

**SEPTEMBER 12 2011**

**THE 12TH ANNUAL GOGIRLSMUSICFEST RETURNS TO THE TALKING STICK FRI OCT 14 2010**

**GoGirlsMusicFest LA - benefitting The Red Thread Movement**

***a student initiative partnering with Eternal Threads to combat sexual slavery in Nepal.***

**ABOUT GOGIRLSMUSIC.COM**

GoGirls is a unique organization that focuses on advancing the careers of independent female artists. Founded in early 1996, the organization works tirelessly to help artists through education, networking, and events like the GoGirlsMusicFest, Invasion of the GoGirls @ SXSW, Folk Alliance and more. Artists who become involved have the opportunity to perform, have their work reviewed, and get involved with a hardworking group of women who "get things done" in the music scene. More info at [www.gogirlsmusic.com](http://www.gogirlsmusic.com)

**ABOUT GOGIRLSELITE:**

GoGirls Elite is a service for indie women musicians and their bands. Through the membership program artists can take advantage of showcase opportunities, valuable industry information and more! [www.gogirlsmusic.com/elite](http://www.gogirlsmusic.com/elite)

**ABOUT GOGIRLSMUSICFEST:**

Madalyn Sklar, founder of GoGirlsMusic.com, created GoGirlsMusicFest, a series of annual showcase events across the United States. The festival promotes independent women in music while supporting various charities which have included MusiCares, Rock 'n' Roll Camp for Girls, American Liver Foundation, The Lynne Cohen Foundation for Ovarian Cancer Research, the Harvest Home, and more. Since 2000, well over 100 all volunteer run shows have taken place throughout the U.S.

**ABOUT THE LOS ANGELES GOGIRLSMUSICFEST ANNUAL SHOWCASE:**

The 2011 Los Angeles Showcase benefits The Red Thread Movement (<http://www.redthreadmovement.org>) a student initiative partnering with Eternal Threads to combat sexual slavery in Nepal. Seven GoGirlsMusic Elite artists will perform at the Los Angeles Chapter Showcase and each artist will provide an auction item to help raise additional funds in our annual GGMF "Noisy Auction". Red Thread Bracelets will be available for sale to help raise additional funds. Our collective voice informs vast audiences about the horrors of sexual slavery.

**ABOUT THE RED THREAD MOVEMENT**

The Red Thread Movement is an initiative that unites voices against the human rights violation of sex trafficking. The signature Red Thread bracelet, which is handmade by an at-risk or rescued girl in Nepal, is a symbol of awareness that helps fund the continuous efforts to rehabilitate victims and eliminate trafficking.

*We wear their freedom on our arms!*



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**SHOWCASE DETAILS:**

**Friday October 14**

7:00–11:00pm (doors at 6:45pm)

The Talking Stick

1411 C Lincoln Street, Venice CA 90291

Benefiting The Red Thread Movement

\$5.00 donation at the door

1 Free GoGirls Compilation CD to first 100 through the door.

*Noisy Auction, Opportunity Drawing, Cash Donations! All Proceeds go to The Red Thread Movement!*

*With: Heather Stewart, Crazy Aunt Mary, Luciar, The Conlons, Irene Merring, Alli Battaglia and the Musical Brewing Company, and Leah Jee*

**DONATIONS**

CASH donations are always appreciated and you can make a cash donation directly to The Red Thread Movement at the event! Don't forget you can always donate online to The Red Thread Movement - visit their website now to learn more <http://www.redthreadmovement.org>

**AUCTION ITEMS for 2011 LA GoGirlsMusicFest (more TBA!)**

**Guitar It Up For Girls** – Asstd. Merchandise. Guitar It Up For Girls cater to girls that love to rock. They offer the full line of Daisy Rock girl guitars with all of the rockin' accessories and apparel and jewelry you need to be in the spotlight!

<http://www.guitaritupforgirls.com>

**Daisy Rock Girl Guitars** – Assorted Merchandise. Daisy Rock guitars are acoustic and electric instruments made for girls. Daisy Rock is passionate about empowering girls and helping to give them the confidence and the tools to do whatever it is that they enjoy.

<http://www.daisyrock.com>

*More items to be announced soon.*

If you would like to make a donation for the auction please email [gg@netterradio.com](mailto:gg@netterradio.com) - THANK YOU to all donors!

**ABOUT NETTERADIO/YOUR COORDINATOR:**

'NetteRadio is a weekly 2-hour internet radio show that is dedicated to promoting unsigned/Indie women musicians. Hosted by Annette Conlon the show broadcasts live each Wednesday night from our studios Culver City, CA. Annette was National Coordinator for GoGirlsMusicFest 2009-2010, has coordinated GGMF Showcases since 2003, has produced over 25 charitable benefits in Los Angeles including the "SEROvie Fundraiser", "Nette for Vets", and "Toys for Tots" as well as "Red Cross/Love for Haiti", "411 Gina Missing Persons", "Kitten Rescue", "Harvest Home" "Thanks and Giving" and more! She is a vegan, musician, and passionate about giving.

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<http://www.netterradio.com/events-2ndfri-ggmf2011.html>

<http://www.redthreadmovement.org>

<http://www.thetalkingstick.net>

<http://www.gogirlsmusicfest.com>

<http://www.gogirlsmusic.com/elite>

\* Broadcast LIVE on USTREAM.TV

Link to Ustream.TV - LA GoGirlsMusicFest Fri Oct 8 7:00pm PST:

<http://www.ustream.tv/channel/netterradio---la-gogirlsmusicfest>

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