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**THE ARISTOCRATS announce MORE EUROPEan DATES FOR THEIR “DEFROST” TOUR IN October/November 2023**

**"If there is a more accomplished, empathetic and versatile all-instrumental trio in rock than The Aristocrats, I’ve yet to hear them.” *- San Diego Union Tribune (USA)***

**"It's the energy and excitement behind the outrageous chops that makes The Aristocrats so gleefully enjoyable." *- Prog Magazine (UK)***



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**The Aristocrats,**(guitarist Guthrie Govan, bassist Bryan Beller and drummer Marco Minnemann) will make their long-awaited return to the stages of Europe next year. This second batch of dates scheduled for October and November 2023 sees them continue their worldwide **DEFROST** tour, which began with a hugely successful 50-show North American leg last summer. Audiences starved for some trademark Aristocratic musical mayhem will be treated to a debut of select new material not yet released on any album, as well as a carefully curated collection of fan favorites and deep cuts.

The ultra-power-trio issued a joint statement to mark the occasion: “*We promised there would be many more shows for Europe after we announced our limited run for June 2023, and we’re ready to deliver with weeks of Aristocratic shows across the continent in October and November - with even more to be announced soon. Europe will always be special for us, and we look forward to reconnecting with so many of our fans there. Like we said before, it’s been too long!”*

Over the past ten years **The Aristocrats** have released critically acclaimed albums, toured the world, and established themselves as one of the most musically original, refreshingly irreverent, and astoundingly entertaining instrumental rock-fusion acts on the planet. Anyone who’s witnessed their live musical high-wire act - employing random amounts of rock, jazz, pop, metal, and even traditional country – can attest that it is informed by the spirit of a true band, one whose improvisational soul allows for anything to happen onstage at any moment…including the occasional wink and nod at the audience.

**The Aristocrats *DEFROST* EUROPE Tour – OCT/NOV 2023**

***(info on ticket links below)***

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| **DATE** | **VENUE** | **CITY, COUNTRY** |
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| October 5, 2023 | Rockhal | Esch-sur-Alzette, LUX |
| October 6, 2023 | Spirit Of 66 | Verviers, Belgium |
| October 7, 2023 | De Boerderij | Zoetermeer, Netherlands |
| October 8, 2023 | De Boerderij | Zoetermeer, Netherlands |
| October 10, 2023 | Fabrik | Hamburg, Germany |
| October 11, 2023 | Franzz | Berlin, Germany |
| October 13, 2023 | Piano | Dortmund, Germany |
| October 14, 2023 | Lehenbachhalle | Winterbach, Germany |
| October 15, 2023 | Ampere | Munich, Germany |
| October 16, 2023 | 7er Club | Mannheim, Germany |
| October 18, 2023 | KUZ | Mainz, Germany |
| October 21, 2023  October 22, 2023  October 26, 2023  October 27, 2023  October 28, 2023  October 30, 2023  November 3, 2023  November 4, 2023  November 5, 2023  November 7, 2023  November 8, 2023 | Bølgen Kulturhus  Pustervik  Lutakko  Olympia  Aaniwalli  Voru Kannel  Collosseum  Barba Negra  MMC  Blue Note  Palace Akropolis | Larvik, Norway  Gothenburg, Sweden  Jyvaskyla, Finland  Tampere, Finland  Helsinki, Finland  Voru, Estonia  Kosice, Slovakia  Budapest, Hungary  Bratislava, Slovakia  Nove Mesto, Slovakia  Prague, Czechia |

Full details for all shows, including ticket links as they become available, can be found on the Aristocrats website at: [**http://the-aristocrats-band.com/shows/**](http://the-aristocrats-band.com/shows/)

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All studio and live releases by **The Aristocrats** can be purchased at:

USA: [**https://www.hellomerch.com/collections/the-aristocrats**](https://www.hellomerch.com/collections/the-aristocrats)

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