

MULE SKINNER NEWS!

Striptease in the kitchen!

RED LION HOTEL, KILMORE, 24TH AUG: With the wild crew of The North Star Hotel running the pub it was bound to be a wild night! We had some old friends rock in early in the night and the joint started to rock! Several sets and many Tequila shots later we had some crazed conversations with many locals and then kicked on until the wee hours! What a gigarony! We shall return!

CLUB HOTEL, BAIRNSDALE, 31ST AUG: This is one wild pub! We set up on the very squeezey stage and ripped out some rockin' tunes! "Love That Kills" and "Devils Wheels" went over a treat! After the show many nightcaps were consumed and wild times were had by all! Yahoo!

DE LA VILLE HOTEL, GEELONG, 6TH SEPT: It was a rock 'n rolling, Tequila scoffing mad cap show Baby! John was very entertained by the 'Striptease' that he witnessed in the kitchen! Groovy Gal! "Burning Desire", "Viva Las Vegas" and "I Drove All Day" tore the joint up! It was a wild gig for sure! Yippee!

ESPLANADE HOTEL, ST KILDA, 14TH SEPT: The Public Bar was rockin' once again! It was a huge day at the Espy with a



Tattoo Show upstairs and the Air Guitar Championship on stage before us – bizarre! We ripped out two huge sets of high octane rockabilly! The 'Black Widow' (Guy's double bass) had just had a major rebuild and final tweaks were made during the show! "Surfin' Hearse" was flat out and "Devil Ridin' Shotgun" tore it up! A Ripper night at the Espy – frenzied baby!

ST ANDREWS HOTEL, 21ST SEPTEMBER: It was a great night indeed! Tequila flowing, dancers gyrating and frantic punters having a ball! The crowd really got into our original tunes with "Love Me" and "I Want to Love You" really firing them up! The "Mule Skinner" solo's sent the crowd into a frenzy! It was an awesome night!! Rip snortin' rockin' good times!

The Gigs!

- **DE LA VILLE HOTEL** Geelong, Friday 4th Oct, 10pm!
- **THE ROBBIE BURNS HOTEL** Wyndham NSW (Coast), Saturday 5th Oct!
- **ROCKABILLY PARTY, CLUB 77**, 77 William Street, East Sydney, Sunday 6th October, 9.30pm! Other acts include Fez Perez, The Howlin Moondoggies, The Casino Rumlbers, The Psyclones, and Human Torch!
- **MICAWBER TAVERN** Belgrave, FRIDAY, 11th Oct, 9pm!
- **GREYHOUND HOTEL**, St Kilda, Saturday 12th October, 9.30pm!
- **MOTORCYCLE GRAND PRIX**, Trackside, Friday 18th October, 7pm!

Tassie Tour:

- **LIVE TO AIR - ABC RADIO**, 11am Wednesday 23rd Oct.
- **POLISH CLUB**, Hobart, Show Eve, Wednesday 23rd Oct, with special guests The Revtones and Snapback!

- **New Sydney Hotel**, Hobart, Thursday 24th Oct, 9pm!
- **Republic Bar**, Hobart, Friday 25th October, 9pm!
- **SPORTSMANS HALL HOTEL**, Launceston, Saturday 26th, Oct, 3pm
- **PARTY NEAR SHEFFIELD!**, Saturday night!
- **FARMERS ARMS TAVERN**, Yolla, Sunday 27th, 2pm!
- **HALLOWEEN PARTY**, Micawber Tavern Jam Night, Monday 28th October, 9pm! Prizes on the night for the best original costume!
- **DREAM NIGHT CLUB**, Carlton, Thursday Nights, starting Halloween late!
- **De La Ville Hotel**, Geelong, Friday, 1st November, 10Pm
- **CLUB HOTEL**, Bairnsdale, Saturday 2nd November, 9pm!
- **GREYHOUND HOTEL**, Saturday 9th November 9.30pm!

More Gigs Near You!

● **JOHNNY AND KIRK JAM NIGHTS**
Every Monday, Micawber Tavern Belgrave and every Wednesday, Bondy's Barn Bayswater

● **JOHNNY M**
Solo every Thursday night, Highway 31, Sydney Road Brunswick

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● **6TH ANNIVERSARY OF JOHNNY AND KIRK JAM NIGHTS**

On the 16th of September Johnny and Kirk celebrated six years of hosting the Monday Jam at The Micawber Tavern, Belgrave. The night was originally started about eight years ago by Paul Mileham (former W.T. bassist) and Dale. Next hosts were Chris Latham (former W.T. drummer!) and Mick Lowery.

We have been hosting the show since 1996 and many wild nights are had by all involved! Many famous guests from bands such as Sherbet, Australian Crawl and O'55, amongst many others, have jammed with local musicians. Recently we have had appearances by classic guitar wizard Matt Fagan! The 6th Birthday Party was a hoot and we are still celebrating, so rock up for a fun packed night!

● **TV SOAP STARS OR JUST FREAKS!?**

Kirk was a cabaret drummer (of all things!) on Neighbours the other week! Watch out for him in a new clothing ad acting as a army officer! John was in Marshall Law in

a special nudist episode! (unfortunately he kept his gear on!) Johnny is also in "Stingers" every week as an undercover operative! Madness!!

● **TASMANIA HERE WE COME . . .**

Lock up your daughters and your old cars! We are ready to have a rockin' time indeed "Down South"! All gigs are COOT APPROVED and will be wild!! Yehaaa!

● **OBITUARY - RAY EMERY**

Ray passed away suddenly on the 26th, September. A wild and amazing individual, Ray was a great friend of ours for many years. He worked as our sound engineer many times and was one of the best in that field. Ray repaired and maintained all of our sound equipment and was the "Valve Amp Expert"! When ever you visited Ray he would always have some new music to play you very LOUD on his wild lounge room P. A. system and have an amazing story to share!

Ray was one of the most inspiring people we have known in the music industry and we miss him greatly. R.I.P.



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