

Halsey, Janelle Monáe, AURORA, Vince Staples, and many more confirmed for Helsinki's Flow Festival

Celebrated on August 9–11 in the capital of Finland, Flow Festival has added an impressive group of global superstars to its program. The festival will include one of the most listened-to artists worldwide, Halsey, the visionary soul and R&B artist Janelle Monáe, eccentric Norwegian pop star AURORA, multifaceted rapper Vince Staples, and an exciting group of Finnish stars. Unfortunately, Denzel Curry has cancelled his European tour and, thus, his performance at Flow Festival.

Making pop music flavoured with electronic indie elements, **Halsey** is one of the most listened-to artists in the world. The singer's music has streamed over 50 billion times worldwide, and her four previous albums have topped the album charts in numerous countries. Halsey, an award-winning music maker, active social debater and manager of her make-up brand, has recently been hinting at new music and will make her anticipated comeback to Finland on Flow Friday. Also returning to Flow's stage on Friday is the visionary soul and R&B talent **Janelle Monáe**. Besides being known for her prominent acting career, the versatile superstar stands out with their incomparable style and unique sound. During their remarkable career, Monáe has received ten Grammy nominations, starred in numerous hit movies and emerged as one of the most dynamic artists of our time.

Unique Norwegian pop star **Aurora** will take the Flow stage on Saturday. Releasing her long-awaited fourth album, *What Happened To The Heart?* in June 2024, the artist is known as the voice of ethereal and atmospheric pop music of the new age. In addition, the multifaceted musician, actor, writer and creative rap star **Vince Staples** will join Flow's Friday program. **Denzel Curry**, previously announced for Friday, has cancelled his European tour, including his show at Flow Festival.

Flow's lineup will also include **Amaarae**, who rose to stardom with her 2021 breakthrough hit *Sad Girlz Luv Money* and last year's acclaimed album *Fountain Baby*, and **Yves Tumor**, known for his experimental pop music, which challenges the boundaries of contemporary art and culture. Electronic music lovers will be spoiled by **Barry Can't Swim**, who released his acclaimed debut album last October, **Evian Christ**, who innovatively combines trance and hyperpop elements in his **Live AV** show, and house legend **Ron Trent** with his multi-genre experimental project **Ron Trent presents WARM**.

Flow Festival will also feature performances by several leading domestic bands and artists. **Gasellit**, convincing with their numerous hits and joyful live performances, **Malla**, the reformer of Finnish-language club music with her special gig, **Lauri Haav**, the trailblazer of the Finnish music scene, and **SMC**, the cult rap group with their exclusive last-ever festival show, will take the stage. In addition, one of the country's most exciting new rap artists, **Turisti**, **Grande Mahogany**, who compellingly combines funk, alternative rock, prog, R&B, psychedelia and experimental elements, and **Goldielocks**, a fascinating newcomer to domestic pop, will perform at Flow.

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All acts announced today:

Halsey, Janelle Monáe, Aurora, Vince Staples, Amaarae, Yves Tumor, Barry Can't Swim, Evian Christ - Live AV, Ron Trent presents WARM, Gasellit, Malla, Lauri Haav, SMC, Turisti, Grande Mahogany, and Goldielocks.

Flow Festival's 20th anniversary is celebrated in Helsinki, Finland, from August 9th to 11th, 2024. The festival will host around 150 artists, including Fred again.., Halsey, Pulp, Janelle Monáe, The Smile, PJ Harvey, RAYE, IDLES, Jessie Ware, AURORA, Vince Staples, Amaarae, Yves Tumor, Blonde Redhead, L'Impératrice, Kenya Grace, Alvvays, and Overmono. See the program on Flow's website: <u>https://www.flowfestival.com/en/artists/</u>.

Flow Festival 2024 main partner is Heineken. Partners are Lanson, Vaasan, Tietoevry Create, Finnair Visa, Cult, and the City of Helsinki, media partners Clear Channel, Helsingin Sanomat, Finnkino, Radio Helsinki, and Resident Advisor, and production partner Stopteltat.

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Tickets:

https://www.flowfestival.com/en/tickets/
1-day ticket (FRI & SUN): 129 €
1-day ticket (SAT): 149 €
2-day ticket: 199 €
3-day ticket: 239 €

1-day Gold ticket: 199 €
3-day Gold ticket: 349 €
Prices are applicable for the time being. Prices include the service charge.

Press photos: https://www.flowfestival.com/en/flow-festival/media/

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