

Press release Mrs. Kite

Mrs. Kite – this is four men of conviction, who have won the “German rock & pop award” (Deutscher Rock und Pop Preis) for “best progressive band” three times. Far away from stereotypical thinking and conventional patterns Mrs. Kite define an ambitious and unique sound.

Mrs. Kite’s style was affected by the usual suspects of the genre, e.g. Pink Floyd, Porcupine Tree, Yes and Dream Theater – hence, there are floating and psychedelich-seeming parts as well as crashing distorted, heavy sections that all fuse together to a homogeneous ensemble. Catchy melodies, complex rhythms, pure singing, virtouso grooves and strong harmonies are trademarks of the band. The band’s aim is to show versatile, innovative, hence literally „progressive“ music on record and on stage. So on the one hand the listener will be exposed to some spheric, gentle sounds, while on the other hand there are low-pitched guitar riffs, both often combined with well-orchestrated polyphoned singing, which underlines the formative influence of the Beatles.

The band’s characteristic lead singer is Florian Schuch. His diversified piano, organ and synthesizer sounds create the most different tone colors and vibes. Alongside his brother Florian, Ferdinand Schuch finished a course of studies in music and plays the guitar. His complex guitar arrangements und solos provide force and dynamics as well as delicate and floating elements of the songs.

Philipp Verenkotte and Lukas Preußner form the foundation of Mrs Kite and provide the pushing and mutlilayered rhythms. Philipp’s energetic drumming is harmonically completed by Lukas’ deep and dark tones on bass guitar.

Ferdinand and Florian are responsible for songwriting. The lyrics, done jointly by Florian and Philipp, raise topics both taken from real life and personal experience.

With their new album „*Flickering Lights*“ released in 2020, the four musicians of Mrs. Kite seek to develop a bigger audience and show their sound live onstage.

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