

Up & Coming

This Week's Music Picks

DRIVEBLIND, THE THIEVES

(Crocodile) Last time the Thieves were in Seattle, I had to jet across town to see Thin Lizzy emulators/disco punks Diamond Nights as soon as the Thieves finished their set at High Dive. Seeing both those bands on the same night in separate venues just felt wrong; they seemed like a natural pairing, both because of their complementary musical styles (though the Thieves cut with a decidedly more metallic edge) and their hedonistic mindset. As fate would have it, some smart booking agent finally paired them up last year—but cruelly didn't route them our way. Regardless, I'm just happy they're here again, as should be any fan of lusty, hard-hearted rock played by obscenely attractive young Brits. HANNAH LEVIN