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THE BLACK KEYS ANNOUNCE DROPOUT BOOGIE TOUR

32-DATE NORTH AMERICAN HEADLINING RUN BEGINS JULY 9 IN LAS VEGAS
WITH SPECIAL GUESTS BAND OF HORSES, CERAMIC ANIMAL, EARLY JAMES
& THE VELVETEERS

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Dropout Boogie Tour
with special guests **Band of Horses**
and in select cities **CERAMIC ANIMAL** **EARLY JAMES** **THE VELVETEERS**

7/9 - Las Vegas, NV	8/28 - Huntsville, AL
7/11 - Salt Lake City, UT	8/30 - Charleston, SC
7/13 - Denver, CO	9/1 - Raleigh, NC
7/15 - St. Louis, MO	9/3 - Cincinnati, OH
7/16 - Indianapolis, IN	9/6 - Toronto, ON
7/17 - Chicago, IL	9/7 - Detroit, MI
7/20 - Saratoga Springs, NY	9/9 - Cleveland, OH
7/22 - Jones Beach, NY	10/2 - Seattle, WA
7/23 - Holmdel, NJ	10/3 - Vancouver, BC
7/25 - Columbia, MD	10/5 - Mountain View, CA
7/27 - Charlotte, NC	10/8 - Los Angeles, CA
7/29 - Boston, MA	10/10 - Phoenix, AZ
7/30 - Philadelphia, PA	10/13 - Rogers, AR
8/24 - West Palm Beach, FL	10/15 - Houston, TX
8/25 - Tampa, FL	10/17 - Austin, TX
8/27 - Atlanta, GA	10/18 - Dallas, TX

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January 31, 2022 - The Black Keys have announced initial details for their Dropout Boogie tour, a 32-date North American run produced by Live Nation beginning July 9 in Las Vegas. This is the band's first string of shows since touring in support of their 2019 studio album "*Let's Rock*" (Nonesuch).

Band Of Horses will support on all dates, while Ceramic Animal (July 9-30), Early James (Aug. 24-Sept. 9) and the Velveteers (Oct. 2-18) will open at select performances.

The Black Keys will be holding an exclusive fan club presale on Tuesday, Feb. 1 at 10 am local time. Sign up for the free Lonely Boys & Girls Club and receive early access to tickets. Presale ends Thursday, Feb 3 at 10 pm local time. A limited number of VIP packages will also be available starting Tuesday, Feb. 1 at 10 am local time. VIP packages include premium seats, sound check visit, an autographed lithograph and more! General on-sale begins Friday, Feb 4 at 10 am local time. Details can be found at theblackkeys.com.

Citi is the official card of the Dropout Boogie tour. Citi cardmembers will have access to presale tickets beginning Wednesday, Feb 2 at 10 am local time until Thursday, Feb 3 at 10 pm local time through the Citi Entertainment program. For complete presale details visit www.citientertainment.com.

The Black Keys are singer/guitarist Dan Auerbach and drummer Patrick Carney. Last year, the duo received its 14th Grammy nomination, this time for Best Contemporary Blues Album for *Delta Kream*, which was released in May 2021 by Nonesuch Records. The project, which features 11 Mississippi hill country blues songs by artists such as R.L. Burnside and Junior Kimbrough, was the band's fifth consecutive top 10 debut on The Billboard 200. *Pitchfork* said of the album, "By spending the time playing the blues that's buried deep in their soul, the Black Keys reveal how far they've gone in a space of 20 years," while the UK's *Independent* said, "The blues flow through The Black Keys' music as steady as the Mississippi River. Now they're going right to the source on *Delta Kream*, a sweltering collection of some of their favourite hill country blues standards. The fact they're exploring such familiar territory is to the album's benefit. The Black Keys know this music as well as their own. *Delta Kream* celebrates true musicianship. A soundtrack for those hot and heady nights of late summer. It's brilliant." *Delta Kream* also made Best of 2021 lists from several publications, including both *Uncut* and *Mojo*.

Most recently, The Black Keys released the Super Deluxe 10th anniversary edition of their landmark seventh studio album, [El Camino](#) in late 2021. *El Camino* was produced by Danger Mouse and The Black Keys and was recorded in the band's then-new

hometown of Nashville during the spring of 2011. The Black Keys won three awards at the 55th annual Grammys for *El Camino*—Best Rock Performance, Best Rock Song, and Best Rock Album—among other worldwide accolades.

Formed in Akron, Ohio in 2001, The Black Keys have been called “rock royalty” by the Associated Press and “one of the best rock ‘n’ roll bands on the planet” by *Uncut*. Cutting their teeth playing small clubs, the band have gone on to sell out arena tours and have released nine previous studio albums: their debut *The Big Come Up* (2002), followed by *Thickfreakness* (2003) and *Rubber Factory* (2004), along with their releases on Nonesuch Records, *Magic Potion* (2006), *Attack & Release* (2008), *Brothers* (2010), *El Camino* (2011), *Turn Blue* (2014) and “*Let’s Rock*” (2019), plus a 10th anniversary edition of *Brothers* (2020). The band has won six Grammy Awards and a BRIT and headlined festivals in North America, South America, Mexico, Australia, and Europe.

The Black Keys’ Dropout Boogie tour dates and cities:

July 9: Las Vegas, NV – MGM Grand Garden Arena
July 11: Salt Lake City, UT – USANA Amphitheatre
July 13: Denver, CO – Red Rocks Amphitheatre
July 15: St. Louis, MO – Hollywood Casino Amphitheatre St. Louis
July 16: Indianapolis, IN – Ruoff Music Center
July 17: Chicago, IL – Hollywood Casino Amphitheatre Tinley Park
July 20: Saratoga Springs, NY – Saratoga Performing Arts Center
July 22: Jones Beach, NY – Northwell Health at Jones Beach Theater
July 23: Holmdel, NJ – PNC Bank Arts Center
July 25: Columbia, MD – Merriweather Post Pavilion
July 27: Charlotte, NC – PNC Music Pavilion
July 29: Boston, MA – Xfinity Center
July 30: Philadelphia, PA – Waterfront Music Pavilion (formerly BB&T Pavilion)
Aug. 24: West Palm Beach, FL – iTHINK Financial Amphitheatre
Aug. 25: Tampa, FL – MIDFLORIDA Credit Union Amphitheatre
Aug. 27: Atlanta, GA – Ameris Bank Amphitheatre
Aug. 28: Huntsville, AL – Orion Amphitheatre
Aug. 30: Charleston, SC – Credit One Stadium
Sept. 1: Raleigh, NC – Coastal Credit Union Music Park at Walnut Creek
Sept. 3: Cincinnati, OH – Riverbend Music Center
Sept. 6: Toronto, ON – Budweiser Stage
Sept. 7: Detroit, MI – Pine Knob Music Theatre
Sept. 9: Cleveland, OH – Blossom Music Center
Oct. 2: Seattle, WA – Climate Pledge Arena

Oct. 3: Vancouver, BC – Rogers Arena
Oct. 5: Mountain View, CA – Shoreline Amphitheatre
Oct. 8: Los Angeles, CA – The Forum
Oct. 10: Phoenix, AZ – Ak-Chin Pavilion
Oct. 13: Rogers, AR – Walmart AMP
Oct. 15: Houston, TX – Cynthia Woods Mitchell Pavilion
Oct. 17: Austin, TX – Moody Center ATX
Oct. 18: Dallas, TX – Dos Equis Pavilion



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