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# Exclusive Patch Interview with Long Beach Rock Group, NEVERWONDER

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Malone's Concert Venue, 604 E. Dyer Rd., Santa Ana



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Long Beach-based rock group NEVERWONDER have advanced to the Finals of Wright Records' "Battle Of The Bands," at Malone's Concert Venue, 604 E. Dyer Rd., Santa Ana, on Saturday, August 17 from 4pm-10pm. Pre-Sale \$22., Door \$32. Purchase advanced tickets at <https://www.acropolostickets.com/event/Wright-Records-5th-Annual->

## Battle-Of-The-Bands-THE-FINAL-ROUND.

The band (Fabienne Grisel, lead vocals; Jay Wise, guitars/vocals; Vincent Ramos, bass/vocals; Andres Ramos, drums/vocals) are interviewed here.

Patch: What does NEVERWONDER do as a band, (i.e. social media/promotion-wise), to help set you apart from all the other indie groups out there?

Fabienne: We're pretty involved in social media, we keep people updated with NEVERWONDER news and upcoming shows on IG, Facebook, Twitter etc. It's a great place to interact with our fans, and have people get to know us a bit more, so we always try to engage our audience and show them the behind the scene of what we do.

Vincent: Great question, I agree with everybody else here but also...we have a business approach to PR the band but always having fun...from the best ways to use social media, our website, newsletter and our Publicist. It's about working together as a team not just one person everybody is involved to send out the same message as a PR machine.

Jay: First we are all great musicians and believe in excellence. There is no weak link in the chain. We all stay at the top of our game in order to come together to be the best band we can possibly be. We also have some great talent working in the back ground to give NEVERWONDER an edge up on the competition.

ANDRES : We try to be consistent on social media and have lots of content..... There's so much you can do with social media so I think being consistent is key, also we do old-school hand flyers.

Patch: The Long Beach music scene is, was, and has been very vibrant for a long time. Talk about some of the band's favorite Long Beach live music venues?

ANDRES : Yes, for sure Long Beach has always been a cool town for music, DiPiazas, The Gas Lamp to name a few.

Vincent: You got that right Long Beach is jumping off for sure with all kinds of venues for music. Our LB home to play is Di Piazzas, (owner) Mark has been great to us and great food and drinks and just a cool place to see all kinds of bands, We love it!

Fabienne:Di Piazza's has been very good to us and we still love playing there. A lot of famous bands have come through that venue and it's always a good time every show we play there. The Long Beach community is a great community to play for, you can always count on them to show up and give us some love, and we really appreciate that.

Patch: What is each band member's favorite place in Long Beach (it can be a club, restaurant, museum, anything), and why?

Vincent: Besides Di Piazzas, I would have to say Pine Street for all the clubs and vibe it has, you can walk down the street and find whatever you are looking for in terms of music, food and drinks, always a great time.

ANDRES: I like The Federal I like the food and service there also they have a speakeasy, you don't see that all the time.

Jay: NEVERWONDER has become a regular at Di Piazzas. Vince has a unique relationship with the owner which allows to get booked at prime times.

Fabienne: One of my favorite spots in Long Beach, after Di Piazza's is Portfolio Coffeehouse. First of all, cause they have amazing coffee and I am a huge coffee addict, but mostly I have fond memories of that place. There used to be live music there years ago, they used to support local bands, and I played there with LTS, a Long Beach band I used to sing in.

Patch: When NEVERWONDER goes on the road to perform, what are people's perceptions of the band?

Vincent: At first they're like let's check this band out, but once we start playing it's great, the crowd is into it and has a great time. We love playing live and having fun and we believe it comes across during the show and as everybody has said, we like to talk to

everybody after the show and hang out.

Fabienne: What I hear the most when we're the road is, people expect you to be at a certain level if you're from LA because it's so competitive here. So, when we show up, people already have a certain level of expectation on the quality of what they are about to hear. So far, I have not heard any complains. lol!!

ANDRES: I haven't heard anything negative out there, but I know this is a very hard city to break through with so much competition and lots of great bands.

Jay: We usually get a great reaction. Most people do not expect our sound to be as good as it is. We make sure to connect with our audiences on stage and off stage.

Patch: What's on the books, gigs-wise, for NEVERWONDER this Summer?

Vincent: Play everywhere and any time! We have shows set up for the rest of year, plus TV stuff and recording our music video, and back to Di Piazzas in September for a major event. Thank you so much for having us it means so much to be part of this site!

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