

# Pearl Jam Fills Ranch Bowl

Pearl Jam, the Seattle-based alternative band, has gone from being a no-name to being a big-name in no time at all.

When the band opened for the **Red Hot Chili Peppers** at Peony Park last fall, Omahans (as well as the rest of the country) didn't expect to see anything special. The band was just an opening act then. Sunday night, it was the exact opposite at the **Ranch Bowl**.

At a sold-out concert with close to 400 in attendance, Pearl Jam gave its audience what it expected: One memorable show, complete with moshing (the craze similar to slam dancing), body tossing and a sense of youthful togetherness.