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FAIRVIEW

While their history may be short, **Fairview** has made a considerable impact on the Birmingham music scene since forming in early 2005. Originally conceived as a ska punk band, the musical influences of Jack O'Regan (formerly of *Beyond Repair*), Chris Holton, Steve Pell (formerly of *All This Time*) and drummer Pinky soon changed and crafted their sound from ska punk to a combination of pop punk vocals, punk guitar lines and ska bass riffs.

Soon after forming, Fairview went into the studio to record a demo at **Rich Bitch Studios** in Selly Oak. With their demo in hand, they were able to get a foot hold in the Birmingham music scene, and in three short months they had already played 20 gigs in some of the top rated venues in the area with some of the top acts in the Midlands, rubbing shoulders with the likes of Hey Pablo!, StarfromIvy, Adison and Showdown City to name a few.

After road testing their songs, Fairview hit the studio again in January 2006, this time to record their debut EP, "*Lie Awake When You Sleep*". With the production aid of legendary British Punk producer Iain Wetherell (**Fastlane, Gravel Trap, Vanilla Pod and The Departure**) their music showcases their pure talent, phenomenal songwriting skills and astute sense of timing, all 'this is quite apparent when you listen to their crowd pleasing anthem, "*Lost For Words*".

Their song, "*Lost For Words*" has recently be played at some of Birmingham's biggest rock nights (*Snobs* and *Subway City*), and has also been played at the UK's biggest Rock night (*Subculture*). The success of the song has not only created a buzz around this four-piece from Birmingham, but it has also meant exposure on local radio.

In under 18-months, Fairview have accomplished what most independent acts can do in their lifespan, and there is a lot to come from this amazing group.

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