

«READING LEEDS»

AUGUST BANK HOLIDAY 2018

READING AND LEEDS ADDS EVEN MORE ACTS TO THE LINE-UP

FAMOUS DEX // JAX JONES LIVE // AJR // THE BRONX
WIZKID // NONAME // HILLTOP HOODS
JIMOTHY LACOSTE // GET CAPE. WEAR CAPE. FLY
NOW, NOW // DRAPER // LET'S EAT GRANDMA
THUNDERPUSSY // BLACK FOXXES // YONAKA
SHECK WES // ROMZY // LIZZO // LOVE ZOMBIES
LOWLIVES // STARCRAWLER // WILD FRONT
REECE PARKINSON (DJ SET) // THE FEVER 333 (READING ONLY)

JOIN KINGS OF LEON, KENDRICK LAMAR,
FALL OUT BOY AND PANIC! AT THE DISCO

WITH NEW ACTS ADDED TO THE ALTERNATIVE STAGE:

CHIP // JUDAH FRIEDLANDER // CHRIS RAMSEY
TOM ALLEN // AKALA // LUCAS BROS
PIFF THE MAGIC DRAGON // SHAZIA MIRZA // TIFF STEVENSON
DAVID MORGAN // RHYS JAMES
RANTS N BANTS // EVELYN MOK
HOT DUB TIME MACHINE // BUTTONED DOWN DISCO

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01 June 2018: **Reading and Leeds Festival** today announce further acts to join the line-up over August bank holiday (24-26 August) this year. **Famous Dex, Jax Jones Live, AJR, The Bronx, Wizkid, Noname, Hilltop Hoods** and **Get Cape. Wear Cape. Fly** are just some of the names added to the bill with additional acts including **Chip, Judah Friedlander** and **Chris Ramsey** among performers added to the Alternative Stage line-up. They'll be performing alongside already announced **Kings of Leon, Kendrick Lamar, Fall Out Boy, Panic! at the Disco** and many more at the famous Richfield Avenue and Bramham Park. Tickets are on-sale right now and available [here](#).

Fresh off the back of his debut album release 'Dex Meets Dex' in April, Chicago's **Famous Dex** brings his southern-influenced brand of hip-hop to the Reading and Leeds crowds this summer, expect huge hits including 'Pick It Up' and recent single 'Japan'. Elsewhere, English DJ and producer **Jax Jones Live** also joins, as well as NYC-based indie pop trio **AJR** and LA hardcore punk band **The Bronx**.

Multi-award winning artist **Wizkid** will play Reading and Leeds as a **UK festival exclusive** this summer, joined by viral music sensation **Jimothy Lacoste** one of the 'UK Rappers to Watch' this year and critically acclaimed American rapper and poet **Noname**.

Australian-born hip hop group **Hilltop Hoods**, one of the biggest hip hop successes from Australia, are also set to perform across the August bank holiday weekend, while British singer-songwriter Sam Duckworth AKA **Get Cape. Wear Cape. Fly** makes a welcomed return following the release of 2018 album 'Young Adult' earlier this year. British rockers **Black Foxxes**, critically acclaimed duo **Let's Eat Grandma, Thunderpussy**, as well as **Now, Now, Draper, Yonaka, Sheck Wes, Romzy, Love Zombies, Lowlives, Starcrawler, Wild Front, The Fever 333 (Reading only), Lizzo** and **Reece Parkinson (DJ Set)** have also been added to the bill.

As if that wasn't enough, comedians **Judah Friedlander**, star of 30 Rock, and **Chris Ramsey** (star of The Chris Ramsey Show) will be hitting the Alternative Stage alongside **Tom Allen**, American twin comics **Lucas Bros, Piff The Magic Dragon, Shazia Mirza, Rhys James, Tiff Stevenson, David Morgan, Rants n Bants** and **Evelyn Mok** at both sites, as well as **Hot Dub Time Machine** who will bring a time-travelling dance party to both Reading & Leeds this summer. Further acts at Reading include hip-hop poet and activist, **Akala** and **Buttoned Down Disco. Chip**, the grime star formerly known as Chipmunk, will perform at Leeds on Thursday night.

With ground-breaking music- spanning the hottest names right now in rock, indie, hip-hop and dance with a stellar line-up of comedy Reading and Leeds will once again be the unmissable festival this summer.

Fans can be the first to hear further line-up announcements, artist news and much more by signing up to the newsletters at www.readingfestival.co.uk and www.leedsfestival.co.uk or via the official **Reading and Leeds Festival app**, available to download now on Android and iOS.

TICKET INFORMATION

Tickets are on sale now from www.readingandleedsfestival.com

Weekend camping tickets are £205 + booking fee

Day ticket prices are £69.50 + booking fee

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They will be offering the chance to buy low cost return coach services, with or without your festival ticket as a package. Festival goers can choose to arrive on Wednesday, Thursday or Friday and Big Green Coach will get all campers home on Monday.

Day services are timed to arrive before music starts and will not depart until music finishes. With 80 pick-up points are available across the UK, prices start from just £35 return.