MOON JUICE
issue one
Welcome to Moon Juice!

Hi! Welcome to moon juice. We are a San Diego based zine for creatives by creatives. Quarantine boredom was starting to hit us hard, so we created this zine as a way to express ourselves creatively and to give others a platform to share their work. This zine will have everything from playlists, to drawings and paintings, photography, etc. AND... the best part: we want you to submit YOUR WORK to us! We're always looking for other creatives that make cool things! Submission guidelines will be included towards the end of every issue, as well as on our Instagram and our website! Happy zining!

Love, Emily + Mikko

mikko
do u wanna start a zine w me
like run it w me

sure why not
quarantine playlist
20 songs we’ve been listening to

emily
little league, conan gray
lincoln’s licorice, rain on fridays
sunset girl, carpool tunnel
makeup drawer, isaac dunbar
small talk, postcard boy
2 late, american teeth
wings, mac miller
girl in
i wanna be your girlfriend, red
guilty conscience, oto snake
berkley’s on fire, swimrs

mikko
black memories, growlers
way it goes, hippo campus
no cars go, arcade fire
take off ur pants, indigo de souza
femme fatale, velvet underground
is this it, strokes
mayfly, belle & sebastian
elevator operator, courtney barnett
denial, mannequin pussy
ecce homo, titus andronicus
slave to the concept
it was a thursday
the waves played tag with the sand
stretched fingers so close to your hand
named the constellations, knew every star
and silence transcended by the strums of a
guitar

written by
michael levy

funny story actually
ten minutes prior
pushing speed limits, popped hood, flat tire
it felt like i had known you forever
but i didn’t know your last name

it was nice
to sit there in silence
to hear that slight rasp in your voice
the best gift was your presence
i couldn’t have asked for anything more

so honest, so real
so...
something i had never known
you made me feel safe
when before, all i felt was alone

i loved that.
i don’t know about you, it happens all too often
falling for a concept, ideas are the onset
internal conflict, an addict to this habit
this mess of love, you took a stab at it

acting like actors
sick of this war i wage
last scene as the puppet
time to exit this stage

guess we were never on the same page...
QUARANTINE ART

@trashpileofart

@artsy.daffodil

@moongrlarts
rain on fridays is an emo indie rock duo from San Diego. The band consists of Madi Coe (vocals/bass), Jesse Miller (guitar), and their current drummer, Riley Conway. Their first album, " mono monday" was released in July 2019.

Some favorites from rain on fridays:
- "cola"
- "lincoln's licorice"
- "superglue your shoes"
- "baby's guitar"
- "deceased/diseased"

Madi Coe

Jess Miller
After releasing his first single, "freshman year" in 2018, Isaac Dunbar began gaining popularity in the music world. In 2019, he released "balloons don't float here", an 8 song EP which was written and produced from his bedroom. His dream pop anthems embrace the struggles of being a teenager, such as dealing with insecurity and wanting to fit in.

Some favorites from Isaac Dunbar:
- "cologne"
- "ferrari"
- "blonde"
- "makeup drawer"
- "silhouettes of gold remain upon your face"
quarantine fashion
—a series—
taken by
@eleanorr
@eleanorphoto
Save the Scene
The Model Youth

Life in Discord

WIZÆRD
The Natural High Show

Feb 29. @ the Che Cafe

Natural High is a San Diego based drug prevention nonprofit organization that encourages youth to find their "natural high". At the end of February, Alexander booking and Skerfunk held a show at the Che Cafe to raise money for Natural High.
photos taken by
emily /@ localmusic.sd

More Photos
from the
Natural High Show

The Renters

Lefties

Skerfunk

Black Licorice
we often pick one smile in a sea of tears because we think that's what others want to see, and it's how we want others to perceive us, but i want you to know it's okay not to smile at least for the sole purpose of social media's false perceptions. we should smile for the people who love us, and ourselves.
art by Rakel Moon
@rks_moon

quarantine creatures
10 Quarantine Activities

1. create something
2. discover new music
3. have a zoom/facetime party
4. connect with someone you haven't talked to in a while
5. rearrange or organize a room
6. go outside/on a walk
7. pick up a new language
8. spend time with your pet
9. binge a show
10. find ways to support your locals!
Why Why Why
Xylophone
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Submission Guidelines

to submit something either
DM @moonjuice-zine or email us at moonjuicezine@gmail.com.
Deadline will be posted on Instagram.
Include your name, pronouns, and social media so we can give you credit!
Your submission should be your own, original work! We want to see what you can do! (No plagiarism)
Whatever you submit should relate to the theme in some way.
Unfortunately, we cannot accept all work submitted.
No hate toward anyone, we are here to spread love.
Meet the Curators

Hey I'm Emily! I always thought zines were really cool so I'm super happy to be co-curating one now! I'm an artist/photographer/musician myself so I love supporting other small artists. I started going to shows with Mikko in early 2019 and I later started volunteering at the Che Cafe. I love listening to all types of music and going to shows has been a cool way to discover new artists. Please support your locals anyway you can ❤️
Hi I'm Mikko! I'm so excited to be starting this project with Emily. As a musician I love to help support and highlight other artists. Emily and I started going to shows a year ago and the scene is one of my favorite things. I love all kinds of music and art and I'm super happy to be working on something showcasing that!
support
local
artists

❤️ moon juice