

Biography



2 years in the making, **The Manic Shine** are a London-based quartet intertwining **Blues, Modern Rock and Electronica into a hard hitting, electric-eclectic concoction**. Having recorded their self titled 3 track EP at **The Animal Farm** London and mastered by **Andy Jackson (Grammy award-winning producer of Pink Floyd)**, their debut album '**Blindsider**', due for release July 16th 2011, is already causing a stir with media and fans alike. In November 2010 their first single '**Pretend**' was released on iTunes around the world and subsequently the band has been played on over 20 radio stations, including **BBC Introducing, Amazing Radio.co.uk** and **Off The Chart FM**. The band's first music video for single 'Pretend' was produced by **BAFTA-Nominated Director Luke Snellin**. TMS' recent shows include packed out headline slots at legendary venues such as **Cargo and Cavern Club** and future shows include **IndigO2** and **O2 Academy Islington**. Following rave reviews from every publication they are featured in, the band is rapidly gaining a loyal following for their exhilarating live performances around the UK and are setting ears and minds ablaze with their fresh take on rock n' roll. Welcome to the new-school feel with an old-school vibe. Welcome to Rock with roots as deep as they go and branches high as the sky.

Welcome to The Manic Shine.

Press

"Sounds great!"

- James Theaker - NME

"I REALLY like The Manic Shine!"

- Nick Mason (drummer, Pink Floyd)

"We like that song, Burn Me On The Ceiling, very much!"

- Tom Robinson, BBC Introducing

"Jaw dropping... You must listen to this band, they are amazing."

- The Mag.com

"The Manic Shine are some musical geniuses...It's not every day that you come across such a fantastic new band. 5/5"

- Alternative Vision

"Undeniably impressive. A blindsider through and through! 8/10"

- Bring The Noise

"It is no surprise that their music sounds so good...They are blazing a new path"

- Altsounds

"...'Pretend' builds to a heavy crescendo of noise, they certainly know their way around a power rock riff when they hear one!"
- Amazingradio.co.uk

"Driving basslines from these slick and shiny pop-rock headliners"
- Time Out

"The big guys on the scene should be peering over their shoulders; The Manic Shine are coming!"
- Muso's Guide

"Simply irresistible...With material as strong as this, Blindsider will make people sit up and take notice!
4/5" - Entertainment Focus.com

"Timeless...impressively soaring choruses and some clever electro noises, while the slightly off-kilter guitar work gives a real edge to proceedings..."
- A Short Fanzine About Rocking

"Tighter than a government cut...Addictive...The Manic Shine hit pretty hard"
- AMP Jam

"The powerful riffs and up tempo beat ensure that you'll be listening to their new EP on repeat from the off" - London Music Blog

Upcoming Gigs

- The Bitter End – Romford, Essex – Aug 28th
- Artsfest 2011 – The Victoria, Birmingham – Sept 11th
 - The Soundhouse – Colchester – Sept 17th
 - Top of The Hill – Richmond, London – Sept 20th
- Supporting Carl Barat, 2 Door Cinema Club – Scala – London – Sept 30th

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