



NO DRINKS FOR JIMMY

ELECTRONIC PRESS KIT

Updated August 2026 • Latest release: "Broken"

ALL ABOUT NDFJ

No Drinks For Jimmy formed in 1998 in the Baltimore/Washington rock scene, beginning as a project started by brothers Dan Wilson (bass) and Doug Wilson (drums), with vocalist Kurt Lobdell there from the start as a founding member. Guitarist Joe Chichetti joined in 2003. What began as a bar band playing the rock songs they loved eventually developed into something much more personal: a four-piece built around original music, big hooks, loud guitars, and a refusal to stay inside a single rock subgenre.

In 2015, NDFJ shifted its focus fully toward writing and recording original material. The four-song EP *Find The Fourth* arrived in 2017, followed by the full-length *Verse•Chorus•Rise* in 2021 and its advance single *Walk Away*. In 2024, the band released the hard-driving single *Not The One* and the live EP *Three Live Pours*, capturing the energy that has always been central to the band onstage.

2025 brought *Year of Me (The Brunswick Song)*, a melodic, pop-punk-leaning anthem that expanded the band's international reach through radio, press, playlists, and independent music outlets. That August, No Drinks For Jimmy took the stage at the world-famous Whisky a Go Go on the Sunset Strip in West Hollywood, California, appearing on a bill headlined by John Corabi and bringing new material to one of rock music's most storied venues.

Released August 7, 2026, the new single *Broken* turns toward the heavier side of NDFJ. Built around muscular guitars, pounding drums, driving bass, and an explosive vocal performance, the track draws from alternative rock, hard rock, and post-grunge while retaining the melody and hooks that connect the band's catalog. Early coverage has drawn comparisons to Foo Fighters, Jimmy Eat World, and Stone Temple Pilots, while international radio and independent press continue to expand the band's reach.

Nearly three decades after forming, No Drinks For Jimmy remains the same four musicians creating, recording, and performing together — now spread across multiple states, but still operating as one band. The objective hasn't changed much: write songs they believe in, play them like they mean it, and keep finding people who want to hear what comes next.

NEW SINGLE — “BROKEN” — OUT NOW

Released August 7, 2026

Hard Rock • Alternative Rock • Post-Grunge

Available worldwide on Spotify, Apple Music, Amazon Music, and major streaming platforms

RECENT HIGHLIGHTS

- “Broken” released August 7, 2026, continuing the band's heavier hard-rock and alternative direction.
- Performed at the world-famous Whisky a Go Go on the Sunset Strip in West Hollywood, California in August 2025 on a bill headlined by John Corabi.
- International radio support has included Banks Radio Australia and Amazing Radio, alongside additional independent radio campaigns.
- Year of Me (The Brunswick Song) received international radio, playlist, and press support following its 2025 release.
- Press coverage has included KIMU, The Big Takeover, Apricot Magazine, We Write About Music, Edgar Allan Poets, Revista Soundloop, and additional independent music outlets.
- No Drinks For Jimmy has been active since 1998, with the current four-member lineup together since 2003.



PRESS & REVIEWS

“The guitar performances are nothing short of masterful.”

KIMU

“Broken” feature • August 8, 2026

“Broken stands out as a remarkable rock anthem.”

Edgar Allan Poets

“Broken” review • August 7, 2026

“A fist-in-the-air, foot-on-the-monitor celebration of life and positivity.”

The Big Takeover

“Year of Me (The Brunswick Song)” review • August 19, 2025

“That kind of honesty, paired with their knack for crafting anthems that stick, makes them a band to watch.”

Apricot Magazine

“Year of Me (The Brunswick Song)” review • 2025

“The band demonstrates their mastery of guitar-driven rock and their ability to evoke powerful emotions through music.”

We Write About Music

“Not The One” review • February 22, 2024

“This band unleashes contagious energy and their music is capable of awakening your wildest rock spirit.”

Edgar Allan Poets

“Bands We Like” • May 21, 2021

MEMBERS

Kurt Lobdell
vocals, rhythm guitar

Joe Chichetti
lead guitar, vocals

Dan Wilson
bass, vocals

Doug Wilson
drums

DISCOGRAPHY



2026 — Broken
(Single)



2025 — Year of Me
(The Brunswick Song)
(Single)



2024 — Three Live Pours
(Live EP)



2024 — Not The One
(Single)



2021
Verse•Chorus•Rise
(Album)



2021 — Walk Away
(Single)



2017 — Find The Fourth
(EP)

MUSIC

No Drinks For Jimmy on Spotify

No Drinks For Jimmy on Apple Music / iTunes

No Drinks For Jimmy on Amazon Music

No Drinks For Jimmy on YouTube Music

REPRESENTATIVE SONGS

Broken — 2026

Year of Me — 2025

Not The One — 2024

Walk Away — 2021

Punk — 2017

Little Girl — 2017

VIDEO

What Will It Be — Official Music Video

No Drinks For Jimmy — Official YouTube Channel

SOCIAL MEDIA

No Drinks For Jimmy — Official Website

Facebook

X (Formerly Twitter)

Instagram

TikTok

BOOKINGS AND INQUIRIES

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