

LOVEBUGS

«Heartbreak City Tour 2025»

Head in the stars, heart full of grand melodies, feet firmly on the ground – yet always just one step away from the edge: The Lovebugs are back!

After seven years of silence, the band's comeback in spring 2025 was a triumph: sold-out shows, chart success, and a response that exceeded all expectations. Now, the second leg of the ***Heartbreak City Tour*** follows this autumn – more intense, more intimate, and driven by the same passion that has made Lovebugs a defining force in the Swiss music scene.

"It was an incredibly enriching experience to work on other projects in recent years, but nothing feels as right as returning to the Lovebugs," says Adrian Sieber. **"This tour is a very emotional experience for all of us – and I hope, for our audience as well."**

The Lovebugs had their first performance over thirty years ago at the legendary Basel Sommercasino (R.I.P.). Over a thousand concerts have marked their journey, including performances at renowned festivals like Open Air St. Gallen, Gurtenfestival, and Montreux Jazz Festival. The Lovebugs have also thrilled fans at international venues like Grosse Freiheit in Hamburg, Dingwalls in London, and the Viper Room in Los Angeles. Special highlights include opening for the Rolling Stones and collaborative concerts with the Basel Symphony Orchestra.

In 1994 the Lovebugs released their debut album *Fluff*, followed by 14 more albums. After their commercial breakthrough with the single "Under My Skin" in 1999, all their albums reached the Top 10 of the Swiss Album Charts, with three of them even hitting the number one spot. With songs like "Avalon" and "The Highest Heights," the band also achieved international chart success.

Following performances celebrating their 25th anniversary held in 2018, the Lovebugs decided to temporarily put the band on. Their interests and priorities had shifted over the years, and continuing was not an option at the time. As a result, Adrian Sieber produced two solo albums, and bassist Florian Senn joined Züri West to release the album *Loch dür Zyt* with the band from Bern.

Now, Adrian Sieber (vocals and guitar) and Florian Senn (bass), along with their three new bandmates Matthias Gusset (keyboards), Manuel Meisel (guitar), and Philipp Gut (drums), are writing the next chapter in the band's history and are currently working on new material in the studio.

"We're thrilled to bring the energy and passion back to the stage. It feels like we never stopped," says Senn about the upcoming tour. Fans can look forward to a musical journey that carries the Lovebugs' legacy into the present while exploring new paths.