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Bio

WALKING TALL is a Rock/Classic Rock band with a touch of New Country, formed by Jimmy "Vegas" Tuttle and Bret Santti. The band plays original material and has a "Songs first" policy - writing about relatable and common themes in life, that are both memorable and melodic. The material is presented in concert in an entertaining and engaged way, making them the band to see in live entertainment. Bret and Jimmy are influenced by Aerosmith, Bon Jovi, Elton John, Journey, The Eagles, Keith Urban, Blake Shelton, Rascal Flats, Lone Star, and Jason Aldean, just to name a few. Combining all of their collective past professional experience, the past catalogs and song writing machine of Jimmy and Bret, co-Lead Vocal duties, as well as three & four part Harmony Vocals and top notch live shows - 'Walking Tall' will be a force to be reckoned with well into the distant future. They recently released 'Walking Tall - Volume 1' (April 2014 / Produced by Tesla's Brian Wheat and Frank Hannon). 'Walking Tall - Volume 2' will be released in October and the band will be touring extensively in support of the albums - with tour dates forthcoming. Having built a loyal following of fans locally, they are fast reaching even more music lovers and growing in popularity globally. Just since April they have seen all of their social media explode into astounding numbers for such a short time. With an old school approach to music and a new school approach to business, they are forging their own path, writing their own rules and Walking Tall . . .

Walking Tall Band Members:

Jimmy "Vegas" Tuttle: Lead and Harmony Vocals / Guitars.

Jimmy is the heart and soul of 'Walking Tall' - A consummate entertainer. A very prolific songwriter whose auto-biographic writing style started it all off, penning the vast majority of the band's first album entitled - 'Volume 1' and contributing all lead vocals to the album. In the past, Jimmy has played with touring and recording artist 'Vamp Le Stat', 'Planet Zero' and has played the Northern California club scene in various other well-known rock & top 40 bands. Jimmy has recorded for Retrospect Records, Kivel Records, Columbia Records, and J Street Records and has toured extensively. Currently preparing to tour and writing for the third record with Bret and hit songwriter Andre Pessis.

Bret Santti: Lead and Harmony Vocals / Guitars / Piano

Recognized for his charismatic stage presence and vast songwriting skills, Bret is the primary songwriter on 'Volume 2' of which he also Produced and sang all lead vocals. Previous popular Northern California area bands include; 'Black -N- white', 'Tux', 'Strutter', 'Mad Emotion', and 'Santti'.

He has toured, produced and recorded 8 albums and countless demos for various labels. Bret also has experience working on the management side of the business. He has worked with legendary A&R man Don Grierson and other notable people in the industry. Currently preparing to tour and writing for the third record with Jimmy and hit songwriter Andre Pessis.

Tom Frost; Drums, Harmony Vocals.

Walking Tall's touring Drummer. As a professional recording and touring Drummer, Tom has 25 years playing experience, 16 years teaching experience. He has been on 5 national tours, performed on 6 internationally distributed albums and performed on several local/unsigned albums. Tom has also written columns for Sac Music News. His professional experience also includes the following: Produced/engineered tracks for such bands as: Miss Crazy, In The No, Some Fear None, Machete, Fudi, Big D & The 4 Skins, The Hate Armada, Split Self, Minus Halo, Scott Allen Project, and The Matt Gage Band, The Rio Linda Creepers, The Realists. Has worked with artists/producers: Michael Rosen (Santana, Green Day, Aretha Franklin), Bob Kulick (Kiss, Meatloaf), Billy Sherwood (Journey, Styx), Frank Hannon (Tesla), Brian Wheat (Tesla), Gary Hoey, and Joe Fraulub (Danzig), Patrick D. Olguin (Black Eyed Peas, Cake, E-40)

Jeff "Bones" Hueston: Bass Guitar.

Walking Tall's touring Bassist. After leaving Phoenix in the 70's and heading to San Francisco Jeff then fell into the Bay Area music scene and never looked back. After some prompting by Kingfish guitarist Robbie Hoddinott, Jeff began a career as Bass Player for several Bay Area and National acts including Kingfish (Country Rock), the Peter Wolf band (Blues/Rock), Bohemian Knuckleboogie (Jazz/Funk), San Francisco legend Merle Saunders (Jazz/Blues), DC Cannady (Blues Rock), The Skindivers (a covers party band), Bautista (Latin Rock), Juan Escovito (Latin), Johnny Nitro (Blues), as well as "hired gun" gigs and his own projects "P.A.L." and 'Hard Knocks'. Comfortable in any genre from Funk to Country, Latin to R&B, Jeff keeps a full schedule playing live and in the studio locally and nationally.

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Recent News - Noteworthy Bullet Points

- * Completed successful 38 date U.S. Tour 2017
- * Back in studio to record follow up to 2018-2019
- * Releasing Follow Up "Life Happens Here" in July of 2019

Radio

WDFX Detroit, MI
CJAM Windsor, ON
WRFR Rockland, ME
KNWD Natchitoches, LA
KWCR Ogden, UT
WSIN New Haven, CT
KNAB Orange County, CA
KRCX Denver, CO
KBEACH Long Beach, CA
WDBK Blackwood, NJ
WMCX W. Long Beach, NJ
WMUH Allentown, PA
WJSU Jamaica , NY
KRUX Las Cruces, NM
KASC Tempe, AZ
WVAU Washington, DC
WRRC Lawrenceville, NJ
The Mitch Albom Show
KLC Portland, OR
KSUN Rohnert Park, CA
KZMU Moah, UT
WPHS Warren, MI
WERU-2 Meru, ME
WGMU Fairfax, VA
WODU Norfolk, VA
WSBU St. Bonaventure, NY
WWPV Colchester, VT
WKWZ Syosset, NY
WUMF Farmington, ME
WIPZ Kenosha, WI
CSCR Scarborough, ON
WRFW River Falls, WI
WUVT Blacksburg, VA

WONY Oneonta, NY
WPTS Pittsburgh, PA
WJR AM 760 Detroit, MI
WGTB Washington, DC
WDWN Auburn, NY
WCHC Worcester, MA
WUMM Machias, ME
WVOU Collegeville, PA

Touring

Nov 1- Beaumont Club Kansas City, MO
Nov 2- Kane's Ballroom Tulsa, OK
Nov 4- The Summit Music Hall Denver, CO
Nov 5- The Black Sheep Colorado Springs, CO
Nov 6- In The Venue Salt Lake City, UT
Nov 7- Knitting Factory Boise, ID
Nov 8- Wilma Theatre Missoula, MT
Nov 10- Knitting Factory Spokane, WA
Nov 11- Showbox Sodo Seattle, WA
Nov 12- Roseland Theatre Portland, OR
Nov 15- Knitting Factory Reno, NV
Nov 16- Regency Ballroom San Francisco, CA
Nov 17- Key Club Los Angeles, CA
Nov 18- House Of Blues Las Vegas, NV
Nov 19- Marquee Theatre Tempe, AZ
Nov 20- Gator's Bar & Grill Farmington, NM
Nov 22- White Rabbit San Antonio, TX
Nov 23- Warehouse Live Ballroom Houston, TX
Nov 24- Ridglea Theatre Dallas, TX
Nov 26- State Theatre Saint Petersburg, FL
Nov 27- Vinyl Music Hall Pensacola, FL
Nov 28- The Masquerade Upstairs Atlanta, GA
Nov 29- Amos' Southend Charlotte, NC
Nov 30- The Norva Norfolk, VA
Dec 2- Electric Factory Philadelphia, PA
Dec 3- Webster Theatre Hartford, CT
Dec 4- The Chance Poughkeepsie, NY
Dec 5- Recher Theatre Towson, MD
Dec 6- Mr. Smalls Theatre Pittsburgh, PA
Dec 7- Newport Music Hall Columbus, OH
Dec 9- First Avenue Minneapolis, MN
Dec 10- The Rave Milwaukee, WI
Dec 11- Pops Nightclub Sauget, IL

Dec 13- Clearwater Theatre West Dundee, IL
Dec 14- The Intersection Grand Rapids, MI
Dec 15- Headliners Music Hall Louisville, KY
Dec 16- Bogart's Cincinnati, OH
Dec 17- Clutch Cargo's Pontiac, MI

Other Noteworthy Venues

Birdy's Bar – Indianapolis, IN
The Horseshoe Tavern – Toronto, ON
Hard Rock Cafe – Detroit, MI
St. Andrews Hall – Detroit, MI
Spinnakers Beach Club – Panama City Beach, FL
The 8 X 10 – Baltimore, MD
Emerald Theatre - Mt. Clemens, MI
Hayloft Liquor Stand - Mt. Clemens, MI
El Mocambo - Toronto, ON
The Rivoli – Toronto, ON
The Reverb – Toronto, ON
Melody Inn – Indianapolis, IN
The Muse – Nashville, TN
Doc Watsons – Philadelphia, PA
Hi Fi's Concert Club – Cleveland, OH
Peabody's – Cleveland, OH
Bottle and Cork - Dewey Beach, DE
The Machine Shop - Flint, MI

Artists Played With

Candlebox
Tom Keifer (Cinderella)
Chevelle
Rock Monsterz
Frank Hannon
Moondog Maine

Festivals

Summerfest 2010 - Milwaukee, WI
Spring Music Fest 2010 - Hamilton, ON
Stars and Stripes Festival 2010 - Mt. Clemens MI
Dewey Beach Music Festival 2009, 2010 Dewey Beach, DE

New Music Festival - Toronto, ON
Rockstock 2008, 2010 - Chatham, ON
Red Bull Air Races 2008, 2009 - Detroit, MI and Windsor, ON
Canadian Music Week 2008, 2009 - Toronto ON
Mid Point Music Fest 2008 - Cincinnati, OH
Millennium Music Conference 2011 - Harrisburg, PA

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