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Twyford Hall

Lakeview Hotel Lounge

Club Sapphire - Auditorium

Club Sapphire - Sapphire Room

Merimbula RSL - Function Room

Merimbula RSL - Maple Leaf Room

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Welcome Jazzers

JAZZ QUEST 2018



A hearty welcome to all Musicians and Jazz Lovers to the 38th Annual Merimbula Jazz Festival.

A great selection of Bands has been programmed to perform over this Holiday Weekend with performances being held at 4 great locations in 6 individual Venues. Individual Sessions will be 60 minutes, commencing on the hour with 45 minute sets and 15 minutes to set up and leave stage. We are certain that a great time will be had by all.

This year we will have a number of Bands returning from previous years plus some new groups ready to entertain all Jazz Lovers.

Many of the jazz greats such as Louis Armstrong, Miles Davis, Charlie Parker and John Coltrane, to mention just a few, were making major contributions to jazz in their late teens and twenties. The MJF Committee recognises this and as such decided a few years ago to foster the young and new spirit of jazz through "JAZZ QUEST".

Following a career in music (especially jazz) is an expensive business. There are instruments to be purchased, lessons to be had, and hours of unpaid dedicated practice needed to reach a professional standard.

Paul Dion, a member of the Jazz Festival Committee, and Maestro of the "JAZZ QUEST", is keen to help young musicians in their drive towards excellence and hopes that in some small way the cash prizes on offer in "JAZZ QUEST" (courtesy of Lakeview Hotel) and the experiences and contacts gained by participating in the Merimbula Jazz Festival assist them in that journey. The Lakeview Hotel will again be hosting the "Jazz Quest" in 2018.

This year will be the 8th year of the "QUEST" under the Musical Directorship of Paul Dion. Paul tells us that the applications for the Quest have exceeded expectations and that a full complement of musicians will be performing on the night.

Sponsored by the Lakeview Hotel, prizes of \$600, \$400, \$300 and \$200 are on offer to Musicians 25 years of age and under.

Check out the performance times of the "JAZZ QUEST" at the LAKEVIEW HOTEL advertisement in the Program Book.



Jazz Quest 2017 Winners

Max Alduca (bass) 3rd, Ryu Kodama (drums) 1st, Jesse Poon (tenor sax) 2nd, Patrick Kelly (piano) 4th with organiser Paul Dion. Photo: Merimbula News Weekly.

BEBOP AND BEYOND

"Late Night Jam Session"

The Lakeview Hotel is again supporting what has become one of the highlights of the Festival and that is the "Late Night Jam Session" on Saturday night. The Session begins around 11.30pm with jamming continuing until 1.00am.

Paul Dion will again be taking on the role of "Director" of proceedings and 2018 promises to be once again a night to remember for all those Musicians and Jazz Lovers who like to jazz along well into the night. Paul once again promises that there will be many innovative, exciting and impromptu performances on the night. Musicians who want to participate should get down to the Lakeview Hotel.

Check out the LAKEVIEW HOTEL page in your Program Book.

SATURDAY GRAND STREET PARADE AND CONCERT BY THE LAKE

The Parade will again take place on Saturday morning starting at 10.30am. This starting time will enable all Visitors, Musicians and Jazz lovers alike, to attend their selected Jazz Venue in time for the 12 noon commencement of the first Saturday performance. Parade Marshals will again be supervising the Parade and what a show we have in store for you this year.

The Parade will again feature Marching Bands, Historic Motor Vehicles, various Jazz Clubs, Groups and Organisations.



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Welcome Jazzers

CONCERT TUNES KEY

1. Bourbon Street Parade F
2. Dr Jazz Eb
3. Bill Bailey F
4. Royal Garden Blues F
5. When the Saints Go Marching In F

A special award to the value of \$100 for **BEST DRESSED LADY** in the Parade is being offered by Pambula Rotary.



In 2017 Jazz Festival President Kevin Walsh (right) presented the Award on behalf of the Committee to an outstanding musician in the person of Tony Buckley.

Bassist Tony Buckley was born in Sydney on 30 May 1937. He commenced formal music lessons at age ten on piano, discontinuing several years later and then restarting and intensifying training again at age 17 on double (string) bass. Development as a young musician embraced playing in student orchestras and theory training at the Sydney Conservatorium of Music.

During the 1950's and later, he worked and toured with several commercial entertainment units involving vocalists Frank Ifield, the late Bobby Scott and Johnny O'Keefe, the big dance Bands of the late Bob Gibson, the late Bill Barrett and the late Bobby Limb and Dawn Lake Club Band. Whilst in the midst of all this Tony also joined in a number of smaller dance bands and registered club floor show bands which utilized the services of most of Sydney's noted and up and

COURTESY BUSES

Club Sapphire and Merimbula RSL will run courtesy buses to and from their premises according to their normal evening timetables. Check on their websites OR confirm details in Club OR at the Jazz Office. Merimbula RSL will also run a limited courtesy bus service for the Jazz Hatters Party.

MJF AWARDS

The Merimbula Jazz Festival Award is presented annually to someone who has contributed to the ongoing development and longevity of jazz music, in all its various forms, and the continuing patronage of jazz festivals.

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coming jazz musicians (many who have since passed away). Tony also participated in the historic Kings Cross 'El Rocco Jazz Cellar' scene playing with several groups including the Warren Leroy trio, John Pochee and friends.

These connections led to Tony's overall interest and development playing jazz, and in the year 1965 he moved to Melbourne until 1969 where he linked up with Vibraphone player Keith Stevens. This in turn led to ensuing friendships with other Melbourne jazz players such as Alex Hutchinson, Alan Richards, Kim and Anita Harris, Graeme Steele, Ron Anderson, Neil Taylor and the late and great drummer David May. On returning to Sydney Tony worked the Registered Club circuit again with various jazz gigs here and there and in 1982 became associated with traditional jazz when joining the Nat Oliver Jazz Band led by Oliver Hetherington. Since then he has also played with most of Sydney's prominent musicians and jazz bands from time to time including Jiri Kripac's Harlem Swing, Mike Hallam's Hot 5 and Hot 6 and Bill Haesler's Robber's Dogs Jazz Band. Tony has also played in the company of many other notable Sydney musicians including Bob Barnard, Trevor Rippingale, Jack Wiard, Paul Furness, Jim Elliott, Paul Baker and the late Eric Holroyd just to name a few.

Some of Tony's most memorable music experiences have seen him playing some years back at 'Quad Cities', edging the Mississippi River in the USA, with a group of Sydney musicians including Jim Elliott, and the late Ken Flannery, Adrian Ford, Brett Lockyer and John Fearnley at the BIX Beiderbeck Memorial Jazz Festival and also backing the Mills Brothers vocal quartet and vocalists Vic Damone and Billy Daniels at the old Kings Cross Sydney Chevron Hotel.

During his 63 years love affair with the bass Tony has been heavily influenced by many great overseas bassists such as the late Ray Brown, Red Mitchell, Neils Orsted, Henning Pederson as well as Ron Carter, George Mraz and Garry Peacock who are still playing to this day. So is world class Bruce Cale Tony's wonderful talented 'Aussie' bassist friend now located in Katoomba NSW.

It must be said that Tony's involvement with music, embracing most genres, including jazz, and attendance at numerous Jazz Festivals throughout Australia, including the long running Merimbula Jazz Festival, has been a lengthy one. At 80 years of age he is still playing, loving his music and importantly listening to the marvellous musicianship advances demonstrated by so many young and older players throughout the world.

Previous Recipients of this award:

- Pat Thompson
- Keith Sadler
- Roy Gillot
- Ron Lucas
- Jiri Kripac
- Pierre Kammacher
- John Ansell
- Alex Hutchinson
- Paul Ingle
- Ian Williams
- Kevin Partridge
- Dave Drummond
- Nyn Hamilton
- John Judge
- Maurie Fabrikant
- Barry Hanley
- Gordon Benjamin
- Tony & Margie Fullerton
- Des Camm
- Saul Richardson
- Russell Sheridan
- Stan Delle Vergin
- John Cursley
- John Moffatt
- Bill McLean
- Rob Young
- Ron Anderson
- John Morrison
- Alan Richards
- Lone Harbourne
- Alan Harbourne

BUSKERS WELCOME



Note:

Buskers are not covered by the Festival's Public Liability Policy and should consider taking out their own insurance.



Through-out the Jazz Festival weekend, Buskers are welcome to busk in the areas shaded on this map.

Band details A to Z

ACT INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC PROGRAM BIG BAND

STYLE: Big Band
FROM: KALEEN ACT
LEADER: **Rod Harding**DIR
Jackson Boyd..... TPT
Leila Craemer-Banks.... TPT
Claire Leske..... TPT
Callum Ghee..... TPT
Ralph Nueangrit..... TPT
Ella Douglas..... TPT
Ruby Nelson-Lee..... TPT
Jessica Hill TPT
Naris Suwanmuk TMB
Ash Cardillo TMB
Laura Kristina Kleine Butron. TMB
Claire Leske..... HRN
Haris Hodzic BS
Felicity Maloney..... SAX
Lucy Sun SAX
Justin Ryu..... SAX
Lucy McNaughton SAX
Casey Magnussen SAX
Bryn Tiller SAX
Wilson Ng PNO
Lida Nguyen DMS
Jarrah Palethorpe PERC

ANNE SYER'S S' WONDERFUL

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: ASHBURTON VIC
LEADER: **Anne Syer** VOC
David Taylor..... BS
Todd Sidney..... PNO
Alan Richards DMS

ARQ

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: CAMBERWELL VIC
LEADER: **Alan Richards**..... DMS
Bruce Johnson TPT
Doug Kuhn BS
Ron Anderson..... RDS
Todd Sidney..... PNO
Kristina Frazer VOC

BABA'S BANDITOS

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: JERRABOMBERRA ACT
LEADER: **Rouslan Babajanov**SAX
Barnaby Briggs..... BS
Scott Temby KEY
Steve Richards DMS

BAILEY BEAT

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: UPWEY VIC
LEADER: **Tony Robertson**..... VOC
Jack Heath BS
Tony Robertson GTR
David Lindsay SAX
Benny Birger Jensen KEY
Andrew Shemmeld DMS
Jan Blake..... VOC



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Band details

BAIRNSDALE SECONDARY COLLEGE SWING BAND

STYLE: Big Band
FROM: BAIRNSDALE VIC
LEADER: **Gerry Ciavarella**
Jacob Ellett..... TPT
Cade Steenholdt TPT
Alexander Poynton TPT
Jacob Veldhuizen TPT
Paige Gilhooly..... TPT
Samuel Veldhuizen TMB
Chelsea De Bona..... TMB
John Smith TMB
Alexandra Lombardo ... TMB
Breanna Chippindall TMB
Jarrod Stephens BS
Callum Ingram GTR
Krzysztof Pacholarz..... SAX
Thomas Poynton SAX
Zara Steenholdt..... SAX
Annie Rogers SAX
Kaitlyn Stephens PNO
Robyn Keane PNO
Madison Webster DMS
James Caddie DMS

BANJO AND THE BOYS

STYLE: Traditional
FROM: MERIMBULA NSW
LEADER: **Michael Young** BJO
Vincent Lopes..... BS
Bill McLean..... BJO
Gary Morley WBD

BENJAMIN'S BIG BAND

STYLE: Big Band
FROM: LANE COVE NSW
LEADER: **Gerald Steinmann**..... DIR
Rob Jardine TPT
Zac Tapsell TPT
Nigel Goodwin..... TPT
Ian Franks..... TMB



David Kellam TMB
Tom Cassidy TMB
Graham Holland TMB
Joshua Nissenbaum.... TMB
Stephen Creak..... TMB
Jake Chandler BS
Charlie Wilkinson..... BS
Joe Osborne..... SAX
Finn Cameron SAX
Martin Porter SAX
Brian Paul SAX
Nate Porter SAX
Simon Laidler SAX
Sue Beange FLT
David Wilkinson..... KEY
Marcel Cope DMS
Chanelle Nicholas..... VOC
Jessica Atalia..... VOC

BEV BANJO & CO

STYLE: Traditional
FROM: CENTRAL TILBA NSW
LEADER: **Bev Long** BJO
Chris Ralfs BS
Bill McLean..... BJO
Gordon Brown PNO
Dick Peel WBD
Bev Long VOC



BLAMEY STREET BIG BAND

STYLE: Big Band
 FROM: FORREST ACT
 LEADER: **Jack Percy**.....SAX
 Leisa Keen.....DIR
 Alexander Fraser.....TPT
 Peter Levan.....TPT
 Emma McMaster.....TPT
 Tim Benson.....TPT
 Mike Hauptmann.....TPT
 Mark Durieu.....TPT
 Miroslav Bukovsky.....TPT
 Darren Ormsby.....TMB
 Rob Clements.....TMB
 Dominic Harvey-Taylor TMB
 Peter McDonald.....BS
 Col Bernau.....GTR
 Tanya Kiermaier.....SAX
 Brigid Cummins.....SAX
 Quinn Weber.....SAX
 Mandy MacFarlane.....SAX
 John Mackey.....SAX
 Caleb Campbell.....PNO
 Alexander Wanjura.....DMS
 Leisa Keen.....VOC

BLUE TANGO

STYLE: Mainstream
 FROM: RESEARCH VIC
 LEADER: **Dave Richard**.....GTR
 David Taylor.....BS
 Emma Piccione.....DMS
 Lynne Gough.....PERC
 Emma Piccione.....PERC
 Lynne Gough.....VOC
 Dave Richard.....VOC

BRASS KNUCKLE BRASS BAND

STYLE: Traditional
 FROM: KINGSTON ACT
 LEADER: **David Abkiewicz**.....SOU
 Tim Bowyer.....TPT
 Cameron Smith.....TPT
 Michael Bailey.....TMB
 Josh Hart.....TMB
 Nathan Sciberas.....SAX
 Steve Fitzgerald.....DMS



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CAMPBELL HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR BAND

STYLE: Big Band
FROM: CAMPBELL ACT
LEADER: **Kylie Brown**
Jamie Boyd TPT
Abigail Trevaskis TPT
Anja Myers TPT
Rachel Wilson TPT
Sophia Wilson TMB
Amelia Borst TUBA
Alexander Fieg BS
Yolanda Yau SAX
Nyssa Murphy SAX
Reuben Sedgmen SAX
Jazmyn Michie SAX
Eislan Hill CLT
Grace Oakden FLT
Samantha Gallagher FLT
Michael Anufriev PNO
Oliver Lowrey DMS
Grace Oakden VOC
Jazmyn Michie VOC

CANBERRA COLLEGE

STYLE: Big Band
FROM: PHILLIP ACT
LEADER: **Graham Monger**
Vivien Clarke TPT
Taelor Sullivan TPT
Miles McLaughlin TMB
Jayden Manton BS
Declan Florance GTR
Lulu Horclu SAX
Bryn Tiller SAX
Jack Larmour SAX
Neve Foxcroft SAX
Niamh Lloyd-Jones SAX
Anna Stoltz PNO
Sam Kemp PNO
Liam Johnson DMS
Riley Richman DMS

CAPTAIN BOB'S STATION HOUSE RAMBLERS

STYLE: Traditional
FROM: EROWAL BAY NSW
LEADER: **Bob Netting** TPT
Peter Poole TMB
Bob Netting TUBA
Colin Davies BS
Hugo Pfandler BJO
Michael Tovey RDS
Bob Porter RDS
Gordon Brown PNO
Bruce Janson DMS
Barry Whitlock WBD
Nesta Whitlock VOC

CHET MAKER

STYLE: Modern
FROM: KENSINGTON VIC
LEADER: **Terry Costello** GTR
Terry Costello VOC

CHRIS KOMOROWSKI TRIO

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: EMU PLAINS NSW
LEADER: **Chris Komorowski** GTR
Steve Clark BS
Ken Vatcher DMS

CLOUDBURST

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: FORREST ACT
LEADER: **Jack Percy** SAX
Tim Benson TPT
Tim Benson HRN
Peter McDonald BS
Col Bernau GTR
Alexander Wanjura DMS

CONNEXION BIG BAND

STYLE: Big Band
FROM: CHAPMAN ACT
LEADER: **Sally Greenaway** COND
Matthew Gerathy TPT
Max Schroedl TPT
Peter Levan TPT
Patrick Haesler TPT
Claire Leske TPT
Elliot Murphy TPT
Kel Fisher TMB
Alistair Clarke TMB
Damian Bool TMB
Jack Carey TMB
Philip Dick BS
Daniel Poole GTR
Oscar Bosman SAX
Bryan Hooley SAX
Lara Walters SAX
David Greenwood SAX
Brad Luttrell SAX
Donald Lee PNO
Perrin Lionis PNO
Steve Richards DMS
Rachel Thorne VOC

CUL DE SAC

STYLE: Modern
FROM: RICHMOND VIC
LEADER: **Graham Morris** DMS
David Taylor BS
Ron Anderson SAX
Todd Sidney PNO

DAVE REBEC JAZZ BAND

STYLE: Traditional
FROM: SALE VIC
LEADER: **David Rebbechi** TPT
Peter Poole TMB
Kees Dogger BS
Peter Milburn BJO
Mal Quine SAX
John Stevens KEY
Bill Lawler DMS
Jenny Rebbechi VOC



DOWN SOUTH JAZZ BAND

STYLE: Traditional
FROM: AVOCA BEACH NSW
LEADER: **Jiri Kripac** COR
John Moffatt SOU
Bill McLean BJO
Bob Porter CLT
Gordon Brown PNO
Rod Andrew DMS
Jiri Kripac VOC
Pauline Wright VOC
Bob Porter VOC

EAST GIPPSLAND BRASS-BIG BAND

STYLE: Big Band
FROM: BAIRNSDALE VIC
LEADER: **Kees Dogger** COND
Alexander Poynton TPT
Chris Scott TPT
Courtney Lawless TPT
Graham Patrick TPT
Tom Cousin TPT
Monique Cousin TPT
Maxine Fisher TPT
Graham Hall TPT
Bob Stevens TMB

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BEACH CABINS MERIMBULA

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Band details

Caroline Monck TMB
Matthew Monck..... TMB
Graham Venables TMB
Rachael Gilliland..... TMB
Belinda Norman..... HRN
Rod Thomas..... HRN
Alison McGoldrick HRN
Katie Scott..... HRN
Esther Cribbes..... EUPH
Peter Vanden Hoff EUPH
Matt Lawless TUBA
Michelle Lee-Dogger . TUBA
Damian McGoldrick... TUBA
Trevor Fuhrmeister..... BS
Liam Dogger..... BS
Chris McAninly SAX
Lyn Fuhrmeister..... SAX
Rachael Sergi SAX
Ernie Walker SAX
Fiona Venables CLT
Krzysztof Pacholarz..... CLT
Shanna Murphy DMS
Doug Gilliland DMS
Jessica Ware VOC
Gaylene Bruce VOC
Maxine Fisher VOC

ELEMENTS

STYLE: Modern
FROM: NETHERCOTE NSW
LEADER: **Paul Dion** RDS
Bruce Johnson HRN
George Gerontakos BS
Saul Richardson GTR
Paul Dion KEY
Derrick Brassington.... DMS

EMILE BARNES MEMORIAL JAZZ ORCHESTRA

STYLE: New Orleans
FROM: LONG GULLEY VIC
LEADER: **Michael Tovey** CLT
Tony Thomas TPT
Bill Beasley TMB
Gary Kohrmann BS
Chris Gildersleeve BJO
Chris Gildersleeve GTR
Ron Cook SAX
Michael Tovey..... SAX
Carolyn Packer PNO
Jacqui O'Neill DMS
Beverley Baychek..... VOC

EUPHONICS

STYLE: Other
FROM: CHAPMAN ACT
LEADER: **Cathy Boxshall** VOC
Julie Roberts VOC
Rachel Smeal VOC
Richard Gallier VOC
Nicole Salinas..... VOC
Danny Daniel VOC
Stephanie Teagle VOC
Cathy Boxshall VOC
Jocelyn Browning..... VOC

FRANK ZAPPA MEMORIAL BBQ

STYLE: Modern
FROM: HACKETT ACT
LEADER: **Steve Fitzgerald** VBS
Jared Plane..... BS
Clare Fitzgerald KEY
Calum Builder..... CELL

HARRY, DAD AND DAVE

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: YARRAVILLE VIC
LEADER: **Todd Sidney**..... PNO
David Taylor..... BS
Harry Sidney..... DMS



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HEIST SOCIETY

STYLE: Traditional
 FROM: WARAMANGA ACT
 LEADER: **Robbie Mann** PNO
 Bori Cser CLT

HOT 7 JAZZ BAND

STYLE: Traditional
 FROM: MALLACOOTA VIC
 LEADER: **Rod Andrew** DMS
 Zach Raffan TPT
 Bill Beasley TMB
 John Huf SOU
 Peter Milburn BJO
 Pierre Kammacher RDS
 Bruce Gourlay PNO
 Rod Andrew VOC

HOT PEPPERS JAZZ BAND

STYLE: Traditional
 FROM: MALLACOOTA VIC
 LEADER: **Rod Andrew** DMS
 Tony Thomas TPT
 Bill Beasley TMB
 David Taylor BS
 Reginald Packer BJO
 Ron Cook RDS
 Bruce Gourlay PNO
 Tony Thomas VOC
 Rod Andrew VOC

IN 2 DEEP

STYLE: Mainstream
 FROM: PEARCE ACT
 LEADER: **Michael Dooley** PNO
 Scott Temby TPT
 Mark Durieu TPT
 Darren Ormsby TMB
 Philip Dick BS
 Camilo Gonzalez GTR

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Band details

Rouslan BabajanovSAX
Thomas Azoury CLT
Steve Richards DMS
Michael Dooley VOC
Rachel Thorne VOC

IN FULL SWING

STYLE: Big Band
FROM: ISABELLA PLAINS ACT
LEADER: **Beth Way**
Kathryn Hubbard TPT
Helen Walsh TPT
Jesse Everett TPT
Jono Windsor TPT
Kym Hart TPT
Samantha Lyneham TPT
James Gardner TMB
Chathura Bandutunga . TMB
Amy Stewart TMB
Simon Best TMB
James Campbell BS
Jurgen Parsons GTR
Toby Chamberlain SAX
Emma Montgomery SAX
Tanya Kiermaier SAX
Michael Gill SAX
Heather Whittle SAX
Christopher Gogala SAX
James Groves PNO
Jack Phemister DMS
Catherine Proctor VOC
James Kingsmill VOC

JACKSON FISHER PIANO MAN

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: WOLUMLA NSW
LEADER: **Jackson Fisher** PNO

JAN BLAKE'S JAZZ COMB

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: KILSYTH VIC
LEADER: **Jan Blake** VOC
Doug Kuhn BS
Roger Clark SAX
Rory Clark PNO
Larry Kean DMS

JAZZ ALLEY

STYLE: Traditional
FROM: CENTRAL TILBA NSW
LEADER: **Bev Long** BJO
Andy Ford TPT
Andy Ford TMB
John Moffatt SOU
Bob Porter SAX
Bob Porter CLT

JAZZ JUKEBOX

STYLE: Other
FROM: AINSLIE ACT
LEADER: **Tim Benson** TPT
Darren Ormsby TMB
Philip Dick BS
Col Bernau GTR
Jack Percy SAX
Leisa Keen PNO
Derrick Brassington DMS
Leisa Keen VOC

LEISA AND THE KEEN KATS

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: GIRALONG ACT
LEADER: **Leisa Keen** BS
Miroslav Bukovsky TPT
Darren Ormsby TMB
John Kackey SAX
Alexander Wanjura DMS
Leisa Keen VOC

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LIJUKA

STYLE: Modern
 FROM: ENDEAVOUR HILLS VIC
 LEADER: **Katrina Owen**SAX
 Elisabeth FerrisBS
 Elisabeth Ferris GTR
 Julia Bebenek DMS
 Katrina Owen VOC
 Julia Bebenek VOC

MAGNOLIA MARCHING BAND

STYLE: Ragtime
 FROM: PUTNEY NSW
 LEADER: **Chris Gildersleeve** DMS
 Peter Poole TPT
 Bob Netting TPT
 Bill Beasley TMB
 Ron CookSAX
 Michael ToveySAX
 Jacqui O'Neill DMS
 Barry Canham DMS
 Kevin Bolton DMS



MAL'S MALINGERERS

STYLE: Mainstream
 FROM: NORTH RYDE NSW
 LEADER: **Mal Quine**SAX
 Brian Somerville TPT
 Stephen Elias TPT
 Chris MearnsBS
 Roland Moore GTR
 Bruce GourlayPNO
 Alan Richards DMS

MARIE WILSON/BRUCE JOHNSON GROUP

STYLE: Mainstream
 FROM: LEURA NSW
 LEADER: **Bruce Johnson** TPT
 Bruce JohnsonHRN
 George GerontakosBS
 Paul DionPNO
 Greg McClain DMS
 Marie Wilson VOC



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Band details

MARIE WILSON AND PAUL DION

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: SHELLHARBOUR NSW
LEADER: **Paul Dion**KEY
Marie WilsonVOC

MIKE MCCALL'S MAINSTREAMERS

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: Turvey Park ACT
LEADER: **Mike McCall**BS
Peter PooleTPT
Peter PooleTMB
Roger ClarkSAX
Peter PooleSAX
Gordon BrownKEY
Bill LawlerDMS
Kath McCallVOC
Mike McCallVOC

MIKE TOVEY'S MIGHTY FIVE

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: LONG GULLEY VIC
LEADER: **Michael Tovey**SAX
Bob NettingTPT
Colin DaviesBS
Tom TylerBJO
Michael ToveyCLT
Kevin BoltonDMS
Beverley BaychekVOC

MISS BEVERLEY'S RHYTHM METHOD

STYLE: Traditional
FROM: PUTNEY NSW
LEADER: **Chris Gildersleeve**BJO
Gary KohrmannBS
Chris GildersleeveGTR
Michael ToveySAX
Michael ToveyCLT
Kevin BoltonDMS
Kevin BoltonWBD
Beverley BaychekVOC

MOOD OPERATORS

STYLE: Modern
FROM: ROBERTSON NSW
LEADER: **Ron Volcich**GTR
John McKennaKEY
John McKennaVOC
Ron VolcichVOC

MOONEE VALLEY JAZZ BAND

STYLE: Traditional
FROM: MOONEE PONDS VIC
LEADER: **John Morrison**PNO
Tony ThomasTPT
Bill BeasleyTMB
Mike McCallBS
Peter MilburnBJO
Mal QuineRDS
John MorrisonKEY
Bill LawlerDMS

NAVEL GAZERS

STYLE: Modern
FROM: NORTH RYDE NSW
LEADER: **Mal Quine**SAX
Stephen EliasTPT
Chris MearnsBS
Roland MooreGTR
Patrick ClarkSAX
Ian PritchardPNO
John RudgeDMS

NOWHERE TO HIDE

STYLE: Latin Jazz
FROM: BEGA NSW
LEADER: **David Hall**BS
Col CrawfordGTR
Brian KilleSAX
Brian BurrowsDMS



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OCTAVIS

STYLE: Mainstream
 FROM: PADSTOW NSW
 LEADER: **Trevor Hogan**..... TPT
 Lee Tuckwell..... TMB
 Chris MearnsBS
 Roland Moore..... GTR
 Graham DrakeSAX
 Mal QuineSAX
 Ian PritchardPNO
 John Rudge DMS

OLIVER WHISKY

STYLE: Mainstream
 FROM: PADSTOW NSW
 LEADER: **Bruce Gourlay**PNO
 David Taylor.....BS
 Rod Andrew..... DMS

ORBOST SECONDARY COLLEGE

STYLE: Big Band
 FROM: ORBOST VIC
 LEADER: **Mandy Forrester**
 Sue Taylor..... TPT
 Lokan Woertz..... TPT
 Sarah Caddie..... TPT

Daelan Sztynka TMB
 Michael Schafer..... TMB
 Leigh FitzgeraldBS
 James Steel.....BS
 Nick Fisher..... GTR
 Bonnie AuerSAX
 Oscar MilwardSAX
 Carl Forrester.....SAX
 Lynette NewmanSAX
 Henry Hammond CLT
 Sue Taylor..... FLT
 Cameron Brunt PERC
 Shannon Demeris PERC
 Katherine Hammond .PERC
 Kyan Mathews..... PERC
 Cassidy Martin VOC
 India MacDonnell..... VOC

PAM ALLEN AND THE LAST MANGO IN PARIS

STYLE: Mainstream
 FROM: BLACKHEATH NSW
 LEADER: **Pam Allen**VOC
 George GerontakosBS
 Steve JewellKEY
 Greg McClain DMS
 Clive Pullman..... CONG

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PETER BARTA & KOOKY FANDANGO

STYLE: Modern
FROM: CANBERRA ACT
LEADER: **Peter Barta**BS
Joe KurtzSAX
Ross BuchananPNO
Mark Levers DMS

PEZCOBAR

STYLE: Funk
FROM: MARSFIELD NSW
LEADER: **Darren Lacey** GTR
Josh Stevenson TPT
Nick AgnewTMB
Leighton HollowayBS
Greg DuttonSAX
Grace AbergasKEY
Nathan Carr DMS
Benjamin Rieck VOC
Grace Abergas VOC

PIERRE'S DREAM BANNED

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: LYNEHAM ACT
LEADER: **Pierre Kammacher** RDS
David TaylorBS
Mike Parker GTR
Bruce GourlayPNO
Alan Richards DMS

PIERRE'S HOTTENTOTS

STYLE: Traditional
FROM: LYNEHAM ACT
LEADER: **Pierre Kammacher** RDS
Bill BeasleyTMB
Grant Clayton GTR
Chico CzikowskiPNO
John HufSOU
Rod Andrew DMS

RAGTIME DAVE

STYLE: Ragtime
FROM: PICNIC POINT NSW
LEADER: **David Beattie**PNO

RAKISS

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: BLACKHEATH NSW
LEADER: **Kristina Frazer** VOC
Stephen Elia TPT
Steve ClarkBS
Ron Anderson RDS
Ian PritchardPNO
Alan Richards DMS
Kristina Frazer VOC

RED HEART BLUE

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: WOLUMLA NSW
LEADER: **Jackson Fisher** GTR
Chris RalfsBS
Steve Faggotter GTR
Jackson FisherKEY
Corine Masliah PERC
Jackson Fisher PERC
Jackson Fisher HARM
Corine Masliah VOC

RHYTHM SYNDICATE

STYLE: Big Band
FROM: FADDEN ACT
LEADER: **Kym McKnown** VOC
Camilo GonzalezDIR
Michael DooleyPNO
Mike Lester VOC
Lachlan Kennedy VOC
Anne Haines VOC
Ann Freeman VOC
Suzanne Hartshorne VOC
Aine Dowling VOC
Sue Pye VOC
Wendy Barilaro VOC
Graham Freeman VOC
Mike Reddy VOC
Kerry Brown VOC
Don Cameron VOC
Sue Kirby VOC
Chris Logue VOC
Suzy Eggins VOC

Sue Henderson..... VOC
 Rob Grice VOC
 Sabine Bouladon VOC
 Kathy Kelly Johnson.... VOC
 Paul Herbert VOC
 Jenny Price..... VOC
 Martin Smith VOC
 Helen Kivela..... VOC
 Derek Pottenger VOC
 Debbie Dwyne VOC
 Ian Chapman VOC
 Lee Wilde..... VOC



ROBBIE MANN PIANO RECITAL

STYLE: Traditional
 FROM: WARAMANGA ACT
 LEADER: **Robbie Mann**.....PNO

ROBBIE RAGS THE CLASSICS

STYLE: Ragtime
 FROM: WARAMANGA ACT
 LEADER: **Robbie Mann**.....PNO
 Zach Raffan TPT
 Owen Cooper TMB
 David Abkiewicz SOU
 Liam O'Connell..... BJO
 Thomas Manley CLT
 Steve Fitzgerald..... DMS

ROGER CLARK QUARTET

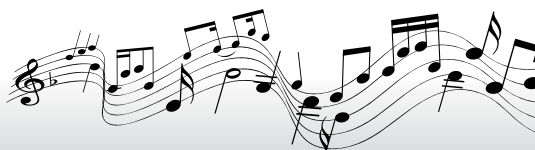
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 FROM: CANTERBURY VIC
 LEADER: **Roger Clark**.....SAX
 Doug KuhnBS
 Rory Clark.....PNO
 Larry Kean DMS

RON ANDERSON TRIO

STYLE: Modern
 FROM: MALVERN VIC
 LEADER: **Ron Anderson**.....PNO
 Doug KuhnBS
 Graham Morris DMS

SAPPHIRE COAST JAZZ BAND

STYLE: Big Band
 FROM: PAMBULA NSW
 LEADER: **Paul Dion**..... COND
 Chris Greenwood TPT
 David Quinlan TPT
 Ray Barling TPT
 Joseph Williams TPT
 Aharon Love-Myers TPT
 Helen Gill TPT
 Nicholas Hassanoff TPT
 David Moore TMB
 Bob Stevens TMB
 Bruce Munchenberg.... TMB
 David HallBS
 Robert Smallwood..... GTR
 Ethan BurtonSAX
 Ingrid OwensSAX
 Emma PiccioneSAX
 Mike LackeySAX
 Oscar Gill.....SAX
 Hunter Bailey-WattsPNO
 Hunter Bailey-WattsKEY
 Keith Broomfield..... PERC



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SAPPHIRE COAST LEARNING COMMUNITY STAGE BAND

STYLE: Big Band
 FROM: BEGA NSW
 LEADER: **Candy McVeity** COND
 Sam Mills COND
 Anna Martin TPT
 Peter Claxton TPT
 Imogen Bichard BS
 Luke Meyers GTR
 Malachi Mills-Hindle GTR
 Max Navarette GTR
 Lillian McVeity SAX
 Taj Constable SAX
 Xantia McCormack SAX
 Heidi Sharples SAX
 Zoe Chapple SAX
 Jess Bird SAX
 Grace Moore SAX
 Elouise Hicks CLT
 Jorja Rebbers CLT



Chelsea Hoare CLT
 Hunter Bailey-Watts KEY
 Jake Hansen DMS
 Matt Gibbs VOC
 Kataya McCormack VOC
 Jackson Myers VOC
 Sarah Lingard-Sinclair . VOC
 Paris Sitchon VOC

SARAH MACLAINE'S JAZZ 'N' CHAMPAGNE

STYLE: Mainstream
 FROM: YARRAVILLE VIC
 LEADER: **Sarah Maclaine** VOC
 David Taylor BS
 Ron Anderson SAX
 Ron Anderson FLT
 Todd Sidney PNO
 Ken Vatcher DMS

SAUL RICHARDSON AND THE BUREAUCRATS

STYLE: Mainstream
 FROM: CROWS NEST NSW
 LEADER: **Saul Richardson** BS
 Saul Richardson GTR
 Jono Savery SAX
 Jono Savery CLT
 Angus Reoch DMS

SAX HQ AND FRIENDS

STYLE: Mainstream
 FROM: MT TAYLOR VIC
 LEADER: **James Newman** SAX
 Cade Steenholdt TPT
 Alexandra Lombardo BS
 Callum Ingram GTR
 Lynette Newman SAX
 Krzysztof Pacholarz SAX
 Thomas Poynton SAX
 Carla Van Hoorn SAX
 Krzysztof Pacholarz CLT
 Lynette Newman CLT
 James Newman CLT
 James Caddie DMS

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SAXEMA SAXOPHONE QUARTET

STYLE: Mainstream
 FROM: Gordon ACT
 LEADER: **Charles Butcher**.....SAX
 Tanya Kiermaier.....SAX
 Nathan Sciberras.....SAX

SOUTH SEAS STOMPERS

STYLE: Traditional
 FROM: TORRENS ACT
 LEADER: **Tony Thomas**.....COR
 Bill Beasley.....TMB
 Gary Kohrmann.....BS
 Jim Styles.....BJO
 Ron Cook.....SAX
 Jacqui O'Neill.....DMS

SPECTRUM

STYLE: Big Band
 FROM: GARRAN ACT
 LEADER: **Tony Barker**.....DIR
 Evan Patterson.....TPT
 Marty Carrick.....TPT
 Kathryn Hubbard.....TPT
 Scott Levers.....TPT
 Ruby Thomas.....TPT

Anna Doukakis.....TPT
 Manning Fell.....TMB
 Bronwyn Smith.....TMB
 Iris Eager.....TMB
 Mark Anderson.....TMB
 Simon Hulkin.....TMB
 Jason Henderson.....BS
 Daniel Poole.....GTR
 Oskah Dunnin.....SAX
 Thomas Colemanbell....SAX
 Callum Richens.....SAX
 George Stanwix.....SAX
 Caleb Campbell.....PNO
 Alicia Peritt.....DMS
 Brandon Reed.....DMS
 Neille Williams.....VOC

SQUEAK & SQUAWK DYNAMIC ORCHESTRA

STYLE: Other
 FROM: NEWTOWN NSW
 LEADER: **Hugo Pfandler**.....PNO
 Bob Netting.....TUBA
 Bev Long.....BJO
 Bradley O'Toole.....CLT
 Steve Crawford.....WBD
 Barry Whitlock.....WBD
 Phil O'Rourke.....WBD
 Nesta Whitlock.....VOC
 Hugo Pfandler.....VOC
 Bradley O'Toole.....VOC
 Bev Long.....VOC

SR'S YOUNG JAZZ WORKSHOPPERS

STYLE: Mainstream
 FROM: CROWS NEST NSW
 LEADER: **Saul Richardson**.....BS
 Finlay Fitzsimons.....TPT
 Ben Gotley.....TPT
 Nicholas Mallinson.....TPT
 Saul Richardson.....GTR
 Michelle Shih.....GTR
 Liam Gotley.....PNO
 Oscar Kuo.....DMS

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STEVE JEWELL TRIO

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: BLACKHEATH NSW
LEADER: **Stephen Jewell**PNO
George GerontakosBS
Greg McClain DMS
Greg McClainVOC

STEVE RICHARDS QUARTET

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: HOLT ACT
LEADER: **Steve Richards**..... DMS
Barnaby Briggs.....BS
Adam MatthewsSAX
Sally Greenaway.....PNO
Steve Richards DMS

SWING TOWN

STYLE: Swing
FROM: WOONOONA NSW
LEADER: **Chris McRobert**BS
Ron Volcich GTR
John McKennaKEY
Ron VolcichVOC
Chris McRobert VOC

TEMBTANGLEMENT

STYLE: Modern
FROM: CANBERRA ACT
LEADER: **Scott Temby** TPT
Josh HartTMB
Barnaby Briggs.....BS
Rouslan BabajanovSAX
Clare FitzgeraldPNO
Sim Staker DMS
Lucy Ridge VOC



TEN POUND POMS

STYLE: Swing
FROM: CHISHOLM ACT
LEADER: **Simon Pitt**..... BJO
Simon Pitt GTR
John Walker.....SAX
Karan Walker CLT
Dianne Stewart CLT
Helen Kelly..... CLT
John Walker..... CLT
Dianne StewartFLT
Simon Pitt..... VOC
Karan WalkerCELL

THE AWESOME

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: MALLACOOTA VIC
LEADER: **Mili Cifali**..... GTR
Jim HorvathBS
John Roche DMS
Mili Cifali VOC



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THE BANJO FACTORY

STYLE: Traditional
 FROM: ERINA NSW
 LEADER: **Bill McClean** BJO
 Bob Netting TUBA
 Jim Styles BJO
 David English..... BJO
 Bev Long BJO
 Gordon Brown PNO
 Barry Whitlock..... WBD
 Nesta Whitlock VOC

THE HIGHLANDERS JAZZ BAND

STYLE: Traditional
 FROM: ROBERTSON NSW
 LEADER: **John Stewart**..... TMB
 Peter Poole..... TPT
 Mike McCall.....BS
 Reginald Packer BJO
 Fred Commins..... RDS
 Gordon Brown PNO
 Bill Lawler DNS
 Dick Peel WBD
 John Stewart VOC
 Martine Rolff VOC

THE JAZZ CATS

STYLE: Mainstream
 FROM: LITTLE FOREST NSW
 LEADER: **David Miles**.....SAX
 David Munday TPT
 Brian Somerville TPT
 David Munday TMB
 Steve HladioBS
 Stuart McVicar..... GTR
 Himani Smeaton.....KEY
 James Sands..... DMS
 Shaun Dickson HARM

THE KING'S SCHOOL SENIOR STAGE BAND

STYLE: Big Band
 FROM: NORTH PARRAMATTA NSW
 LEADER: **Greg Burgett**
 James Dugdale..... TPT
 Samuel Rider..... TPT
 William Konstandinidis . TPT
 Gordon Nguyen TMB
 Felix Mo..... TMB
 Nathan Dugdale.....BS
 Jack Horton.....BS
 Patrick XieSAX

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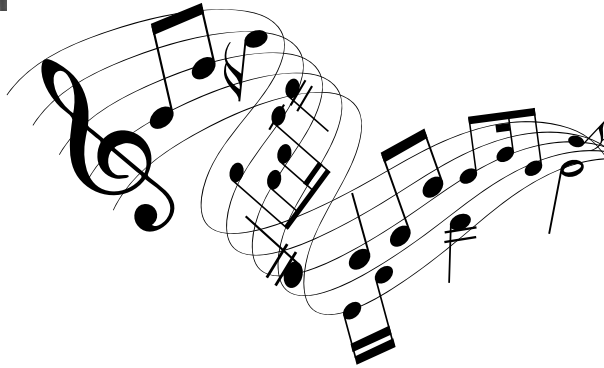
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Archie StacySAX
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Jamie Robinson.....SAX
Blaize Cavallera-Sivis....SAX
Sunstone ShiPNO
Ariyan Sharma DMS
Joshua Wehbe..... DMS
Ariyan Sharma PERC
Joshua Wehbe.....PERC

THE SWISS CONNECTION

STYLE: Mainstream
FROM: LYNEHAM ACT
LEADER: **Mike Parker** GTR
Doug KuhnBS
Pierre Kammacher.....SAX
Pierre Kammacher.....CLT
Bruce GourlayPNO
Alan Richards PERC

THIRD AVENUE

STYLE: Modern
FROM: EASTWOOD NSW
LEADER: **Scott Bennett**..... DMS
Chris BlundellSAX
Paul BennettPNO
Tom Pegler VOC
Ryland Joyce..... VOC



THE MAGNIFICENCE

STYLE: Traditional
FROM: LISMORE NSW
LEADER: **Cameron Smith**..... TPT
John GoslingTMB
David AbkiewiczSOU
Liam O'Connell BJO
Liam O'Connell VOC
Lachlan Smith..... DMS
Thomas Manley..... CLT





TRAXION BIG BAND

STYLE: Big Band
 FROM: HARRISON ACT
 LEADER: **Jim McMullen**..... MGR
 Jim McMullenDIR
 Lucy Ridge TPT
 Carla Ward..... TPT
 Scott Temby TPT
 Emma Tracey-Patte..... TPT
 Scott Levers TPT
 Samuel Hutchinson TPT
 Robert Dickson..... TMB
 Matthew HydeTMB
 Bec Temby.....TMB
 Lachlan Dodd TMB
 Matthew Ricketts TMB
 Alec CoulsonBS
 Tyson Jones..... GTR
 Gerry FosterSAX
 Elise Vellnagel.....SAX
 Jeremy PinneySAX
 Lauren Thurlow.....SAX
 Michael Bowman.....SAX
 Dani Johnson-DaveySAX
 Dominic Weiller.....PNO
 Sim Staker DMS
 Lucy Ridge VOC

TWILIGHT JAZZ

STYLE: Big Band
 FROM: MELBA ACT
 LEADER: **Shane Mitchell**
 Morgan Shepherd..... TPT
 Joel Ramsay TPT
 Amy Sleeman TPT
 Eloise Guinane-Bannerman ...TPT
 David Kopras..... TPT
 Kayte Flanagan..... TPT
 James Gardner TMB
 Chathura Bandutunga .TMB
 Fred AragayTMB
 Shane Mitchell.....TMB
 Ben GreenBS
 Dylan Slater GTR
 Emma Mitchell.....SAX
 Sarah Masling.....SAX
 Caleb BallSAX
 Callum RichensSAX
 Jack TaylorSAX
 Hannah Richardson.....SAX
 Grace Flanagan PERC
 Mark Body..... PERC
 David Castle PERC
 Sarah Masling..... VOC

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WHISKY STRAITS

STYLE: Other

FROM: WEETANGERA ACT

LEADER: **Owen Cooper** TMB
Owen Cooper BS
Jake Cussen GTR
Jake Cussen VOC
Owen Cooper VOC

WHISPERING JACK

STYLE: Other

FROM: NORTH RYDE NSW

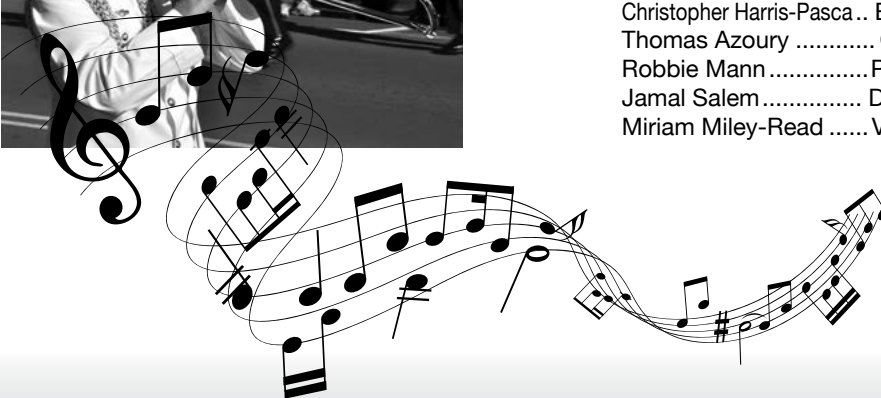
LEADER: **Mal Quine** SAX
Brian Somerville TPT
Stephen Elias TPT
Lee Tuckwell TMB
Chris Mearns BS
Roland Moore GTR
Graham Drake SAX
Patrick Clark SAX
Ian Pritchard PNO
John Rudge DMS

ZACKERBILKS

STYLE: Traditional

FROM: NICHOLLS ACT

LEADER: **Miriam Miley-Read** UKE
Zach Raffan TPT
Matthew Ricketts TMB
Scott Temby SOU
Scott Temby BS
Christopher Harris-Pasca.. BJO
Thomas Azoury CLT
Robbie Mann PNO
Jamal Salem DMS
Miriam Miley-Read VOC



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Russ “Red Rims” Sheridan was a welcomed and popular performer at the Merimbula Jazz Festival for many years. In 2009, he received the MJF Award for his commitment to our Festival.

Russ started piano lessons at the age of 5 and by 11 he was entertaining customers in his aunt’s hotel in Geelong. He played up and down the iconic Surf Coast of Southern Victoria. He was part of the Owen Yateman Jazzmen that won New Faces.

**ORBITUARY –
FAREWELL MJF
AWARD WINNER
RUSS “RED
RIMS” SHERIDAN**

– 12/9/1934 –
13/6/2017

The list of bands that he played with is too long to name but Merimbula Jazz Festival audiences will remember him most for the Ragtime Rollers that was the group that played each year at the Jazz Breakfast and of course Pluck and Tickle. He was very much in demand in a range of bands at the Merimbula Jazz Festival over many years.

His last gig was on Monday 12th June at the Jazz Hatters Party where he played with Mal Quine in Mal’s Malingerers. At the end of the set he left in high spirits with the words “See you tomorrow”. But sadly that was not to be and Russ died suddenly early next morning.

We will miss him - a true gentleman and a great friend of the Merimbula Jazz Festival.

The Committee
– Merimbula Jazz Festival.

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Band Chatter

Welcome to the 38th Annual Merimbula Jazz Festival. With a great selection of Bands in attendance this year and many of them returning from previous years, there is no doubt that we are in for a feast of music over this holiday weekend. A quick glance at the “WELCOME JAZZERS” segment at the front of this Program Book will acquaint everyone with all the background information they need on the Festival.



A SHORT HISTORY OF THE MERIMBULA JAZZ FESTIVAL.

“The Beginning”

It was during an impromptu Sunday afternoon gig in 1980 at Stan Delle Virgin's home at 20 Main Street Merimbula that the notion of a local Jazz Festival was

mooted. The Gipps Dance Band headed by Margie Fullerton from Traralgon Vic were in town, and were relaxing on the Sunday after playing for a Golf Club Ball the previous night.

At this time the Local Down South Jazz Band were getting their act together and Stan invited them all for a blow. The Lounge Room photo above shows all those musos present, from left to right: Barry Pascoe, Trom - DSJB. Barry Turner, Bass - Gipps. Tony Fullerton, Trom -

Gipps. Ron Foale, Reeds - Gipps. Margie Fullerton - Gipps. John Cursley, Drms - DSJB. Jiri Kripac, Tpt - DSJB. John Hargreaves, Drms - Gipps. Phil Lowe, Drms - Gipps. Stan Delle Vergin, Bass - Host. Marj Fox, Tpt - Gipps. Bill McLean, Banjo - DSJB. Leon Cross, Reeds - Gipps.

Also present were locals, Pat and Lyn McGannon, Lee Cross, and Helen McDonald. Stan lived at Sale in Gippsland in the late 50s. He played danceband music with most Gippsland musicians, in particular, The Ron Foale Dixieland Jazz Band. The Merimbula Jazz Festival Award was originally named "The Ron Foale Award".

Local musos Barry Pascoe, John Cursley and John Moffat along with Stan, agreed that the idea was worth following up and those four became the first organising committee for the Merimbula Jazz Festival held in 1981. Barry Pascoe is recognised as the founding father and was the driving force. The Down South Jazz Band led by Jiri Kripac had formed and was practising regularly at the Wolumla Pub. The band registered for and attended the 35th Jazz Convention in December 1980.

Barry, John Cursley and the others spread the word to Convention musos and delegates and issued the very first MJF Newsletter and the registration forms. They publicised the fact that a founding Jazz Festival was to be held at Merimbula on the following June long weekend of 1981. Not many people in the jazz world knew where Merimbula was located, but that has since changed.

Further information on the History of the Merimbula Jazz Festival can be obtained from the official website of the Merimbula Jazz Festival at www.merimbulajazz.org.au

73rd AUSTRALIAN JAZZ CONVENTION

On 26th December of 2018 the 73rd Australian Jazz Convention will transform Ballarat, Victoria, into the centre of Australian Jazz for one fantastic week. For more details visit www.2018jazzconvention.org.au

THE WAY IT IS

The Jazz Festival Committee is assisted by over 100 helpers and playing a prominent role is the Down South Jazz Club , whose assistance is entirely voluntary. The street parade, traffic control, staging and door security are all handled by Pambula Rotary. These helpers employ the talents of other service clubs, in the region. All monies received are channeled back to the community for the use of local charities. All positions on the Jazz Committee are voluntary and profits, after expenses, are directed back to the musicians to help offset their expenses.



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YOUNG JAZZ WORKSHOPPERS



THE MAGNIFICENCE

NEW BANDS AND SPECIAL PERFORMERS IN 2018

We are delighted to announce that among the visiting bands and performers this year are:

YOUNG JAZZ WORKSHOPPERS

The Young Jazz Workshopppers are a band of students from Jazz Workshop Australia, a venue and music school in St Leonards, Sydney. Aged 9 to 14, they are keen and talented. With a rare three-trumpet front line backed by a swinging rhythm section, they are led by their teacher and mentor, Saul Richardson, on electric bass. They look young but these kids can play!

THE MAGNIFICENCE

Trumpet player and singer Cam McCracken Smith has been honing his set of almost-traditional jazz and New Orleans inspired originals for over a decade, playing at Edinburgh Fringe, Woodford Folk Festival and every pub and street corner from Canberra to Cairns.

The legacy of Storeyville continues in the growing collection of Smith's witty, unpretentious songs that entertain and amuse. Formed in 2017 with Brother Lachi on Drums, for the Merimbula Jazz Festival they will be joined by Dave Abkiewicz on Sousaphone, John "the Bone Ranger" Gosling trombone, Tom Manley clarinet and Liam O'Connell on banjo.

The Magnificence growl, they mewl, they cook – and they make audiences feel better about otherwise questionable life choices.



SAXEMA

The opposite is the case as they continue to delight audiences as they explore music ranging from Brubeck to the Beatles. Regulars with the quartet are Todd Sidney on piano and Dave Taylor on bass.



CUL DE SAC

CUL DE SAC

This popular band is led by the great saxophonist Ron Anderson, a winner of the Merimbula Jazz Festival Award, supported by long-time friend Graham Morris on drums. The band had a residency of some nine years at the Rising Sun Hotel in South Melbourne, which must be some sort of a record for a modern jazz quartet.

The band coined the name Cul De Sac during this period, to jokingly describe a band that “was going nowhere”!

SAXEMA

Saxema is a talented saxophone quartet from Canberra, which was formed in 1998 when a group of friends began meeting to make music together. Despite some changes in personnel the group is still going strong twenty years later. Saxema has performed at many venues throughout Canberra and surrounding areas and has also been featured live on local ABC radio.

Showcasing the versatility of the saxophone family, Saxema’s repertoire covers a wide range of jazz styles from toe-tapping ragtime and early jazz to contemporary tunes. The individual voices of the soprano, alto, tenor and baritone saxes are all featured and blend together to make a sound that is truly unique!

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BRASS KNUCKLE BRASS BAND

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Brass Knuckle Brass Band is a sweaty late-night party for anyone who knows a sousaphone will always be tougher than a bass guitar. Think whiskey dripping from trombone spit-valves; drummers with callouses on their callouses. Think a crusty bari sax belting from the gutter and you're starting to get the idea.

First thrown together for a one-off Wednesday night show, BKBB has opened for funk heavyweights Charles Bradley and Fred Wesley, and played at Falls Festival and Woodford Folk Festival. Following a debut EP in 2013, the band collaborated with hip-hop young gun Citizen Kay on the single "Raise a Glass", which became a Triple J favourite.

SAX HQ AND FRIENDS

Consisting of music students and staff at Bairnsdale Secondary College, SaxHQ is a constantly evolving group exploring the musical possibilities of the saxophone. This year they have joined forces with



PEZCOBAR

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"A killer nine-piece band that brings a festival vibe to every gig."

Band leader Darren Lacey.

Since forming in 2015, this cartel of like-minded Funkaholics have been moving in clandestine circles with the soul purpose of infiltrating the local funk underworld with their distribution of unique contraband grooves. On the back of a string of shows at Frankies By The Slice, Lazybones Lounge, Foundry616, Venue 505 and the Wollombi Music Festival, PezcoBar are about to hit the studio.

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SAX HQ AND FRIENDS

Personnel: Carlia Van Hoorn, Thomas Poynton, Krzysztof Pacholarz, Zara Steenholdt, Lynette Newman, James Newman, (saxes and clarinet); Cade Steenholdt (trumpet), Callum Ingram (guitar), Alexandra Lombardo (bass), James Caddie (drums).

rhythm section and trumpet to study the development of jazz styles. Starting from the very earliest jazz and progressing through swing and bebop to the 70s fusion with rock styles, SaxHQ and friends are presenting a show called “The Jazz Time Machine”.

ROBBIE MANN

Robbie Mann is a self-taught Ragtime and Stride piano specialist based in Canberra, with background in Classical piano. His group, ‘Robbie Rags The Classics’ continues the tradition of adapting various popular melodies into the jazz idiom, commonplace among the enterprising ragtime and jazz pianists, dance bands and orchestras of old. Indeed, the popularity of ragtime and jazz was due in part to how amenable the style was in applying to all kinds of melodies. Robbie has gone a few steps further than the usual token efforts and has adapted



ROBBIE MANN

a wide range of composers - ranging from Bach, Mozart, Beethoven through to Chopin, Debussy and Wagner - into a variety of different early jazz forms for his 7 piece band. Expect the music of the great masters as if they’d actually been born and nurtured within the debauchery of early 20th Century New Orleans.

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We accumulate quite a collection of found articles. The Jazz Committee will be only too happy to return anything found provided it has been reported lost and we have an address to send it to.

Please hand any found items into the Jazz Office in Twyford Hall.

PLANNING YOUR NEXT HOLIDAY IN MERIMBULA?

Merimbula Visitor Information Centre

For all your accommodation - from holiday apartments, units and motels to cabins and caravan sites, give our friendly staff a call in Merimbula 7 days a week.

Phone: 02 6495 1129
Fax: 02 6495 1250

On behalf of the Jazz Festival Committee we wish to thank the following businesses and local organisations for their support. These businesses and organisations are listed throughout the page listings of this Program Book

Club Sapphire Merimbula
Merimbula RSL Club
Lakeview Hotel
Amcal Pharmacy Merimbula
Back Street Bakehouse Merimbula
Bega Valley Shire Council
Beach Cabins Merimbula
Carbon Copy Printing Pambula
Cellarbrations Merimbula
Discovery Holiday Park Pambula Beach
Dragon Lake Restaurant Merimbula
Goodyear Tyre Service Merimbula
Kothes Chartered Accountants Merimbula
Merimbula Airport Handling
Merimbula Chamber of Commerce
Merimbula Marine Rescue
Merimbula News Weekly
Picture Show Man Cinema Merimbula
Pier One Bar and Grill Merimbula
Platinum Traffic Services
Rotary Clubs of Pambula & Merimbula
Sante Fe Restaurant Merimbula
Sapphire Coast Historic Vehicle Club
Sapphire Coast Regional Airport
Sapphire Valley Caravan Park Merimbula
Sapphire Water Dragons
Sapphire Waters Motor Inn Merimbula
Sautelle White Lawyers Merimbula
Seicon Consulting Group
Subway Restaurant Merimbula
Swannies Clothing Co. Merimbula
Tween Waters Holiday Resort
Westpac Bank Merimbula

Early Bird Registration

Visit our website, and add your email address to our mailing list to receive our newsletter and registration forms by email in January 2018. (<http://merimbulajazz.org.au/subscribe>)

The newsletter and registration forms can also be downloaded from our website www.merimbulajazz.org.au

Every year we provide an Early Bird option, resulting in savings to those Jazz Lovers who register at least 12 weeks before the festival. The final date for Early Bird registrations will be clearly stated on the forms as will the details for Direct Deposit which is the preferred and simplest method.

Once again local businesses have generously donated a substantial number of prizes for the winners of the Early Bird entries. These will be drawn before the Festival opening so look in your package when you arrive to see if you have been lucky.

Early Bird Prizes

1. SAPPHIRE VALLEY CARAVAN PARK

Reid Street, Merimbula (02) 6495 1746
One week family accommodation at any time outside of school holidays or Easter.
Valued \$900

2. CLUB SAPPHIRE MERIMBULA

Main St. Merimbula (02) 6495 1306
x7 \$20 Meal Vouchers in the Club Bistro.

3. MERIMBULA RSL

52-54 Main St. Merimbula (02) 6495 1502
x2 Gift Cards to the value of \$50ea.

4. SANTA FE RESTAURANT

Merimbula Plaza Beach Street,
Merimbula (02) 6495 4073
x4 \$15 Meal Vouchers.

6. DRAGON LAKE CHINESE RESTAURANT

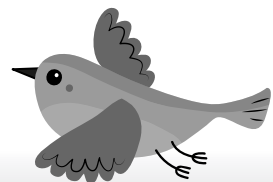
23 Beach Street,
Merimbula (02) 6495 1404
x3 Meal Vouchers to the value of \$35ea

7. PIER ONE BAR AND GRILL

2/5 Market Street Merimbula
(02) 6495 1101
x2 Meal Vouchers to the value of \$30ea

8. CELLARBRATIONS AT MERIMBULA

Palmer Lane Merimbula (02) 6495 2110
5 x \$20 Gift Cards



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you

MERIMBULA AIRPORT SERVICES

© (02) 6495 4211

Emergency Numbers

* 9AM - 5PM / ** 10AM - 4PM

AMCAL MERIMBULA

32 Market Street, Merimbula.
02 **6495 1244**. Open: Sat 9th June, 9am-12.30pm. Sun 10th & Mon 11th June, 9.30am-12.30pm

DIRECT CHEMIST OUTLET - TURA BEACH

Tura Beach Shopping Centre
02 **6495 0510**. Open: Sat 9th*, Sun 10th** and Mon 11th** June.

DIRECT CHEMIST OUTLET - MERIMBULA

9 Merimbula Drive (next to Post Office).
02 **6495 1458**. Open: Sat 9th*, Sun 10th** and Mon 11th** June.

AMBULANCE SERVICE

Merimbula Station, 1 Wyebo Street,
Merimbula. Phone: **131 233** or **000**

FIRE BRIGADE

Monaro Street, Merimbula.
Phone: 02 **6495 3062** or **000**

HOSPITALS

South East Regional Hospital,

4 Virginia Dr, Bega NSW.

Phone: 02 **6491 9999**.

Pambula District Hospital,

Merimbola Street, Pambula

Phone: 02 **6495 8200**

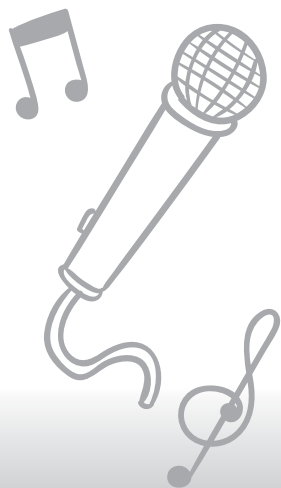
(Staffed by nurses for assessment, referral and treatment of minor injuries/conditions only. There are no doctors on duty).

POLICE STATION

Reid Street, Merimbula.

Phone: 02 **6495 1366** or **000**

Ecumenical Jazz Church Service



The Service will commence at 11.30am on Sunday June 10th at St Josephs Catholic Church Main Street, Merimbula. Entry to the Church is from 11.15am.

The Ecumenical Jazz Church Service immediately follows the regular Catholic service which ends at 11.00am. People attending the Ecumenical service are requested not to enter the Church until invited to do so by an Usher from 11.15am.

This year the service will feature the popular 'Rhythm Syndicate' and the Sapphire Coast vocal ensemble 'Spirit Allegro'.

THE LAKEVIEW HOTEL

– An official Jazz Festival Venue –



JAZZ QUEST

Hear the best young performers from around the country as they compete for cash prizes.

Proudly sponsored by the Lakeview Hotel.

10pm - 11.30pm
Saturday June 9th



BEBOP AND BEYOND

Paul Dion invites musicians young and old to jam. Bring your instruments and be part of an exciting and innovative jazz experience. NOT TO BE MISSED!!!

11.30pm - til late
Saturday June 9th



Phone: (02) 6495 1202

1 Market St, Merimbula NSW 2548

JAZZ PARTY HATTERS

MONDAY 11th
JUNE 2018

RSL
MERIMBULA

MERIMBULA
RSL CLUB

11am-4pm

WEAR YOUR
SPECIAL HAT &
HAVE THE CHANCE
TO WIN GREAT
PRIZES!!!

See program
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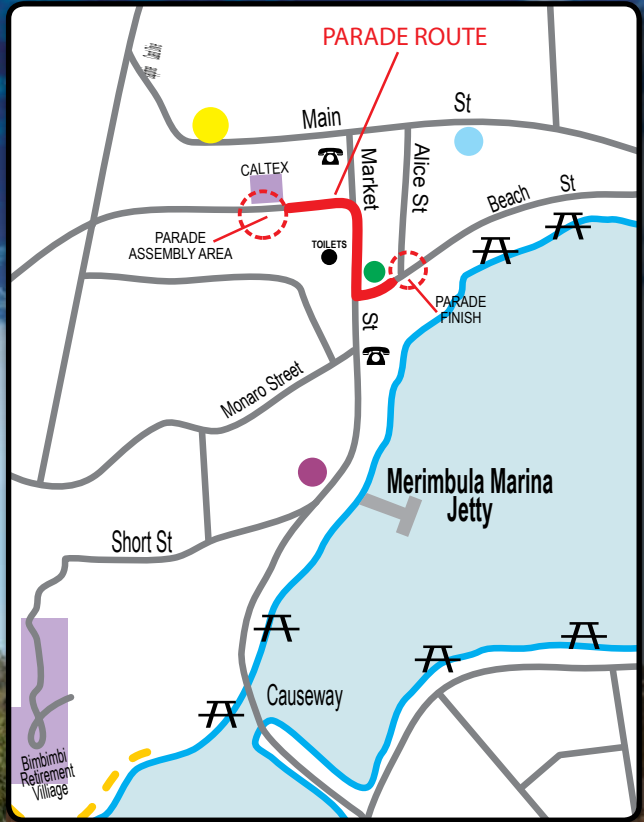
Hosted by the Down South Jazz Club / Down South Jazz Club Raffle Draw

www.merimbulajazz.org.au








Jazz Art

Keep a look out for the **JAZZ ART** during the festival. Local artists are getting into the swing of things by displaying works with a Jazz theme in **Club Sapphire**.



Where to go

-  TWYFORD HALL & JAZZ OFFICE
-  CLUB SAPPHIRE
-  LAKEVIEW HOTEL
-  MERIMBULA RSL
-  PARADE ROUTE

