

Screech Owl - Press / Reviews / Quotes

Releasing their brand new 6-song EP "Don't You Follow Me Home" this day, Johnstown's Screech Owl delivered their rootsy brand of original music to close out the day. Singer and lead guitarist Justin Giuffre, singer and drummer Micah Mood, keyboardist Mike Giuffre, bassist Ryan Stacy and rhythm guitarist Chris Verbano mixed numbers from the new EP and their first EP "You're Not Welcome," plus did select songs from Bruce Springsteen, Bob Dylan and Elvis Costello. Screech Owl's overall style mixes elements of alt-country, punk, rockabilly, garage rock and more into a vibrant, cohesive sound.

- Jim Price, PA Musician magazine

Screech Owl is an American rock 'n' roll band... They released their second EP in July, "Don't You Follow Me Home," with six songs. One of them is "Cemetery Lawn," which I heard here and liked. It's a vigorous-sounding track, a raw, energetic country rock track with dirty guitars and fast beats. And the main thing, always: a good melody. Like Neil Young meets Elvis Costello.

- heat wave! Blog

Screech Owl's sound is a cool mix of Americana, garage and grunge with a dash of psychedelia in the swirling organ and echo laden guitar lines. It's a jam. Absolutely no AI BS going on here. Honest to goodness rock n roll. This latest offering is no exception. Catch these guys live if you get chance.

- Sean Barker (playlist curator)

Its A Life has loads of quality production points. Liked the backbone pulse of the drums. Thumping bass low end. Whirling guitar waves. Confident lead vocals that sit on top the mix with ease and clarity. Loads of passion in the emotional lyrics. Plenty of forward thrust to the arrangement. Clean mix and master to boot. Keep it up.

- MusicOnTheMoon (playlist curator)

Such a cool mood, feels like a trip to rock's golden days.

- Crashtest Recordings (playlist curator)

Wow Screech Owl this style is nice. it feels cinematic in some points. Great verses. I loved the guitarist play. cool work. Interesting

- Walpietro - Music Curator

Would love to hear more of this! Love the old-school sound of the track. The mix gives it this unique atmosphere, as if it were live-recorded. Your vocals are nice too. You sound very expressive. You deliver with a lot of energy. Hope to hear more of you in the future. Keep it up.

- Kjel Larsson (playlist curator)

Walking By The Docks reviews

"Captivating melody grabs listener" - The Route of Rock

"Vocals are unreal" - Folk Rock Alchemist

"Fun guitar leads" - Velveteen Records

"Production displays quality" - Music For All

"Awesome track" - JGBL Curation

"Warm and dreamy nature" - Return Of Rock
