

ALBUM PRESS RELEASE

Idlewild *Everything Ever Written*

Artist: Idlewild

Album: *Everything Ever Written*

Tracks:

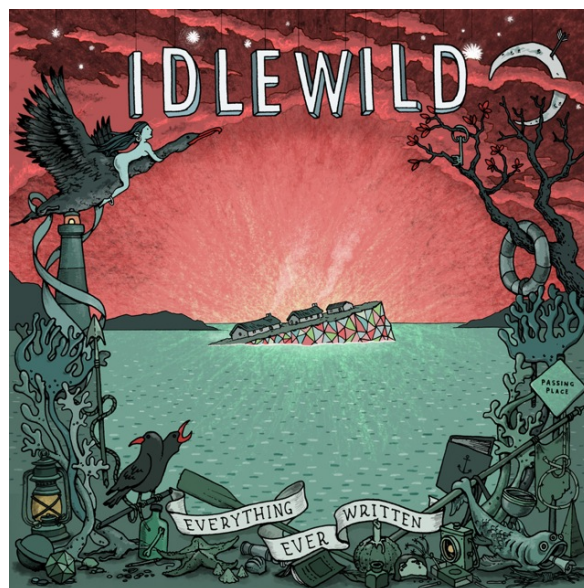
1. Collect Yourself
2. Come On Ghost
3. So Many Things To Decide
4. Nothing I Can Do About It
5. Every Little Means Trust
6. (Use It) If You Can Use It
7. Like A Clown
8. On Another Planet
9. All Things Different
10. Radium Girl
11. Left Like Roses
12. Utopia

Released: 16th February 2015

Label: Empty Words

Format: Download/Physical

For fans of: Frightened Rabbit, The Twilight Sad, Admiral Fallow



After five years away, Scottish alternative rock band **Idlewild** return with new album ***Everything Ever Written***, set for release on **16th February 2015**. The band's eighth studio recording represents a new chapter, both personally and creatively - featuring twelve tracks of alternative rock woven together from strands of Scottish folk, Americana & Hebridean psychedelia.

Produced by the band's guitarist **Rod Jones** and mixed by **John Agnello** (**Kurt Vile**, **Sonic Youth**, **Dinosaur Jr.**) whom they collaborated with on their 2002 release ***The Remote Part*** and augmented by new members **Luciano Rossi** (piano, organ & vocals) and **Andrew Mitchell** (bass, guitar & vocals), *Everything Ever Written* is Idlewild's most eclectic output to date.

"The album was predominantly written on the Isle of Mull", vocalist **Roddy Woomble** explains. "The record soundtracks a period of transition. Working without time constraints gave the whole thing a creative freedom. Idlewild is a new band to me now; I'm excited for the future."

Lead track ***Collect Yourself*** premiered on **Steve Lamacq's BBC 6 Music** show on **November 3rd 2014** and is available as an immediate download exclusively with album pre-orders.

In October 2014 the group completed a sold out acoustic tour of unique, intimate venues throughout the Highlands & Islands of Scotland, re-introducing themselves to live audiences after a half-decade break, performing re-worked versions of old songs as well as songs from the new album. The still, idyllic settings chosen for the performances hint towards the sense of space afforded in writing and recording the new album, which will be supported by a run of full live shows in spring 2015.

Europe:

26th February - Strom – Munich
27th February - Luxor – Cologne
1st March - Lido – Berlin
2nd March - Knust – Hamburg
3rd March - Bitterzoet – Amsterdam

UK & Ireland:

7th March - O2 ABC – Glasgow
8th March - O2 ABC – Glasgow
10th March - The Institute – Birmingham
12th March - The Ritz – Manchester
13th March - Roundhouse – London
20th March - The Limelight 2 - Belfast
21st March - The Academy - Dublin

Everything Ever Written will be released on 16th February 2015 in the UK on digital, CD and vinyl. These and a limited, deluxe edition with exclusive live acoustic tracks recorded during the band's recent Highlands & Islands tour are available to pre-order now from **www.pledgemusic.com/idlewild**.



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