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The Little Kicks  
*Bang The Drum Slowly*



**Band:** The Little Kicks

**Single:** Bang The Drum Slowly

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**For Fans of...** OK Go, Hot Hot Heat, Franz Ferdinand

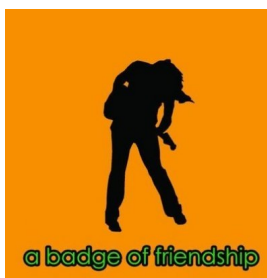
*“could well be one of the next big indie-pop bands” – Q*

Aberdeen's **The Little Kicks** return with their immensely uplifting new single, ***Bang The Drum Slowly***, out **1st December 2017** via **Loosen Up Records**.

*Bang The Drum Slowly* is a mightily infectious slice of off-kilter indie pop. It races through with scuzzy hooks, glitchy beats and sweeping harmonies, resulting in a delightfully quirky sound akin to the likes of **Hot Hot Heat** or **OK Go**. It's the fourth single to be taken from their latest album, *Shake Off Your Troubles*. Describing the album, lead singer **Steven Milne** explains “the themes of the record would be a feeling of happiness, gratitude and to be thankful with what you have and not take things for granted. Furthermore, not to let others get you down or let anyone put you in your place.”

Since forming five years ago, The Little Kicks have received critical acclaim from the likes of **NME**, **Q**, **Clash** and **The Skinny** to name but a few. They have also received support from **BBC 6 Music**, **BBC Radio 1**, **Radio Scotland** and **XFM** as well as *Shake Off Your Troubles* being nominated for the **Scottish Album of the Year Award**. Now, having shared stages with acclaimed bands such as **The Maccabees**, **Maximo Park** and **White Lies**, The Little Kicks hope to continue charming listeners further with the unique, vibrant sounds of *Bang The Drum Slowly*.

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