



MEDIA ALERT

MASTODON LAUNCHES VIDEO FEATURING SKINNER AND BRANN DAILOR DISCUSSING ICONIC COVER ARTWORK FOR *ONCE MORE 'ROUND THE SUN* VIA JUZTAPOZ.COM STARTING TODAY

TEASER CLIP FOR "CHIMES AT MIDNIGHT" LAUNCHES THIS FRIDAY

NEW ALBUM OUT JUNE 24TH



MAY 22, 2014 — (Burbank, CA.) — Starting today, [Mastodon](#) will launch a video featuring American artist, [Skinner](#), who's work graces the cover of the Mastodon's forthcoming album, ***Once More 'Round The Sun***. The short film showcases a conversation between Brann Dailor and Skinner talking about the genesis of the ideas that would eventually become the cover art. Skinner talks about his longtime appreciation of Mastodon's music that would later inspire his creation of these lurid and iconic images. The internationally respected Art & Culture Magazine [JUXTAPOZ](#) will host the premier of the video on their website today. Click [here](#) to view and share.

Once More 'Round The Sun, Mastodon's sixth full-length studio album, their first since 2011's ***The Hunter***, will be released by Reprise Records on June 24th. It was recorded in Nashville with Grammy Award-winning producer [Nick Raskulinecz](#) (Rush, Foo Fighters, Alice In Chains, Deftones, etc.).

The first track from the album "[High Road](#)," is available digitally now. Pre-order ***Once More 'Round The Sun*** [here](#) and instantly receive a digital download of "[High Road](#),"

As previously announced, on June 24th, the stunning Deluxe 2LP Vinyl Edition of ***Once More 'Round The Sun*** will go on sale. This limited edition package will include two discs pressed onto 180g black vinyl housed in a quadruple gatefold vinyl jacket featuring artwork by the American artist [Skinner](#) previously mentioned, plus a CD of the complete album. The package will include

four exclusive lithographs derived from the album artwork. Click [here](#) to explore the amazing album artwork. If you pre-order the Deluxe Vinyl Edition, you'll be entitled to bonus digital content: An instant download of "**High Road**," plus another album track (to be determined) delivered digitally prior to street date, and a digital download of the entire album delivered on street date. This one-time-only package will be available exclusively through www.mastodonrocks.com. Don't delay, as these will sell out quickly. Click [here](#) to view the beautiful Deluxe 2LP Vinyl Edition.

The next track from **Once More 'Round The Sun**, will be the hard-charging "**Chimes At Midnight**." This Friday, May 23rd, you can view a teaser clip for the track [here](#).

One More 'Round The Sun track-listing:

1. Tread Lightly
2. The Motherload
3. High Road
4. Once More 'Round The Sun
5. Chimes At Midnight
6. Asleep In The Deep
7. Feast Your Eyes
8. Aunt Lisa
9. Ember City
10. Halloween
11. Diamond In The Witch House

Mastodon's upcoming **tour dates** are as follows:

Wed. May 28	Sonisphere Festival	Helsinki, Finland
Fri. May 30	Gärdet, Stockholm	Stockholm, Sweden
Sat. May 31	Ursynalia Festival	Warsaw, Poland
Sun. Jun 1	Sonisphere Festival	Oslo, Norway
Tues. Jun 3	Jailhouse Rock Festival	Horsens, Denmark
Wed. Jun 4	Imtech Arena	Hamburg, Germany
Fri. Jun 6	Rock AM Ring	Wershofen, Germany
Mon. Jun 9	PinkPop	Olland, Netherlands
Tues. Jun 10	FRI-SON	Fribourg, Switzerland
Wed. Jun 11	Z7 KONZERTFABRIK	Pratteln, Switzerland
Fri. Jun 13	Bonnaroo Music Festival	Manchester, TN
Fri. Jun 20	Amnesia Rockfest	Montebello, Canada
Thurs. Jun 26	Hedon	Zwolle, Netherlands
Fri. Jun 27	Melkweg	Amsterdam, Netherlands
Sat. Jun 28	Graspop	Dessel, Belgium
Sun. Jun 29	Park Live	Moscow, Russian Federation
Thurs. Jul 3	Main Square Festival	Arras, France
Fri. Jul 4	Le Zenith	Paris, France
Sun. Jul 6	Knebworth Park	London, United Kingdom
Fri. Jul 18	Malakoff Rock Festival	Nordfjordeid, Norway
Sat. Jul 19	Bukta Open Air Festival	Tromsø, Norway
Sat. Sept 6	Hopscotch Festival	Raleigh, NC
Fri. Sept 12	Riot Fest Chicago	Chicago, IL

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Troy Sanders -- Bass Guitar / Vocals
Brent Hinds -- Guitars / Vocals
Bill Kelliher -- Guitars
Brann Dailor -- Drums / Vocals

ABOUT SKINNER:

Skinner is a self-taught artist living in Oakland, California who has meticulously crafted a balance of extraordinary mural work, bizarre and antagonistic installations while maintaining a prolific commercial career. Influenced by 80's pop culture, human struggle, myths and violence, dungeons and dragons and the heavy metal gods, Skinner's mind is one of psycho social mayhem fueled by a calculated chaos. His work has been shown all over the world in various museums, universities and galleries. He has been an ambassador of the alternative arts movement in countries ranging from Russia, Cuba, Japan, Europe and all across the United States. Pay him a visit and see the chaos in action. Go to: <http://www.theartofskinner.com/>

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