



**MONEYTREE RELEASE SEVEN-TRACK EP *The Great Indoors Part II*
WITH SOTONES RECORDS**

Featuring Mystery Jets' Blaine Harrison (*Pipe Dreams*) and Ted Dwayne of Mumford And Sons (*It Ain't Mine*), *The Great Indoors Part II* is a rich and colourful labour of love that sees London fourpiece Moneytree fighting fit and ready to make their mark.

Recorded with Joe Gibb (Million Dead, Leftfield, The Kinks), the EP showcases a band that unites progressive and richly developed rock elements with eclectic musical nods to influences including Battles, Fugazi and Tortoise.

Innovation is at the heart of Moneytree; they are founding members of Sotones, the UK's only co-operative label established and managed by a conglomerate of artists, echoing the Dischord/Broken Social Scene-inspired DIY ethic at the heart of all they create.

This blood-sweat-and-tears approach does nothing to detract from the band's intrinsic pop sensibilities that *The Great Indoors Part II* celebrates. Soaring vocals call to mind the melodrama of Jeff Buckley, overlaying guitar and keyboard-driven melodic rock with the experimental ethos of Mahavishnu Orchestra – all infused with the balls-out energy of At The Drive In.

Also featuring The Holloways' Rob Skipper and fellow Sotones act The Moulettes (both on *It Ain't Mine*), *The Great Indoors Part II* presents a sound honed through years of hard work, drinking and touring, supporting the likes of Mystery Jets and Frank Turner. Now with a refreshed lineup including lynchpin brothers Campbell and Oliver Austin, the EP heralds a promising new phase for the band.

As the second in a trilogy of EPs, with the third part scheduled to follow later this year, this record is the sound of a band ready to prove that rock music can be innovative yet still accessible. *The Great Indoors Part II* proves that Moneytree can justify the hype.

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"Structured improvisation, feedback drones and thudding grooves, all swathed in Fugaziod intensity"
Drowned In Sound

"Moneytree make you want to dance without resorting to the indie-disco beat."
Artrock

"Spankingly superb – KKKK"
Kerrang!

May 2009 Tour Dates:

- 3rd - The Prince Albert, Brighton,
- 9th - The Nellgwynne, Portsmouth
- 10th - Fighting Cocks, Kingston
- 11th - The Gander on The Green, Bournemouth
- 12th - The Victoria, London
- 13th - The Bricklayers Arms, Newbury
- 14th - The Boiler Room, Guildford
- 15th - The Railway, Winchester
- 16th - Lennons Night Club, Southampton

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