**HAZY DAYS – ROCK REWIRED FOR MARTIN HOUSE**

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Hazy Days are a 3 piece up-and-coming rock band from in and around Leeds who are taking part in Martin House’s fundraising competition for new music in Yorkshire, Centre Stage. All promotion of the bands current single, P.T.T.D. is being linked to the competition and the cause.

**ABOUT MARTIN HOUSE**

Martin House provides family led care for children and young people with life limiting conditions. It’s a place of care and support where children, young people and their families can stay for rest and practical help.

Martin House supports over 420 children and their families every year at a cost of over £8m. Most of this money comes from fundraising and to keep this wonderful charity going for another 30 years it is important people know about the fabulous work they do.

Hazy Days have a personal connection to Martin House with close family using and greatly benefiting from their awe-inspiring services many years ago.

**ABOUT CENTRE STAGE**

Martin House’s Centre Stage New Music Competition started in 2009 and gives young, local bands a platform and exposure while raising vital funds for Martin House. What better way to connect young people of Yorkshire to the Martin House cause than new bands and live music?

Heats are at The Belgrave Music hall on the 23rd, 24th and 25th April. All money raised goes to Martin House and you just might see the next big thing to come from the region.

The band said:

*“The most important thing is getting as many people to the heats as possible to support Martin House and new music from the region, the second most important thing is to support Hazy Days and get them to their spiritual home Leeds Fest”*

More information about Centre Stage can be found on the Martin House website <https://www.martinhouse.org.uk/Centre-Stage>.

**ABOUT THE SINGLE**

P.T.T.D is the second song that Hazy Days wrote, and it really defines their drum heavy and uplifting riff sound. It also showcases their lyrical signature of writing about the difficulties of growing up in the modern day.

The band said:

*“P.T.T.D is probably our favourite track, and one that we all enjoy listening to…we know listening to our own stuff makes us sound a bit big-headed, but it is honestly a tune.”*

P.T.T.D is a favourite when played live and always gets the crowds bouncing around, but the main comment about the track is what does P.T.T.D stand for…? Good question, but the band are tight lipped on this

*“We’ve been asked that so many times, but the only people who know are the band members, and that’s the way it will stay… Sorry!”*

**DONATIONS AND FUNDRAISING**

Hazy Days have raised £500 towards an ambitious £2000 target for Martin House through their Just Giving page so far.

To donate, head to [www.justgiving.com/fundraising/hazydaysband-centrestage](http://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/hazydaysband-centrestage). Fund raising updates will be published on their social media channels throughout April.

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