Animal Collective named for venue

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The band's name, Animal Collective, is derived from a name used earlier in the indie-rock scene by a band named Animal Collective. After the disbanding of that group, the name was picked up by the current band. The decision to change the name was based on the need to differentiate the new group from the old one. The new group has maintained the name since its creation in 2000.

The most recent album, "Merriweather Post Pavilion," is the ninth studio album by Animal Collective. The record was produced by Kurt Blcomed and features a range of experimental and avant-garde sounds. The album is described as a mix of electronic and acoustic elements, creating a unique soundscape.

Animal Collective, led by singer A.C. Newman, has been described as one of the most innovative and influential groups in the indie-rock scene today. Their music is characterized by intricate arrangements, complex rhythms, and imaginative use of sound effects. The group's albums have been praised for their creativity and originality, and they have been recognized as important figures in the contemporary music landscape.

The latest album, "Merriweather Post Pavilion," has been well-received by critics and fans alike. It has received widespread praise for its innovative approach to sound and its ability to keep listeners engaged throughout the entire album. The group's continued success and creative output have cemented their place as one of the most important and influential acts in modern music.