

Faux Pas Announce New Single + Join LIFE On Their UK Tour

The band face up to self-medicated sedation with 'That's My Ego'

Released Sept 20th on 7" vinyl via Come Play With Me

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"Faux Pas can take care of themselves, a band standing apart from the hyper-capitalist day-to-day culture" **CLASH**

The new single from **Faux Pas** is a ferociously menacing tale of obsession in the pursuit of perfection. It shows the band off at their pulsating and enticing best with aching, intimate verses which build before giving way to a huge, destructive chorus. It showcases the perfect light & dark every good song should have, hitting with rawness while also offering security and warmth for those in need. It's a real coming of age moment for the band, showing maturity in both the music and lyrics.

To celebrate the release, **Faux Pas** have been asked to join Hull-art-rockers + **BBC 6Music** faves **LIFE** on their upcoming UK tour, full list of live dates below.

Speaking about the track, singer + guitarist Ru explains *"That's My Ego is about defiance and control. I feel like there is a really small number of things that we really have control over and I think it has a really profound effect on people, mostly negative. I find that a lot of our generation find this frustrating and end up self medicating through drugs and alcohol in an attempt to sedate themselves. Being sedated is bliss but it allows people to basically settle for a life they don't want without the self belief that they can change things."*

Ru continues "I find a lot of inspiration in the people around me every day, truly remarkable people who have overcome more than anyone should, to find their own success. This song is about taking control of who you are and addressing the struggle of those who feel they cannot. For me Faux Pas is a way of just saying "fuck it im gonna kick the shit out of this guitar for thirty minutes and I'm gonna love doing it." It used to be a lot more about anger and hatred and whilst the themes of despair for our surroundings are still present it's more about promoting the feeling of community"

With performances at **Reading Festival**, **Leeds Festival**, **Kendall Calling**, **Humber Street Sesh**, **Live At Leeds** and airplay from **Radio 1** under their belt, **'That's My Ego'** is their most exciting and strongest release to date. **Faux Pas** are **Ru Cowl** (Vocals, Guitar) **Lewis Egdell** (Guitar) and **Joey Leyland** (Drums).

'That's My Ego' by **Faux Pas** is released on 7" vinyl via Leeds based record label **Come Play With Me** on the **20th September 2019**. Limited signed copies of the vinyl can be ordered from <http://cpwm.awesomedistro.com/>. The track was produced by **Embrace's Mickey Dale**.

LIVE DATES

SEPTEMBER

25th, Nation Of Shopkeepers, Leeds (single launch w/ **Uncle Buzzard**)

OCTOBER

4th, Forty-Five Vinyl, York (Instore)

5th Warren Record Store, Hull (Instore)

5th, DIVE Bar, Hull

9th, Star and Garter, Manchester

11th, 229 The Venue, London

12th, Record Junkee, Sheffield (matinee + evening show)

13th, Rough Trade, Nottingham (matinee + evening show)

24th, Phase One, Liverpool (supporting **LIFE**)

26th, Bootleg Social, Blackpool (supporting **LIFE**)

27th, YES, Manchester (supporting **LIFE**)

28th, Hyde Park Book Club, Leeds (supporting **LIFE**)

29th, Fulford Arms, York (supporting **LIFE**)

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Faux Pas' 'That's My Ego' 7" single is backed by **Uncle Buzzard's** 'Big Cat'. **Uncle Buzzard** are a Leeds based psych-pop 5-piece who play swoony indie with an underlying depth to their lyrics.

Listen to 'Big Cat' here: <https://soundcloud.com/comeplaywith/uncle-buzzard-big-cat/s-xzBxe>

Access Uncle Buzzard's Press Pack [HERE](#)

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