

FOLK REDLANDS NEWSLETTER

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MARCH 7TH

Redlands Bluegrass Boys.



Country cousins will visit their Folk relatives- The Redlands Bluegrass Boys formed in 1998 by a group of enthusiastic acoustic musicians based at the Redlands Modern Country Music Club.

The group includes Allen McMonagle (vocals, guitar, and fiddle), Neil Wills (mandolin, guitar and vocals), Fred Hudson (banjo and vocals), Bill Turner (guitar and vocals) and Tom Stekinga (double bass and vocals). Together they perform a range of traditional bluegrass songs and instrumentals and demonstrate the tight vocal harmonies and acoustic instrumentals solos epitomised by this style of music.

MARCH 21ST DOUBLE BILL

Maxine McCabe



Maxine McCabe is a Brisbane singer songwriter known for her diversity, "Folk with a little edge". Strong, earthy and feminine, Maxine's shows are notorious for their musical diversity and cross genre pollination...from delightfully cheeky two minute punk tracks, to emotional story telling ballads; rock songs about anxiety disorders, to blues, death and teenage pregnancy...not to mention a rather raunchy little number devoted to David Tennant...

.. www.myspace.com/maxinemccabe

Mandy Connell and The Red Shoes

Mandy Connell is an original writer who has won the Declan Affley award at the National Folk Festival and the Maldon Minstrel Award at the Maldon Folk Festival. She will sing with a new Melbourne band The Red Shoes who have a folky feel with old time, jazz and blues influences. www.myspace.com/mandyconnell



Mandy also features on the Joni Mitchell Tribute album Produced by Marina Hurley with Andrew Pattison and the Troubadour Foundation. This album will be launched at the 2010 National Folk festival in Canberra. <http://www.facebook.com/pages/Joni-Mitchell-Tribute-Album>

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

APRIL IN BRIEF

APRIL 4th Echoes Of Eden

Mother and daughter Celtic acapella duo with angelic harmonies

APRIL 18th Little Secrets

Original folk/rock, blues and country. A band who are driven by a desire to create music that has an emotional and cultural resonance to reach out engage the audience.

MAY IN BRIEF

MAY 2nd 2010 "Kookaburra Day Out"

Kookaburra Folk Club at Folk Redlands - Anne Infante and Ian Clarke will run a totally unplugged acoustic blackboard with no PA (emphasise no PA).

MAY 16th Steve Tyson

Guitarist from the band "Rough Red" doing his new solo material with sidekick Dave Parnell on percussion and guitar.

MAY 30th Singing Workshop 4 part harmony. Details TBA

Thanks to 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 **THE REDLAND TIMES** and the **FOLK RAG** (Michael Bourne and his team of helpers)

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

Who else do we know?

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