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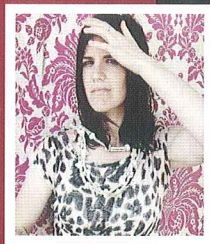
THE VANGUARD

NOV 2009

Sun 1, 8, 15, 22 & 28 Nov

SEX BLUES: HOSTED BY ABBE MAY

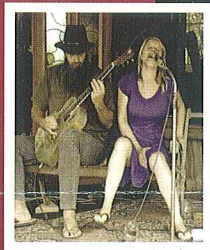
Frontwoman for blues rock bands The Rockin' Pneumonia and The Devil, Abbe May brings her critically acclaimed solo set to Sydney this November. May performs a unique selection of the dirtiest sex songs ever sung. The show features originals and covers, including songs by Howlin' Wolf, Willie Dixon & Tom Waits.



Wed 4 Nov

BEAUTY & THE BEAST HAT FITZ & CARA ROBINSON

Hat Fitz and Cara Robinson's blending of pre-war hill country, delta blues, traditional Celtic and early Australian folk is truly unique. Sometimes referred to as 'Queensland blooze with a twist' you'll soon appreciate what all the fuss is about. It's raw, raucous and relevant.



Thu 5 Nov

RED BANTOO

+ BOBBY SINGH + LUKE DUBS (HERMITUDE)

Introducing Red Bantoo, a fresh collaboration that combines the forces of Byron Bay's Simon Durrington and Dan Brown. Having worked with Resin Dogs, The Bird and Regurgitator, their years of experience show in their potent fusion of jazz, electronica and soul.



Fri 6 & Sat 7 Nov

BLACK EYED SUSANS

The Blackeyed Susans are embarking on their first national tour in over five years to celebrate the release of their new retrospective box set 'Reveal Yourself 1989-2005'. Lush, dark and romantic their last album, Shangri-La, earned them their second Aria nomination and had Rolling Stone Magazine declaring them national treasures.



Wed 11 Nov

DANNIELLE GAHA

+ GLENN CUNNINGHAM + LAI

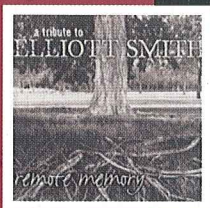
Danielle Gaha is simply an outstanding vocalist. A soulful artist with a rich sound, her voice has stretched into almost every niche of the entertainment world in a long and varied career. Jazz standards, classic soul & funk sit alongside exquisite heart-wrenching originals.



Thu 12 Nov

A TRIBUTE TO ELLIOTT SMITH

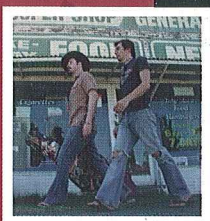
This night pays tribute to the beautiful muse of Elliott Smith who has inspired artists around the world with his intimate and powerful songs. The show features some of Sydney's exciting new singer-songwriters, who bring their own artistry to the music.



Fri 13 Nov

TONKSGREEN

Tonks & Green have been 'wow-ing' audiences since bursting onto the scene in 2005 as a riveting modern day 70's supergroup duo. The group an eclectic yet always identifiable sound - at times fat and pumping yet contrasted with moments of folksy intimacy.



Sat 14 Nov

ARREBETO ENSEMBLE

+ EDDIE BRONSON TRIO

The driving forces behind Arrebeto Ensemble, guitarist Greg Alfonzetti and cellist Damian de Boos-Smith, have created a passionately moving style of intensely international music. With contemporary flamenco as their compositional and rhythmic force, their work also embraces jazz, world and chamber music.

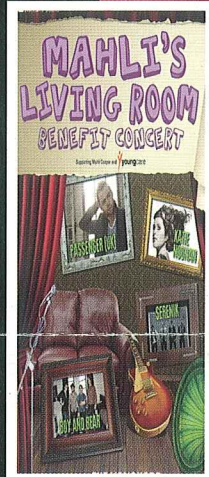


Wed 18 Nov

MAHLI'S LIVING ROOM

+ PASSENGER (UK)
+ KATIE NOONAN
+ SERENIK + BOY & BEAR

Introducing the first annual Mahli's Living Room benefit concert, this evening of musical extravagance is to help raise money for Mahli Cooper's ongoing care and Youngcare's vision to build dignified care facilities for young adults with 24 hour care needs - meaning young people with disability may no longer have to call the confines of hospital walls and aged care facilities home. Passenger, Katie Noonan, Serenik and Boy & Bear perform in an intimate acoustic setting to raise valuable funds and awareness for Youngcare and Mahli Cooper.



Thu 19 Nov

DARYL BRAITHWAITE

Originally the lead singer of Sherbet, one of the prime figures in Australian Pop history, Daryl Braithwaite's intimate performances at The Vanguard will show you why he remains an integral part of the evolution and development of Australian pop music.



Fri 20 Nov

NAT COL AND THE KINGS

Comprised of Nathan Cavaleri, Col Hatchman, Lachlan Doley and Tim Curnick, the members of Nat Col and The Kings have collectively played with BB King, Michael Jackson, Tommy Emmanuel, Jimmy Barnes, Screaming Jets and Powderfinger. In concert they will bring it all and underscore how well they can hold it on their own.



Tue 24 Nov - Sat 5 Dec

CAROLINE NIN - HYMNE A PIAF

After a hugely successful July season, France's First lady of Cabaret, Caroline Nin, returns to enchant The Vanguard in November. Nin performs a tender hymn to Piaf, reinvigorating the classic songs and taking the audience on a journey through her musical life and times.

