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NEW MIXTAPE '[BEAVERCORE](#)' OUT NOW ON WARP RECORDS

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2021 UK AND IRELAND HEADLINE TOUR ANNOUNCED



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London-based duo Jockstrap (Georgia Ellery and Taylor Skye) have today released their new mixtape *Beavercore* on Warp Records - available digitally [HERE](#). *Beavercore* features three Taylor Skye remixes of *Wicked City* tracks - including single 'City Hell' (\$TAYLA\$ CLUB MIX) - and a further three original piano preludes. *Beavercore* is the accompaniment to the duo's acclaimed second EP *Wicked City* - released in June via Warp, the 12" vinyl is now sold-out but available still on all digital formats [HERE](#).

Jockstrap have also announced a new UK and Ireland headline tour for 2021, starting on 3 May at Bristol's Louisiana and culminating on 13 May at H&H2 Birmingham with a London date at Camden Assembly penciled for 6 May. Tickets are on sale now [HERE](#).

2020 has been a year in which Jockstrap caught the attention of cultural icons like Chanel - soundtracking their Fall-Winter 2020/21 Haute Couture collection campaign video - and fellow artists in equal measure (including Jamie XX, Anna Meredith, Iggy Pop, GFOTY, Kelly Moran, Oneohtrix Point Never to name a few). Explaining *Beavercore*'s creation and concept, the band's Taylor Skye said: "I wrote all of the remixes whilst we were finishing *Wicked City*. I never know when they're gonna come out, they just happen when they happen. It's like a sneeze or vomiting or falling in love. Your body just does it because it has to. After those we worked on the preludes. Georgia basically sent me some beautiful piano music and told me to do my thing. We were pretty loose with it all, we were working on everything up until the night before it was all mastered."

Georgia Ellery added, "Composing free form classical music is a creative exercise that brings me release. Constructing what could be endless melodies and harmony without the parameters of form is very meditative... emotions and the body clock tend to guide the structure which makes for an unusual musical journey. The preludes share thematic material and each one was built out of another. Taylor then did his thing with them."

Jockstrap defied convention on *Wicked City*; an epic of an EP, flung into the world to respond to their debut *Love is the key to the City*. The pair originally launched *Wicked City* alongside a virtual audio-visual exhibition and listening party: an immersive event featuring artwork from the project and exclusive binaural audio.

Over the course of the year, Jockstrap have also been lauded by UK press such as Dazed (who featured the band in their annual list of 100 creators to watch), The Quietus, Clash, The Guardian, NME, Loud & Quiet, DIY, Music Week, The Times, and The Line of Best Fit; in the US Pitchfork, Nylon, FADER, Consequence of Sound, Brooklyn Vegan, [The Needle Drop](#) (Anthony Fantano), and more all offered their support too.

The band were twice playlisted by BBC Radio 6 Music in the run up to *Wicked City*'s release - a B-list playlisting for 'Acid' and a C-List playlisting for 'The City'. Annie Mac (BBC Radio 1), Jo Wiley (Radio 2), Matt Wilkinson (Beats1), Vic Galloway (BBC Scotland), Late Junction (Radio 3), John Kennedy (Radio X) have all given Jockstrap extensive airplay this year also.

See Jockstrap on tour in 2021

[3 May | Louisiana, Bristol](#)
[4 May | The Hope & Ruin, Brighton](#)
[6 May | Camden Assembly, London](#)
[8 May | Sneaky Pete's, Edinburgh](#)
[9 May | Academy 2, Dublin](#)
[11 May | YES, Manchester](#)
[12 May | Headrow House, Leeds](#)
[13 May | H&H2, Birmingham](#)



Praise for Jockstrap's *Wicked City*:

"Jockstrap have fashioned a singular sound"
Pitchfork

"ingenious, invigorating, and like little else right now"
NME

"you have the feeling that Jockstrap are nowhere near the bottom of their bag of tricks"

Loud And Quiet

“discombobulating, fantastical stuff, perfect for our peculiar times.”

The Observer

“They work in very established classic clear-cut song-structure-crafts, and they do it exceptionally well with a clear mastery and when you hear them it raises your hackles a little bit.”

Iggy Pop

Jockstrap - *Beavercore EP* - out 11/09/2020 on Warp



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1. Acid (VAPOURWAVE rap RMX)
2. niños y Niñas TaylorBASSMIX ft. ELSAS
3. [City Hell \(\\$TAYLA\\$ CLUB MIX\)](#)
4. Beavercore 1
5. Beavercore 2
6. Beavercore 3

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