THE DOGENSTEINS



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"I'M totally digging their sonic madness."
Viva Los Dogensteins!"



Who Are The Dogensteins? They are everything, and nothing at all. They are a polka band, that plays rock, country, metal, industrial, new wave, classics, and The Beatles. Lots of Beatles. Except as a polka. Or maybe waltz, a swing, or a nice Texas shuffle. Regardless, theirs is a performance that will not be forgotten.

In short, they must be seen (and heard) to be believed. Call it a credibility problem.

The Dogensteins' origins can be traced to The Alpine Village Band, a combo with nearly 50 years history playing German and Czech standards at Oktoberfest festivals across Texas.

Somehow, somewhere, things got twisted.

The Dogensteins spam multiple genres and styles of music, faster than a dog-paddle across a kiddle pool. Countless influences made the band into the constantly evolving tour-de-force it is today.

Bandleader Wes Kucera has been playing drums for the past 40 years, performing rock, Broadway theater, and German music, among other styles. In 2004 Wes became a Grammy Recording Artist as he recorded on Brave Combo's CD *Let's Kiss*, which won the Grammy for Best Polka Album of the Year.

Molly Fine brings exquisite vocals to the group. Her experience includes performing in tribute bands Intenders (The Pretenders) and INTXS (INXS).

Byron Palla adds vocals, sax, guitar and bass to The Dogensteins. Byron's musical background includes various bands in the DFW Metroplex as well as marching, jazz and symphonic bands while attending the Universities of Texas and Florida.

Brian Busch plays the electronic accordion and bass guitar. Brian has played many musical styles since childhood in Detroit, and has continued to do so in diverse bands after moving to Dallas many years ago.

Sander Hickerson plays guitar, bass and sax, and provides vocals. He has two Austin Music Awards as a member of diRTy WoRMz, and currently performs with Molly in INTXS and In-tenders.

The Dogensteins will add a new dimension to any concert, festival or private function. For more information, email booking@thedogensteins.com, call 214-724-1479, or visit thedogensteins.com.

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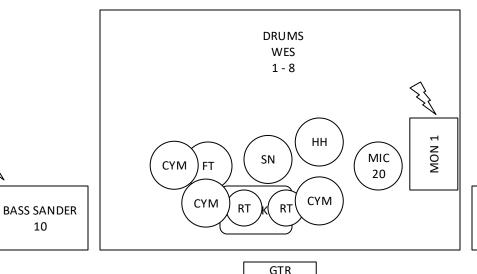
Song List (Partial)

All You Ever Do Is Bring Me Down The Mavericks American Pie Don McLean Back In Your Arms The Mavericks Be My Baby The Ronettes **Beatles Medley** The Beatles Blister In The Sun Violent Femmes Blue Bayou Linda Ronstadt Born To Be Blue The Mavericks Buck's Polka **Buck Owens** Cold Cold Heart Hank Williams Sr. Come Sail Away Styx Traditional Corn Cockle Polka Radiohead Creep The Eagles Desperado Disco Medley Various Do You Feel Like We Do Peter Frampton Eastbound and Down Jerry Reed **Elvis Medley Elvis Presley** Every Day Is Halloween Ministry Fast As You **Dwight Yoakum** Fever Peggy Lee The Proclaimers 500 Miles Folsom Prison Blues Johnny Cash Free Bird Lynyrd Skynyrd

Pink Floyd

Have A Cigar

Heartbreaker Pat Benatar I'm The Man Joe Jackson I'm The Only One Melissa Etheridge In Heaven There Is No Beer Traditional Johnny B Goode Chuck Berry Keep Your Hands To Yourself Georgia Sattellites La Bamba Ritchie Valens Lithium Nirvana Munich Drinking Song Traditional Open Arms Journey Orange Blossom Special Charlie Daniels Over The Rainbow Judy Garland Peace Love and Understanding Elvis Costello Peanuts Polka Traditional Traditional Pennsylvania Polka Piano Man Billy Joel Police Medley The Police Purple Rain Prince Rainbow In The Dark Dio Prince Raspberry Beret Ring Of Fire Johnny Cash S.O.S. Abba Sloop John B. Beach Boys Sweet Caroline Neil Diamond Take These Chains Hank Williams Sr. These Boots Are Made For Walkin Nancy Sinatra Walking After Midnight Patsy Kline We Just Can't Win The Refreshments Hank Williams Sr. Your Cheating Heart



GTR **BYRON** 12





SAX

SANDER

13

GTR SANDER

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STAGE PLOT

- 1. Wes kick
- 2. Wes snare
- 3. Wes hi hat
- 4. Wes rack tom 1
- 5. Wes rack tom 2
- 6. Wes floor tom
- 7. Wes overhead
- 8. Wes overhead
- 9. Brian Bass Direct Box
- 10. Sander Bass Direct Box



= power drop

11. Sander guitar direct

BASS BRIAN

- 12. Byron acoustic guitar direct
- 13. Sander sax wireless xlr
- 14. Sander vocal mic
- 15. Byron sax mic
- 16. Byron vocal mic
- 17. Molly vocal mic
- 18. Brian piano accordion mic
- 19. Brian vocal mic
- 20. Wes vocal mic

Wes monitor 1: accordions, saxes, guitars, kick

Sander monitor 2: vocals, accordions, saxes, guitars, kick

Byron/Molly monitor 3: vocals, accordions, guitars, kick

Brian monitor 4: vocals, accordions, saxes, kick