### nd Street Cryers

h a debut album proby ex-Tom Petty and the breakers drummer Stan and engineered by Rob who has worked on alby U2, Weezer and Sheryl Grand Street Cryers cerhas some good support musical career.

med in August of 1995, the features members of veterallas bands who came tor searching for a new direc-

and Street Cryers plays arek-rock with an occasional ry beat put in the mix, emzing more on songwriting

nusical tones. nstantly touring and writew songs, the band will its way to North by Northplaying at Fitzwilly's out-Saturday at 8 p.m.

om a Grand Street Cryers' release, Tim Locke, the s primary songwriter, said,



"I write all the time. I have about 120 songs, and maybe half of them are good."

Locke said, apart from the total band aspect, he enjoys writing. "It's better than jogging or lift-

ing weights," he said. Although it would most likely be considered a young-and-upcoming band, Grand Street Cryers is well on its way to a lucrative ca-

reer in music. From Dallas to College Statake it, the band is sure to liven up the stage with diligentlywritten lyrics and flowing music melodies.

### Steamroller

Independent rock band Steamroller will be making tracks into Northgate Friday at Fitzwilly's.

For over four years, this Austin-based band has been playing shows and touring through Texas.

Some places Steamroller has traveled to play are Arkansas, Colorado and Mississippi.

The band's style of grooving, electric rock stems from the band's two singer/guitarists, Kevin Dodds and Michael McLellan; they have played together since they were 12years old.

In July of 1995, the band released a self-titled debut album on its own music label, Redwood Records.

Andy Langer of the Austin tion to wherever the wind will Chronicle said, "Steamroller's songwriting shows a surprisingly mature knack for lazy groves and jangly guitar dynamics."

In May of 1997, Steamroller



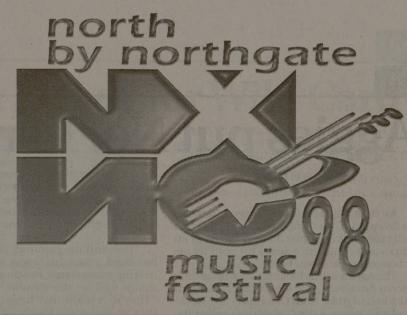
released its second album, Cabin Fever.

Within one week of the album's release, its sales made it the No. 2 best-selling local album at Austin's Tower Records.

Recently, the band won the **HORDE** Band to Band Combat in Austin that will allow them a playing slot on certain dates on the HORDE tour the summer of '98.

With two independent albums in its pocket, Steamroller looks to release a third album later this year.

For now, the band will bring its sound to Northgate to participate in its first music festival.



### Doosu

Dallas rock-band Doosu will be playing at The Cow Hop on Saturday at 7:30 p.m.

In February of '96, the band won both Regional/Southwest and National Grammy Showcase competitions sponsored by NARAS.

After reaching such top-notch success. Doosu then landed a three-song demo recording ses-

sion for Columbia Records. As the band attempted to make

the best of its good fortune, suddenly the rollercoaster ride came to a screeching halt when singer/guitarist Casey Hess had to take a trip to the hospital for ma-

jor open-heart surgery. Even after months of recovery, Hess' heart took on a bacterial infection which led him back to the hospital once again for more surgery.

Now Doosu is back on track and ready to rock at The Cow Hop for the first North by Northgate.

# North by Northgate Saturday Schedule

		Copasetic Café	Cow Hop	Crooked Path	Double Dave's	Fitzwilly's upstairs	Fitzwilly's outside	Shadow Canyon
	00	• Steve, Jon and Kellie (The Dittfurths)	• Last Free Exit	• Spittoon (6:15)	Cereal Box Killers	• Dexter Freebish (6:45)	•TOOMuchTV	• Haywood (6:15)
20000000	00	Jerid Jackson Matt Keprta	• Doosu		• The Spoilers			
	00	Sergio Herrera Michael Hickman		• Six Mile Bridge (8:15)		• Buck Jones (8:45)	Grand Street Cryers	• Huffamoose (8:15)
	00	• Jennifer Morgan (9:15)	• Kharma Jet		Spencer's Rocket		and the property of the proper	
10000000	00	•Roy Gene Munse • Ron Piwko (10:45)	• Slow Roosevelt	• Reclamation	Peeping Tom	• Drill Team	Memory Dean	• Chris Duarte
	00	• Miranda Zent		• Reckless Panhandlers (11:45)		D E	• Guy Forsyth (11:45)	• American Horse (11:45)
	00	• Robert Moreno (12:15 a.m.)	• Caulk		• Wan Santo Condo	• Cresta		







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