

SINGLE PRESS RELEASE

Bad Wave  
1955



**Band:** Bad Wave

**Single:** 1955

**For fans of:** MGMT, Pheonix, Foster The People

“...tightly-spun pop melodies...”

- **NME**

“...effortlessly freeform pop that doesn't lose any of its ear worm immediacy in the process...”

- **DIY**

“...a duo who surf the interface between bubbly indiepop and sumptuously sad synthpop.”

- **Guardian**

Los Angeles based duo **Bad Wave** take us back to a bygone era on their latest single **1955** but by going back they want us to look to the future and be hopeful for what's to come, conveying their message with catchy pop aplomb.

Their last single, **Time To Get Lost**, explored the darker side of American politics but **1955** has a more positive tone. “A lot of things happened in 1955,” the band explain. “Elvis made his first television appearance. Rosa Parks refused to give up her bus seat. Steve Jobs was born and Albert Einstein died. Some people wish we could go back to 1955. A nostalgia for a simpler time. But we're more excited about what's ahead. We've got nostalgia for the future.”

Last year, Bad Wave's **Patrick Hart** and Tucker Tota released a slew of singles, each receiving tremendous support, much to the pair's surprise. **3AM** topped the **Hype Machine** chart, hitting the number one spot, with **Runaway** peaking at no. 2 and they achieved over a million streams in 2016 as well as featuring on **Spotify's Fresh Finds** playlist. The **Guardian**, **The Line of Best Fit**, **DIY**, **Wonderland** and **The Sunday Times** were amongst their top supporters with **Beats 1's Zane Lowe**, **BBC Radio 1's Huw Stephens** and LA based station **KCRW** flying the Bad Wave flag on the airwaves.

**1955** is out now via **10K Islands**.

- Bad Wave are available for interviews.
- EPK, photos and artwork available upon request
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