**ASHNIKKO’S HIGHLY ANTICIPATED DEBUT ALBUM *WEEDKILLER* OUT NOW**

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**BIGGEST U.S. HEADLINE TOUR TO DATE KICKS OFF SEPT. 10TH**

*“This delightfully dark 13-track full-length is feminine rage unleashed in the magical universe created by Ashnikko”*

***– Associated Press***

*“Ashnikko is creating a magical, post-apocalyptic world”* ***– Rolling Stone***

 *“pop powerhouse”* ***– Pitchfork***

*“an artistically sophisticated and powerfully moving argument for feminism.”* ***– NME***

*“It’s a triumphant debut - one that changes the game like a live wire in water.”* ***– DIY 5\****

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**August 25, 2023 (Los Angeles, CA)** – Ashnikko releases her highly-anticipated debut album ***WEEDKILLER*** (**Parlophone/Warner Records)** today to widespread critical acclaim from the likes of *Associated Press*, *Rolling Stone*, *NME*, and many more. Listen to ***WEEDKILLER*** [here](https://ashnikko.lnk.to/WEEDKILLER), and see details about the exclusive box set [here](https://usmerch.ashnikko.com/products/weedkiller-boxset).

Featuring heavy hitting singles “You Make Me Sick!” “Cheerleader,” “Worms,” and the softer, country-tinged Ethel Cain collaboration “Dying Star”, **Ashnikko’s** debut full-length ***WEEDKILLER*** is a 13-track concept album that perfects the bold, genre-blending sound that has defined her work to date. The ***WEEDKILLER*** universe that **Ashnikko** has created is a dystopian fantasy that tells the story of a fae civilization occupied and destroyed by machines that feed on organic matter where the faerie protagonist seeks revenge by becoming part machine - a poetic commentary on environmental disaster and the rapid evolution of technology. Full of equal parts naked vulnerability and joyful rebellion, ***WEEDKILLER*** gives a thundering voice to the oppressed.

About the album, Ashnikko explains, *“the world I’ve been crafting for the past two and a half years is finally hatching. I felt immense release writing this record. It deepened my sense of selfhood. It sent roots out of my feet and into the earth. I reclaimed my body from the weedkillers who latched onto my skin like ticks. I hope you are able to writhe around and scream in the forest and howl at the moon and scurry around like a rat to this album.”*

To celebrate the release of the album, Ashnikko will play a secret set today at Reading & Leeds Festival, on the Festival Republic stage at 4pm. Beginning next month, she’ll bring her ***WEEDKILLER World Tour*** – her biggest headline tour to date – to audiences around the globe. See a full list of upcoming dates in North America below, including a not-to-be-missed show at the Hollywood Palladium in Los Angeles on Halloween night. Ashnikko will also host a number of fan pop-ups and in-store events leading up to the ***WEEDKILLER*** release – see details [here](https://linktr.ee/Ashnikko).

Tickets to the ***WEEDKILLER*** World Tour are available at **ashnikko.com**.

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High-res photos + artwork [here](https://press.warnerrecords.com/ashnikko)

***WEEDKILLER* Tracklisting**

1. World Eater
2. You Make Me Sick!
3. Worms
4. Super Soaker (feat. Daniela Lalita)
5. Don’t Look At It
6. Cheerleader
7. Moonlight Magic
8. Miss Nectarine
9. Chokehold Cherry Python
10. WEEDKILLER
11. Want It All
12. Possession of a Weapon
13. Dying Star (feat. Ethel Cain)

**WEEDKILLER WORLD TOUR 2023 – *NORTH AMERICA LEG***

September 10 – Austin, TX – Stubb’s Waller Creek Amphitheater ***(SOLD OUT!)***

September 12 – Dallas, TX – The Factory in Deep Ellum

September 13 – Oklahoma City, OK – The Criterion

September 15 - Minneapolis, MN - The Fillmore Minneapolis ***(SOLD OUT!)***

September 16 - Chicago, IL – Byline Bank Aragon Ballroom ***(SOLD OUT!)***

September 18 - Columbus, OH - KEMBA Live! ***(SOLD OUT!)***

September 19 - Pittsburgh, PA - Stage AE ***(SOLD OUT!)***

September 21 - Toronto, ON – Rebel ***(SOLD OUT!)***

September 22 - Royal Oak, MI - Royal Oak Music Theatre ***(SOLD OUT!)***

September 23 - Cleveland, OH - Agora Theater & Ballroom ***(SOLD OUT!)***

September 25 - Boston, MA – Roadrunner ***(SOLD OUT!)***

September 26 - New York, NY - Brooklyn Mirage

September 28 - Philadelphia, PA - Skyline Stage at The Mann

September 29, 2023 - Washington, DC - The Anthem

September 30, 2023 - Richmond, VA - The National ***(SOLD OUT!)***

October 2 - Raleigh, NC - The Ritz ***(SOLD OUT!)***

October 3 - Charlotte, NC - The Fillmore Charlotte ***(SOLD OUT!)***

October 5 - St. Petersburg, FL - Jannus Live ***(SOLD OUT!)***

October 6 - Fort Lauderdale, FL - Revolution Live at the Backyard ***(SOLD OUT!)***

October 7 - Orlando, FL - House of Blues Orlando ***(SOLD OUT!)***

October 10 - Atlanta, GA - Coca-Cola Roxy ***(SOLD OUT!)***

October 11 - Nashville, TN - Marathon Music Works ***(SOLD OUT!)***

October 13 - St. Louis, MO - The Pageant ***(SOLD OUT!)***

October 14 - Kansas City, MO - Uptown Theater ***(SOLD OUT!)***

October 16 - Denver, CO - The Mission Ballroom ***(SOLD OUT!)***

October 17 - Salt Lake City, UT - The Complex Rockwell

October 19 - Vancouver, BC - PNE Forum

October 20 - Seattle, WA - Showbox SoDo ***(SOLD OUT!)***

October 21 - Portland, OR - Roseland Theater ***(SOLD OUT!)***

October 22 – Portland, OR – Roseland Theater ***(SOLD OUT!)***

October 24 - Oakland, CA - Fox Theater

October 25 – Oakland, CA – Fox Theater

October 27 - Phoenix, AZ - The Van Buren ***(SOLD OUT!)***

October 28 – San Diego, CA – SOMA

October 29 – Anaheim, CA – House of Blues Anaheim ***(SOLD OUT!)***

October 31 – Los Angeles, CA – Hollywood Palladium

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