



## Dirty Disco Divas

## Von Iva

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The San Francisco-based trio, **Von Iva**, whose name was inspired by lead singer Jillian's snake charmer grandmother, Iva, has come out with a six-track disc, *Girls On Film*, which recently debuted in stores last week.

These fashion-forward dance punk vocalists consist of a mixture of genres from electro pop punk to what they like to call dirty disco. These fashionistas will be playing at the **Knitting Factory** in **NYC** on **Nov. 8**.

This electro-pop rock band executes their songs with drums, '80s sounding vocals, and synths. They are known for being rambunctious, destroying props on stage and adding extended jams to a couple of their songs. These self-destructive girls love their keyboards, drums, and synths. You won't see nor hear any bass or guitar in this band. On stage, Bex dirties up the

keyboard intentionally distorting the sound while Jillian shakes her ass on top of the speaker cabs. Unlike some other concerts their fans make their concerts worthwhile, as they hop on the stage break dancing or just jumping around.

Other than for their upcoming concert, Von Iva will be making an appearance as Munchausen by Proxy in Jim Carrey's new movie, *Yes Man*, coming out in theatres on Dec. 19. They will also appear on the motion picture's soundtrack with their track "Yes Man." The trio will be on tour during the fall and winter, releasing their new full-length album in the spring of 2009.

The Knitting Factory is located at 74 Leonard Street in NYC. Anyone and their grandmother can come and watch. The show starts at 9 p.m. and tickets are \$10. For more information visit [myspace.com/voniva](http://myspace.com/voniva) and [ny.knittingfactory.com](http://ny.knittingfactory.com).