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Long-time Hip-Hop collaborators Baron Von Alias and MistaBreeze performed at Radio One's Big Weekend in May and were voted 'best act' at the 2011 Evolution Emerging Festival. A regular fixture of the duo's live show, singer Eliza Lawson formally joined the boys this summer to form Big Beat Bronson.

The group release debut EP May Contain Nuts, in August. According to 'The Baron' making the record was easy thanks to the "great rapport" the three enjoy together." Big Beat Bronson will be promoting the EP at several UK venues over the next few months, starting with an official launch party at Newcastle's O2 Academy on 18th August. MistaBreeze says fans should expect all the familiar antics the group are known for, plus some surprises: "We've got some great ideas, but we can't tell you anything yet as we don't want to spoil it."

Big Beat Bronson will return to the North East in September for Sunderland's Split Parade. As the only Hip-Hop band on the line-up, MistaBreeze hopes their performance will be "the most memorable." Interestingly, Eliza notes some contention regarding Big Beat Bronson's association with the local Hip-Hop scene. "We ain't underground enough," she says. "Some people don't like our commercially appealing sound."

Post-Split, The Baron says Big Beat Bronson will embark on an "intergalactic tour," hitting hotspots such as "Uranus", giving "Orion's belt a good whipping" and "generally tearing this galaxy a new worm-hole."

May Contain Nuts is released on 6th August and will be available to buy online at <http://www.bigbeatbronson.co.uk>.

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