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PRESS RELEASE – THE WESTERN SIZZLERS



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LIVE DATES

6th Dec – Greystones, Sheffield

7th Dec – Dingwalls, Camden, London

8th Dec – Bootleggers, Kendall

9th Dec – The Fruitmarket, Hull

10th Dec – Labour Club, Llandudno

11th Dec – The Musician, Leicester

‘THE TWELVE BAR HUMBUG’

Single Released
Monday 1st December 2014

*A combination of bar room boogie and a batch of impressive songs make this (band) well worth checking out – **GET READY TO ROCK***

*‘The Western Sizzlers are not here to shock you, they’re here to entertain – they certainly won’t fail to put a smile on your face’ – **SONIC SHOCKS***

*Saddle up! These cowboys have gone wild on the floor of the best little saloon in town – **CLASSIC ROCK***

The Western Sizzlers release their digital Christmas single, ‘The Twelve Bar Humbug’, via Proper, on **Monday 1st December 2014**.

The single coincides with their UK tour dates, in support of **Mick Ralphs Blues Band**.

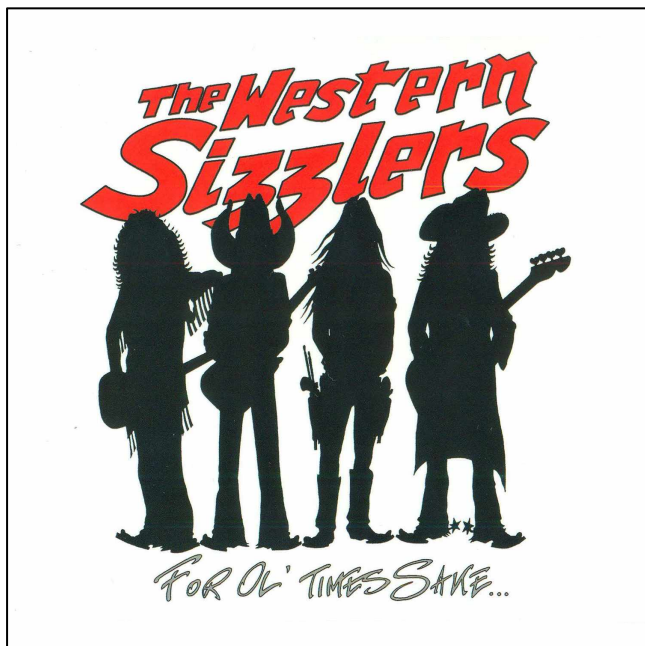
The Western Sizzlers are guaranteed to have you up on your feet as they play tracks from their critically acclaimed debut album ‘**For Ol Times Sake**’. Make sure you catch these US rockers at **Greystones, Sheffield (6th Dec)**, **Dingwalls, Camden (7th Dec)**, **Bootleggers, Kendall (8th Dec)**, **Labour Club, Llandudno (10th Dec)** and **The Musician, Leicester (11th Dec)**.

FURTHER INFORMATION

THE WESTERN SIZZLERS are a rockin' country outfit from Atlanta, Georgia, USA. Led by Englishman **Kevin Jennings**, who has lived & worked there for over 30 years ... In the "business of music". He is acknowledged & respected for being instrumental in the discovery, success and management of **The Georgia Satellites**, between 1980 and 1990 during which time he was known as "the fifth one".

In 1989 he became **manager** of **The Black Crowes** during their first incarnation, until life-changing events "dissolved relations". Since 1991, he has toured the world with some other rock 'n' roll royalty acts, including **The Stray Cats**, **Jason & The Scorchers** and he spent six years with legendary songwriter **Kris Kristofferson**.

The Western Sizzlers actually "came to be", back in the eighties at the in-famous **Hedgens "rock 'n' roll" Tavern**, in **Atlanta**. The Monday night's resident house band went through all the early incarnations of **The Georgia Satellites**. Including a couple of terms with a young, incredibly talented **Brendan O'Brien**, who inspired their great sense of humour and their undeniable country roots.



With the exception of the **Status Quo** classic, '**Break The Rules**' '**For Ol' Times Sake**', the band's debut album released in 2013, is an entertaining collection of songs written by **Kevin Jennings** over the past ten years. Recorded with help from some of his closest Atlanta colleagues, including "golden throat" **Charlie Star** of **Blackberry Smoke** fame; **Jeff Bakos** on bass; Drummers – **Larue Riccio**, **Wayne Glass & Kevin "Snit" Fitzpatrick**; "Guitar slingers" - **Toby Marriott**, **Nicky Ford** and the one and only **Mr Rick Richards** of **The Georgia Satellites** "lead guitar department", **Jennings'** "brother in arms".

The song that started it all is the opening track "**One More Beer**", which was released by **Proper** as a digital single on **April 15th 2013**.

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