

STEMM coming to Tequila Rocks

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Last weekend, Tequila Rocks, 611 4th Ave., got the party started in the giant concert and bar space formerly known as the MonkeyBar.

Now they bring the thunder, well, at least very freaking loud metal as STEMM, the band that penned the official UFC theme song is bringing its aggressive, melodic metal live Thursday night.

Lead vocalist and guitarist, Joe Cafarella, said the Buffalo, N.Y.-based band's new CD, "Blood Scent," brings heavy like Pantera did.

UFC, Ultimate Fighting Championship, still uses "Face the Pain," as its theme song for all Pay-Per-View events and the band's musical library is also heard as background music for UFC/SPIKE TV programs "Ultimate Fighter" and "Unleashed."

Now, "House of Cards" from the new release "Blood Scent" has been selected as the theme song for "UFC Wired," hosted by Joe Rogan (Fear Factor/UFC commentator) on the Fox Network for the new season and has put it on various UFC related video games available on X-Box and Play Station.

Hear the band online at www.myspace.com/stemm.