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UK Tour 1999





★ Hello and welcome to a big night for B*Witched!
This is our first headline tour and we're very excited.

★ Tonight, in this arena, we want you to be part of the B*Witched story. We couldn't have made it this far without the support you've given us since C'est La Vie. With your help we'll make it even further with Awake And Breathe. In the meantime, let's enjoy tonight. This is the time we love most

- when we're up on stage, singing our songs, making you happy. Sing along, shout and dance. Enjoy yourself, love

B*Witched



On The Road

This is it then. Edele is grinning. Her eyes are shining. 'This is our dream come true.' Way back during early rehearsals at Digges Lane in Dublin, through those first homesick months in London, in long weeks of promos, and yes, even during the best of the fun stuff, B*Witched have had a dream. This is that dream: The Tour. You can bet the girls are excited. 'We're so excited to see our name displayed on billboards outside the venues,' says Edele. 'I mean, even on our very first support slot tour we stood outside the arenas at midnight taking photos of our names up in lights!'

'We toured with N'Sync and 98 in the US' says Lindsay. 'So we're used to the routine of touring. What's different this time is that we know when we look out at the crowd those people are there especially to see us.' Her voice rises. 'Thinking about it makes me shiver with excitement.' Keavy agrees. 'Being on stage, seeing everyone mouthing the words to our songs is the best feeling in the world.' 'It's what we were born to do,' adds Sinéad simply. Night after night in cities across Ireland, Great Britain and on throughout the world. The girls will live out that dream.

Delivering B*Witched safely to each venue will be the mega luxurious tour bus which ferries them everywhere they need to go. 'Tour buses are so cool!' says Keavy. 'The one we had in America was fantastic - we could do anything on there; watch TV, listen to music...' '...We love Friends, Southpark, loads of films and we have loads of CDs on there...' adds Lindsay helpfully. 'And we have beds so we can sleep!' says Sinéad. 'When you're tired, the best luxury?' 'No' laughs Edele. 'Real luxury would be a shower... I wish!'

'Keavy entertains us on the bus. She's forever making us laugh' says Lindsay. 'And Lindsay laughs all the time' smiles

Edele. 'Especially at her own jokes!' With a heavy-metal style driver and a cushion of teddies (prezzies from fans) covering the seats it certainly looks homey. Special treats are scattered around - Irish crisps for Edele; a couple of John Grisham novels for Lindsay, and there are mobile phones everywhere! Show days often begin very early as the girls take the opportunity to visit radio stations and meet fans around the country. 'We feel really close to the fans now because we've met so many of them on the road,' says Sinéad. Keavy - 'And we're sure to meet loads more on tour. If we don't have the chance to say hello to everyone in person this time I'd like say "hello, and thank you for coming to the show!"'

And now for the all-important details...

Are you excited about the tour? Sinéad: We're all delighted, nervous, and very, very excited. This is something I've always wanted. Keavy: I can't even talk about it. I get really sick!

How have you prepared for your headline tour? Lindsay: We rehearsed for two whole weeks before - going to the gym in the mornings, we had dance rehearsals and rehearsals with the band too.

Of course you've supported several bands already. Do you remember the first time? Lindsay: Yeah, at The Kings' Hall in Belfast. The crowds were amazing and we actually arrived on a public bus and walked in the front door. It was hilarious. Edele: I was so nervous but I will never forget that feeling when we first got on stage.

Do B*Witched keep any tour rules? Sinéad: No smoking on the bus or in the dressing rooms, and we have to have a clear hour to ourselves before the show to get prepared.





It'll be a bit different this time round, we expect! What time will you arrive at each venue?

Lindsay: We get there early each day to do our sound check, with the band. Finally we always keep an hour clear before we go on to get prepared warmed up vocally and physically.

That all sounds busy... no time to relax?

Sinéad: Well, if there is any more time it's filled with interviews, getting ready, eating; there's usually not a lot of time for relaxing!

Do you request any fancy foods for your dressing room?

Sinéad: I wouldn't say we had fancy tastes but we ask for raw vegetables, fruit, water, ice, honey & lemon.

You've already tried life on tour in the US of A. What were the best and worst dressing rooms you had?

Edele: The best was... out in the States. We had showers, a bathroom, a table, a leather couch, and best of all, a TV and video. Our

worst experience was in San Diego. We didn't even get changed in there! It was so bad we changed on the bus.

Do you sing scales and things to limber up your voices?

Edele: We warm-up vocally for about 25 and then we warm physically up for 30 minutes.

So you're stretching your muscles just before taking the stage?

Sinéad: Well, we finish warming up, then touch up our hair & makeup. We each have our own little habits I suppose - for example Edele has to clean her teeth - but everyone has to get dressed! After that, we say a prayer, wish each other 'good luck', then off we go.

You have a lucky bear, don't you?

Keavy: Oh yes, that's Miller, he's our tour bear from America. One night we left him on the bus while we went into the venue. The sound guys took him, hung him from a tree and tortured him! They even took photos, aww...

A Flying Visit

B*Witched like to sleep on aeroplanes. And when B*Witched wake up, they're in a new city and a new country. Which did they like best?

'I loved travelling to New York' says Sinéad. 'Flying over the harbour, seeing the statue of liberty - it was a just as I'd always imagined.'

Everyone loved Atlanta - 'We had a gorgeous day off by a lake there, rented a pontoon boat, a Jet Ski and had a barbecue in the sunshine. It was beautiful' says Edele. And Lindsay's fond of Italy 'because there are ruins and castles everywhere, and the weather is warm and sunny'. Whilst the twins are fans of Portugal, and Edele has a soft spot for Australia and Y2K does promise plenty of trips to new places, after all!

Do the band have any lucky charms?

Edele: I have to say good luck to each member separately and we put a bit of glitter on everyone. We began putting glitter on the sound guys in America and now everyone has to get it - we're superstitious like that!

Do you go partying in each new town you visit?

Keavy: No, we're not party animals we usually just sit in the hotel bar or in someone's room to talk and have a laugh. Sinéad: You can't go straight to bed though because you're still too excited!

Finally can you describe the feeling of being on stage?

Lindsay: It's very hard to describe, there is nothing in the world like it, it just the greatest feeling ever.

Edele: It's the best!

Make Up Tips

Kiss and Make Up

Star make up man, Lee Pearson, provides the girls' famous look for the tour and other popstar duties. But how do the B*witched manage when they're left to their own beauty devices? Let's see..

Who worries most about their appearance?

Sinéad: If we're at work, I'd say Edele. She is very creative and always wear something different. Otherwise it would probably be me.

Who knows most beauty tips?

Lindsay: It's me! My bathroom is full of lotions and potions. My best advice is to sleep. A lot.

Which girl buys most clothes?

Edele: Sinéad buys the most but it's usually black, white or grey! I am so fussy I find it hard to get things I like.

What is your favourite scent?

Keavy: I like Dune. I wear it loads!

What's the best way to put on lipstick?

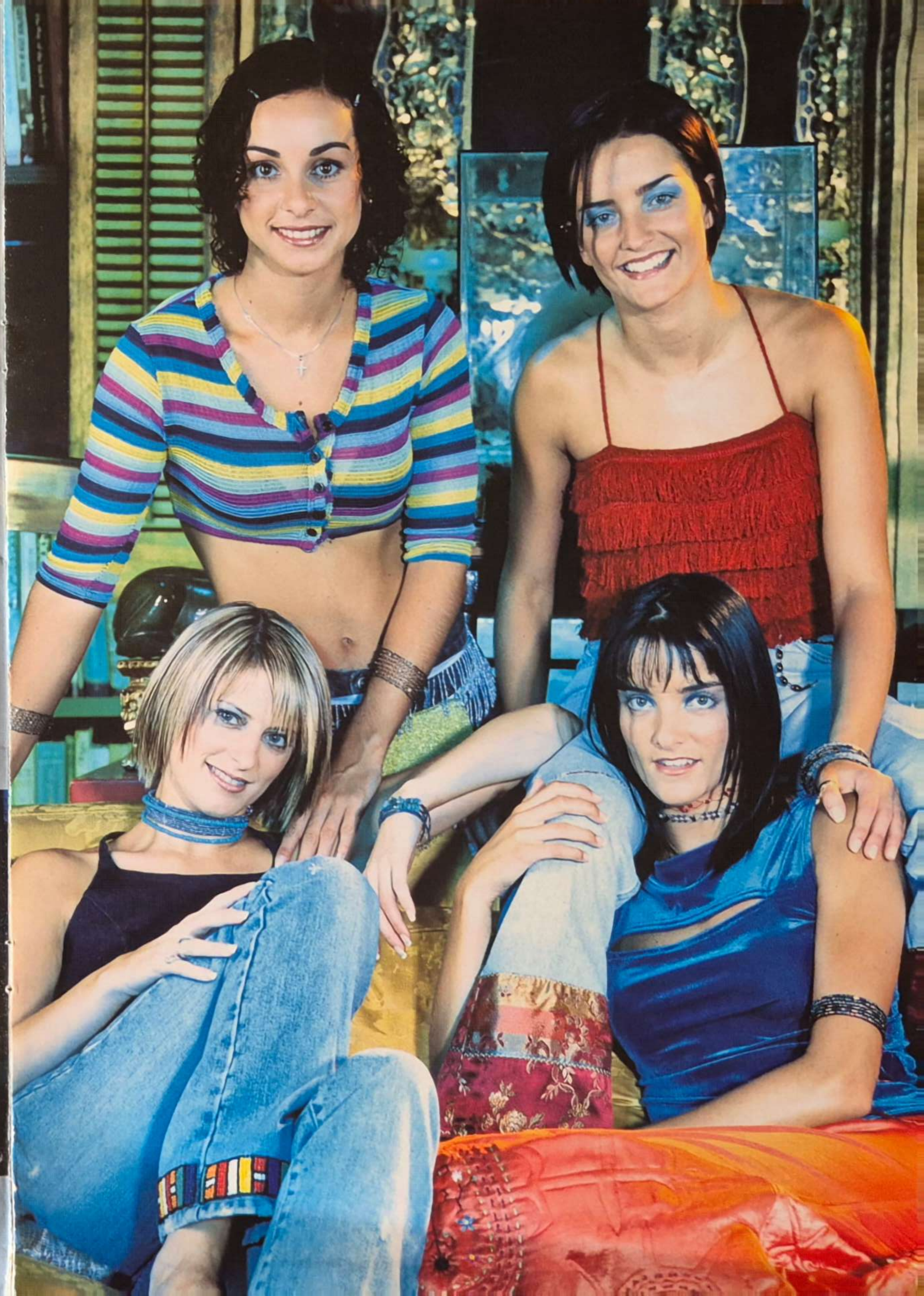
Edele: Use a mirror! Sinéad never uses one but she's an expert.

How would you accentuate your best feature?

Lindsay: Well my best feature is my eyes so I wear black mascara to accentuate them.

Do you help each other out?

Keavy: Yes! We used to give each other facials and get Lindsay to use her eyebrow plucking expertise! It's meant to be fun, you know.





No Place Like Home

'We've learned how to live out of a suitcase' laughs Lindsay as she surveys her luxurious hotel room with a wry smile 'but it's true what they say - there's no place like home!' 'We miss our families most of all,' says Sinéad. " And Edele and I miss our friends Peggy-Ann and Sandra" chimes Keavy. 'We can't bring them on the road with us, so we have to make the most of the rare days off we have at home!' We're not surprised... so can we find out more?

How would you spend a perfect day off in Dublin?

Lindsay: Seeing family of course!

Keavy: Yeah, just hang out with friends.

Lindsay: Watching some Roddy Doyle videos...

Sinéad: If my friends wanted to go out we'd start off shopping, go to Café Mocha for lunch, shop some more and end up in Hoggins for a drink!

Do you visit Dublin's swankiest nightspots now?

Sinéad: Nah, but I do like to go out in the evening. I'd love to tuck into an Indian from the Al-Minar in Dalkey right now!

Keavy: To be honest I prefer to say in my house or my friends' because I miss it when I'm away - I want to make the most of it!

Which of your mum's dinners do you miss when you're away?

Sinéad (wistfully): I miss chicken stew and cherry trifle.

Lindsay: I miss chicken stew too - as well as good Irish milk, potatoes, chocolate, crisps and bread!

And what's the first thing you reach for when you go home?

Sinéad: Ooh, I'll run to the fridge and grab some Philadelphia and crackers, plain yoghurt and fruit.

Edele: And I'll have a dry piece of bread from the press and a glass of cold milk. Hotel food is alright, but it's just not the same as home cooking.

What reminders of home do you always keep with you?

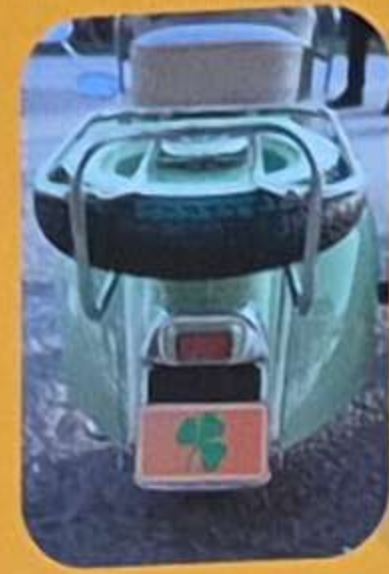
Edele: I always pack my special pillow.

Lindsay: And I always bring my favourite photo frame and my little teddy bear named Gizmo for good luck!





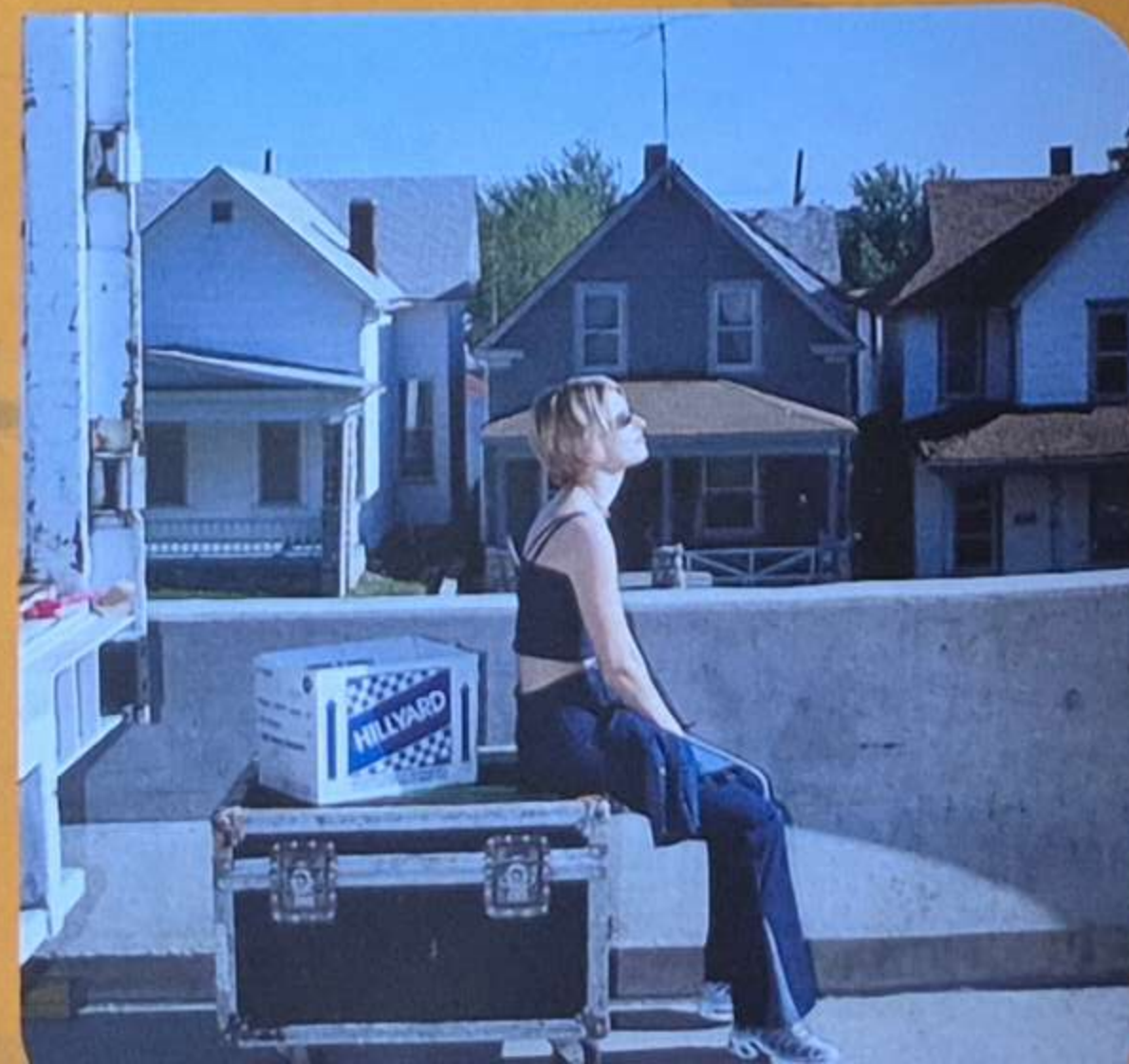
Sinéad



Name: Sinéad Maria O'Carroll
Birthday: May 14
Star sign: Taurus
Born: Co. Kildare
Good points: I'm quite grounded and earthy
Bad points: I can be a bit too serious sometimes
Distinguishing marks: A small scar on my hairline
Likes: Sherry trifle
Dislikes: Too much salt
Previous jobs: Worked in cinemas, theatres and shops
Pets: I never had any
Favourite colour: Black, because I wear it a lot

Hello
I'm Sinéad. I'm the earthy, well-grounded type person, I guess that's being a Taurean. I'm also quite sophisticated too - and I love having time to get an aromatherapy massage after a long day. I believe you should always have a dream and work hard for it. Remember - what goes around comes around... so be nice!
Love

Sinéad
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Edele



Full Name:	Edele Claire Christina Edwina Lynch
Birthday:	December 15
Star sign:	Sagittarius
Born:	Dublin
Good points:	Levelheaded, straightforward
Bad points:	Stubborn
Distinguishing features:	My forehead scar
Previous jobs:	Dance teacher, sports shop assistant
Likes:	My job and lobster
Dislikes:	Rude people
Favourite colour:	Green
Pets:	Ducks Jack and Jill, a tank of tropical fish
Heroes:	Mam & Dad

Hello!
I'm Edele.
I'm the level-headed one in B*Witched. People call me the leader because I seem confident but I feel really shy sometimes - can you tell? I'm a good friend but I keep my deepest thoughts to myself. I'm kinda stubborn, and lemme see...
I'm ambitious! My motto is 'don't just daydream. If you want something, work to achieve it'.
It's been true for B*Witched so why not for you?
Enjoy!

Edele
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Keavy

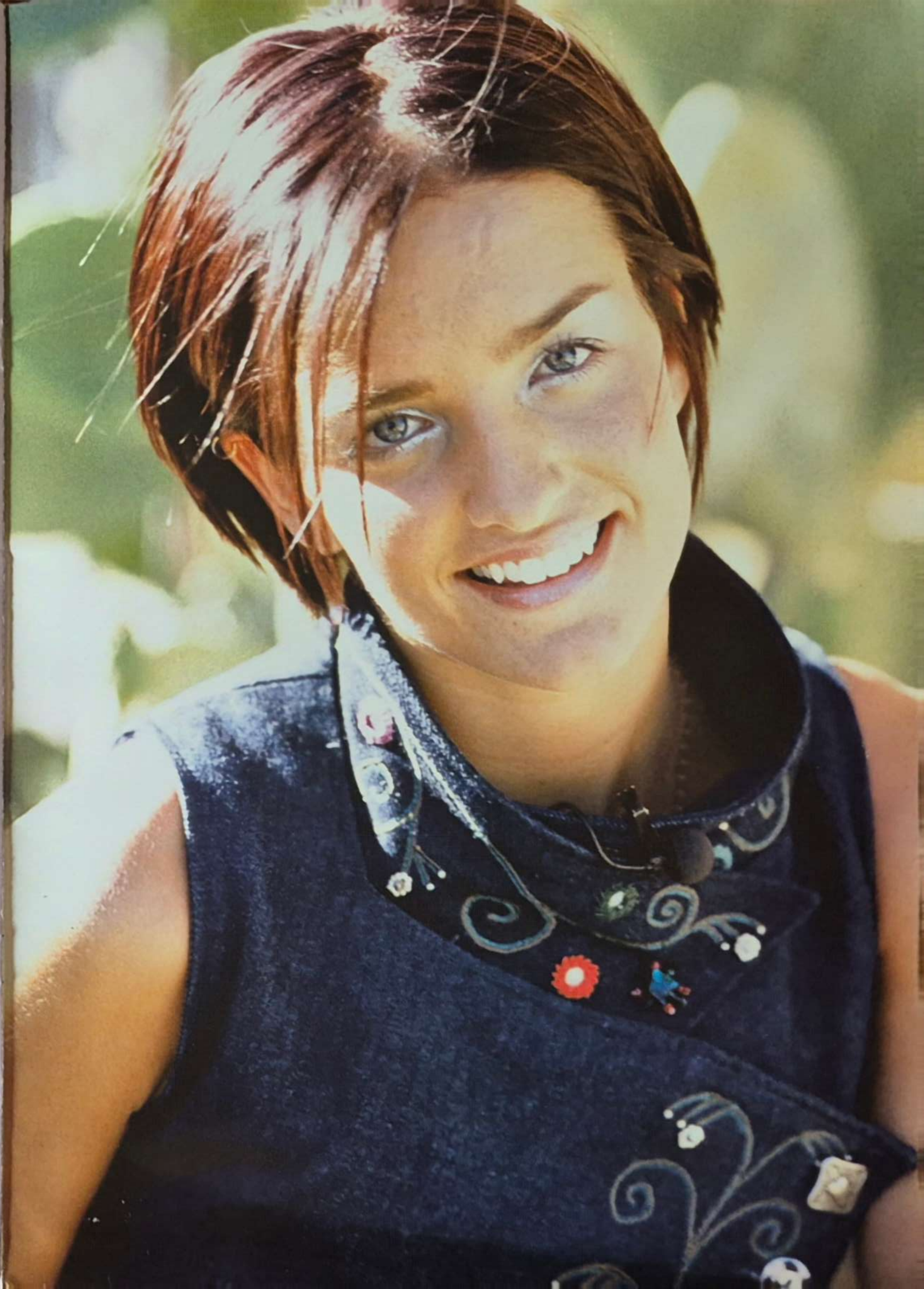


Name: Keavy Jane Elizabeth Annie Lynch
Birthday: December 15
Star sign: Sagittarius
Born: Dublin
Good points: A good friend, laid back
Bad points: I take things too much to heart sometimes
Distinguishing features: Chinese tattoo meaning happiness
Previous jobs: Mechanic
Likes: Cheese and onion King crisps from Ireland
Dislikes: Smoking
Pets: Ducks Jack and Jill, a tank of fish
Favourite colour: Purple. I love it
Heroes: My Mam and Dad. They gave us a saying, which was "Look up! It's the Lynches" and they made us believe we could do anything.

Hi everybody

What can I say about myself? What you see is what you get! I'm a pretty laid back, straightforward person. I can be very giddy and everyone says I'm the cute one. We're all growing up quickly but you're never too old to have fun with your friends... that's what B*Witched is all about - having a good time! love

Keavy





Lindsay



Name:	Lindsay Gael Christina Armaou
Birthday:	December 18
Star sign:	Sagittarius
Born:	Athens, Greece
Good points:	Bubbly, loyal, friendly
Bad points:	I'm quite stubborn
Distinguishing features:	My eyes
Likes:	Mango
Dislikes:	Popcorn
Previous jobs:	Shop assistant
Talent:	Designing things
Pets:	Cats - Leah and Snoopy, Dogs Husky, Cheek and Chubby
Favourite Colour:	Blue (and red together. Very striking)
Heroes:	My family

Hiya, Linds here!
 I'm a pretty bubbly person. It's important to me to absolutely love whatever I'm doing - I'm quite passionate that way. I'd say I'm also adventurous, ambitious, and adaptable (moving from Greece to Dublin aged 13 helped) and that's handy in this job! Having our own show, B*Witched The Tour is what we've been working towards since we started, so thank you for coming! take care

Lindsay



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ROXY LOVES THE BEACH AND THE SEA, GREAT DANE DOGS, THE FUN LOVIN' CRIMINALS, ELVIS, ZORRO (SHE USED TO THINK SHE WAS HIM WHEN SHE WAS YOUNGER!), AND HAS A PASSION FOR ART AND DOLPHINS (SHE HAS A DOLPHIN TATTOOED ON HER HIP WHICH SHE DESIGNED HERSELF). BUT SHE HATES CAPERS, HEIGHTS AND THE TUBE (SHE REFUSES TO GO ON IT IN CASE SHE GETS STUCK).

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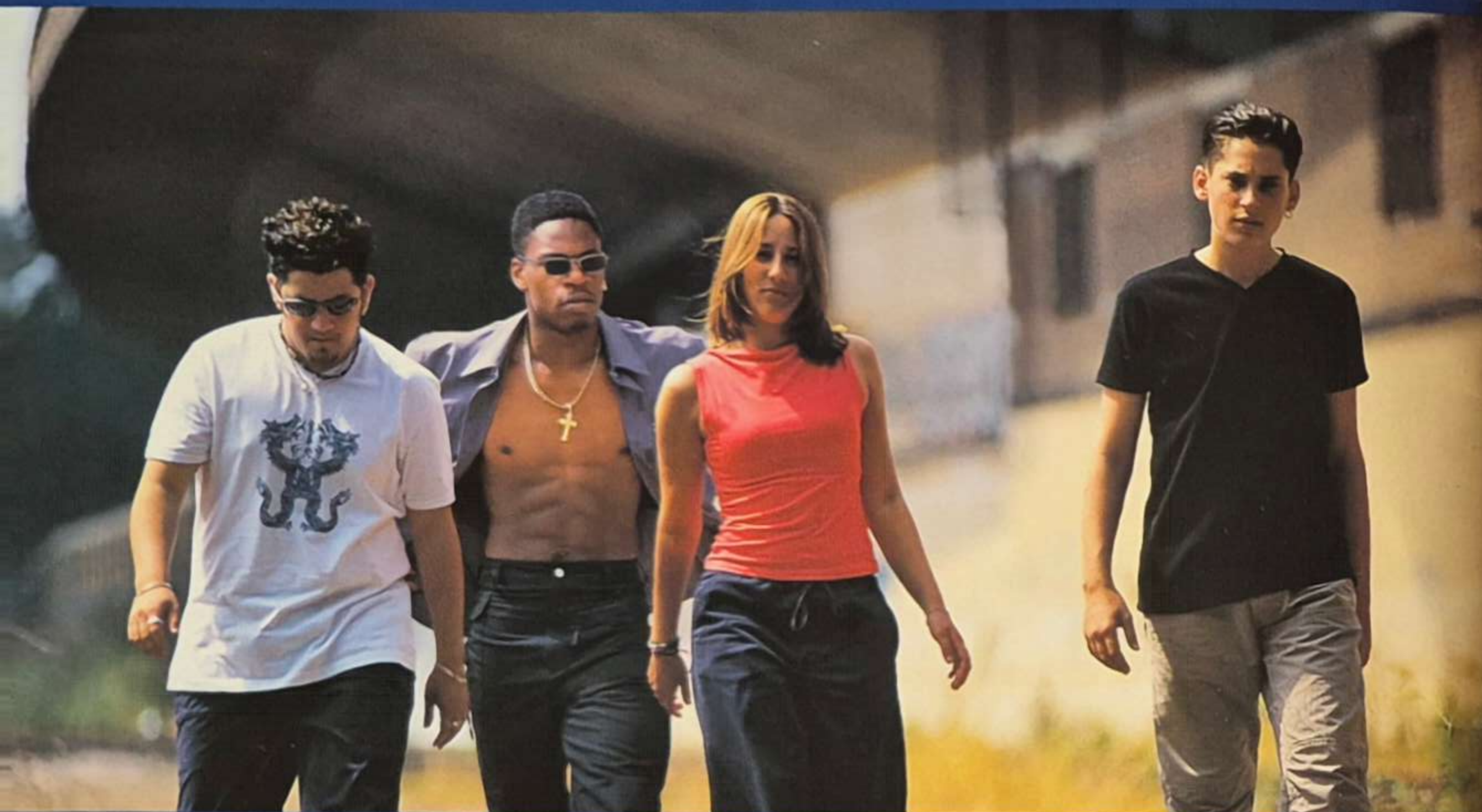
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B★Witched on tour

Edele Lynch
Keavy Lynch
Sinéad O'Carroll
Lindsay Armaou

Musical Director: Mike Stevens
Keyboards: Richard Cardwell
Guitars: Milton McDonald
Bass Guitar: Paul Turner
Drums: Thomas Lang
Percussion: Karlos Edwards
Fiddle: Nick Pynn
Dancer: Jason Davies

Creative Direction and Staging: Kim Gavin
Staging Concept and design: Edele Lynch,
Keavy Lynch, Sinéad O'Carroll, Lindsay Armaou
Original choreography: Steven Shane
Additional choreography: Kim Gavin

Manager: Derek MacKillop
Tour Manager: Wilf Wright
Personal Assistant to B★Witched: Shiarra Juthan
Assistant to Mr Gavin: Paula Barratt
Band Security: Graham Quinn
Tour Security: Derek Baker
Make Up: Lee Pearson
Hair Stylist: Alex Price
Stylist: Faye Sawyer
Assistant Stylist: Chris Brooke

Production Manager: Steve Levitt
Production Assistant: Jason Danter
Stage Manager: Paul "Skippy" Bradman
Lighting Designer: Paul Normandale
Lighting Operator: Fraser Elisha
Lighting Crew Chief: Alan McGregor
Lighting Tech: Dave Hallett
Lighting Tech: Matt Ball
Lighting Tech: Francois Lefevre
FOH Sound Engineer: Jim Ebdon
Monitor Engineer: Steve Lutley
PA Tech: Taidus Vallandi
PA Tech: Paul Johnson
Backline Tech: Les Forde
Backline Tech: Anthony Gorry
Backline Tech: Sandor Nygia
Rigger: Pete Courier
Rigger: Donny Macdonald
Carpenter: Martin Owen
Carpenter: Simon James
Video Director: John Steer
Video Engineer: Gary Twigg
Cameraman: Mark Ingleton
Cameraman: Ed Moore
Pyro Technician: Rob Watson
Wardrobe: Marion Neill
Wardrobe: Juliane Kahl
Caterer: Susie D'Andrea
Caterer: Gordon Cameron
Caterer: Nikki Ingram
Caterer: Neville Wright
Merchandiser: Willie Whitelaw
Truck Driver: Peter Sharerett
Truck Driver: Lee Hesselewood
Truck Driver: Paul Demmon
Truck Driver: Bob Wrightson
Bus Driver (Band): Bryan "Zippy" Brumwell
Bus Driver (Musicians): Kenny Atkinson
Bus Driver (Crew): Barry Gerard
Bus Driver (Crew): Pete Davie

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Monday 16th

Thursday 18th

Friday 19th

Saturday 20th

Monday 22nd

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