

MEDIA ALERT

**U.K.'s AMBER RUN RELEASE NEW SINGLE "AFFECTION" TODAY
FROM THIRD ALBUM *PHILOPHOBIA* DUE SEPTEMBER 27, 2019**

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**ANNOUNCE 41 INTERNATIONAL TOUR DATES
*INCLUDES CANADIAN STOP IN TORONTO NOVEMBER 5***



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(July 5, 2019) – UK-based **Amber Run** release their latest offering “Affection” today, a chiller from their third album, ***Philophobia***, out September 27. Recorded earlier this year, “Affection” is one of the band’s most honest songs to date. Soaring with a beautiful grace, Frontman Joe Keogh’s heart-torn, plaintive and ethereal vocals proclaim that “love to me has been as bad as good” before later stating how “love can be as deaf as it is blind.” **Stream the single [HERE](#) and pre-order the album [HERE](#).**

Keogh explains “I hope after people have heard the record they feel closer to the band. Gone are the days where we feel angry to the point of pushing people away. We want to draw people in and keep them close. In the hope we could have a shared experience.” Whether platonic or romantic, unrequited, unconditional or ugly, every human experiences some kind of love to some degree. At its very best, love – whether from a parent or child or a partner –

can give you purpose. It can make you feel more whole and complete than you ever thought possible. It can make life worth living. At the same time, it can totally and utterly destroy you. That conflict – and the delicate balance between the two – is something that Amber Run explore thoroughly on the 10 beautiful, soul-searching songs that make up *Philophobia*. Yet while that aversion is the central focus the new record from the Nottingham trio – consisting of lead vocalist Joe Keogh, bassist Tom Sperring and keyboardist Henry Wyeth – its songs also explore the nature of love in all its many different, complex facets and forms to bring that complex tornado of emotions and feelings to life. As such, *Philophobia* is a visceral yet philosophical exploration of the effects – positive and negative, damaging and restorative – that love of all kinds can have on a person.

The band is embarking on a 41-date tour, beginning this summer with festivals across Europe. Come September, Amber Run will perform new material in key European cities, including a major leg in the UK. Their international tour continues into the United States, running until November with one Canadian stop in **Toronto on November 5 at The Opera House**. Full routing below. Tickets are available [HERE](#).

Tour Dates:

July 17 - Ostrava, CZ @ Colours of Ostrava
July 22 - Zurich, CH @ Papiersaal
July 24 - Vienna, AT @ B72
July 25 - Kapolcs, HU @ Valley of the Arts Festival
August 1 - Hamburg, DE @ Sommer in Altona
August 2 - Michelstadt, DE @ Sound of the Forest
September 19 - Amsterdam, NL @ Melkweg
September 20 - Brussels, BE @ Botanique Orangerie
September 21 - Paris, FR @ La Maroquinerie
September 23 - Cologne, DE @ Club Bahnhof Ehrenfeld
September 24 - Berlin, DE @ Lido
September 25 - Hanover, DE @ MusikZentrum
October 4 - Manchester, UK @ O2 Ritz
October 5 - Nottingham, UK @ Rock City
October 6 - Birmingham, UK @ O2 Academy 2
October 8 - Newcastle, UK @ Wylam Brewery
October 9 - Glasgow, UK @ SWG3 TV Studio
October 11 - Cardiff, UK @ Y Plas
October 12 - Bristol, UK @ SWX
October 13 - Milton Keynes, UK @ MK11
October 14 - Cambridge, UK @ Junction
October 16 - Exeter, UK @ Lemon Grove
October 17 - Bournemouth, UK @ The Old Fire Station
October 18 - Oxford, UK @ O2 Academy
October 19 - London, UK @ The Roundhouse
October 25 - Dallas, TX @ Trees
October 26 - Austin, TX @ The Parish
October 27 - Houston, TX @ White Oak Music Hall
October 29 - Atlanta, GA @ Masquerade
October 31 - Washington D.C. @ Black Cat
November 1 - Philadelphia, PA @ The Foundry
November 2 - Brooklyn, NY @ Warsaw
November 5 - Toronto, ON @ The Opera House

November 6 - Cleveland, OH @ Beachland Ballroom
November 7 - Chicago, IL @ Lincoln Hall
November 8 - Milwaukee, WI @ Colectivo Coffee
November 9 - Minneapolis, MN @ First Avenue
November 12 - Denver, CO @ Bluebird Theatre
November 13 - Salt Lake City, UT @ The Complex
November 15 - San Francisco, CA @ Great American Music Hall
November 16 - Los Angeles, CA @ Echoplex

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