



The alien trio formation of Mr. Ho's Orchestrotica

Bio

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Short Bio

Czarna Wolgastar is the intergalactic balkan surf jazz arm of Mr. Ho's Orchestrotica. Whenever the space ship Wolgastar 1 returns to Earth, three non-corporeal Wolgastarian entities embody three members of the Orchestrotica's quintet formation: Tev Stevig (guitar), Michael Harrist (bass), and Brian O'Neill (drums). Together, the trio - or sextet, depending on how you think of it - release a strange, other-worldly cocktail of Balkan beats and Milky-Way mischief crossed with the American songbook, Hollywood film soundtracks, and more. The group has been presented by the Celebrity Series of Boston, the Sheldon Theatre, and on multiple interstellar internet livestreams. Launched in 2020, the trio is the newest format of the eclectic instrumental group, Mr. Ho's Orchestrotica known for it's modern exotica and global jazz quintet, and the world's only Esquivel Megaband playing the lost space-age pop of Juan Garcia Esquivel.

Sounds Like:

Bill Frisell plays dark Americana, surf, Spaghetti Westerns, 007, and Hollywood hits in Balkan, Greek, and Turkish rhythms such as 7/8, 11/8, and 10/8.

Special Artistic Note from the Wolgastarians

(approx. Wolgastarian → English Translation):

Czarna Wolgastar is world's only Wolgastarian surf rock trio in whole of Milky Way land. After visiting planet Earth land while touring big galaxy, their spaceboard, Wolgastar I, crashed on beach Albania close by. Stuck like a tape on earthland, the group now travels the Balkan sand and water ways, picking up surfing, fast picking, and music traditions of countries on journey, as they search for gasoline to take ship in the empty space black. Should you encounter big big ship or their music, under never no circumstances attempt to board Wolgastar I or record their music. Czarna Wolga is not toy, listened to on recorded media, or performance at home. Czarna Wolga never forgets!

(Want the Wolgastarian translation? Visit cwtrio.com !)

Presenter Testimonial:

"Czarna Wolgastar's unique approach to Jazz elevated our event and showcased the diversity of the genre. Attendees really enjoyed their style and interpretations of the set list. They were a pleasure to work with!"

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