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THE BATTALION

Thursday, October 11, 2001

## Kicking back with KICKSTAND

Local student band to perform at Big Pauly's Saturday

By CRYSTAL DOBSON  
THE BATTALION

After getting their start in Lechner Hall, the band members of Kickstand are making their mark on the music scene.

On Oct. 13, Kickstand will perform at Big Pauly's. There is no cover charge, and the show starts at 10 p.m.

Members of the band include Jon Reisch, lead guitarist and singer; Josh Lee, singer and rhythm guitar; Erik Grande, lead guitar; Pippy Coulbourne, bass player and David Conlon, drums.

The overall sound of Kickstand is similar to Pearl Jam, Sound Garden and Stone Temple Pilots — basically the mid-90s alternative sound.

The group's songs, which range widely in sound and style, result from the influence of the band members' diverse life experiences.

"All of the members have great ideas on their own aspects of music, and each have shaped Kickstand in one

way or another," said Conlon. "Each idea comes from the personal and individual influences other people had on our lives. I love that our band can be so unique but similar at the same token."

Kickstand, which has frequently performed at The Grove and the Zone, has also played at several Northgate venues and cites North by Northgate as its favorite booking because of the high student turnout and support.

While the band said it hopes to attain a showing similar and as populated as last year's spot at North by Northgate, its present goal is to leave Texas A&M having played in Shadow Canyon.

Currently, it is planning to perform in San Marcos before the end of the school year and has its sights set on landing a gig in a major city, such as Houston or Austin.

In the meantime, Kickstand said it enjoys playing with other bands not only to attract larger audiences, but for the learning experience gained by interacting with other talents.

Kickstand's members have been together since spending their freshman year together at Lechner, and a few have known each other since their very first day on campus.

Although there were different band members in the past few years, each of them shared the same goal — making music.

The band started out by practicing in the Lechner television lounge, trying to do everything without amplifiers to avoid disturbing people. When the resident assistant put a halt to its practicing, the band received permission from Hall Council so they could practice during a designated time each week. Today it is no longer practices in the dorm but instead, in a studio off Harvey Mitchell Parkway.

The band said it looks forward to the release of its CD in early spring 2002, and recording it in Dallas over the summer.

Although being a member of Kickstand offers definite benefits and experiences, artists plan on going their separate ways after graduation. Some wish to go to graduate school or law school, but music will also remain a large part in the members' lives.

"All of us have different goals in the music industry and some may not. The important things to remember are how much fun we had the past four years, making the most of our talent, learning many new things, and forming the friendships with the other members of Kickstand."



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