



SANDCATS BIO

FRIENDSHIP / TRIP 01

Sandcats is the life-team of Rjyan Kidwell and Roby Newton, two stunning individuals all the more alluring as a cyclical whole. Sandcats live in the dark, lighting the way for passers by with Newton's handmade kaleidoscopes and enveloping the wild city with her captivating voice and Kidwell's electronic mastery. A rarely spotted creature, the kind of mythological species that everyone who's heard tell fable of hopes to one day see in real life.

WFWF008 is the first in WILDFIRE WILDFIRE's *FRIENDSHIP / TRIP 7"* series: a split between Car Clutch (mem. BARR) and the elusive and beautifully dangerous Sandcats (mem. CEX, MILEMARKER, LEXIE MOUNTAIN BOYS).

Each track is such a triumph – at once foreboding and enlivening, boasting the most sonorous bass, enhanced times billions by Shawn Hatfield's expert mastering.

FRIENDSHIP / TRIP is a special project for WILDFIRE WILDFIRE – curated with a few prescriptions for artists featured on each split to follow: choose a full-flood photograph to be printed on heavy reverse board and one song to be pressed on the heaviest quality vinyl; we choose a pantone to print on the inside of the jacket and label, and emboss each band's name on their respective side.

70 g vinyl, 350gsm reverse board, 500 copies pressed and delicate embossing by Nick Gottlund of Gottlund Verlag.

TRACKS: SAND CATS: "Bikewrider"
 CAR CLUTCH: "Ringu, I'm on the Edge of My Seat"

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SANDCATS has released several tapes on the Must Finish label.
They have toured with Lexie Mountain Boys and participated in the first Baltimore Round Robin Tour.