# COMING UP ROSES OFFICIAL PRESS KIT 2023

# BIOGRAPHY

Hailing from the island nation of Singapore, London-based alternative rock band Coming Up Roses forge a sound that is distinctively familiar - yet you can't quite put your finger on.

Having relocated from Singapore to the UK in late 2022, their move is footnoted by the release of new single "Utopia" Reimagined: These Corners". Produced by Joshua Rumble (Florence Welch, Black Country New Road) and mixed by Caesar Edmunds (Foals, Beach House), the sprawling track showcases a band in its ascendancy.

Led by singer-bassist Emily Sera, the group has emerged as one of the most promising acts out of Southeast Asia owing to their dynamic live shows and heartfelt lyrical themes. In addition to tours in Taiwan and Indonesia, the band have played festivals such as Canadian Music Week, Fred Perry Subculture and The Alex Blake Charlie Sessions. To date, the band has released 2 EPs, debut effort Waters (2018) and sophomore EP Everything Is (2022).

Despite the bittersweet nature of leaving their lives behind in Singapore, Coming Up Roses are ready to embark on their new adventure.

"Vocals that tug at heartstrings and sounds that paint wondrous worlds" - Hear65 "Pummelling guitar-driven crescendo" - NME "A breath of fresh air" - SG Magazine





#### SENTIMENTALITY

The band see each song as windows into their lives, and are very vulnerable and open about their emotions, singing about their fears and struggles in the hope that listeners can find comfort in shared experiences.



#### AN UNFETTERED APPROACH

The band are not afraid to be completely honest, even if that means being out of place. Reflected in both their music where they draw influences from a myriad of genres, and themselves performing with a raw energy that is unfiltered and free.



#### A FEMALE PERSPECTIVE

Frontwoman Emily Sera represents a unique group of female bassistvocalists who play in rock bands. She prides herself on writing songs that are direct and honest, dealing with issues that some may find uncomfortable yet critical to the human experience.



# MEDIA SOCIAL



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Page Likes (Facebook)

# 461

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# 437

Subscribers (YouTube)

# RELEASES

# EVERYTHING IS RELEASED MAY 20TH 2022

Tracklist: 1. All Our Time 2. Glass Stained Eyes 3. Slingshots 4. Would You Ever

#### <u>LISTEN HERE</u>

#### EVERYTHING IS

# RELEASES

WATERS RELEASED MAY 17TH 2019

Tracklist: 1. Fall 2. Lies 3. Sky 4. Waters

#### LISTEN HERE



# VIDEOS

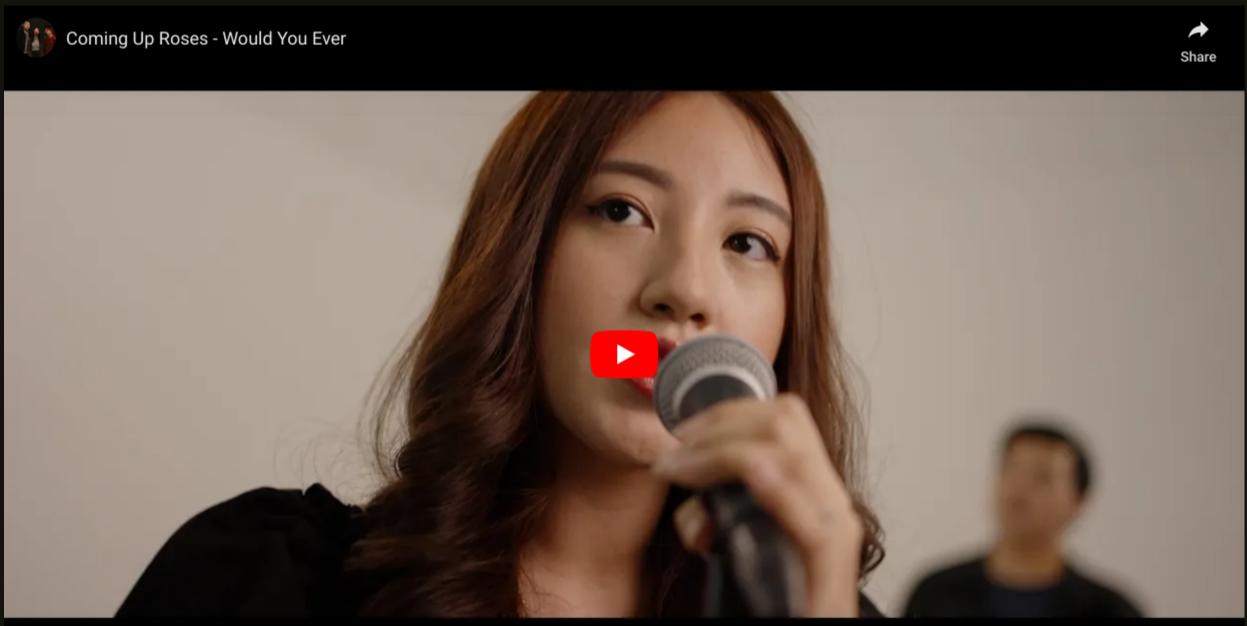
# ALL OUR TIME 2021



# VIDEOS

# WOULD YOU EVER 2022





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# LIVE AT SNAKEWEED STUDIOS 2022



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#### FRED PERRY SUBCULTURE September 2019

Coming Up Roses was a performing artist for fashion label Fred Perry's Subculture event in 2019 alongside Charlie Lim and KiDG.

The band were endorsed with wardrobe from the label.

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#### URBAN VENTURES 11 October 2018

Coming Up Roses played the 11th edition of Urban Ventures, a street party held in the hustle and bustle of Chinatown.

The band played to a packed street of partygoers, showcasing songs from the upcoming *Waters* EP.

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## MUSIC MATTERS LIVE September 2019

The band performed at Music Matters Live Festival, performing at local venues Le Noir and Crossroads Bar.

The band also attended the conference and played host to visiting artists from all over the world.



**8 MARCH** 

TUESDAY

2.00 - 3.00PM SINGAPORE



#### WATCH ON LOZ LIVE







#### LAZADA INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY March 2022

Coming Up Roses was a performing artist for online e-commerce platform, Lazada, for their International Women's Day Award Ceremony for female owned businesses.

The event was livestreamed.



## BAYBEATS FESTIVAL August 2018

The band's first performance on a festival stage and the launchpad for their career.

Coming Up Roses opened the 2018 edition of the festival and participated in the festival's Budding Bands program, where they learnt from some of Singapore's industry leaders.

# PRESS COMING UP ROSES ANNOUNCE CANADIAN TOUR AND SOPHOMORE EP RELEASE DATE

NME Asia



Coming Up Roses announce Canadian tour and sophomore EP release date

Singapore alternative rockers Coming Up Roses will play Canadian Music Week this June after releasing second EP 'Everything Is'.

NME NME/May 11, 2022

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#### Life In Arpeggio



#### **Budding Brilliantly: A Chat With Coming Up Roses**

With an energising alt-rock sound with heart-on-sleeve lyrics, mosh-inciting outbursts and shoegazey textures, Coming Up Roses is coming up strong.

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# WATERS' VINYL REVIEW by Monsieur Vinyl



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