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# <u>KFJC-FM Ventures to Berlin to Broadcast Live Audio and Video from</u> <u>Surf and Metal Festivals: Reverb Rampage and Nuclear War Now!'s Never Surrender Fest</u>

For its 10<sup>th</sup> and 11th international live remote broadcasts, Foothill College radio station KFJC 89.7 FM travels to Berlin, Germany to broadcast sets from Reverb Rampage (October 27) and Nuclear War Now's Never Surrender Fest (Nov. 1, 2, and 3).

Los Altos Hills, CA – The KFJC airwaves will be filled with surf music and metal in the coming weeks, as the Foothill College radio station once again travels overseas to present live remote broadcasts, this time from Berlin, Germany.

Volunteer and student-run non-commercial radio station KFJC 89.7 FM will broadcast live music performances from the surf music festival Reverb Rampage on October 27 and from the metal music-focused Never Surrender Fest, presented by Nuclear War Now! Productions on November 1, 2, and 3. Both broadcasts will feature live streaming audio and video at KFJC.org. Local San Francisco Bay Area listeners can also tune in at 89.7 FM.



### **Reverb Rampage**

A San Francisco Bay Area radio station broadcasting from a surf festival in Germany, featuring bands from Germany and Italy? Of course! Held at Cortina Bob in Berlin, Germany, Reverb Rampage #3 takes place on Saturday, October 27 and will include performances by Surfer Joe (Italy), Mikrowelle (Leipzig, Germany), Bang!Mustang (Leipzig, Germany), the Kilaueas (Berlin), and the Hadoolas (Berlin).

KFJC's live broadcast will begin at approximately 10am PDT on Saturday, October 27, 2018. Visit KFJC.org during the festival for live audio and video, as well as for photos and more goodies during and after the festival.

#### **Never Surrender Fest**

The inaugural Never Surrender Fest includes an international line-up of metal artists performing in Berlin, Germany on November 1, 2, and 3 at the Columbia Theater. Presented by record labels Nuclear War Now! and Iron Bonehead Productions, Never Surrender Fest showcases a wide range of metal sounds from all over the world. 26 bands will play over the course of the three-day festival, including Sabbat (Japan), Witches Hammer (Canada), Grave Upheaval (Australia), Sacrocurse (Mexico), Temple Desecration (Poland), and many others.

## **History of KFJC's Remote Broadcasts**

KFJC has been doing live remote broadcasts from outside of the San Francisco Bay Area for 24 years, with its first out-of-state broadcast from SXSW in Austin (1994). KFJC's first international live remote was 22 years ago: from Brixton, England (1996). In 2000, KFJC volunteers traveled to Dunedin, New Zealand to broadcast 6 nights of live music from the Otago Festival of the Arts.

This year marks the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of KFJC's first international remote with live video. In 2008, KFJC went to Tokyo, Japan and transmitted its first-ever live four-camera video stream.

### **Recent International Live Remotes**

KFJC's other live international broadcasts with video have included Liverpool International Festival of Psychedelia (2014 & 2017), Eindhoven Psych Lab in Eindhoven, The Netherlands (2015 & 2016), Surfer Joe Summer Festival in Livorno, Italy (2016), and Live from the Icelandic Underground (2017).

### **Listening Details**

Reverb Rampage, KFJC's 10th international live remote broadcast, will air over KFJC 89.7 FM on Saturday, October 27 (beginning at 10am PDT). Never Surrender Fest, KFJC's 11<sup>th</sup> international live remote broadcast, will air over KFJC 89.7 FM on Thursday November 1, Friday, November 2 and Saturday, November 3 (beginning at 7am PDT each day).

All times are tentative and may change. Tune in to KFJC at 89.7 FM in the San Francisco Bay Area, online at: http://kfjc.org/player/, and on the KFJC Android and iPhone apps. View the live video feed at http://live.kfjc.org

To learn more about the festivals, visit <a href="https://kfjc.org/events/">https://kfjc.org/events/</a>.

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#### **About KFJC:**

Student and volunteer- run Foothill College radio station KFJC 89.7FM is a conduit for new and interesting audio art and information, especially the sorts that are unavailable elsewhere. Granted a Metro "Best of Silicon Valley" Gold Award in 2016 and named the **best** community college

radio station in the country by the Intercollegiate Broadcasting System in 2012, KFJC airs many styles of music and relevant public affairs programming. KFJC began broadcasting in 1959 out of a broom closet. Since its inception, KFJC has been at the forefront of free form radio programming and engineering, with live remote broadcasts from the UK, New Zealand, Japan, the Netherlands, Italy, and Iceland as well as within its San Francisco Bay Area broadcast range. KFJC has been available worldwide since 1996 via its live webstream and has been providing video streaming of in-station and remote performances for a decade. More information at: http://kfjc.org/