

DOUBLE VINYL OUT NOW

# THE SPLENDOR — FOREST



HELLO!

WE HAVE MADE A NEW ALBUM. OR IN FACT TWO. A VERY GOOD-LOOKING, HEAVY AND POWERFUL DOUBLE VINYL! IT IS OUR THIRD ALBUM AND WE ARE EXTREMELY HAPPY AND PROUD! BUT IT HAS NOT BEEN COMPLETELY STRAIGHT FORWARD TO GET IT FINISHED.

Even as we were leaving the Swedish Gramophone studio after two very intensive days this summer, we had a feeling that this would be difficult. The conditions had been perfect; our sound guru Åke Linton had fixed the kind of sound in our headphones that makes you want to never take them off. Lisen and Fabian had a whole bunch of great new tunes, and we were quite simply ready to roll. Two days of flow rushed by. We made long takes where we grouped

tunes together, allowed the music to steer us into spaced-out soundscapes and lost ourselves in never-ending improvisations. We left the studio with more than five hours of recorded music. And then comes the hardest part of all. Choosing! To regard oneself from the outside and judge that which arose so spontaneously. Improvised music's great dilemma. Obviously unavoidable but painful nonetheless. And now we have chosen, and the result of our

deliberations is engraved on thick vinyl forever. We have called the album Forest, and four horses got to participate in the photo shoot, even though Fabian is allergic. Do you want to know anything else, for example why the album is called Forest? Get in touch with us and ask!

- The Splendor, Göteborg 2014

The Splendor is a jazz quartet from Gothenburg that strives to give unpolished details and unexpected ideas a leading roll in its music. The band members are some of Sweden's most renowned jazz musicians and their joint CV includes tours in every corner of the world and performances at the most prestigious festivals and clubs.

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