EP PRESS RELEASE

Holy Pinto Stenography

Artist: Holy Pinto **EP**: *Stenography*

Tracks:

Tooth
 Swim

Daughter

Release: 5th May 2015

Label: Monkey Boy Records / Get This Right

Format: CD / Download

For fans of: Death Cab For Cutie, Say Anything, The Front Bottoms



Holy Pinto are all set to unveil their latest EP *Stenography*, released **5th May 2015** via **Monkey Boy Records / Get This Right**.

EP opening track 'Tooth' wastes no time introducing you to the band's unmistakable indie pop-punk sound, with catchy melodies that will give listeners no choice but to tap along. Songs begin with sharp, descending, staccato guitar riffs that continue to get heavier and more distorted as they progress, while guitarist and vocalist **Aymen Saleh**'s typically English vocals are on point throughout with honest and clever lyrics. 'Swim' and 'Daughter', the final two tracks on the EP, follow the same musical craftsmanship, with intricate guitar licks, well-crafted percussion and some rather quirky synth effects thrown in to make this release an irresistible package begging to be unwrapped.

Formed in late 2013 during their final years at college, **Aymen Saleh** (guitar & vocals) and **Ryan Hurley** (drums & backing vocals) holed themselves up in an abandoned mill in **The Smiths**' hometown of Manchester and started writing music together. Inspired by bands such as **The Front Bottoms**, **Death Cab For Cutie** and **Say Anything**, they penned an erratically diverse set of songs; from happy to sad and from aggressive to breezy. After releasing two EPs within their first 8 months together, they took the time to establish themselves a touring act - travelling the UK many times over and very recently finding themselves in mainland Europe.

Stenography is released on **5th May 2015** via **Monkey Boy Records** in the UK and **Get This Right** in the US.

- Holy Pinto are available for interviews.
- EPK, photos and artwork available upon request
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