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**Lauran Hibberd** shares effervescent second LP single **‘I’m Insecure’**,out **June 1st** via **Virgin Music**



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*“Such. Huge. Choruses…the next hottest thing”* **DIY**

*“A firecracker of a track***” Billboard**

*“Tongue-in-cheek slacker-pop”* **NME**

*“Garage rock tunes...huge pop hooks”* **NYLON**

*“Grunge-inflected, punky bubblegum pop…she continues on her upward trajectory in explosively exciting fashion”* **The Line Of Best Fit**

*"Queen of slacker pop…if these bopping tunes are any indication, her next steps should be followed very closely"* **Dork**

*"Each song from the rising talent feels immaculately well packaged…cool-as-heck indie rock"* **Clash**

*"If you’re a fan of excellent indie then keep your eyes on Lauran Hibberd. We’re certain she won’t disappoint you"* **Gigwise**

*“Fizzy indie rock bangers”* **Music Week**

*“Slacker pop has a new frontrunner …every single one of Lauran Hibberd’s tracks is 10/10 great”* **Upset**

*“High-energy pop sensibilities and a tongue-in-cheek attitude”* **Rock Sound**

Isle Of Wight power pop specialist **Lauran Hibberd** shares fizzing new cut **‘I’m Insecure’,** the second official single from forthcoming **debut LP ‘Garageband Superstar’**, set for release **August 19th** via **Virgin Music**.

"You know when you are so insecure but also sure enough of yourself to attempt to rap - yeah, me neither”, **Hibberd** remarks. “This song was such a turning point for me writing wise, it solidified the album for me early on. It’s a track about being stuck in your own head, I’ve struggled a lot mentally being a very small pawn on the very big chess board that is the music industry and I think this is the most honest I’ve ever been about it in a track. Saying that, writing it has helped me jump right out of the fish bowl, now I feel more confident and am having more fun than ever."

Signalling the newest addition to her thrilling catalogue of adrenaline-fueled hits, **‘I’m Insecure’** follows previous album teaser **‘Step Mum’** earlier this month, alongside news ofher **debut album tour**, and sees the indie sensation partner once again with revered producer **Larry Hibbitt (**[**Nothing but Thieves**](https://en.m.wikipedia.org/wiki/Nothing_but_Thieves)**,** [**Don Broco**](https://en.m.wikipedia.org/wiki/Don_Broco)**,** [**Dinosaur Pile-Up**](https://en.m.wikipedia.org/wiki/Dinosaur_Pile-Up)**,** [**Sea Girl**](https://en.m.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sea_Girls)**s)**, as her spectacular ascent towards the upper echelons of the indie landscape gathers further pace.

Brimming with charisma and satire-fuelled anthems, the **DIY Magazine Class of 2022** star’s remarkable potential is reinforced by the groundswell of support across the press landscape **(The Guardian, The Times, NME, The Line Of Best Fit, Dork, DIY, Billboard, Consequence of Sound, NYLON, Clash, Gigwise, Kerrang, Rock Sound, Upset)** over the last few years, as well as significant praise across the **BBC Radio 1** **(Clara Amfo, Jack Saunders, Gemma Bradley)** and **BBC 6 Music (Chris Hawkins)** airwaves, as she tackles the next phase in her thrilling development.

Fresh from nationwide dates supporting chart-toppers **The Snuts** and **Stand Atlantic**, as well as a **sold-out 2021 UK headline tour**, the enigmatic musician’s raucous live show has already seen her earn impressive support tours with **Hippo Campus** and **The Regrettes** in recent times. Earmarked for several prominent slots throughout the summer festival season (sharing stages with the likes of **Bombay Bicycle Club, Everything Everything** and **Sundara Karma)**, Hibberd will also be hitting the road this autumn to coincide with the release of her debut album.

Lauran Hibberd’s **‘I’m Insecure’** is out **June 1st** via **Virgin Music** and will be available on all digital platforms.

**Live Dates**

**4th June -** Live At Leeds

**4th June -** Sonic Wave, Birmingham

**16th June -** Rock For The People, Czech Republic

**9th July -** 2000 Trees, Cheltenham

**22nd July -** Truck Festival

**29th July -** Y Not Festival

**30th July -** Camp Bestival

**31st July -** Kendal Calling

**5th August -** Wide Skies & Butterflies Festival

**17th Sept -** Arts Club (Loft), Liverpool

**18th Sept -** Brudenell Social Club, Leeds

**19th Sept -** King Tut’s, Glasgow

**21st Sept -** Mama Roux’s, Birmingham

**22nd Sept -** Clwb lfor Bach, Cardiff

**23rd Sept -** The Garage, London

**24th Sept -** Wedgewood Rooms, Portsmouth

**30th Sept -** Strings Bar & Venue, Newport

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