

PRESS RELEASE

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NM016 – Makazoruki - *Makazoruki* (cd, march 2006)

NM017 – Living Ornaments - *Vlokken* (cd, march 2006)

NM019 – Hydrus - *Postcards* (free mp3-EP, april 2006)

For Dutch record label Narrominded the year 2006 heads off to a flying start. The first full length album by Living Ornaments has just been released along with the debut effort of Makazoruki. Hydrus already made a contribution to Narrominded's Split LP-series in 2004, but now there is an EP for free download - as a teaser for the forthcoming album. Narrominded offers enough quality music to get you through the springtime

MAKAZORUKI

It is with considerable pride that Narrominded announces the debut album by Makazoruki. This foursome is one of the most exciting bands in the Dutch music scene today. Singer Skusho, guitarist Alen, bassplayer Bacho and drummer Cigi left the studio with a magnificent waverock album in their hands. The material on *Makazoruki* reminds of dirtier moments in the Sonic Youth catalogue and The Chameleons at the peak of their powers. The lyrics of these emotional songs are written from a very personal approach to English grammar. All members of Makazoruki are from Bosnia, but they currently reside in and around Amsterdam. This year there will be shows throughout Europe in support of this album. *Makazoruki* are available for interviews.

LIVING ORNAMENTS

Living Ornaments is the in-house project of Narrominded. It is a platform for the founders of the label, Lars Meijer and Coen Polack, to let their musical fantasy run wild. Reoccurring elements are strong melodies, piano, guitar and a constantly shifting, changing and reconfiguring haze of clicks, hiss and buzz. *Vlokken* is the first full length effort by Living Ornaments after two EP's (*Ribbels* in Narrominded Split LP Series and *Klonten* on Scarcelight) and a contribution to the *Skam Cats* compilation. *Living Ornaments* are available for interviews

HYDRUS

Amsterdam sonologists Herman Wilken and Almer Lücke are Hydrus. They met at the Royal Conservatory in The Hague. Both of them played in rock bands, but are equally adapt at stochastic composition and programming extremely tight rhythms. Production-wise, these guys can easily live up to the greats in this genre. Just like the music on their Split LP-contribution, *Postcards* is a true gem of breathtakingly transparent polder electronics. Hydrus switch between melancholy and darkness. The second half of this year will see the release of their first full length album 'Interleaves'.

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The Narrominded label will continue to release music in different formats (vinyl, cd, mp3). Next up in 2006 is the debut album by Garçon Taupe - composer of electro tv-tunes - and Hydrus. Also in the planning are very exciting new releases in the renowned and succesful Split LP-series and a new label spanning compilation album.

The most recent Narrominded releases mark a musical expansion. With releases by Gone Bald, Petrified Host, Makazoruki and Quarles van Ufford, Narrominded succeeded in setting up a rock branche inside a label that started out in electronic music.

Narrominded is constantly looking for new ways of distributing and releasing interesting music. Petrified Host and Quarles van Ufford both made albums available for [free download](#) from the Narrominded website.

More information and high resolution mages of all releases mentioned in this press release can also be downloaded from www.narrominded.com