until I can get my ghost shit straight.







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THE UNITED STATES' 50TH MOST POPULAR PORN SEARCHES

This being the magazine that it is—one which you obtain and skim while waiting for the next dancer to do the next set at the venue of your choice—you have certain expectations. I've covered in the recent past such topics as historical naval battles and nostalgic recollections of food and drink from the 1990s, but those do not intrigue the genitals. I had read, at a time, a list of the top Pornhub searches by state, and they were astonishingly bland.

My idea, of course, is to dig deeper—to find less-popular search items which reveal the true character of each respective state. So, I'm getting out my shovel and looking at the 50th most popular porn search, which will ultimately tell us more than the eternal first place of "huh huh, lesbians" ever could. The taste of the masses is generic, but when you drill down, well, you find out what people are really made of. In this case, they're made of perversity. So, buckle up, as we're gonna get sticky.

States listed in alphabetical order.

Alabama

Sexy kennel club – Because, you know, the kennel club is quite literally where you find all the hot bitches. It sounds more like a sitcom if you ask me.

Alaska

Chili doggin' – This...is an act wherein you fuck someone in the ass and they, accidentally or deliberately, shit on your wang. It's very descriptive, to say nothing else.

Arizona

Snot bukkake – You just get a bunch of people to sneeze all over someone. They get covered in thick ropes of fluid, alright, just not the kind which is traditional. But why does Arizona like this? I couldn't say, but it is a dry

climate, so perhaps they covet the mucus.

Arkansas

Nude pie-eating contest – Not entirely sure what the fuck goes on in Arkansas, but it certainly sounds like they know how to party.

California

Crusty elbows – Ya know, I blame this on San Francisco. Whenever something weird comes up in California, it's typically rooted in SF because that's like a city full of tiny Caligulas... and human feces.

Colorado

The most foreskin – The most. Is this a fetish? A contest? We tryin' to find a new way to tote around your pet hamster?

Connecticut

Ewok gangbang – Anyone who saw the director's cut of the Star Wars Holiday Special knows the deal with this one. Not sure why it's a CT thing, though.

Delaware

7-11 break room sex tape – There was an incident, which the whole tiny state knows about, and now they look it up relentlessly.

Florida

SHAQ - Yeah, Shaq. Because Shaq.

Georgia

Lice vagina – Uncertain if this is a **thing** or just people deep into life, who are searching for answers.

Hawaii

Walrus cosplay – Which, one cannot argue, is sexy as fuck.

Idaho

Hangnail sucking – Idaho, you're wild. To be fair, their legitimate #1 search term for porn by women is My Little Pony, which is honestly creepier.

Illinois

Penis ping pong – Now, if you've never seen that clip, then go watch it now. I don't know if the Illinoisans are jacking off to this or just find it fascinating, but one might conceivably do both.

Indiana

Knob that mom – Apparently, some kind of series wherein mothers are banged for purposes other than procreation, in the back of a rented vehicle.

lowa

Ball hair grooming – I've been unable to determine if this is for hygiene tips or some kind of...erotic enactment, but I dunno; I'd watch





that. So break out your ball comb, girl. Let's get down.

Kansas

Penis in Arby's® sandwich – You know, there's a reason I don't eat at Arby's. Well...now there are two reasons, I suppose.

Kentucky

Noodle in anus – Now, note it's not "noodles" (plural). Just one noodle. Why is it there? What can it possibly be doing? Can I masturbate to this? Questions require answers, and I shall seek them.

Louisiana

Midget sex in claw machine – Okay, watching two "little people" get busy while someone is trying to get a stuffed animal out of a claw machine might sound ridiculous, but this is actually a proof-of-concept that one can be laughing hysterically and still beat one's meat.

Maine

Cankles – They like 'em thick in Maine. Thick in the ankle, that is.

Maryland

Hot dog in butt cheeks – Not to be confused with "chili doggin," as mentioned earlier, this just involves some Oscar Meyer action atwixt

the ol' glutes. With French's mustard and some relish, too.

Massachusetts

Dick in mop wringer – I honestly figured it'd be something to do with whaling, but I suppose it is the 21st century, and dicks in mop wringers are where it's at. Interestingly, this is also the 50th most popular porn search in Thailand, as well.

Michigan

Naughty Christmas pageant – Well, it's not like anyone forced you to dress up like a wise man and present gifts of cock and balls to sexy Mary. Unless you were in the same Boy Scout troop, I was.

Minnesota

Fish tank of cocks – You know, it's amazing... when we look back on the history of CGI, we never knew a fish tank full of cocks would be on the agenda, but in Minnesota, they appreciate it, for real. At least...I hope that's CGI.

Mississippi

Poop on the stairs – I believe this is more akin to a murder mystery. They don't watch people poop on the stairs, but instead, they view the poop on the stairs and ponder on who might have done such a thing.

Missouri

The Sneaky Pete – Without standing on ceremony, this is slipping someone a pinky in the cornhole. Why the "show me" state is fond of this, I cannot even begin to speculate, but ya know...show 'em.

Montana

Erotic Godfather III – Now, this movie has been described as incredibly flawed and an unworthy successor to the previous films, but in Montana, once you recast and reshoot it as a porn film, you apparently have a host of cowboys and cowgirls who are all about it.

Nebraska

Gorilla milking – A process by which a man is given an aggressive handjob. Nothing at all to do with corn. I expected there to be something about corn.

Nevada

Shit tuba – Ah, the ol' shit tuba. Oh, that almost makes a man nostalgic. Wait, what the fuck is that again? Oh...oh, no.

Oh, no, no, no.

New Hampshire

Nipple sweat – Girl, you got it goin' on. Let's see you do jazzercize and watch them bumpies 'round that nip get damp with perspiration.

New Jersey

Crotchless gym shorts – Hey, sometimes you wanna do squats and have a breeze on your gear, whether that gear be a rod and reel or a tackle box.

New Mexico

Andre the Giant's grundle – I am not sure what goes on in New Mexico, but whatever they're up to, I hope there's a larger plan at work here.

New York

Dog pee sno-cones – New York...most of the state is actually comprised of real people who aren't terrible, but they are all beholden to the whims of the soulless mass that is New York City. However, the relevance of this topic sounds like something from Jackass, combined with the Tide Pod eating thing from a few years back.

North Carolina

Live bee enema – I'd assume because of the abundance of apiarist culture in the state, but fuck me. I did a search and couldn't find anything that delivered. Even if I had, I bet it'd just be someone jumping around and saying "OW!" a lot. Probably not sexy, but what do I know? Could be the best off I ever jacked.

North Dakota

Math homework – I think this is one of those things, like when the Amazon product survey hits some old person and they take the time to reply to it, and their answer is "I don't know how to use computers, leave me alone," but for kids with math homework.

Ohio

Boglin handjob – Remember those silicone hand puppets from the 1980s? Well, someone else did, too, but they had more interesting ideas about how they were to be used.

Oklahoma

The even dirtier Sanchez – Much like its cousin, the regular dirty Sanchez, this one goes above and beyond. In addition to thumbing their butthole and giving someone a fecal mustache, this version also applies a goatee.

Oregon

Sasquatch MILFs – Okay, true story, I met sasquatch once, and he still needs to pay me back my five bucks, but I did not meet his hot mom. (Of note, everyone who lives in Oregon for more than ten years has seen sasquatch at least once and has possibly lent him money,

which he fritters away on corn dogs, which are truly the greatest vice of our civilization.)

Pennsylvania

HUGE GUNT – In all caps for some reason. Not certain why Pennsylvanians are into the 'yuge gunt, but I am not here to pass judgment on the preferred size of gunts.

Rhode Island

Chinese jumping sex – it should be noted that there was, a few years after the 2000 movie "Crouching Tiger, Hidden Dragon," a pornographic version of that movie made. Wherein, yes, they jumped through the air and had "the sex," much like characters from the original film. Why this endures in Rhode Island is anyone's guess.

South Carolina

Guy with four dicks – Alright, I'm about this. I wanna see the guy with four dicks fuck four ladies at once. Or...one lady four times.

South Dakota

BMX stunt hump – Now, recalling that the Dakotas are ten years behind the rest of the country, it is entirely possible that BMX is still popular and that people fuck while doing it.

Tennessee

Ass octopus – I speculated that this was some kind of sex toy. No, it is not. Where does a landlocked state find such a ready supply of octopuses? Wait...octopi? Octopodes? Also, do they really belong in the ass? Well, Tennesseein' is Tennebelievin'.

Texas

Payless Shoe Source® hidden cam – Unsure if Texans are into feet or just trying to spy on where the deals are for modestly-priced footwear.

Utah

Shaved Yogi Bear – Alright, I thought someone was playin' with me, but the shaved Yogi Bear has little to do with the cartoon character and more with doing butt stuff. I am supposing that perhaps this exists because they're Mormons or something, and thus, are contractually forbidden from typing "butt stuff" into a search bar.

Vermont

Tub thumping – Apparently in Vermont, when "tub thumping" is mentioned, it's not to do with that dumb song by '90s band Chumbawamba about being knocked down and

getting up again... Instead, it is somehow more disturbing.

Virginia

Where are my keys – No, not just confused old people who are asking questions of a porn site like it were Google, but rather something that I can only describe as "full-arm fisting." Ask your doctor if full-arm fisting is right for you.

Washington

Felch Party USA – Yeah, I can see getting behind this if I lived in a state which contained a Puget Sound. World of Felchcraft, baby.

Washington DC

Grindr bloopers – "Oops, cock in your ass!"

West Virginia

Dog eating a used tampon – Yeah, we all know the video in question. Address to West Virginians: you better not be masturbating to this.

Wisconsin

Forced sneezing – You know, throwin' pepper in a hoe's face, so she clenches tighter. At least...that's what I've been told is the point. Also, I was expecting something cheese-related. Maybe that's merely higher on the list than number 50?

Wyoming

John Travolta's scrotum – John Travolta isn't even from Wyoming. He's from Jersey. Why his ballsack merits 50th place on porn searches there is beyond me. Perhaps it is capacious and inspires the riverine windsurfers who live there?

And that's all 50 states (and DC) and their 50th most popular porn searches. Data courtesy of InterYank, the porn statistics company.

I've enjoyed learning what tickles people beyond the typical crude, tepid categories of modern, mainstream pornography, and I hope you have as well.

Until next time,

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