

LOCAL SCENE ■ TOM LOUNGES

Wolcott single to benefit disaster relief



Wolcott, a catchy modern pop/rock quintet from Lansing, is doing something totally cool this morning to help the disaster relief fund in New York City while giving a few hundred area kids a little taste of stardom.

The local lads are at Serena Hill Elementary School today taping a special version of their song, "All Aboard For Love," with 400-plus students from that school singing along with the band. The band will release the special CD single to retail stores next month with the hope of seeing it enjoy strong holiday sales. All proceeds will be donated to the disaster relief fund.

"The song is all about love and peace and about getting together and having hope," vocalist/guitarist "**Fast Eddie**" Jones said of the song, which is featured in its original form on their 13-track debut CD, "All Aboard." "It really has a positive message, especially right now. Having the kids with us

for this makes them feel like they're doing something to help out the situation."

Wolcott is starting to turn some heads in the music industry with its quirky and infectious pop material. The band could very well be among the lucky ones to make the step up to the big leagues now that a lot of record labels are looking to Chicagoland for the stars of tomorrow.

Along with Jones, the group features vocalist/guitarist **Ryan DeYoung**, bassist/vocalist **Benjamin Mollin**, drummer **Tom Miller** and keyboardist **Keith Forsythe**.

Catch Wolcott locally while you can. The band performs a 7 p.m. concert today at the Muse Cafe in downtown Lansing. For more information on the band and/or its special CD single, point your Web browser to: www.mywolcott.com.

Music notes

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