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Infused: DJ Eddie Lv

Punk's new night—Infused—showcases the capital's best house and techno talent. It's headlined every month by Eddie Lv, who's got 16 years of experience behind the decks. This installment also features former White Rabbit head honcho Yang Bing, who has been rocking the capital since 1995, and X Lee, whose innovative house has become popular nationwide. Free.

Infused: DJ Eddie Lv, Yang Bing and X Lee at Punk June 18, 9:30pm, Tel: 6410-5222

House Nation

One of Asia's most notorious dance labels celebrates its third-year anniversary with an epic party. The event brings together DJ Taku Takahashi of m-flow and DJ Kyoko of XXX, backed up by local legends Eddie Lv and Patrick Yu. Expect a night of thumping house music. Rumors abound that Hong Kong super model Angelababy will also make an appearance. ¥70.

House Nation Three-year Anniversary Party at Tango 3/F, June 18, 9pm, Tel: 6410-5222

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Beijing Beatles

bj_va_bar: "Recreating the sounds of the '60s, the Beijing Beatles perform two hours of Fab Four songs in authentic outfits, bringing each generation's fans the real experience and passion of watching the Beatles live."

Beijing Beatles at VA Bar & Cafe, June 25 9:30pm, Tel: 5844-3638



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Burning Bright

France's **Papier Tigre** brings math rock to the capital

Youthful angst, rage and three truly unique artists put this group somewhere between a coffee shop debate on existentialism and a raging mosh pit. Eschewing a bass player, this French trio has perfected the postpunk, math rock style characterized by complex, guitar-led experimental structures (think The Beatles meets Pink Floyd). Highbrow talent, syncopated chord changes and in-your-face rock make Papier Tigre a must-see for lovers of diverse sound. They return to Beijing on June 23 for a one-off show before launching into a China tour.

The name derives from the Chinese phrase describing something that appears threatening but isn't. And while this youthful trio may look like good church-going lads, once they scale the stage the tiger emerges as

the guitar, drums and vocals begin to wail.

Singer Eric Pasquereau rages into the mic like someone walking away from a tragedy while guitarist Arthur de La Grandiere shows his talent through his diverse technique, which ranges from strumming out rough chords and innovative transitioning to progressive rock passages. Drummer Pierre-Antoine Parois bangs out rhythmic percussion sequences that lead the group into each frenzied piece.

Whether head banging while inciting a mosh pit or blending experimental lyrics and songs to encourage deep reflection, Papier Tigre is sure to prove as ferocious as the animal itself. Free if you get tickets in advance from Yugong Yishan or ¥50 (door).

Papier Tigre at Yugong Yishan, Thursday, June 23, 8pm Tel: 6404-2711