

WELCOME BACK to another edition of My Anarcho Pop Zine! They said it couldn't be done - but I've done it, I've released an issue the same month as another issue. As this is June, this is the Pride edition of My Anarcho Pop Zine - if it's no longer Pride when you read it, remember that every month is pride month and you should act accordingly!

We have a cornucopia of delights for you in this issue - a queer Irish punk overview from moi, a top 10 from the inimitable Captain Nemo and some absolutely incredible art from bruiseviolet.

Major thanks and credit to all the contributors and happy pride month to all of you out there in cyberspace!

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AN IRISHQUEER PUNK PLAYLIST!

by Mal, Irish punk expert in residence

Fish on Top of

Shandon Swears

THE RADIATORS FROM SPACE

Irish punk pioneers. Guitarist & co-songwriter Phil Chevron was gay and some of his songs with the band reflect this. Essential Tracks: Under Clery's Clock, Enemies, Faithful Departed.

NUNFIVEBEETHOVEN

A series of bands with the same lead singer (who was gay). Words cannot express how good these bands were. Essential Trax: White Cortina.

anfiction Request **Bulletin Board**

"Write a fanfic where I use bussy power 2 trick Morrissey into not being a scumbag" - Stinky

- "Jacob Sartorius meets the Sex Pistols"
- Leona
- "Crass x Clash"
- Also Leona

if you have a fanfic request, DM or email it to me!

IRISH QUEER PUNK

PLAYLIST CONT D.

PILLOW QUEENS

All girl band, they say they're not punk but they have the heritage. Some great songs and as you might guess from the name there are some gay members...ask me about their appearance at RTÉ's SHINE concert last summer. Essential traxx: Gay Girls, Rats, Favourite

HONORABLEMENTION-DOGMATIC

ELEMENT 80s NI punk band, 1 song they did sure sounds like it's about being a sad lesbian 2 me. "Just Friends".

CAP'N NEMO'S TOP 10 BUDGET **GUITAR PEDALS (UNDER \$100)**

- 1 BOSS OD:1 OVERDRIVE
- 2 DEADBEAT SOUND MODULATION

STATION*

- 3. TC ELECTRONIC DITTO
- 4 EHX SOUL FOOD
- 5. JHS 3 SERIES DELAY
- 6.EHXBIGMUFFPI
- 7.DIGITECHDIGIYERB*

8 BOSS TU-2 TUNER 9. JOYO JF-09 TREMOLO 10 ANIMALS PEDAL VINTAGE VAN DRIVING IS VERY FUN

(NB: ASTERISK INDICATES THAT PEDAL CAN BE ACQUIRED FOR UNDER \$100 THROUGH SOME EFFORT)

REVIEWS!

Latter Days (C.Jay Cox, 2003)

An odd little film about the romance between a Mormon missionary serving in LA and his gay neighbour. In trying to be a rom-com and a serious drama at the same time, it ends up falling between two stools. Not a good film but weird enough to be enjoyable. Most baffling plot point: this film implies that psychic powers are real and you can get them by being HIV+. No, really.

Punk: 5/10 Pop: 5/10

Featherhood (Charlie Gilmour, 2020)

Moving and disturbing memoir by man (Charlie Gilmour) trying to make sense of his relationship with his absent father (Heathcote Williams) and raise a baby magpie (Benzene). I came to this book out of my interest in the much-mythologised life and work of Heathcote Williams and the book challenged my investment in the myth. Sharp, interesting, funny, sad, and it stayed on my mind long after I'd read it. Punk: 5/10 (Derek Jarman mention, indirect Chumbawamba mention) Pop: 0/10 (a member of Pink Floyd appears several times in this book).

MAL'S TOPTEN; 1, THIS CORROSION-SISTERS OF MERCY 2, I FEEL LOVE-DONNA SUMMER 3, THE DANCING YEARS-THE RADIATORS 4, SAIL AND RAIL-SISSY 5, SMASH CLAUSE 28-CHUMBAWAMBA 6, GIMME! GIMME! GIMME! - ABBA?, THE BRIDE WORE WHITE-THE BLADES 8, IT'LL NEVER BE ME-ELECTRIC BANANA 9, CROPPY BOY-ANNE BYRNE 10, GUESS



