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LIVE AT THE POLISH AMERICAN CLUB SEPT. 26/OCT. 2

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It's about time! Finally somebody took the time, money and effort to organize a real musical event down here. What a refreshing change of pace! The Polish American Club is one of our last hopes for new music in South Florida. If you want to see good local and hopefully national bands please support these events. I hate to preach down everybody's throat but I really feel it deserves to be said. Besides I had a great time and so did everyone else who was there. Nuff said.... here's a rundown on the bands.

THE ESSENTIALS..... Good fast power pop. Despite a few technical sound problems, they turned in one of their best sets. Not very demanding music, but alot of fun nonetheless.

CHARLIE PICKETT & THE EGGS..... Is it over already? This had to be one of their shortest sets. Oblivious to current musical trends, the Eggs are rock traditionalists, based in neo-classic R&R, rockabilly, and rhythm and bloop. An energetic switch blade attack on our musical values.

THE EAT..... A few people said they weren't up to par. Don't ask me, I was to busy dancing (intoxicated?) self. Their new bass Eddie, Kenny sounded fine. Unlike alot of other "hardcore" bands their songs are distinct and strong enough that the melodies (Huh?) don't get lost in the Kamikaze attack. How 'bout that LP guys?

COWS & ORANGES..... Pere Ubu on drugs. These guys bring new meaning to the word "NOISE". This band consists of former members of KTH and Early Warning System (that was a band to see!!). Actually I thought they were real funny. Most people take this stuff too seriously.

WEASLES..... One of the area's survivor bands. A mixture of softcore punk (not fast enough to be considered hardcore) and rockabilly. Although this was probably the best set I've seen them play, it was a good opportunity for me to use the restroom. Not bad, just not very affecting.

THE BOBS..... This was the first time I saw The Bobs. Drummer Bobby Tak left the group a few days earlier, enter Pete Moss the drummer for the Essentials. I was suprised. The Bobs were quite enjoyable. Catchy tunes, funky rhythms, preppy looks, early Talking Heads, chunky guitar, clever lyrics, stupid jokes, no Bobby Tak..... I hope they stick it out.

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