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Infringement Daily Planner: July 27

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The Hell's Harlots burlesque troupe performs Monday night at 8:45 in El Museo. (Photo from [facebook.com/hellsharlots](https://www.facebook.com/hellsharlots))

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Today is one of the Buffalo Infringement Festival's slower days, but there's still an absurd amount happening throughout the city as festivalgoers recover from a hyperactive weekend.

Here are five picks for today:

1) Jonathan Foster, 11 a.m., Cafe Taza

Start your day in a lazy way with a cup of coffee and a performance from this singer-songwriter, who will perform new songs about "rivers, trains, roads less travelled and familiar names" from his album "Help Me Run."

2) "Matisse: A Life in Metaphor," 12:30 p.m., Crane Library


Painting and poetry converge in this very Infringey event featuring poet Marj Norris reading poems about the great modernist painter Henri Matisse.

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3) "Food Not Bombs," 1 to 3 p.m., Lafayette Square

Thursday in the Square might be a thing of the past, but this multi-disciplinary event is bringing music and poetry back to the idyllic urban park today. The event features Infringement veteran and violinist extraordinaire **David Adameczyk**, gypsy-esque band **Ahavaraba** (shown below playing on Grant Street during last year's fest), an interactive spoken word event called "**Open Discussion**," the **Unusual Christians** and the world music group **Volver**.



Ahavaraba plays to a small and very enthusiastic crowd on Grant Street.

A video posted by @colindabkowski on Jul 27, 2014 at 2:29pm PDT

4) "You Breakbeat, You Buybeat," 5 to 10 p.m., The Box Gallery @ Hostel Buffalo Niagara

This hip hop showcase on Main Street, accompanied by a **miniature film festival**, is aimed at expanding your sonic horizons.

5) The Hell's Harlots Burlesque, 8:45 p.m., El Museo

What better way to cap off a Monday of meandering around the Infringement Fest than with a bit of racy burlesque? Tonight's event at El Museo, one of many burlesque performances throughout the festival, features the 5-year-old Hell's Harlots troupe, described on the Infringement site as "an edgy trio of beautiful tattooed women doing choreographed dances, comedy skits, belly dance, improv dancing and cabaret."