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SPUN OUT RELEASE NEW SINGLE, "[OFF THE VINE](#)"

DEBUT ALBUM, *TOUCH THE SOUND*, OUT AUGUST 21ST



Photo Credit: Tim Nagle

Spun Out, the new Chicago-based band led by **Mikey Wells**, **James Weir**, and **Alex Otake** (formerly of **NE-HI**), release a new single, "**Off the Vine**," from their forthcoming debut album, ***Touch The Sound***, out **August 21st on Spun Out Productions / Shuga Records**. Following lead single "**Another House**," "**Off the Vine**" is a culmination of the band's dedication to collaboration. Anchored by a swirling bass line and **Destroyer's JP Carter's** trumpet, the track is woozy and groove-based. There are Talking Heads guitars and euphoric harmonies. It's peak Spun Out and a microcosm of the multitude of ways this band works. "A collaborative piece that deals with humdrum introspection and the trancelike rhythms of everyday life," says Wells. "Our second studio session when the people playing on the record really came together as a band. It starts with some heavy percussion and moves in and out with each person's improvisations while recording wizardry keeps you guessing until the end. A real sonic trek!"

LISTEN TO "OFF THE VINE"

Spun Out is built from the embers of **NE-HI**, whose influential half-decade run ended in 2019 as one of Chicago's foremost indie rock acts. *Touch The Sound* is an expansive and exciting first offering. Full of mesmerizing grooves, melancholic pop bliss, and thrilling studio experiments, *Touch The Sound* is a document of a band truly pushing themselves. With songs simultaneously perfect for a packed rock club or a sweaty dance floor, this is an album that instantly grabs you and takes hold with each successive listen.

Touch The Sound was produced by **Josh Wells** (Destroyer), whose approach matched the band's newfound ethos; to collaborate openly, emotionally and artistically. The album features a remarkable cast of rotating musicians, including Destroyer's JP Carter, **Caroline Campbell**, saxophonist **Kevin Jacobi**, **Patrick Donohoe**, now full-time members keyboardist **Sean Page** and guitarist **Jake Gold**, Deeper's **Shiraz Bhatti** and **Nic Gohl** and others.

While this album investigates the confusing emotional territory of feeling disillusioned and growing up, Spun Out are certain in one thing: each other. Says Weir, "We've only gotten closer as friends and bandmates. We're basically brothers." It's not just a love letter to their expanding adventurousness as artists but also to Chicago's vibrant music community and their evolving bond. Like its title suggests, *Touch The Sound* is an invitation to do just that.

WATCH THE VIDEO FOR "ANOTHER HOUSE"

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"Off the Vine" Track Artwork

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