

Listen: Waajeed- Motor City Madness

Waajeed's "Motor City Madness" is the first listen from his forthcoming *Memoirs Of Hi-Tech Jazz* album. Upbeat with bouncy synths, constant cymbal taps, foggy trombone and a groovy saxophone the civic love ode is jazz-infused house music. The producer gave an idea of what "Motor City Madness" looks like with the video filmed of him driving around his Detroit turf. The album officially drops on November 25th and the vinyl and digital versions can be pre-ordered now.

[Memoirs of Hi-Tech Jazz by Waajeed](#)

Waajeed: Hocus Pocus EP Stream



Waajeed's *Hocus Pocus* is dance music inspired by the supernatural which he fluently describes in a statement:Â

"Magic: the use of means to have supernatural power over natural forces. By definition music is magic. It has the power to incite peace and chaos. My new EP is called Hocus Pocus. It's an acknowledgment and claiming the authority of my music. Along with a select group of Detroit-based alchemists, we conjure a spell that embodies the cycle of birth, death, love and inter-dimensional travel."

Hocus Pocus bewitches night crowds to the dancefloor in four lasting songs and they travel in between worlds led by the ecstatic repetition of Waajeed's house grooves.Â

Jon Dixon Releases Want It EP



Detroit producer, musician and educator Jon Dixon drops his soulful *Want It* EP. The piano player has spent the past decade performing with Detroit's underground elite and a bevy of national artists. He has past performances with Mike Banks, Jeff Mills, Jessica Care Moore, Dwele, the late Leon Ware, Chick Corea and Eric Roberson. The *Want It* EP has guest vocal appearances from Amp Fiddler and Dames Brown, a dub version from Waajeed and an edit from Darrius Quince. All four interpretations are late-night goodness dipped in the deepest shade of blue.Â

Moogfest 2018 (Photos)



Waajeed Photo Credit: Meg Cowan Courtesy of

Moogfest

The annual Moogfest took place this past weekend in Durham, North Carolina. Every year synthesizer pioneer Bob Moog is celebrated with a series of performances and installations. Shabazz Palaces, Waajeed, Pete Rock, Kelela, Sassy Black, and Jamila Woods were among the artists who gave performances. To find out about next year's Moogfest go [here](#).



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