# Are you fed up with Fake News? Listen to this song!

**Band**: Gandekko

**Genre**: DIY Rock

**Release**: Useless Facts

**Date:** 30 October 2020

# Useless Facts

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Are feelings more important than facts? Does the truth even matter anymore? We live in a world where it’s easier to spread disinformation, than information. And spreading lies is more powerful too.

Useless Facts is a song about how the truth doesn’t matter anymore.

The song is accompanied by **two** videos.

**Watch Gandekko’s Stop Hate. Stop Lies. music video here**: <https://youtu.be/5MNrNua89rs>

**Watch Gandekko’s $0 self-made Drumpf stop-motion video here:** <https://youtu.be/yabp7ACv0Ac>

**Listen to Useless Facts here:** <https://soundcloud.com/gandekko/useless-facts>

# A picture containing photo, person, table, cake Description automatically generatedAbout the “Stop Hate. Stop Lies.” Video

The world is in a dangerous place. The doomsday clock is 100s from midnight — closer than it has ever been. There is the threat of nuclear war, the existential threat of climate change, and on top of ALL of this, there is a global pandemic that has brought the world to its knees. But at the centre of all of this is something even more dangerous: **Lies**. Our politicians lie to us every day. They weaponise lies to divide us. By sowing hate, they further their own agendas. Stop Hate. Stop Lies.

# About the Stop Motion Video

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We made the video at the peak of lockdown. The stop-motion video was entirely made by us, all 2000 frames. We didn’t have a big budget, so used things lying around the house. Drumpf’s hair, for instance, is from a Weetabix box because we didn’t have a yellow felt-tip.

# Press Pack

**Download the press pack from Gandekko’s website:** <https://www.gandekko.com/press/>

# The Band

Gandekko is a **new** TOTALLY independent band, that makes "DIY Rock" music fit for the 21st century.

A couple of people that are sitting on a bus

Description automatically generatedGANDEKKO consists of three brothers who live in Milton Keynes. Although they’re British, they grew up in The Hague, The Netherlands. They believe Rock music should move into the 21st century. The old way of making rock music — getting a demo ready, tracking the parts together in an expensive studio, getting a producer to add their sound to your track, having the track mixed by a big shot mixing engineer — just doesn’t work anymore. It’s old-fashioned, too slow, too expensive, and people don’t want to wait a whole year for new music.

Gandekko makes all of their “DIY Rock (Do It Yourself Rock)” music from a bedroom, in the three-bedroom house they rent together. They have complete control over their sound; creating, recording, producing and mixing all their music themselves. They are currently in the process of finishing a self-produced DIY Rock album, which was made using tools readily available to musicians around the world.

A lot of their music revolves around their grievances with the current system. In many ways it’s the best time to be alive, in other ways, it's not — the housing market is rigged, Brexit is sh#t, and politics prioritises billionaires over ordinary people.

When the dust settles on the COVID-19 pandemic, they look forward to performing their new songs live.

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