



Jeez, give me a lot to work with this month, guys!

Don't worry, folks - We do still have news in this issue despite its slim size. No visits from our guest columnist Phil Space were necessary.

It's bound to be all go again before long anyway when we get more news on either next year's tour(s) or the new album soon to start recording, although if it's anything like the last couple I'll only be able to squeeze a single issue out of it they're so quick these days!

Anyone want to bet on what the next one will be called? Taking a leaf from *Silverball* they could do Tyler's love of hockey and call it *Pucking Hell*. I can't think of any current buzzwords like 'Fake News', except maybe 'Brexit' but don't call it that or it'll never come out! - Mil

## NEWS

- 👉 A new vinyl collection, *Original Hits, Original Stars*, was released this month featuring 12 of their biggest songs. Get a copy [HERE](#) or check out their [super old-fashioned advert!](#)
- 👉 The Ladies have all been up to plenty alone during their break this month. All the solo news right below.

## Solo News

### Ed

- 🎵 A very happy 49<sup>th</sup> birthday to Ed this month! I hope you get all you fish for- I mean wish for. Oops!
- 🎵 Ed supported Justin Trudeau's campaign for this month's election, [leading the crowd in the national anthem](#).
- 🎵 Ed will also be [presenting](#) Andy Kim with his Canadian Music Hall of Fame Induction at next year's Juno Awards.



### Kevin

- 🎵 Kevin took part in a [revival of the Secret Path Live](#) this month during Secret Path week. On [Mulligan Stew](#) he spoke about the legacy of the Secret Path, and in a special '[Understanding the Secret Path](#)' they tell the story behind it all, how Kevin got involved and what the Downie-Wenjack fund has been up to lately.

### Jim

- 🎵 Jim was with Ed at the [launch of the Awesome Music Project](#) on the 10<sup>th</sup> of October, and performed '[Lovers in a Dangerous Time](#)' with the audience.
- 🎵 Jim has also been [supporting Artists for Real Climate Change](#) this month to get environmental issues on the election agenda in Canada.

### Tyler

- 🎵 Tyler... I don't know, but it looks like [he's been having fun this month!](#)

### Steve

- 🎵 Steve has been out on the road this month on tour across America, and has been getting great [reviews](#). The tour continues next month; see all the dates on [Steve's website](#).

## Upcoming Dates

To get tickets visit [BNL's official website](#)

- ♪ **Nov 2** Toronto – Dream Serenade
- ♪ **April 11** London, UK - Royal Albert Hall
- ♪ **April 18** Fort Lauderdale, FL – Tortuga Music Festival

## Fun and Games

This month we have a Barenaked Word Ladder for you! Get from the top word to the bottom word by changing one letter at a time. Our best is 15 changes for you to match or beat – It's a deceptive one, this one!

♪ CRAWL  
???  
CRAZY

*Answer next issue!*

*Last issue's answer: 'I'd like to sip the sap from your tree'*

## Everything Old Is New Again

This month we're throwing it back to 2005 and BNL's appearance at Live 8 in Barrie's Molson Park, when they performed the song '[Brian Wilson](#)'. The event was organised to raise money to fight poverty around the world, and was viewed by around 2 billion people.

## Did I Say That Out Loud?

Kevin: Maybe you're familiar with our album made for children called *Snacktime!*. We're currently working on one for seniors called *Naptime!*.

Jim: I might need that tonight.

Tyler: We're also making a record with Savion Glover called *Taptime!*.

Kevin: And a record for when you ride Mr. Freeze [a rollercoaster at the park they were performing at] not knowing what you're in for called *Craptime!*.

Ed: Kev was on that rollercoaster. The thing is, you get fired out of the thing at high speed, then it goes up and down a crazy hill. It sorta goes up on an impossible angle, turns around, comes around. Then it goes pure vertical. Then it goes backwards. If you weren't ready for that it'd be like, "Oh my God, it's almost straight up. I wonder what the other side- Oh shit, it's broken!" That would be the first thing that goes through your mind as it started going the other way.

Tyler: And, of course, *Oh Shit, It's Broken* was the alternate title for our children's album.

Ed: It didn't pass by the censors for some reason.

Kevin: You know, when you're hanging there in that instant, all I could muster was, "Holy shit."

Ed: This is a great way to set up the song from the kids record.

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*That's it for this issue! Send feedback, ideas and contributions to [newsletter@getbarenaked.net](mailto:newsletter@getbarenaked.net) or tweet [@Mil Feirn](#)  
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