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Gorch Fock Fall Tour

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Gorch Fock Announces Fall Tour with Bleach

(Austin, TX) Coming off of their capacity show at CBGB's in New York with **Alice Donut** in July 2004, Austin's **Gorch Fock** announced on Friday that they will be accompanied on their upcoming Midwest and Eastern U.S. tour by Okinawa, Japan's female powerhouse **Bleach**. The tour, which will take them from Austin, TX through the Midwest to New York and back, kicks off in Austin, TX at **Emo's w/ the Melvins** on October 6th. Described by the Village Voice as somewhere between Tom Waits and the Jesus Lizard and by the Austin Chronicle as "Headbanger's ball as imagined by Salvador Dali" Gorch Fock continues to tour in support of their self-titled full length album on **Perverted Son Records** while awaiting the upcoming release of their sophomore effort "Lying and Manipulating".

Formed in the Fall of 2002 from members of several Austin bands the Gorch Fock has had plenty of road experience. Before Gorch Fock's inception all had previously played in regionally and nationally touring bands. Notably, drummer, Jason Morales, toured with **the Butthole Surfers in 2002** throughout the U.S. and at the Fuji Rock Festival in Japan. Since their formation they have toured with **Helios Creed** as well as headlined several regional outings including headlining the New Orleans Media Experience (N.O.M.E) on Halloween of 2003 with the contributions of former Butthole Surfers film artist Lori Surfer.

Bleach returns to the U.S. for their 6th and longest U.S. outing after three **South by South West** Showcases and an appearance during the **CMJ** music Festival.

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Tour Schedule

10/6/04 Emo's – Austin, TX W/ the **Melvins**
10/8/04 the Bar of Soap – Dallas, TX
10/9/04 Eastside Tavern – Columbia, MO
10/10/04 the Hi-Pointe – St. Louis, MO
10/11/04 the High-Noon Saloon – Madison, WI
10/12/04 the Subterranean – Chicago, IL
10/13/04 Pat's in the Flats – Cleveland, OH W/ **Boxcar Satan** (S.A. TX) **Bleach will not be playing this date.**
10/14/04 The Lime Spider – Akron, OH
10/15/04 the Trash Bar – Brooklyn, NY
10/16/04 AS220 – Providence, RI
10/17/04 Abbey Lounge – Boston, MA
10/18/04 The Velvet Lounge – Washington, D.C.
10/19/04 Alley Katz – Richmond, VA
10/20/04 Ground Zero – Spartanburg, SC
10/21/04 Cave 9 – Birmingham, AL
10/22/04 Checkpoint Charlie's – New Orleans, LA
10/23/04 Fat Cat's - Houston, TX

If your organization publishes concert reviews and would like to cover a Gorch Fock/Bleach performance please contact us for guest list arrangement. For additional materials please contact Lee Brooks with Remote Promote at (512) 913-4327 or lee@remotepromote.com

www.gorchrock.com

www.highwave.co.jp/bleach

www.pervertedson.com

Gorch Fock Facts

Members:

Joey Ficklin – Vocals, Trombone

Jason Morales – Drums

Bryan Nelson – Guitar

Aaron Seibert – Drums

Kevin Stack – Guitar

Jeff Swanson – Baritone Guitar, Vocals, Electronic Components

Win Wallace – Bass Guitar

The Upcoming release entitled “Lying and Manipulating” was mixed by Mark D. former bassist of **the Melvins** with Engineering and Guitar contributions from **Tim Kerr** formerly of the **Big Boys**.

Joey Ficklin is currently also in the band **John Galt** from Austin, TX, Via Las Cruces NM

Jason Morales is currently also in the bands **Tia Carrera** and **the Migas** in Austin TX. Jason has also spent time on the road drumming with the Butthole Surfers including

the **Fuji Rock Festival** in Japan and recorded 3 albums with his band **Star Fish** for **Trance Syndicate Records**. Most recently he has been playing with **Richard Buckner** in Austin, TX.

Bryan Nelson currently plays in **Attack Formation** and **Sniffy 2** in Austin. His former bands include **Peglegasus** and **Sister Run Naked**. He is also a recording engineer at **Sweat Box Studios** and has recorded and worked on records with bands from around the world

Kevin Stack currently lives in Las Angeles and commutes to Austin for the band. He was currently in the band **Gong Li** with Win Wallace.

Aaron Seibert formerly played in **The Snails**, **Jack Astronaut**, and **Stout (Columbia, MO)**.

Jeff Swanson is an artist working in multi media artwork including video, painting, and collage as well as playing in **Gorch Fock**.

Win Wallace played with **Jack Astronaut** with **Aaron Seibert** as well as **Gong Li**. He is also an artist doing poster art, pen on paper compositions and other media in addition to music.

Notable Appearances

With **Fantomas** at **Stubb's** - Austin, TX
With **Alice Donut** at **CBGB's** – New York, NY
Texas Tour with **Helios Creed**
With the **Country Teasers** – Several dates in TX
With **Melt Banana** at **Stubb's** – Austin TX
Headlined the **New Orleans Media Experience (N.O.M.E.)**
With **Grand Ulen & Cheer Accident** – **SXSW 2004**
With **Black Dice** at **Emo's** – Austin, TX

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