

# CANARY MINE

## BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

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**“...they’re here to rock, and they’re here to rock *you*.”**

-The Strand, Feb/06

Indie band Canary Mine is again hitting the road with their brand of comedic musical entertainment, geared specifically towards a rockin’ show that keeps audiences engaged and laughing. This July marks the band’s third summer tour, taking them out of their native Ontario and into the west of Canada. Past venues include The Sidetrack Café (Edmonton), The Rose & Crown (Banff), The Canmore Hotel (Canmore), Buds on Broadway (Saskatoon), The Apollo (Thunder Bay) and more.

The two albums Canary Mine has released, *Bitter Better Happy Horny* in 2004 and *Maybe Yo’ Momma* in 2005, already dot the western landscape. Tracks from both albums receive airplay on CBC national radio programs. Upon its release, *MYM* immediately hit the top three spots on college radio stations nation-wide.

A third album, *Live Tear in the Palindrome*, is in the final stages of production and will officially be released on Saturday, October 7<sup>th</sup> at The Rivoli in Toronto. The band might just have some top-secret-promo-pre-release copies with them on tour.

**“The common thread among all of them seems to be a complete musical freedom, combined with a wicked sense of humour.”**

-The Record, Feb/06

Even with the success of the albums, the band and audiences agree that the live show is where it’s at. Bandmembers James Lanbro, Carl Welch, Mim Adams and Joe Arnup have 4-plus years of collaboration behind them, and a comedic desire that is innate. The improv skills of Lanbro and Welch never fail to result in freestyle raps about audience members. Adams lays down smart stories that appeal to both the intellect and the funny bone. Three-part vocal harmonies resound over a mixture of musical styles, from old-school hip-hop to 50’s rock, from emo to classic country & western. Throw in some “minerized” cover tunes, and you’ve got a super-charged live show.

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