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Is this what it sounds like, the over-privileged youth, the frustrated and replaceable 'everything-is-possible'-generation, the slowly vanishing parting line between past and future, joie de vivre and the real life? Infant King create a captivating GarageBluesRock that commands you to share their joy and suffering, to learn about their worries and to join them in their narcissistic cry for just one more second of relevance. Then again—who ever listens to an Infant King?

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Biography

As an acoustic duo, Nina Przyborowski and Stephan Dillenberger had already gained considerable musical experience, when they decided in early 2012—tired from their often difficult and thankless experience as Songwriters—to recruit two new band members in order to risk a fresh musical start.

Through mutual friends and a hint of luck bass player Robert “Willi” Wlček was recruited as fulltime member. Since the departure of the band’s first drummer Seppo Uhari in the summer of 2013, Tim Flügge occupies the seat behind the drums.

Infant King that began in early 2012 as an unambitious project in a dirty basement (until early 2015 the band performed under the name *Pussy con Carne*) has matured to a band that does no longer hesitate to pinpoint the role expectations and customary lies of our day-to-day lives in unmerciful lyrics. In their songs whose most important purpose probably is to function as an act of musical self-therapy the band combines straightforward Garage Rock with the troubled soul of the Delta Blues, without trying to deny common role models like *The Dead Weather* or *Nico Vega*.

Proof of their energetic live presence was given by qualifying for the finals of one of Germany’s most established band contests, *SWM-Musicids Magdeburg*, early in 2012. It was their first live show together and already determined that the band would not just give in to become yet another short lived local party band.

Later on in the summer the band already performed their first unplugged radio shows on Radio Rockland and Radio Fritz/RBB. In March 2013, their first EP “Peace and Love ‘n’ Shit” was realised in the studios *andereBaustelle Berlin* and *Heartdisco-Studio Magdeburg*.

Triggered by their EP release in May 2013, the band significantly increased their media exposure. Countless favorable reviews and considerable radio play on MDR Sputnik or Detektor FM laid the foundation for their first TV appearance in a detailed band portrait on German TV channel MDR. Another definite high point was reached in August 2013 when the four musicians performed as a support band for Top10-act *Frida Gold* in front of an electrifying crowd of more than ten thousand people. Many shows all over Germany followed, regularly supporting notable acts such as Swedish electro-rockers *MF/MB/*, German electro-punk band *Captain Capa* or Hamburg’s no-longer-insiders’-tip *Trümmer*. In 2014, during

their first international tour, the band added live shows in Riga (LV), Brno (CZ) or Vienna (AT) to their respectable gig list.

Alongside a continuously large number of concerts at home and abroad (together with acts like *Royal Republic* or *The Feud*) Infant King will release their first Album “Superschizophrenic” in June 2015.

References

“A band, that was described by some of the jury members as the best band that has ever played in the preliminaries of the SWM Contest.”

— Stephan Michme

Heartdisco Music, show host MDR1 , RBB Fritz, MDR Sachsen-Anhalt (German TV)

“I can see myself totally smashed off my face dancing like a twat because it is such a tune [...]”

— Eddie Heakin

editor The Backroom Manchester / UK

“Spicy and fresh!”

— Susi Brandt

show host MDR

Television portrait on MDR Sachsen-Anhalt on June 22nd '13

 youtu.be/nMOQ_IKy018

“The Stalker” live at the MDR Sommertour in Thale on August 1 0th '13

 youtu.be/K8tKf_M-Iuw

Press Coverage and Airplay (Selection)

DATES Magdeburg (magazine)

Detektor FM (radio)

Guericke FM (radio)

Leinehertz 106.5 (radio)

MDR Sachsen-Anhalt (tv)

MDR Sputnik (radio)

Mitteldeutsche Zeitung (newspaper)

POP 1 0 (tv)

Radio Fritz (radio)

Urbanite Magdeburg (magazine)

Volksstimme Magdeburg (newspaper)

Radio Rockland (radio)

The Backroom (music blog)

Upcoming Gigs

05 June 2015	Rockpool	Halle (Saale)
01 August 2015	Simsalaboom Festival	Menkendorf
28 August 2015	Fontaine Palace	Liepaja (LV)
29 August 2015	TBA	Riga (LV)
03 September 2015	Nabaklab	Riga (LV)
04 September 2015	Melno Cepurišu Balerija	Jelgava (LV)
05 September 2015	Rockiklubi	Valga (EE)
09 September 2015	TBA	Prag (CZ)
10 September 2015	TBA	Brno (CZ)
11 September 2015	TBA	Bratislava (SK)
12 September 2015	Heidefest	Colbitz

Gig Histroy

02 May 2015	Fatal Music Club	Prague (CZ)
01 May 2015	British Rock Stars	Bratislava (SK)
30 April 2015	Čarodějáles Festival	Brno (CZ)
07 March 2015	Mikado	Frankfurt / Oder
29 December 2014	Comet Club	Berlin
17 December 2014	Projekt 7	Magdeburg
12 December 2014	Bärenzwinger	Dresden
03 November 2014	Opernhaus	Magdeburg
02 October 2014	Feuerwache	Magdeburg
12 September 2014	Alte Kantine	Salzwedel
06 September 2014	Shelter	Vienna (AT)
04 September 2014	Metro Music Bar	Brno (CZ)
29 August 2014	Depo	Riga (LV)
28 August 2014	Nabaklab	Riga (LV)
23 August 2014	Projekt7	Magdeburg
19 July 2014	Saalerock	Camburg
06 July 2014	Rocktreff	Berlin
04 July 2014	Villakeller	Leipzig
21 June 2014	Fête de la Musique	Halle
14 June 2014	Ekmagadi	Magdeburg
10 May 2014	Hanseat	Salzwedel
09 May 2014	Rock gegen Gewalt IV	Frankfurt / Oder
25 January 2014	Kurhaus	Bernburg
18 January 2014	Mephisto	Uelzen
13 November 2013	Projekt7	Magdeburg
10 August 2013	MDR Sommertour	Thale
05 July 2013	Mystique Kunstfestival	Magdeburg
21 June 2013	Fête de la Musique	Magdeburg

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17 May 2013	Feuerwache	Magdeburg
15 February 2013	Heb deine Hand für Courage	Magdeburg
12 January 2013	Meile der Demokratie	Magdeburg
12 August 2012	Akustikset beim Radio Fritz/RBB	Potsdam
20 July 2012	School's Out	Aschersleben
27 June 2012	Projekt7	Magdeburg
21 June 2012	Fête de la Musique	Magdeburg
22 June 2012	Upgrade Festival	Magdeburg
08 June 2012	Geschwister-Scholl-Haus	Berlin
19 May 2012	Factory / SWM-Musicids Finale	Magdeburg
18 April 2012	Akustikset bei Radio Rockland	
14 April 2012	Projekt7 / SWM-Musicids	Magdeburg