

**Music News****US ALT ROCK BAND****SLOTHRUST****'DOUBLE DOWN' NEW WILLY BEAMAN REMIX RELEASE  
AND UK TOUR****'DOUBLE DOWN' FOCUS DATE FRIDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> MARCH  
DANGEROUS BIRD RECORDS****UK HEADLINE TOUR 22<sup>ND</sup> – 26<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY**

*"...the power trio is a juggernaut of cannonball riffs and lyrical intrigue"* **BILLBOARD**  
*"...Alt-rock band with stellar guitar work and swaggering wordplay"* **STEREOGUM**

US alt rock band fronted by the uniquely talented Leah Wellbaum (who could have been the lovechild of Kurt Cobain and PJ Harvey and whom also takes care of most of the song-writing duties as well as playing guitar) alongside with drummer Will Gorin and bassist Kyle Bann – are about to hit the UK for their first headline UK Tour. After performing as special guests of the Manchester Orchestra in the UK at the end of last year, the band have confirmed a return to these shores for 5 UK headline dates from 22<sup>nd</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup> January.

The LA based band, originally from Boston, are also set to release a mix by Willy Beaman (Nicki Minaj/Demi Lovato/Kelly Rowland) of their single 'Double Down' on 1<sup>st</sup> March on Dangerbird Records. The track is taken from their fourth full-length critically acclaimed album 'The Pact', produced and engineered by multi-Grammy award nominee Billy Bush (Garbage/The Naked & Famous/Neon Trees), released in September.

**CRITICAL ACCLAIM FOR 'THE PACT':**

*"The immediate feeling that this is not just one album, it's their greatest hits. Slothrust explores the depths of hard-alt rock with hints of punk, pop and folk...elegant and beautiful."*  
**SPILL \*\*\*\***

*"...it's postmodern, it's attention-grabbing, it's polished and powerful. The Pact is an experiment gone right. It's authoritative when we need a punch in the gut and vulnerable when we need someone to relate to."*  
**EXCLAIM! \*\*\*\***

*"...The Pact is their most accomplished set of songs so far..."* **SOUNDBLAB \*\*\*\***

*"...Double Down has some killer riffage"* **LA MUSIC BLOG**

*"...The album is a serious kicker as it contains jostling melodies, lyrical webs, and delightful fuzz."*  
**POST TRASH**

**'DOUBLE DOWN' ORIGINAL MIX**

<https://soundcloud.com/dangerbirdrecords/slothrust-doubledown?in=dangerbirdrecords/sets/slothrust-the-pact>

**'DOUBLE DOWN' VIDEO:** <https://youtu.be/31gBizKYAnc>

As part of the bands European tour they will be playing the following dates in the UK in January:

**JANUARY**

Tues 22nd	<b>GLASGOW</b> - <a href="#">Stereo</a>
Wed 23rd	<b>MANCHESTER</b> - <a href="#">Deaf Institute</a>
Thurs 24 <sup>th</sup>	<b>LONDON</b> - <a href="#">Boston Music Room</a>
Fri 25th	<b>BRIGHTON</b> - <a href="#">The Hope &amp; Ruin</a>
Sat 26 <sup>th</sup>	<b>BIRMINGHAM</b> - <a href="#">Sunflower Lounge</a>

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