

"Much like their aversion to safe surf rock from the likes of the Ventures, The Balboas take pride in spitting in the face of convention."



- Philadelphia City Paper



"Many 60's inspired bands strive for technical perfection and fawn-eyed imitation. The Balboas bring an authenticity to their music through conviction and a full intensity attack on the CBGB audience."

- Village Voice

"The Balboas give a nod to hot rod nostalgia but with a much darker, wilder, slant. From a distance their look is vintage, but up close their look is dangerous."



- Cleveland Scene



"The Balboas are a fun, untamed, grumbly adventure in miscreant twanging guitar and pounding drums. More gnarl than melody, the Balboas music pumps and grinds with relentless energy."

- Las Vegas Weekly