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NIGHT LIFE ROCK AND POP

Summer Frenzy



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(52-19 Flushing Ave., Queens. 347-915-5615. June 24. at 3 P.M.)

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The Brooklyn label Mixpak, which straddles the electronic and dancehall spheres, is partnering up with the Tryna Function collective to kick off the season, just a few days after the summer solstice. The all-day blowout starts outside, with sets from **Spice**, the Jamaican dancehall vocalist famous for “Romping Shop,” her duet with Vybz Kartel; **Tink**, a gifted rapper and R. & B. upstart; the Jamaican d.j. crew **Equiknoxx**; the Staten Island rapper **Squidnice**; and Mixpak’s own d.j.s **Dre Skull** and **Jubilee**. As the sun wanes, the bash moves indoors, to the Knockdown Center, where the club-music jockeys **Tygapaw**, **DJ Bebe**, and **DJ Jayhood**, as well as London’s **Kamixlo**, will play loud, fast bounce late into the evening.