



JAGJAGUWAR

DINOSAUR JR.

FARM

Pieces
I Want You To Know
Ocean In The Way
Plans
Your Weather
Over It
Friends
Said The People
There's No Here
See You
I Don't Wanna Go There
Imagination Blind

The worry about the reunion of the original **Dinosaur Jr.** line-up, more than 20 years after their formation and legendary dissolution, was that these guys were just flogging the back catalog as a marketing gimmick. With the release of *Beyond*, in 2007, the band gave a hearty Marshall-driven “F**K YOU!” answer to those inquiring ears. Restoring the sound established by the opening hat-trick gambit of *Dinosaur*, *You're Living All Over Me*, and *Bug*, the *Beyond* record continued the band's march into rock greatness by making old ears smile and new ears bleed afresh. And now comes *Farm*, the fifth full length record by the original line-up—J Mascis, Lou Barlow, and Murph—set to release on their new label home Jagjaguwar on June 23rd.

If *Beyond* was Dinosaur Jr.'s return to form, *Farm* is proof that this band continues to deliver that which makes rock worth cranking to 11. At times wholly 70's guitar-epic, at times perfect for sitting by a babbling brook with Joni and Neil, *Farm* encompasses Dinosaur Jr.'s signature palette – soaring and distorted guitar, unshakable hooks, honey-rich melodies – songs that get into your head and, bouncing around happily, stay there. The ear-catching “Plans” is nearly 7 minutes of classic whipped-topping rock dessert, while “I Don't Wanna Go There” is a meat-and-potatoes main dish, mixing unapologetic lead guitar with straight-ahead delivery a la **James Gang** or **Humble Pie**. These two tunes round out twelve tracks propelled by the unique energy of one of America's greatest living rock bands hitting their stride.

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