

DOWN WITH THE CLOWNS STATE

THE CITY THAT GAVE BIRTH TO MOTOWN, THE MC5, TECHNO, AND SPONGE—ANYONE REMEMBER SPONGE?—IS CAUGHT IN THE GRIP OF A NEW YOUTH CRAZE.

THIS IS MY 13TH SHOW, TOMORROW IN TOLEDO WILL BE MY 14TH, BUT YOU'VE GOTTA SEE THEM IN DETROIT—DETROIT'S OFF THE HOOK!



VINCE, 17

I LIKE HOW THEY'RE WICKED, AND I LIKE HOW THEY SWEAR A LOT!



JAN, 14
(FIRST-EVER CONCERT)

A LOT OF THE YOUNGER KIDS ARE INTO IT FOR THE CLOWN THING, BUT I'M INTO IT FOR THE MESSAGE.



JASON

INSANE CLOWN POSSE

SOLD OUT

630

IT'S AN ESCAPE FROM REALITY.



SHAWN, 19
(FIRST IN LINE AT 8:50A.M.)

I LIKE THIS 'CAUSE IT'S CRAZY AND I CAN WEAR MAKEUP!



I-C-MOTHERFLUCKIN'-P!



ANONYMOUS NINJA

I DON'T NEED A RELATIONSHIP—ICP IS ENOUGH FOR ME!



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CALL IT CLOWN LOVE.