

44TH

Merimbula Jazz Festival



2026 Program

FRIDAY 5 JUNE

Time	DULCIE'S	TWYFORD HALL	LAKEVIEW HOTEL	MAPLE LEAF ROOM - RSL	FUNCTION ROOM - RSL	AUDITORIUM - CLUB SAPPHIRE	KITTY'S - CLUB SAPPHIRE
4pm		Banjo and the boys	Brett and Friends		RetroBeats	Meaw trio	
5pm		Bassix	JWA Noah Lane Band	The Library of Alexandria	Sherbrooke Forest Jazz Band	Connor Moloney Septet	The Intrepid Dream
6pm		The Ramblers Jazz Band	JWA Young Jazz Workshopers	Cul De Sac 2	Whisky 'n Ice Jazz Band	Mark VI Ensemble	Lee Jones
7pm	Keitar	The Railwaymen Jazz Band	Mic Knight Trio	Cul De Sac 2	Ms Beverley's Rhythm Method	Adrian Rodden Band	The Library of Alexandria
8pm	Lee Jones	DR Hot Jazz Orchestra	Oliver Djurkovic Jazz Project	Jan and Tonic	Open Jam Session	The Admiral's Own Big Band	Divine Devilles
9pm		Jazz Alley	Ron Anderson Trio	Triple Exposure	Wonderdogs	The Admiral's Own Big Band to 9.15pm	Briggs 'n' Fitz
10pm		Dave Rebec Tribute Jazz Band	Paul Dion Quintet	JD Band			

SATURDAY 6 JUNE

Time	DULCIE'S	TWYFORD HALL	LAKEVIEW HOTEL	MAPLE LEAF ROOM - RSL	FUNCTION ROOM - RSL	AUDITORIUM - CLUB SAPPHIRE	KITTY'S - CLUB SAPPHIRE	MAIN BAR - CLUB SAPPHIRE
11:00		Jazz Alley	Tonic Trio & Friends	Jan and Tonic	St Edmunds College Canberra Jazz Band			
12:00		Mike Tovey's Mighty Five (plus 1)	The Gloombusters	Mark VI Ensemble	Twilight Jazz	Opening Ceremony	Jazz Lauvers	
1pm		Ms Beverley's Rhythm Method	The Admiral's Own New Orleans Band	Pippa Wilson & Friends	Traxion Big Band	Sydney Youth Jazz Orchestra	Two Blondes + a Bloke	
2pm		DR Hot Jazz Orchestra	Rory Clark Quintet	Music Shed Big Band Combo	ADFA Jazz Band	ConneXion Big Band	Christine Manetta Sings Nina Simone	
3pm		Gadje Swing	The Blues Accelerators	ARQ	Bairnsdale Secondary College Swing Band	ConneXion Big Band	JWA Young Jazz Workshopers	
4pm		Dave Rebec Tribute Jazz Band	Tembtanglement	Adrian Rodden Band	RAN Band Youth Workshop	In Full Swing		
5pm		Emile Barnes Memorial Jazz Orchestra	In2Deep	Pete's Marauders	Blamey Street Big Band	Prism Jazz Ensemble		
6pm	Kooky Fandango	Emile Barnes Memorial Jazz Orchestra	Euphonics	Anne Syer's 'S Wonderful	Blamey Street Big Band	Sonus Big Band		Gadje Swing
7pm	Elle Gonzales Collective	Dr Pete's New Orleans Footwarmers	Alexandra Ivanova Trio	Flute, Vibes and 2 gits	The Vocal Group	The Admiral's Own Big Band		Jazz Ants
8pm	JD Band	The Purple Feather And The Hornsmen	JWA Noah Lane Band	Next on the List with 20 Key Players	Leisa and The Keen Kats	Benjamin's Big Band		Ozimops
9pm	The Intrepid Dream	RetroBeats	Annaliesa Rose & the Buds	G&T Jazz	Canberra City Big Band	Songbirds of Belco		The Legendairy Cownt Bessie
10pm		The Railwaymen Jazz Band	Ron Anderson Trio	Saxedonia	Girl Friday and the Sepia Tones	EdGyJO		Two Blondes + a Bloke

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11:00		CITA Round Midnight	Marie-Cecile Henderson	Stillwater Trio	Third Avenue	Bairnsdale Secondary College Swing Band	Keitar
12:00		South Dereel City Stompers	Rory Clark Quintet	Briggs 'n' Fitz	Sonus Big Band	East Gippsland Brass (and Friends) - Big Band	Meaw trio
1pm	Jazz Lauvers	Tonic Trio & Friends	Tembtanglement	Marie-Cecile Henderson	Sydney Youth Jazz Orchestra	Canberra City Big Band	Christine Manetta & The Culture Combo
2pm	Ozimops	Dr Pete's New Orleans Footwarmers	Pippa Wilson & Friends	Jazz Quest	EdGyJO	Prism Jazz Ensemble	Jet Stream Jazz Combo
3pm	Jazz Notes Duo	Mike Tovey's Mighty Five (plus 1)	G&T Jazz	Jazz Quest	Songbirds of Belco	Twilight Jazz	Annaliesa Rose & the Buds
4pm	Jazz Notes Duo	Bassix	Divine Devilles	Jazz Quest	Euphonics	Music Shed Big Band Combo	Christine Manetta Sings Nina Simone
5pm	Kooky Fandango	Whisky 'n Ice Jazz Band	In2Deep	Mic Knight Trio	Pete's Marauders	In Full Swing	Girl Friday and the Sepia Tones
6pm	The Intrepid Dream	Banjo and the boys	Brett and Friends	Oliver Djurkovic Jazz Project	ADFA Jazz Band	Traxion Big Band	Christine Manetta & The Culture Combo
7pm	Jazz Ants	Red Peppers Jazz Band	Sarah Maclaine's Jazz 'n' Champagne	Flute, Vibes and 2 gits	Next on the List with 20 Key Players	Benjamin's Big Band	Canberra Tango Quintet
8pm		South Dereel City Stompers	Anne Syer's 'S Wonderful	Connor Moloney Septet	East Gippsland Brass (and Friends) - Big Band	The Blues Accelerators	Trombone Times Two
9pm		Wonderdogs	Saxedonia	The Legendairy Cownt Bessie	CITA Round Midnight	Third Avenue	Elle Gonzales Collective
10pm		The Gloombusters	The Paul Dion Quintet	ARQ	The Purple Feather And The Hornsmen	Trombone Times Two	



MONDAY 8 JUNE

Time	PARTY - RSL
11:00	Red Peppers Jazz Band
11:45	Sherbrooke Forest Jazz Band
12:30	Saxedonia
1.15pm	DOWN SOUTH JAZZ CLUB RAFFLE
1.30pm	Canberra Tango Quintet
2.15pm	The Ramblers Jazz Band
3.05pm	Sarah Maclaine's Jazz 'n' Champagne

Special Events

SATURDAY

Vintage Cars At Club Sapphire	10.45am
Opening Ceremony with Jazz Swing Choir, Club Sapphire Auditorium	12 Noon
Ran Band Youth Workshop, RSL Club Function Room	4pm

SUNDAY

Ecumenical Service with Gospel Choir, St Joseph's Catholic Church	11.30am
Jazz Quest, RSL Club Maple Leaf Room	2-5PM

MONDAY

Jazz Party RSL Club Function Room	11AM-4PM
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