

REEPERBAHN FESTIVAL 2014: AUSTRIAN HEARTBEATS

ARTIST: 5/8ERL IN EHR'N

ALBUM: YES WE DOES

5/8erl in Ehr'n can't simply be labelled as a "Wienerlied" band when bouncing between the borders of jazz, indie, pop and soul music. Listeners and the band itself call their style „Wiener Soul“ (Viennese Soul). Lyrics are written and performed in the local Viennese dialect, their special sound is made up of an acoustic-guitar, accordion, contrabass and two vocalists. Since its formation in 2006, the band has released three albums and played more than 600 concerts in Austria, Germany, Switzerland, Poland, the Czech Republic and Egypt. In 2012 and 2013 the band also won the "Amadeus Austrian Music Awards" for best album in the category Jazz/World/Blues. 5/8erl in Ehr'n created their very own genre quite some time ago. On their new album YES WE DOES (10/10/2014) they combine Viennese soul with heavy rocksteady and melancholic waltzes, fabricating a beautifully unsettling reflection of themselves, the world, and the country they call home: Austria.

QUOTES:

With incredible ease, a heart-warming appearance and a big dose of musical sophistication, the five musicians impressively manage to convey their 'Viennese Soul' to the audience and are called back twice for encores. Der Neue Tag

Their mix of crazy musical ideas and finespun texts is simply intoxicating. Fürther Nachrichten

LINKS:

www.5achterl.at

www.twitter.com/5achterl

www.facebook.com/5achterl

www.youtube.com/user/5achterl

INT. TOUR DATES (HIGHLIGHTS):

Klangfarben Festival, Regensburg (D),
Poolbar Festival, Feldkirch (A),
Heimatsound Festival, Oberammergau (D),
Glatt & Verkehrt, Krems (A),
Popfest Wien (A),
ArtBeat Festival Kairo (EG),
Wiener Musik Festival, Jelenia Gora (PL)

INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS:

Label/Licensing Partner: Viennese Soulfood Records
Distribution: Hoanzl
Booking: KONVOI (AT), Eulenspiegel Booking (DE)
Management, Booking, PR: Sebastian Reiter (KONVOI)

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