



Press Kit

Bio

Haystack Slim & The Broken Arrow are a Tacoma, Washington based band that mixes a broad base of influences into a fire and ice homebrew of classic country and rock n' roll. They first formed in the spring of 2023 when eastern Oklahoma troubadour Haystack Slim joined with a new, high-powered backing band - comprised of Tacoma guitarist Ryan Finley, bassist Joe Filkins, and drummer Jay Montgomery - who perform with Haystack under the moniker The Broken Arrow.

Haystack's lyrics tell stories of addiction, love and heartbreak, and gutty Western heroes. The vocals are weaved into music rich with melodic hooks and dynamic progressions. The result? Songs that remind that country isn't just about beer and backroads, and that rock & roll lives.

With an array of new electric originals, Haystack Slim & the Broken Arrow are playing shows throughout the Pacific Northwest supporting their 2026 EP, "Hotel Prison", 2025 LP, "Whiskey Rainbow", and 2024's EP, "Westbound".

Discography

- [Hotel Prison](#), 2026
- [Whiskey Rainbow](#), 2025
- [Westbound](#), 2024
- [The Gilded Gun](#), 2020 - Haystack Slim solo EP

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- Rock and Roll Globe - [Album Review](#) - "Honky-tonk flavored rock 'n' roll that speaks tales straight out of a Louis L'Amour novel. Fans of Bad Livers, the Old 97s and BR5-49 should give Whiskey Rainbow a serious listen."
- Americana Highways: [Song Premier](#) - "'Bad Behavior' is one for the history books."

Social Media

- [Instagram](#), [Facebook](#)

- [Bandcamp](#)
- [Website](#)

Photos

- [Band Photo](#)
- [Logo - Black on White](#)
- [Logo - White on Black](#)

Booking Information

- Booking Email: howdy@haystackslimandthebrokenarrow.com
- Booking Phone: Ryan Finley, 206-321-8180

Production Details

- [Stage Plot](#)
- [Input List](#)

Shows

Upcoming Shows

- September 12th, 2026 - The Manette Saloon, Bremerton, WA

Past Shows

- July 18th, 2026 - Tacoma Porchfest, Tacoma, WA
- June 27th, 2026 - The Lumora, Tacoma, WA
- January 17th, 2026 - The New Frontier, Tacoma, WA
- December 13th, 2025 - The Manette Saloon, Bremerton, WA
- November 28th, 2025 - Jazzbones, Tacoma, WA
- November 8th, 2025 - McCoy's Tavern, Olympia, WA
- October 25th, 2025 - Wild Child, Olympia, WA
- August 16th, 2025 - Bob's Jave Jive, Tacoma, WA
- August 9th, 2025 - The Valley, Tacoma, WA
- July 26th, 2025 - The New Frontier, Tacoma, WA
- June 28th, 2025 - The Airport Tavern, Tacoma, WA
- June 21st, 2025 - The Manette Saloon, Bremerton, WA
- May 14th, 2025 - Conor Byrne, Seattle, WA
- March 19th, 2025 - The New Frontier, Tacoma, WA
- January 18th, 2025 - The Airport Tavern, Tacoma, WA
- January 15th, 2025 - The Sunset Tavern, Seattle, WA
- January 10th, 2025 - The Showdown, Portland, OR
- November 15th, 2024 - The New Frontier, Tacoma, WA
- July 20th, 2024 - Tacoma Porchfest, Tacoma, WA
- June 29th, 2024 - The District, Spokane, WA

- June 28th, 2024 - The Airport, Tacoma, WA
- May 17th, 2024 - The Realm, Tacoma, WA
- April 27th, 2024 - The Valley, Tacoma, WA
- April 19th, 2024 - Barboza, Seattle, WA
- March 29th, 2024 - The Showdown, Portland, OR
- March 22nd, 2024 - The New Frontier, Tacoma, WA
- February 29th, 2024 - The New Frontier, Tacoma, WA
- January 5th, 2024 - The Valley, Tacoma, WA
- December 23rd, 2023 - Slim's Last Chance, Seattle, WA
- November 5th, 2023 - NW Country Music Awards, The Fox Theater, Spokane, WA
- October 6th, 2023 - The New Frontier, Tacoma, WA
- September 7th, 2023 - The Spanish Ballroom, Tacoma, WA
- August 5th, 2023 - Porchfest, Tacoma, WA
- July 28th, 2023 - The Bethel Saloon, Port Orchard, WA