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'WE ALL BELONG'

Written for Peace Brigades International

JOANNA WESTON'S NEW SINGLE RELEASED ON 5TH MAY

Joanna Weston recently became 'ambassador' for Peace Brigades International in The Netherlands. As part of her support she wrote her new song 'We All Belong' especially for PBI to create awareness about the challenges faced by women who stand up for their rights, and also about their strength to do so. The aim is to draw attention to the need for proper protection for brave women human rights defenders around the world.

The song is officially released on Sunday 5th May 2013 and from this date you will be able to buy and download the song online: www.joannaweston.bandcamp.com. The proceeds of the song will support the work of Peace Brigades International.

On 5 May 2013, Joanna will be performing with her band 'We All Belong' for the first time live to the public during the Liberation Day Festivals in Amsterdam and Utrecht.

Why ambassador for PBI?

"Peace Brigades International promotes nonviolence and offers protection to human rights defenders. It is important to support them so they can continue to work without fear or oppression. I fully support the work of PBI and am happy to contribute with my music"

- Joanna Weston

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For further information, high resolution photos or to arrange an interview, please contact Joanna on email: jo@joannaweston.com

Background Notes for Editors:

Joanna Weston is a contemporary British folk singer-songwriter who is currently living in The Netherlands while developing her music career. In 2010 Joanna released her first EP 'What Do I Do?' and in the same year she was nominated for 'Best Female Solo Artist' at the Guildford Music Awards – an annual event where local musicians are recognised for their talent and contribution to live music.

'Pieces of the Puzzle' is the second release from this fabulous singer-songwriter. It's a truly international creation, the result of a collaboration between Joanna and a group of talented musicians from Utrecht. While Joanna is writing for her next full album, you'll catch her performing with her band all over Europe.

Joanna has performed at prestigious venues in and around London such as the Half Moon in Putney, The Cobden Club in Notting Hill, The Bedford in Balham, The Boileroom in Guildford, The Maltings in Farnham, and performed to lovely appreciative audiences at festivals such as Guilfest, Wessex Folk Festival and Small World. Her more recent performances have been at The Tivoli in Utrecht among others across Holland, Belgium, Germany and Turkey.

Joanna has had overseas airplay by channels like HGRNJ.org in New Jersey, and by many UK based radio stations including EKR.com and Brooklands FM where she was the featured artist with two hours of live play and chat on David Durant's Unsigned Show. Her music was also handpicked for a panel box on BBC Surrey and BBC Sussex Unsigned Show, before becoming a featured artist on BBC Introducing: The South, hosted by Phil Jackson.

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If you decide to play Joanna's music on your show, please let us know in advance so we can spread the word about the show and your radio station to her growing fan base.

Thank you for your support and she looks forward to hearing from you.

Best regards,

Joanna Weston HQ