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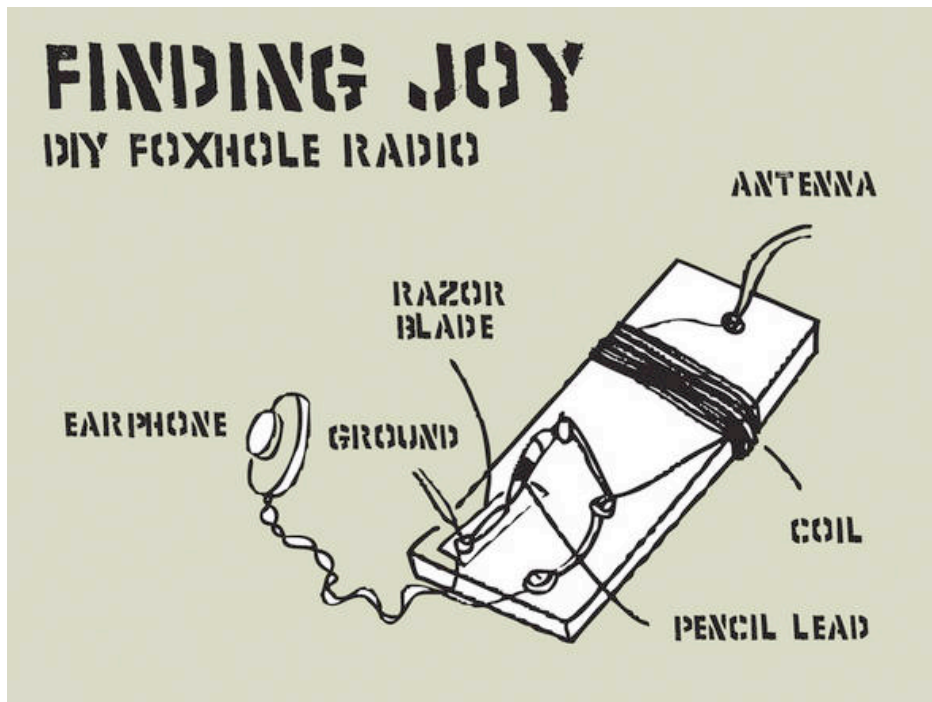
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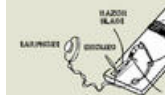


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Oh joy! Art collective Finishing School is staging a free, if odd interactive art party at MOCA, starting with a lesson on how to build a your own foxhole radio out of razor blades and pencil lead. Then they'll send you out on the streets to pick up radio transmissions of other peoples' pre-recorded messages about joy. Sound random? Let us school you on the military colloquialism "finding joy": It refers to "the successful establishment of radio contact on the battlefield." Only instead of a war zone, you'll be in Downtown L.A., and instead of getting shot at, you'll be listening to pure happiness!


**related links**

**FINDING JOY**  
 DIY FOXHOLE RADIO  
  
[MOCA Engagement Party - Finding Joy](#)  
 Museum of Contemporary Art - MOCA - Grand Avenue - 250 South Grand Avenue - Los Angeles (Downtown)


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 Acid-trip cinema, drunk Santas, building DIY radios and searching for joy  



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**Wednesday, December 3:**  
[Ladies Lotto benefit at Royal/T](#)  


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**Friday, December 5: Repeal Day at the Townhouse**  


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**Saturday, December 6: L.A.**  


250 S. Grand Ave., Downtown; 7 p.m.-10 p.m.; free

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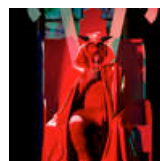
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Monday, December 8: Tango class at Santa Monica Bay Women's Club



Tuesday, December 9: 'Day is Done' at Sponto

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