



**SilentBark**

**Press Kit**





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## Background

**SilentBark is West Michigan's premiere party band!**

**The band consists of long time established area band members and their energetic live shows have been building a buzz in the West Michigan scene since they formed in 2006.**

**Founding members Tom and Greg performed together for nearly a decade in *Rumple Stump*, Chonk was a founding member of seminal Kalamazoo punk band *FA-Q* releasing 5 records and touring worldwide. Steve was a founding member of long time West Michigan band *Vice*. Rounding out the lineup is long time area solo artist, Leah who joined in 2015. Although they've been together for over a decade, they show no signs of slowing down and continue to gain accolades and fans every time they play.**



**The band uses elements of rock, pop, blues, alt-country and funk to put on an evening of solid grooves, infectious melodies and quality musicianship that is sure to keep butts wiggling and the dance floor filled.**

**When you book SilentBark, the members all participate in marketing the event. From social media postings to flyers and blast emails to our fan base, we do our best to get the word out and drive people to your establishment. Once there, we keep them dancing and drinking with free swag handouts and fun crowd interactions. When you book SilentBark, you get the full package!**





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## Band Members



**Leah Marie**  
Vocals



**Steve Manifold**  
Guitars / Vocals



**Tom Wiswell**  
Bass/ Vocals



**Greg Coccia**  
Drums



**Chonk**  
Guitars / Vocals





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## Song Sampling

**Addicted To Love** - Robert Palmer

**All About That Bass** - Meghan Trainor

**American Girl** - Tom Petty

**Are You Gonna Be My Girl** - Jet

**Baby Got Back** - Sir Mix-A-Lot

**Bad Reputation** - Joan Jett

**Best Of You** - Foo Fighters

**Boys of Summer** - Ataris

**Cake By The Ocean** - DNCE

**Call Me Maybe** - Carly Jepsen

**Celebrity Skin** - Hole

**Come Out And Play** - The Offspring

**Counting Stars** - One Republic

**Desire** - U2

**Drink In My Hand** - Eric Church

**Everybody Talks** - Neon Trees

**Ex's and Oh's** - Elle King

**Flagpole Sitta** - Harvey Danger

**Forget You** - Cee-Lo Green

**Get The Party Started** - Pink

**Gunpowder & Lead** - Maranda Lambert

**Inside Out** - Eve 6

**It's Time** - Imagine Dragons

**Jessie's Girl** - Rick Springfield

**Let's Dance** - David Bowie

**Let's Get It On** - Marvin Gaye

**Life is a Highway** - Rascal Flatts

**Locked Out Of Heaven** - Bruno Mars

**Love Shack** - B52's

**Moves Like Jagger** - Maroon 5

**My Own Worst Enemy** - Lit

**One Way or Another** - Blonde

**P.Y.T.** - Michael Jackson

**Play That Funky Music** - Wild Cherry

**Pumped Up Kicks** - Foster The People

**Raise Your Glass** - Pink

**Rolling In The Deep** - Adele

**Santeria** - Sublime

**Say It Aint So** - Weezer

**Semi Charmed Life** - 3rd Eye Blind

**Shut up and dance** - Walk the Moon

**Slide** - Goo Goo Dolls

**Smells Like Teen Spirit** - Nirvana

**Song #2** - Blur

**The Middle** - Jimmy Eat World

**This Is How We Do It** - Montell Jordan

**Undo It** - Carrie Underwood

**Uprising** - Muse

**Uptown Funk** - Bruno Mars

**Wagon Wheel** - Old Crow Medicine Show

**Walking On Sunshine** - Katrina & the Waves

**We've Got The Beat** - The Go Go's

**What I Got** - Sublime

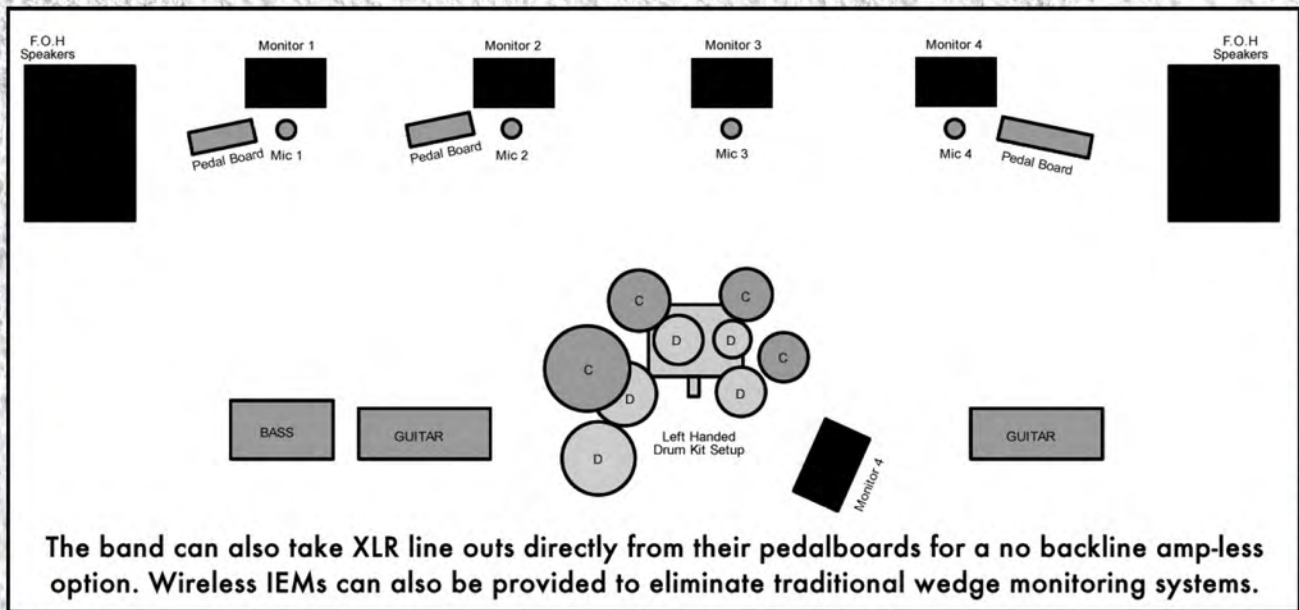
**What I Like About You** - The Romantics





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## Stage Plot







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## Why You Should Book Us

### **1: We Understand That Our Job Is To Sell Alcohol**

We will push your drink specials and suggest people “Beer Up” for certain songs throughout the night assuring no empty glasses!

### **2: We Provide The Party**

As MC's we try to keep the dance floor packed with sweaty patrons who buy drinks. Our light show is not only awesome but invites people to dance and keeps them grooving all night.

### **3: We Promote And Market Our Shows**

We do extensive online marketing of our shows through our FaceBook and Twitter pages. We also print custom flyers, email our mailing list and decorate your tables with table tents that engage your customers to take photos and post them on FaceBook giving your venue added online exposure.

### **4: We Engage The Crowd**

Once the crowd arrives, we keep them engaged with free SilentBark gear when they dance, post online or answer trivia. From shirts, pins, beads and pint glasses to shot glasses that we **GIVE** to you to promote special SilentBark shots where the customer gets to keep the shot glass afterwards. That's extra revenue for you.

### **5: We Won't Make Your Ears Bleed**

Our top of the line PA system allows us to play at reasonable volumes while still allowing for every instrument and voice to be heard. Never again will you have to scream at your customers and bar staff for orders. Customers also enjoy being able to carry on a conversation while still feeling the music.

### **6: No Egos Here!**

Let's face it, there are a lot of bands that just don't get it. They think they are the next Van Halen. They drink too much, are rude, stay/play too late and don't take directions. Not only do we really like brown M&M's, we are always courteous, polite and understand that our main job is to throw a kick ass party for your patrons and help you have a successful and profitable night, and hopefully get asked back again.





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## Contact Info



## Booking

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## Website

[www.SilentBark.com](http://www.SilentBark.com)

## FaceBook

[www.FaceBook.com/SilentBark](http://www.FaceBook.com/SilentBark)

## YouTube

[www.youtube.com/c/Silentbark](http://www.youtube.com/c/Silentbark)

## Twitter

@SilentBark





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## References

Grand Rapids Festival of the Arts  
Wings Stadium / Killamazoo Derby Darlings  
EGR Summer Concert Series



Hastings Summerfest  
The B.O.B.  
HOME @ the B.O.B.  
Grand Woods Lounge  
Shots on the River  
Woody's Pressbox  
Rosa Parks Circle  
The Score



Gun Lake Casino  
The Kirby House  
Saugatuck Brew Pub  
Old Dog Tavern  
New Holland Brew Pub  
Flanagan's  
AJ's Bar & Grill  
Champs



Red's  
McDuff's  
Wayland Fall Fest  
Wayland Main Street Celebration  
Caledonia Family Tavern  
Caledonia Rock-A-Lot  
Jakes Goodtime Bar & Grill  
The White House Bistro  
Huntington Bank 5K Race



Casiey's  
Itty Bitty Bar  
The Walldorff Brewpub  
Fall Creek  
Old Hat Tavern  
Orangeville Days  
Wedgewood 5K Race





