



Maarten – vocals
Jasper – bass & backing vocals
Micha – guitar & backing vocals
Casper – guitar
Sander – drums

Straightforward, hard working and powerful are words that come to mind when asked to describe 1000 Miles Ahead.

Hailing from Gelderland (The Netherlands), with their roots in Nijmegen, 1000 Miles Ahead is a band that works hard to get their name established in the melodic hardcore scene, in and beyond the boundaries of The Netherlands.

Started out April 2006, 1000 Miles Ahead plays fast paced melodic hardcore. Bands like Good Riddance, Gorilla Biscuits and the Dutch band Crivits come to mind when looking for a comparison. Text wise 1000 Miles Ahead gets their inspiration from everyday social issues often with a personal undertone.

With their hard work and DIY mentality they obtained quite a few shows. Stages were shared with Giving Chase (Usa), FTX (Fr), Woof (Dld), The Apers (NL), The Real Danger (NL), Smash the Statues (NL) and many more.

In May 2007 a demo was recorded by the infamous Michiel Toenink. This demo was released in August 2007. And they got the chance to do a small tour in France early 2008.

Summer 2008 singer Gijs and guitarist Tom decided to quit. Fall 2008 Maarten (ex Press For Go) joined as their new singer and soon after, Micha (ex Facing Down and ex Townsville), was recruited as their new guitarist.

In this complete new, strong and dedicated line up they recorded 2 new songs with Nico van Montfort early Januari 2009. These songs are available on the band's myspace. Right now, they are ready to get on the road again! At the end of April, beginning of May they will embark on a 10 days tour to Germany, France and Spain. After that they will focus on writing new material for the long awaited full length which hopefully will see the light of day before the ending of this year.

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Discography:

Demo 2009

Tracklist: The Storm, Fortunate Business

Recorded Januari 3rd and 4th 2009 @ Polderkolder, Wamel, by Nico van Montfoort

Demo 2007

Tracklist: Aimless, Victims of Crime, Burning Hearts & Breaking Waves

Recorded May 14th 2007 @ Studio Metropool, Hengelo by Michiel Toenink

Past Shows:

2008:

07-12-2008	Eindhoven	Altstadt	Death Is Not Glamorous + Grey Days
16-07-2008	Blankenbergen (BE)	Surfelub	tba
20-04-2008	Paris (FR)	Le Rocher	Mind the Gap (Fr) + Burst One's Side (Fr)
19-04-2008	Boulogne Sur Mer (FR)	L'Horloge	Fast Motion (Fr)
29-03-2008	Cheypass #5	Den Haag	tba
23-03-2008	Prilpop	Sevenum	tba
15-03-2008	Eindhoven	Dynamo	Onfire, Smash the Statues, the Butcher
01-03-2008	Groningen	Vera (downstairs)	Long Way Down
29-02-2008	Monchengladbach (De)	tba	Society Off (De), The Displacements (De) +1

Tour De France 2k8

23-02-2008	Caudry (FR)	Le Baron	Fast Motion (FR) , Kill for Peace (FR)
22-02-2008	Nantes (FR)	Le Ferailleur	Onesta(FR)
21-02-2008	Toulouse (FR)	Caves de la Notté	Stetson (FR)
20-02-2008	La Rochelle (FR)	WBC	tba
19-02-2008	Orleans (FR)	Bar le Metallic	FTX (FR)
18-02-2008	Nevers (FR)	New Bar	Stetson (FR)
17-02-2008	Liege (BE)	The Factory	Progress (NL)
15-02-2008	Heerlen	The Cave	Progress (NL), Age Of Panic

2007:

15-12-2007	Wageningen	't Oude Bijenhuis	Disturbance
24-11-2007	Koblenz (DE)	Kurt-Esser-Haus	Rentokill (AU) + more
23-11-2007	Druten	D'n Bogerd	tba
27-10-2007	Horsen	Dorpshuis	Take Cover
14-10-2007	Nijmegen	De Onderbroek	Pickled Dick (UK), New Pokerface
06-10-2007	Schiedam	De Graauwe Hengst	Flippin'Beans (FIN), Too Loud For Granny
28-09-2007	Bergen op Zoom	't Hoefke	Appendix, Gino's Eyeball (BE)
08-09-2007	Paderborn (DE)	Multicult	WooF (de) and others
07-09-2007	Ludenscheid (DE)	AZ	Banish the thought of Day, Perfect Funeral Weather
21-07-2007	Wehl	RAN Fest	With Pride and loads more
22-06-2007	Venray	't Podium	TBA
09-06-2007	Nijmegen	Staddijk	Justice, Bratpack, Said & Done
15-05-2007	Groningen	Platformtheater	Giving Chase (USA)
02-05-2007	Breda	Boulevard	Delychees, Pickled Dick (UK)
22-04-2007	Echt	JC the Curve	One PS + Black8balls(de), Trueside (de) *
06-04-2007	Spijkenisse	Texmex	OnePS + Black8balls(de), Trueside (de) *
31-03-2007	Bergen Op Zoom	't Hoekske	Appendix
27-03-2007	Nijmegen	Café Piecken	Battle of the bands TBA

1000 Miles Ahead/Progress UK tour

11-03-2007	Newcastle (GB)	Chillingham Pub	Shermer, the Mercury league
10-03-2007	Hull (GB)	The Ringside	tba *
09-03-2007	Derbyshire (GB)	the Devonshire Arms	Loads of bands... *
03-03-2007	Wageningen	Unitas	“Kabaal am gemaal selections”
03-03-2007	Puiflijk	De Lier	“Pocketpop”
24-02-2007	Wageningen	Unitas	Grolschbusters, Bratpack, Beans ea
20-02-2007	Nijmegen	De Bijstand	The Real Danger, Bratpack, the Shining
27-01-2007	Kevelaer (DE)	tba	Left The Crowd, Trueside
19-01-2007	Geel (BE)	JH de Bogaard	Woof (DE), Double Check (BE), Nastika(BE)

2006:

02-12-2006	The Hague	Pop Inn	2Am
26-11-2006	Nijmegen	Billabong	Live demo recording!!!
25-11-2006	Eindhoven	Dynamo	“classics fest” Playing GOOD RIDDANCE
11-11-2006	Geel (BE)	JH de Bogaard	“Boogie Contest”
04-11-2006	Deest	’t Zwaantje	“Zwaar Kabaal”
28-10-2006	Gemert	JC the Bunker	The Apers
21-10-2006	Horssen	Dorpshuis	Lesbian Seagull
07-10-2006	Middelburg	Midgard	Appendix
02-09-2006	Druten	De Koperen Drees	Smash The Statues, SSMF, Damn Noisy Kids
26-08-2006	Horssen	Drikes Place	n/a
15-07-2006	Winterswijk	JC Eucalypta	Onfire, Progress + more
09-07-2006	Kerkrade	Het MuziekCafe	the Excessum + more tba*
30-06-2006	Nijmegen	Muziekcafe Dollars	n/a
10-06-2006	Druten	Suus’ Place	“Hennepfest”
20-05-2006	Meerhout (BE)	JC Horizont	Onfire, Tresspass, Calderra and more
19-05-2006	Sneek	Café Legend	tba

* Cancelled by the venue