



NEeMA LAUNCHES EUROPEAN TOUR

Album produced with Leonard Cohen and Pierre Marchand

Includes Headline Dates and Support for Jeff Beck, Joe Cocker, Cyndi Lauper and Elton John

Fresh from the recent U.S. release of her second album ***Watching You Think***, Montreal based singer/songwriter **NEeMA** has announced a European tour, beginning June 10th at Schlossplatz in Stuttgart, Germany.

In addition to her series of headlining club dates at intimate venues across the UK, Ireland, Germany, France, Sweden and more, NEeMA has also received backing from **Jeff Beck, Joe Cocker, Cyndi Lauper** and **Elton John** to support them at select tour dates across the continent.

A protégé of Leonard Cohen, who co-produced the album with Pierre Marchand (Rufus Wainwright, Ron Sexsmith), NEeMA follows in the tradition of singer/songwriters from Joni Mitchell to Judee Sill and Laura Nyro. She is a much-travelled troubadour, with a poetic soul and charisma that has seen rave reviews in her native Canada and feted by the likes of *The Wall Street Journal*, *Huffington Post*, and *Paste Magazine* in the US.

Tickets for select tour dates will go on sale to the public from Friday May 6th for the UK dates and can be purchased through www.aeglive.co.uk. Fans should visit <http://www.neema.ca/> for updated tour and on-sale information.

Tour Dates:

10 th June	Stuttgart, Germany – Schlossplatz – Opening for Joe Cocker
11 th June	Mainz, Germany – Norfmole / Zollhfen – Opening for Joe Cocker
14 th June	Copenhagen, Denmark – Amager Bio – Opening for Jeff Beck
15 th June	Oslo, Norway – Spektrum – Opening for Jeff Beck
16 th June	Malmö, Sweden – Kulturbolaget – Opening for Jeff Beck
18 th June	Gothenburg, Sweden – Tradgarn – Opening for Jeff Beck
20 th June	Cologne, Germany – Blue Shell – HEADLINE
21 st June	Hamburg, Germany – Prinzenbar – HEADLINE
23 rd June	Prague, Czech Republic – Tesla Arena – Opening for Jeff Beck
25 th June	Linz, Austria – Brucknerhaus – Opening for Jeff Beck
26 th June	Vienna, Austria – Open Air – Opening for Jeff Beck
28 th June	Ljubljana, Slovenia – Krizanke – Opening for Jeff Beck
30 th June	Gent, Belgium – Handelsbeurs – HEADLINE
1 st July	Paris, France – Le Grand Rex – Opening for Jeff Beck
2 nd July	Paris, France – Divan Du Monde – HEADLINE
4 th July	Dublin, Republic of Ireland – Sugar Club – HEADLINE
5 th July	Cork, Republic of Ireland – Treskel Christchurch – HEADLINE
7 th July	London, England – Bush Hall – HEADLINE
8 th July	Birmingham, England – O2 Academy 3 – HEADLINE
12 th July	Istres, France – Pavillon Grignan – Opening for Cyndi Lauper
14 th July	Lucca, Italy – Piazza Napoleone – Opening for Elton John

Click [HERE](#) to listen to NEEMA's album 'Watching You Think' and to watch the video for "Escape," the album's first single. [Click here](#) to watch the video for "Elsa's Lullaby," a featured track off the album.

About Watching You Think:

Leonard Cohen is more than just a co-producer of Watching You Think; he is a musical mentor and fan of NEEMA's. Of NEEMA's work, he has said, "in the midst of all the static, a voice of true feeling arises - a rare event!" The legendary musician/poet/artist also drew the haunting portrait of NEEMA, which serves as the album's cover.

Like Cohen, NEEMA surrounds herself with only the best musicians and the songs on Watching You Think are expertly fleshed out by some of Montreal's finest: Howard Bilerman and Tim Kingsbury of alternative hitmakers Arcade Fire; Tom Mennier, who has performed with Martha and Rufus Wainwright; Gurpreet Chana, who recorded with Nelly Furtado; Joe Grass and Miles Perkin, who accompanied award-winning singer Lhasa de Sela; and Haig V, who co-produced Bran Van 3000's album *Glee*.

The album features 13 folk-pop gems including the lead single “Escape”, a poignant re-imagining of the Dire Straits classic “Romeo and Juliet” and a new version of her deeply moving musical prayer, “Masi 2010”.

Press quotes:

Paste Magazine:

“The music is rich in the chamber pop and folk tradition, with a penchant for precise and delicate lyrics.”

The Globe & Mail :

“A gifted wordsmith...the settings are as thoughtful and detailed as the songs they adorn. A stunner.”

The Calgary Herald:

“A strong sophomore effort that finds the artist chronicling both inner and outer turmoil in broad, poetic strokes.”

Ottawa X Pres:

“There's no denying this new voice in music is a strong, individualistic and driven one.”

The Winnipeg Sun:

“Dreamy, introspective folk balladry delivered in mostly hushed tones and stylishly accented with strings and atmospheric production.”

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