

Drums Prodigy YOYOKA Celebrates 15th Birthday with Release of First Album With All-Star Show Sunday, October 13th

Drums sensation YOYOKA from Led Zepellin VIRAL VIDEO AND ELLEN TV SHOW RELEASES NEW ALBUM

LOS ANGELES, CA, UNITED STATES, October 11, 2024 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Global drumming sensation and child prodigy YOYOKA celebrates her 15th birthday in the most memorable way possible, with the release of her highly anticipated first album, "For Teen" this Sunday, October 13th at The Bourbon Room (6356 Hollywood Blvd, 2nd Floor) Los Angeles, CA. Tickets to the show are [available here](#). The album release and concert will be streamed online as well and fans from around the world can reserve tickets for [streaming here](#).

YOYOKA first captured the world's attention at just 8 eight years old with her jaw-dropping drum cover of Led Zeppelin's "Good Times, Bad Times" which quickly went viral, showcasing technical prowess and musicality far beyond her years. YOYOKA appeared twice on The Ellen DeGeneres Show and has received praise from legendary musicians including Robert Plant, and Dave Grohl, and has performed with Rage Against The Machine and Audioslave's Tom Morello, Fall Out Boy, Narada Michael Walden, Jack Black and Cyndi Lauper, who have all lauded her incredible talent and passion for music.

As YOYOKA turns 15, she is taking the next step in her musical evolution with "For Teen," a collection of songs that highlight her skills as both a drummer and composer.

The album, which blends rock, pop, and alternative influences "For Teen" is a powerful and personal expression of YOYOKA's artistry. The special Birthday Album Release Concert will bring her original compositions to life, as well as feature some of her most beloved cover performances, in a dynamic showcase of her versatility. Fans can look forward to an exciting lineup of internationally known guest musicians joining YOYOKA on stage, enhancing the live



experience with a wide range of musical styles.

About YOYOKA

YOYOKA has been playing the drums since she was just a year old. Born and raised in Hokkaido, Japan, she started performing live at 4 and formed a band with her family when she was 5. At the age of eight, YOYOKA covered Led Zeppelin's "Good Times Bad Times". The clip went viral and surprised the world when Robert Plant recognized her incredible ability.

She is also the youngest drummer ever selected as one of the "World's Top 500 Drummers" by Drummerworld and was chosen as the youngest ever in Newsweek Japan's "100 Japanese People the World Respects". YOYOKA now lives in Los Angeles with her family.

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YOYOKA 15th Birthday
1st album "For Teen"
Release Concert

Date: Sunday, October 13, 2024
Venue: The Bourbon Room
Time: Doors Open : 5pm
Performance : 6pm - 8pm
Ticket: Regular Ticket (unreserved seat) : \$25 All Ages

Guest Musician
Marco Mendoza / Paulie Z / Rachel West / Ai Furusato / Charlotte Milstein / Ava James
Addie Thomason / Cali Three / Gregory Garcia / Taryn Haydu / Bhargav Choudhury
Ken Okada Group / Yoyoka Family Band and more...

Yoyoka's Band Member
Guitar - Toshi Yanagi (Jimmy Kimmel Live and Eikichi Yazawa)
Bass - Ernest Tibbs (Simon Phillips & Protocol)
Keys - Matt Rohde (Allen Hinds, Prince and Hikaru Utada)

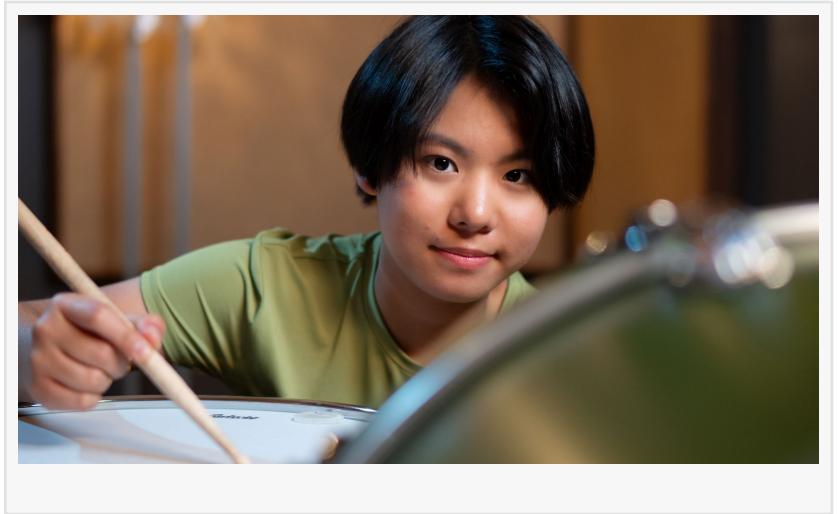
YOYOKA has been playing the drum since she was 1 year old. She started performing live at the age of 4. She has appeared on **The Ellen DeGeneres Show** twice and was selected for global campaigns with brands such as Nike, Moncler, and Uniqlo. Since the age of 8, she has had endorsement deals with Zildjian and Pearl, and this year she signed with Ludwig. She was chosen as the youngest person in Newsweek's list of 100 Japanese people respected around the world. She is the youngest drummer in history to be named to Drummer World's "Top 500 Drummers" list. In September 2022, YOYOKA moved to the US with her family to pursue her passion for music. End of June 2023, she moved to Los Angeles to begin her musical endeavors. She has performed with Cyndi Lauper, Fall Out Boy, Ian Paice, Jack Black, Billy Sheehan and others.

1st album "For Teen"
14 tracks

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