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The Anachronauts *sing about science*

Their vocals are a bit wacky, and their lyrics may be humorous, but the Anachronauts have a sound that no other band in the area can match. It's something called "Hard Science," as opposed to hard rock, and they'll bring songs of future worlds and experiments gone wrong to the Nite Owl Thursday, June 1.

Stacey Burrigh, who received her vocal training from *The Rocky Horror Picture Show*,

described the Anachronauts as "the bastard child of Devo and Peter, Paul and Mary."

The acoustic songs on their release *Science Marches On* do give a bit of a folky feel. But the topic of the songs, as well as the addition of "AI" the drum machine on *Popular Science*, contributes to the technical element paired with Devo. "Now Showing" definitely has the sound of something surflish, something wacky, like the B-52s.

The band started in Louisiana and moved to Dayton when Burrigh, also bassist, and husband Scott Burrigh, vocals and guitar, moved into jobs at Wright State University Library. They joined with guitarist Steve Forte of the Beeer Pagans to produce their first two releases. The Anachronauts will appear on a vinyl split single released by Eerie Materials of San Francisco this fall.

The Anachronauts will play with Frozen Feet and Pastures Green at 9:30 pm. Cost is \$3. For more information call 223-0540.