KUCI 88.9 FM
SUMMER MUSIC LISTENING GUIDE

BUILT TO SPILL You In Reverse (Warner Brothers) The latest in the BSS series of multi-guitar, melodic, indie-rock assault from the pacific northwest.

MAN MAN Six Demon Bag (Ace Fu) This band is the secret, unholy offspring of a drunken tryst between Captain Beefheart and Tom Waits.

KIMYA DAWSON Remember That I Love You (K) Honest, heartfelt, uplifting, funny and emotional anti-folk tunes from this former Moldy Peaches.

LOST BAYOU RAMBLERS Bayou Perdu (Shallow) The best Cajun music on the planet Chol Co!

PINK MOUNTAINTOPS Axis of Evil (Jagajawat) Can an album be both about Jesus and tons of drugs? It’s like a stoner-rock revival tent up in here (and it’s totally awesome).

ISLANDS Return to the Sea (Equator) Fun, tropical pop that has arisen from the Unicorns like a phoenix from the ashes of an equally awesome phoenix that is also a robot.

THE DRESDEN DOLLS Yes, Virginia... (Roadrunner) The greasepaint cabaret-punk duo marches on with more songs about sex changes and drinking.

CASIO TONE FOR THE PAINFULLY ALONE Etiquette (Tomiab) Lo-fi pop gems perfect for late night games of Scrabble.

MATMOS The Rose Has Teeth in the Mouth of a Beast (Matador) More musique concrete audio awesomeness from San Francisco academics-cum-Bjorkbuddies.

THE MOUNTAIN GOATS All Hail West Texas (Emperor Norton) This isn’t new, but it’s such a damned good, and criminally underappreciated, piece of songwriting genius that our music director snuck it onto this list.

VARIOUS ARTISTS Dub Club : Pickled From The Floor (G Stone) Bass heavy modern dub and dancehall stormers combined with broken beat from Austria’s ‘G Stone’ label.

DABRYE Two/Three (Ghostly) Detroit city native combines moody, Blade Runner-esque beats & basslines that provide the backbone with guests such as Jay Dee, MF Doom, Waxjaz, Invincible and other top qualified talent.

NOMO New Tones (Ubiquity) A blend of big band funk, notous jazz and a bit of electronics team up to move both bodies and spirits.

FINAL FANTASY He Poos Clouds (Tomiab) This guy gets his gook on by writing indie rock, as arranged for a string quartet, about Dungeons and Dragons.

SUNSET RUBDOWN Shut Up I Am Dreaming (Absolutely Kosher) Wonderfully over-the-top indie rock from this member of Wolf Parade.

MIKE BARNET Bourgeois Backlash EP (True American) Thought provoking and socially aware, Mike Barnet’s lyrics contain a spirit that is missing in most songs written today.

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