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For Immediate Release

BIG THIEF PRESENT NEW SINGLE, "[SIMULATION SWARM](#)"

**NEW ALBUM,
DRAGON NEW WARM MOUNTAIN I BELIEVE IN YOU,
OUT FEBRUARY 11TH ON 4AD**

ON TOUR THIS SPRING, TICKETS ON SALE NOW



Photo Credit: Alexa Viscius

“Big Thief knows how to take the smallest feelings and blow them up into huge rock anthems and emotionally blistering folk songs... [*Dragon New Warm Mountain I Believe In You* is] their most expansive project yet.” - *Vulture*

“Big Thief have so far remained unmatched in their ability to set a new high bar for themselves and clear it with every new record. Now, with *Dragon New Warm Mountain I Believe in You*, the group continues to show its exceptional ability to bring empathetic, heartrending songs to life in dazzling detail.” - *Pitchfork*

“With [*Dragon New Warm Mountain I Believe In You*], indie rock’s most dogged seekers keep making profoundly moving music.” - *Rolling Stone*

Big Thief will release ***Dragon New Warm Mountain I Believe In You***, one of 2022’s most-anticipated albums, on **February 11th via 4AD**. Ahead of its release, they’ve set the bar high with a string of incredible singles, and today’s “**Simulation Swarm**” is another powerhouse track. On “Simulation Swarm,” Lenker dishes more emotional dream-world poetry before slipping into one of the greatest lead guitar riffs in Big Thief history. This previously unreleased track has been a staple and fan favorite of the band’s live shows.

[LISTEN TO BIG THIEF’S “SIMULATION SWARM”](#)

Dragon New Warm Mountain I Believe in You explores the deepest elements and possibilities of Big Thief. To truly dig into all that the music of Adrienne Lenker, **Max Oleartchik**, **Buck Meek**, and **James Krivchenia** desired in 2020, the band decided to write and record over 4 distinct recording sessions in Upstate New York, Topanga Canyon, The Rocky Mountains, and Tucson, Arizona. After 5 months, Big Thief came out with 45 completed songs, which was edited down into 20 tracks. The album was produced by Krivchenia who initially pitched the recording concept for *DNWMIBIY* back in late 2019 with the goal of encapsulating the many different aspects of Adrienne’s songwriting and the band onto a single record.

The attempt to capture something deeper, wider, and full of mystery, points to the inherent spirit of Big Thief. Traces of this open-hearted, non-dogmatic faith can be felt through previous albums, but here on *Dragon New Warm Mountain I Believe In You* lives the strongest testament to its existence. Read more about the album’s origins in [their recent profile on Rolling Stone](#).

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[BIG THIEF TOUR DATES](#)

Thu. Feb. 24 - Manchester, GB @ Manchester Academy 1 *

Fri. Feb. 25 - Glasgow, GB @ Barrowland Ballroom - SOLD OUT *

Sat. Feb. 26 - Dublin, IE @ The National Stadium *

Sun. Feb. 27 - Bristol, UK @ O2 Academy Bristol - SOLD OUT *

Wed. Mar. 2 - London, UK @ O2 Shepherd's Bush Empire - SOLD OUT *

Thu. Mar. 3 - London, UK @ O2 Shepherd's Bush Empire - SOLD OUT +

Fri. Mar. 4 - London, UK @ O2 Shepherd's Bush Empire - SOLD OUT +

Sat. March 5 - London, UK O2 Shepherd's Bush Empire

Tue. Apr. 12 - Ithaca, NY @ State Theatre of Ithaca

Wed. Apr. 13 - Boston, MA @ Roadrunner

Fri. Apr. 15 - Brooklyn, NY @ Kings Theatre

Sat. Apr. 16 - Brooklyn, NY @ Kings Theatre - SOLD OUT

Mon. Apr. 18 - Montreal, QUE @ L'Olympia

Tue. Apr. 19 - Toronto, ON @ Massey Hall

Thu. Apr. 21 - Washington, DC @ The Anthem

Fri. Apr. 22 - Cleveland, OH @ Agora Theatre

Sat. Apr. 23 - Royal Oak, MI @ Royal Oak Music Theatre

Mon. Apr. 25 - Chicago, IL @ Riviera Theatre

Tue. Apr. 26 - Milwaukee, WI @ The Pabst Theater

Wed. Apr. 27 - St. Paul, MN @ Palace Theatre

Fri. Apr. 29 - Denver, CO @ Ogden Theatre

Sat. Apr. 30 - Salt Lake City, UT @ Metro Music Hall

Mon. May 2 - Seattle, WA @ Paramount Theatre

Tue. May 3 - Portland, OR @ Roseland Theater

Wed. May 4 - Portland, OR @ Roseland Theater

Sat. May 7 - Oakland, CA @ Fox Theater

Tue. May 10 - Los Angeles, CA @ The Wiltern Theatre

Wed. May 11 - Los Angeles, CA @ The Wiltern Theatre

Fri. May 13 - San Diego, CA @ The Observatory North Park

Sat. May 14 - Pioneertown, CA @ Pappy & Harriet's - SOLD OUT

Sun. May 15 - Pioneertown, CA @ Pappy & Harriet's

Sun. June 5 - Paris, FR @ La Cigale - RESCHEDULED

Mon. June 6 - Paris, FR @ La Cigale - RESCHEDULED

Tue. June 7 - Lyon, FR @ Transbordeur - RESCHEDULED

Wed. June 8 - Bordeaux, FR @ Rock School Barbey - RESCHEDULED

Thu. June 9 - Barcelona, ES @ Primavera Sound

Sat. June 11 - Rotterdam, NL @ Best Kept Secret

Sun. June 12 - Berlin, DE @ Tempelhof Sounds - RESCHEDULED

Mon. June 13 - Copenhagen, DK @ VEGA - RESCHEDULED, SOLD OUT

Tue. June 14 - Stockholm, SE @ Filadelfia

Thu. June 16 - Helsinki, FI @ Sideways 2022

Sat. June 18 - Stavanger, NL @ Mablis Festival 2022
Sun. June 19 - Bergen, NO @ Kulturhuset i Bergen
Mon. June 20 - Oslo, NO @ Rockefeller Music Hall
Tue. June 21 - Gothenburg, SE @ Pustervik
Thu. June 23 - Cologne, DE @ Live Music Hall - RESCHEDULED
Tue. June 27 - Utrecht, NL @ Tivoli Vredenburg - RESCHEDULED, SOLD OUT
Wed. June 28 - Brussels, BE @ Cirque Royal - RESCHEDULED
Fri. July 1 - Hamburg, DE @ Fabrik - RESCHEDULED
Mon. July 4 - Berlin, DE @ Huxleys - RESCHEDULED

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