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Black Strobe rock London's emerging warehouse scene

A massive warehouse party sees the electro act on form



French electro-rockers Black Strobe

One of the biggest warehouse parties of 2007 shook London on Saturday night as club promoters ISST celebrated their second birthday, Sound Generator can report.

London's nightlife has seen a resurgence in recent years with a number of impromptu, low-key, high-volume 'warehouse parties' leading the way across the city's east end - led by the electro-influenced promoters ISST. Similar in surroundings, and spirit, to the mid-90's rave heyday, the scene has been building since 2006 in the last remaining factory enclaves of the city outpost.

Headed by a pounding 2am set by powerhouse electro-rockers Black Strobe, the Saturday show also featured DJ sets by Black Strobe, Klaxons, Shonky (Mobilee).

Set in the confines of the vast Lock passages, up to 2,000 hard-partying revellers brought back a euphoric spirit to the club scene, before hitting a variety of after-party events into the daylight hours of Sunday morning.

Meanwhile Black Strobe release their second Paul Epworth-produced single "I'm A Man" next week, June 4th. It's a cover of the Bo Diddley classic, and is lifted from their now album "Burn Your Own Church", out June 11th.

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