

## ALBUM RELEASES

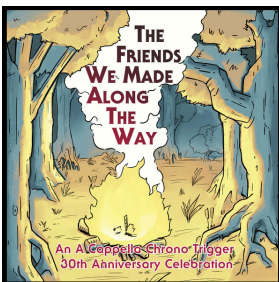


- Marshall Art
- Live at Super MAGFest 2025

Marshall Art's live performance from Super MAGFest 2025 is now available on Bandcamp! The album features the chiptune prog-rock collective playing covers from modern video game favorites such as Animal Crossing & Yakuza, classic deep cuts from Maniac Mansion & Smurfs Nightmare, and more! The album also features guest appearances from AarekMG, Lacey Johnson, and Lauren the Flute.

<https://marshallart.bandcamp.com/album/live-at-super-magfest-2025>

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- Ian Martyn
- The Friends We Made Along the Way: An A Cappella Chrono Trigger 30th Anniversary Celebration

The Friends We Made Along the Way is the first of a pair of albums of a cappella arrangements celebrating the incredible music of Chrono Trigger. I arranged and recorded these tracks for the 30th anniversary of Chrono Trigger's release. Big thanks to the following featured singers: Ampyluxe, Andromeda, Darby Cupit, Julie Sakalys, Leo Martyn, Nemo Fairlight, Ursa Starsong, Brandon L. Harnish, Joe Newman, Josh Pendlebury

<https://lnk.to/chrono-friends>

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- Knight of the Round
- Refractions

After 5 long years, Indiana-based Final Fantasy thrashers Knight of the Round return with their 6th full length album, Refractions! The fully-licensed album will feature 10 tracks from games ranging from FFII to FFXV, and is a true "return to form" for the band. Refractions ditches the thematic elements of past albums and focuses on a more polished arrangement approach while keeping the signature KOTR theme of "unnecessarily heavy Final Fantasy tributes" alive and well.

<https://knightoftheround.bandcamp.com/album/refractions>

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## LIVE EVENTS



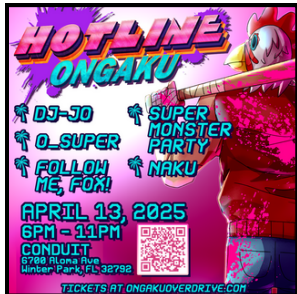
Windy Harper to perform at VGMCON

Windy Harper will present a solo set at VGMCON with guest performers SheaViolin, Cell33t, LauretheFlute, and UnfocusedinIA on Saturday at 12L30pm on the Hero Stage.

<https://vgmcon.org/>

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Hotline Ongaku

April 13th at Conduit in Winter Park, Florida.

Hotline Ongaku is a high-octane serving of good ol' live Florida video game music (VGM). We're gonna Push It with high-energy performances from dj-Jo and Super Monster Party. Joining them will be O\_Super, Im\_naku, and Follow Me, Fox.

In addition to a night of incredible music, there will be game setups, prize raffles, and themed drinks!

<https://ongakuoverdrive.com/hotlineongaku/>

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Beeps 'n Bops Winnipeg

We're taking our Beeps 'n Bops VGM showcase across Canada! Stop one on our Beeps 'n Bops Two City Tour is returning to Winnipeg, Manitoba. Featuring the metal wails of SuperFX, the jazz fusion beats of 8-Bit & the Single Players, the beeps and thrashes of Danimal Cannon, and the soothing harp of Samantha Ballard. The evening also features a "Name That Tune" contest run by There Is No Easy Mode Trivia, a cosplay contest, and raffle prizes.

Use code TOGETHER at checkout for 20% your ticket price!

<https://www.bonusstage.ca/event-details-registration/beeps-n-bops-winnipeg-1>

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Beeps 'n Bops Edmonton

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The second stop on our Beeps 'n Bops Two City Tour has us heading to Edmonton, Alberta. It's another eclectic video game music showcase, featuring the groovy tunes of Experience Points, the nerdy melodies of Pure Octane, the iconic guitar licks of Thennecan, and the small but mighty classical styles of the Open World Ensemble.



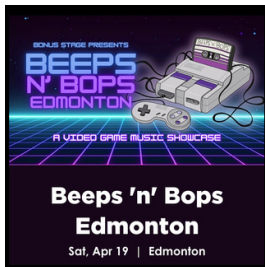
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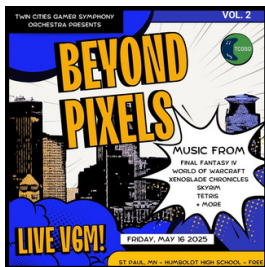
Bonus Stage's Video Game Music showcase in Edmonton, Canada. Featuring Pure Octane, Experience Points, Open World Ensemble and Thennecan.



<https://www.bonusstage.ca/event-details-registration/beeps-n-bops-edmonton>



Thennecan



Twin Cities Gamer Symphony presents  
"Beyond Pixels" - Free concert in St. Paul

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Join the Twin Cities Gamer Symphony Orchestra for a FREE concert titled "Beyond Pixels" in St. Paul, MN at Humboldt High School on May 16, 2025. MN's first video game orchestra will perform pieces from World of Warcraft, Xenoblade Chronicles, Skyrim, Runescape, Final Fantasy, Tetris & more! Admission is free and open to the public. Stream live at [twitch.tv/twincitiesgso](https://twitch.tv/twincitiesgso). TCGSO is also accepting submissions for VGM arrangements for future concerts. For more information email [RLPC@tcgso.org](mailto:RLPC@tcgso.org)



[www.tcgso.org](http://www.tcgso.org)



Twin Cities Gamer Symphony Orchestra



Audio Mocha at CreatorsCon Colorado Springs

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Audio Mocha will be performing live at CreatorsCon on May 17, 2025! Located in Colorado Springs, Audio Mocha will be performing his brand of tropical themed rock across various video game franchises. Whether you're a fan of surf rock, Latin rock, or cumbia, don't miss out on this pixelated pool party coming to the Springs!



<https://www.creatorsconvention.com>



Audio Mocha



## LIVE EVENTS



Once and Again

Our Spring 2025 full ensemble concert celebrating the 30th anniversary of Chrono Trigger! We'll be performing a suite of music from Chrono Trigger, Chrono Cross, and more all arranged by members of the orchestra.

<https://givebutter.com/WMGSO25>

Washington Metropolitan Gamer Symphony Orchestra (WMGSO)

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Vancouver Retro Gaming Expo

Vancouver's greatest gaming expo is back for 2025! Gaming, vendors, panels and a full day of music and entertainment brought to you by Bonus Stage! Line up to be announced.

<https://www.vancouvergamingexpo.com>

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## Are you a video game music creator?



**Add yourself to the vgmttogether collaboration directory!**

The vgmttogether Directory is designed to be an easily-accessible tool to help you put together your next collaboration. This catalog gives you the chance to submit information about yourself and your musical interests to a centralized list of fellow artists who will be able to learn more about you while you learn about them!



## VIRTUAL EVENT



Bonus Stage Presents WARP STAGE at VGM CON



Looks like we're blasting off again!! Bonus Stage is rocketing toward VGM CON: Dimensional Riff where Josh and MooMan will host their livestreamed WARP STAGE!! Featuring performers, interviews, interactive games, and more spacey shenanigans than you could shake an asteroid at! If you can't make it in person to VGM CON, beam down to Twitch for 3 days of intergalactic fun.

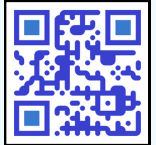


[www.twitch.tv/vgmcon](http://www.twitch.tv/vgmcon)



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## SONG RELEASE



KFTunesVGM



The Riverlands from Octopath Traveler (flute and piano cover)



An acoustic tribute to one of the most underrated tracks from Octopath Traveler. Travel with Kitteh & Frog (KFTunesVGM) through the scenic landscapes of the Riverlands via a relaxing arrangement of this Yasunori Nishiki masterpiece 🐱🐸



[https://youtu.be/zYHBRVjg\\_ZU?si=BgZ\\_8t\\_QkurnJJwW](https://youtu.be/zYHBRVjg_ZU?si=BgZ_8t_QkurnJJwW)

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## Submit your news to vgmt monthly!

*vgmt monthly* is a newsletter that offers a centralized place for the VGM community to make announcements! The newsletter will be posted each month on vgmttogether's social media and archived on our website. You're free to print or share the newsletter once it is released, but please do not alter it in any way.

**If you have multiple announcements, please fill out the form once for each one.** You can submit multiple announcements each month, and in as many months as you would like!

**The deadline for the following month is the 21st of the current month.** For example, an event submitted on February 18 will be part of the March newsletter while an event submitted on February 22 will be part of the April newsletter. If you have any questions, reach out to Nujj on Discord (nujjjj) or X (@kmelbone). [Submit your news here!](#)



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