

FOLK REDLANDS NEWSLETTER

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MAY 30th THIS SUNDAY!

Like to sing ? There's still time to join the special harmony singing workshop. Run by Redlands own bluegrass country legend Allen McMonagle and Stone The Crows Bush Band from 2 till 5. Enjoy learning songs with a bush theme and hear some lovely sounds, culminating in a performance at IndigiDayOut Folk Redlands Festival on Saturday 5th June. This will be a fun event where all the Family can participate . FREE workshop.

To book email jminto@tpg.com.au or phone Julie Minto on 3207 4430 M 0401 617 915. Or Pat Hall 3821 5979 or M 0416 003320

**FOLK REDLANDS FESTIVAL INDIGIDAYOUT 5TH & 6TH JUNE
FREE ENTRY!**



Join us for a weekend of music and workshops at Folk Redlands music festival combined with Indigi Day Out, outdoors in a beautiful bush setting. BYO chair or rug, BBQ available, kids activities and street entertainers.

******Check website- www.folkredlands.com for program details******

The Folk Redlands music program kicks off at 11 O'clock both days and the line up will feature some of Australia's most influential artists. **Shane Howard (Goanna)** will perform and run a song-writing workshop on Saturday afternoon 5th June. His massive anthem "Solid Rock" reverberated across the airwaves in 1982 and still does today. A prolific songwriter, environmentalist, devoted Aboriginal rights activist, who has toured to local and international acclaim, Shane Howard captures something essential of the spirit of Australia in words and music.

John Schumann (The Bushwackers, Redgum) is one of the few songwriters who has changed the way a nation thinks. Best known for his Vietnam veterans' anthem, "I was only 19". He recorded nine albums with Redgum and toured the UK, Europe and Ireland where his songs are still played. He will be joined by **Hugh McDonald** who wrote some of Redgum's most popular songs, notably The Diamantina Drover. Hugh will run a Fiddle playing workshop on Sunday 6th June.

Local Brisbane and Redlands musicians include **Spot the Dog, Sarah McMonagle, Cosmic Honey, Stockade, Stone The Crows, Ciderhouse, Echoes of Eden, Anne Infante and John Lewis.**

There will be a harmony singing follow up workshop (from May 30th) and performance on the Saturday. Or if dancing is your interest on Sunday join the Morris dancing workshop with the colourful Ragged Morris group.

BLACKBOARD- 12 mid day till 2 on both days- First time ever ...use it or lose it..I will even be bringing a guitar to be played so no excuses! Open mic board opens at 11 – write your name down for a 20 minute spot.

Participation and having fun is unavoidable! There is something for everyone at this event.

**RAFFLE PRIZES - We are raffling seafood vouchers, a bottle of Rum and also a beautiful Tanglewood guitar donated and professionally set up by the generous "guitar man", Neil Haylock. Solid cedar top, dreadnought Model TW28CSN worth \$600. Easy to play, great sound! Buy a ticket and support the club!
Raffle winners will be drawn at IndigiDay Out**

JUNE 20th LONNIE MARTIN & DON JARMEY



Don't miss two of the Brisbane Folk scenes' most loved and legendary performers. Both have graced our stage at Folk Redlands before, Lonnie with singer songwriter Helen Rowe and others, Don with his lively band "Jigger". They will perform together and also solo during this concert. Their styles of music will vary from Gospel to Trad Folk to lively Folk Rock.

Important note on Membership- Financial members of Folk Redlands are able to attend and have input at regular committee meetings but unable to vote. Membership forms are available from the information desk at regular events and committee meeting dates and information will be displayed on the website.

Folk Redlands regular events are on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month. Admission free

Event begins with Blackboard performers welcome from 2 Redlands Indigiscapes Centre, 17 Runnymede Rd, Capalaba

THANKS

Thanks to **Anne Infante** and **Ian Clarke** from **Kookaburra Folk Club** who hosted the first Sunday in May while many of the Folk Redlands crew were in Mackay at the Wintermoon Festival

Thanks to in our regular crew of helpers and volunteers, also our wonderful audience - without these people we could not continue to do what we do!

Last but not least, the media support from **Linda Muller** at **The Redland Times**, the **Folk Rag** (**Michael Bourne** and his team of helpers) and **The Wynnum Herald**.

**Look forward to seeing you there!
Julie Minto- La Presidente**

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