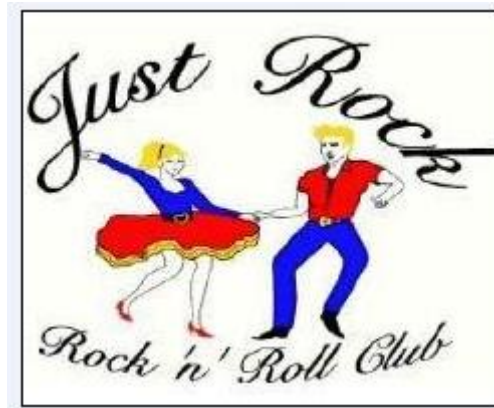


# JUST ROCK



## GLADSTONE

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**EVERYBODY RAZZLE DAZZLE-LET'S GO LET'S GO**

# Presidents report – November-December 2018

Hi To all Fellow Rock N Rollers

As 2018 draws to an end, it's good to reflect on the past achievements and events

The club was handed over to the new committee in a strong financial position, and I thank the outgoing committee for all their hard work and dedication to the club over the previous year. We have seen new moves, new dances and most importantly new members. Well Done and Thanks.

The new committee has been hard at work and has finalised all major dances for next year. A number of new initiatives are in place, such as change to dance night format, a weekly newsletter and birthday draws .We are also looking at workshops, dance lessons and a permanent home that may be more in keeping with our Rock N Roll image.

As Kerry and I have travelled around over the last year or so, we have noted with concern an aging demographic at a lot of dances, so it was great to see so many of our (more experienced former members) making an appearance at our Christmas Dance last weekend. This was despite broken bones, shonky knees, and various health challenges. More power to you. Remember, *you don't give up Rock and Roll because you get old. You get old because you give up Rock N Roll.*

Having said that, we have noticed a drop in the numbers of younger dancers at the dances, but there are plenty wearing the fashion and sporting the tats and the hairstyles of the era. How we get them to make the transition to the dance floor is a challenge we need to address. This is not just unique to us, but to every R n R club.

Since this is the season where we reflect on things past, let us reflect on how we felt at our first dance; what kept us going to perfect a move and what keeps us coming back? I'm sure it's all because we were having fun! So let's continue.

On behalf of the Just Rock Gladstone Committee and Kerry and myself, we wish you all a very Merry and Safe Christmas to you and your family and Every Happiness for 2019.

See you on the Dance floor.

Bill Campbell - President

## ROCK'N ROLL



## RESTLESS AND ROCKIN', COME ON SATURDAY NIGHT

# Events Coordinators Report

Well rockers, here we are again, at the end of another year. Chase me up a gum tree coppers, where does old man time go? Most, if not all of you, will be aware that the new committee has been hard at work trying to provide for you all, the loyal membership, sweet tidings for the coming 2019 year. To that end, a few new bands have been secured to provide you with some top class musical entertainment. Plus, one band in the “Rockin’ Bodgies” who have been absent from our dances for a few years, will again make a much welcome appearance back in happyrock. The calendar for 2019 is a very good one, so I would encourage you all to diarise these dates and come along and enjoy what’s on offer. It doesn’t get much better than this. Also, there will be some Sunday dates at the Calliope Country Club during the year, so come along and enjoy some very pleasant Sunday afternoons in one sweet little club. This place has a damn fine dance floor, so come on out and strut your stuff in the company of your rock ‘n’ roll mates. Our 2018 Christmas dance has come and gone and what a night that was. A full report follows later on within these pages. So members, Gladstone gigs will keep you all rockin’ and give you enjoyable nights out on the tiles. Please do avail yourselves of these events. Some right little rippers.



Lap up what's on offer and enjoy what's coming your way in 2019. Sweeter than nectar.



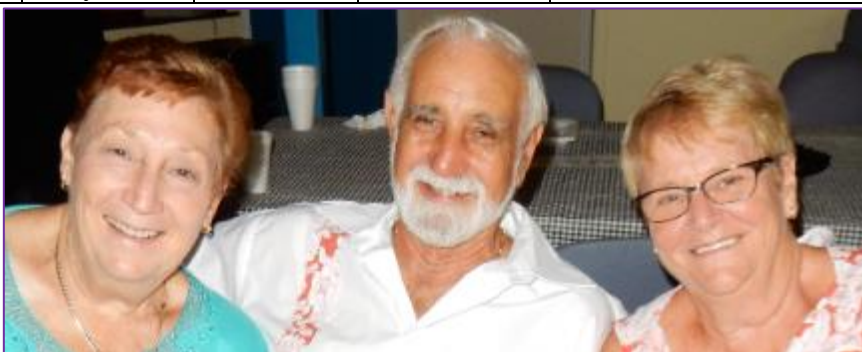
ABOVE: SOME OF THE VISTORS TO THE CHRISTMAS DANCE WITH SOME LOCALS

**REMEMBER, WE ARE INTO ROCK & ROLL TO ROCK & ROLL**



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**Just Rock Gladstone**

**Where all the cats are cool**





## DATE CLAIMER – WHEEL ON OUT TO THE CALLIOPE COUNTRY CLUB 15/12/2018

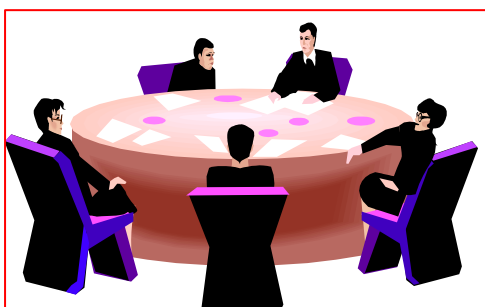


Just Rock Gladstone members are invited to rip along to the Calliope Country Club on 15<sup>th</sup> December for a club 2018 break up dinner and dance. Financial club members will be reimbursed \$10 towards the cost of a meal. Sweet rock 'n' roll and rockabilly music, interspersed with some other tunes for those who like a partner dance or two, to end the year on a groovy note. The music will be supplied by the clubs sound system. So come along and support the CCC kitchen and bar and rock out the 2018 year. Be there at 6PM to place your order for the meal and then hook into some dancing from around 8PM.

This night is a way to give back to all you financial members and as an acknowledgement for your loyal support of the club throughout the 2018 year. By all means, invite all your friends, neighbours, relatives and work colleagues to come along for a great night out in the confines of one fine little club out there in Calliope. Just Rock financial members are requested to advise Geoff (Two Left Feet) of their intention to attend, so that he can let the CCC know, and therefore allow them to plan their catering requirement for the night.



## THE ROCK AND ROLL HIGHWAY IS THE SWEETEST ROAD



### MEMBERSHIP FEES

Adult \$15.00 – Junior (U18) \$10.00

Application forms available from the Treasurer or Secretary.

These are annual fees.

### CLUB SOCIAL NIGHTS

These are held on the last Wednesday of every month and all members and beginners are encouraged to attend. The venue is the Senior Citizens Centre in Oaka Lane Gladstone.

There are also gigs scheduled from time to time at venues in Calliope or other regional halls.

### **ROCK RULES**

Please refer to the clubs website which is updated regularly.

### CLUB SHIRTS

Polo shirts are available from everything uniform in Lord Street. Bowling shirts are arranged by the member and were done through Rock'n'Roll Gear Ipswich.

**But rock 'n' roll gear are no longer in this line of business**



## Committee Meetings

Third Tuesday of the month and meet at McDonalds Kin Kora Starting at 5:30PM till around 9:00PM. Contact the Secretary or a committee member for further info if needed. CLUB POSTAL ADDRESS:

PO Box 3539

Tannum Sands Q 4680



### CLUB DANCE LESSONS

These are held at the Gladstone Senior Citizens Centre Oaka Lane Gladstone on Wednesday nights. Usual night format is:

6:45 to 7:00PM – Free Dance

7.00 to 7:40PM – Beginners and/or free dance

7:45 to 8:05PM – Rock 'n' Roll revision

8:05 to 8:20PM – Partner dance, new or revision

8:20 to 8:30PM – Break and raffle

8:30 to 9:00PM – New Rock 'n' Roll move or revision. Then free dance till 9:30PM

**ROCK 'AND ROLL' – YOU'VE GOT US ALL CAUGHT, HOOK, LINE AND SINKER**



## **ACE CAFE LONDON**

ACE CORNER, NORTH CIRCULAR ROAD, LONDON, NW10 7UD

### **8TH DEC. 2018**

A night of

**ROCK 'N' ROLL**  
in aid of CRISIS charity with

# **The Wild Angels**

Featuring

Doors 7.30pm



and

Ronnie Ripple  
and the  
Rip Chords



Tickets £16 (£10 concession)

£20 on the door (£15 concession)

[www.ticketsource.co.uk/onthehunt](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/onthehunt)

ON THE HUNT




**CRISIS rock and roll charity gig – Onya ACE – Well done**



# TODAY'S YOUR BIRTHDAY – ROCK ON

The following financial members celebrate birthdays in December, January and February. Just Rock wishes them all the best and hope they ROCK ON for many years to come. Hang loose and keep dancing like no one is watching. Rock 'n' Roll – It's the elixir of youth. It's sweeter than a lemon grass and sardine milkshake. It's the perfect vehicle for a happy and contented life. It's one of the more enduring contributions towards human progress. Another year older, another year wiser. ROCK ON.

NAME	DATE	ROCK ARTISTS BIRTHDAYS	AGE AS AT 22/10/18	ALIVE	DIED
Stuart Campbell	15/12	Southside Johnny - 04/12/1948	69 years 10 months 18 days	YES	
Ken Stewart	20/12	Little Richard - 05/12/1932	85 years 10 months 17 days	YES	
Charmaine Mullemeister	30/12	Jim Morrison - 08/12/1943 (Deceased)	74 years 10 months 14 days	NO	3/07/1971
Debbie Hunt	02/01	Stephen Stills - 03/01/1945	73 years 9 months 19 days	YES	
Graham Gosper	16/01	Doc Neeson - 04/01/1947 (Deceased)	71 years 9 months 18 days	NO	4/06/2014
Erin Boyle	23/01	Don Everly - 01/02/1937	81 years 8 months 21 days	YES	
Karen Staples	30/01	Ray Manzarek - 12/02/1939 (Deceased)	79 years 8 months 10 days	NO	20/05/2013
Roslyn Frost	31/01				
Bruce Williams	05/02				
Cheanne McCosh	14/02				
Wayne Brewis	18/02				
Ron Mitchell	21/02				
Barry Maluga	22/02				
Enid Johnson	28/02				

**BIRTHDAYS ARE GOOD FOR YOU. THE MORE YOU HAVE, THE LONGER YOU LIVE  
JUST DON'T COUNT YOUR YEARS, MAKE YOUR YEARS COUNT**

## ROCKABILLY AND ROCK 'N' ROLL NIGHT CALLIOPE COUNTRY CLUB 18/05/2019

This event is a prelude to the main fund raising event for Camp Quality being held on 25<sup>th</sup> May 2019 at the Port Curtis Room Boyne Island Community Centre. Come along and rock the night away to some great rock 'n' roll and rockabilly tunes. Have a meal beforehand and then get on down and help support the cause. A raffle or two will be held and a tin where you can plonk a few silver or gold coins will be in the premises. Of course, donations before the main event on 25/05/19 can be made **by accessing the below link**. The aim is to raise at least \$2000 for the cause in 2019. Hopefully our rockin' cousins from Rocky and Bundaberg can also join us on the night of the 25<sup>th</sup> as well. ROCK ON

<https://fundraise.campquality.org.au/fundraisers/geoffpeepall/rock-and-roll-dance-may-2019> Spread the word to your friends and neighbours.

**"There are two ways of spreading light: to be the candle or the mirror that reflects it." - – Edith Wharton**

# THE ROCK 'N' ROLL HIGHWAY FOR 2019

Well local rockers and those from the other clubs in Central Qld, get your motors running and head out on the highway. Man oh man, Just Rock Gladstone has some hot new bands for your enjoyment in the coming year. These are gigs that are a must attend if you want some superb entertainment and great nights out. It really is a smorgasbord of top talent that will roll on into the Gladstone neighbourhood. This joint will be well and truly jumping. Get those rock 'n' roll threads pressed and ready, calibrate your carby's and get those sweet ladies primed for some of the best nights ever put on in Gladstone. Bonza.



**NO PARTICULAR PLACE TO GO – WELL YOU DO NOW CATS**

**THESE BANDS WILL HAVE YOU DROOLING AND CHAFING AT THE BIT**

**THE HEMIS, THE ROCKIN' BODGIES, THE LONG GONE DADDY'S, THE LINELOCKERS**

THE.SONGS FROM 1959 – THE YEAR THE MUSIC DIED, BUT KEPT ON KEEPING ON

HAIL HAIL ROCK AND ROLL

# 1959 - THE MUSIC THAT DEFINED THE AGES

I'M A MAN	FABIAN	31	
I'VE HAD IT	THE BELL NOTES	6	
IT'S TIME TO CRY	PAUL ANKA	4	
JUST KEEP IT UP	DEE CLARK	18	
KOOKIE KOOKIE	EDWARD BYRNES	4	
LONELY FOR YOU	GARY STITES	24	
LUCKY DEVIL	CARL DOBKINS JR	25	
MIDNIGHT STROLL	THE REVELS	35	
NOT ONE MINUTE MORE	DELLA REESE	16	
SANDY	LARRY HALL	15	
SEA OF LOVE	THE TWILIGHTS	2	
SWEET NOTHIN'S	BRENDA LEE	4	

## LEFT THE BUILDING –DAMN THE REAPER MAN

**Hardrock Gunter** (Sidney Louie Gunter Jr.) - Died 15-03-2013 - Complications of pneumonia ( Rockabilly ) Born 27-02-1925 in Birmingham, Alabama, U.S. - Singer and guitarist - Was a member of The Hoot Owl Ramblers, The Golden River Boys and The Pebbles (They did, "Birmingham Bounce" and "Gonna Dance All Night") - Worked with The Delmore Brothers and Fiddling Arthur Smith - **The song Birmingham Bounce is considered by some to be the first rock and roll record.**

**Joey Covington** (Joseph Edward Covington) (aka Joey Michno) - Died 4-6-2013 in Palm Springs - Single car accident ( Rock ) Born 27-06-1945 in East Conemaugh, Pennsylvania, U.S. - Drummer and singer - Worked with The Vibra-Sonics ("Drag Race"), **Hot Tuna**, **Jefferson Airplane** ("Pretty As You Feel" and "Turn My Life Down"), Jefferson Starship and **The San Francisco Allstars**.



**LET US NEVER FORGET THE MEN AND WOMEN WHO GAVE US THE MUSIC. WRAP YOURSELF UP IN IT. APPRECIATE IT.**



# THE ROCK DOCTOR

To all the local rockers and those elsewhere that may be crook or suffering from some malady, get well soon and we hope to see you on the dance floor somewhere. ROCK ON



WE DON'T NEED NO PILLS. ROCK AND ROLL WILL CURE ALL OUR ILLS

## PORT MACQUARIE WILL BE GOING OFF IN 2019



### A RIGHT LITTLE HUMDINGER IN NSW IN AUGUST

TIME AIN'T SLOWING DOWN FOR US  
EVERY NIGHT SHOULD BE A SATURDAY NIGHT



ABOVE: SEEN AT THE CLUBS 13<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY DANCE IN 2015-THE BAND WAS "CROSSROADS"

## WELCOME TO OUR WEB YOU ROCKIN' SPIDERS



**Updated regularly-Check it out to find out what is going down**

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Our web designer is Jane Mitchell – She ROCKS



One good thing about music,  
when it hits you, you feel no  
pain.

Bob Marley



## DID YOU KNOW

THE SONG YESTERDAY FIRST APPEARED IN 1965. BY 1967 THERE WERE 466 VERSIONS OF THE SONG. NOWADAYS THERE ARE MORE THAN 4000 VERSIONS.

PINK FLOYD'S "WISH YOU WERE HERE" LP WAS ORIGINALLY RELEASED IN BLUE PLASTIC SHRINK WRAP; YOU COULD NOT SEE THE COVER UNLESS YOU BOUGHT IT.

Elvis purchased his first guitar when he was just 11 years old. He wanted a rifle, but his mama convinced him to get a guitar instead.

Len Barry's real name is – Leonard Borisoff

Mama Cass Elliot's real name is – Ellen Naomi Cohen

**WE WILL ROCK UNTIL FOREVER HAS GONE**



# MUNDUBBERA WILL ROCK AGAIN

## DATE CLAIMER !!



**19 - 21 JULY 2019**

**MUNDUBBERA ROCK 'n' ROLL  
DANCING WEEKEND IS ON AGAIN!**

**2 Workshops (Lessons)**

**2 Rock 'n' Roll Dances**

**Live Music**

**Pin-up Girls Competition  
(Miss Citrus Queen)**

**Classic Cars**



**PRE-PURCHASED WEEKEND PASS \$40**

Includes the workshop and all 3 dances (save \$20)

**Special Weekend Package \$480 includes Coach transport, Accommodation,  
Meals & Weekend Rock 'n' Roll Pass (limited seats - book yours now)**

or book your choice of Motel, Hotel or Caravan Park

Phone Barry at the Billabong Motor Inn for more details 4165 4533

**EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST INVITED**

## ONE TO KEEP ON YOUR RADAR-SWEET



## LOCAL ROCKERS SEEN AT MUNDUBBERA 2018



Seen above are some of the Just Rock Gladstone crew who ventured up the frog 'n' toad and attended the inaugural Mundubbera rocks weekend. From what your editor understands, it was a pretty good weekend with some top entertainment. A few more dance moves were also learned and hopefully can be transferred across to the local members, so that another string can be added to their dancing bows. And it is planned again for 2019. Refer to the flyer reproduced on the previous page. Not bad and seems like a nice jaunt to undertake in the coming year. A brand new event kicking off in CQ is a welcome addition to the rock 'n' roll scene. To the organisers, many thanks to you all.

### THE ROCK AND ROLL HIGHWAY IS THE SWEETEST ROAD



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**CORAL COAST COMMUNITY RADIO**  
**94.7 FM**  
50's and 60's Music  
Thursdays and Fridays  
2pm till 4pm  
Ring Marie 4151 0947 for a request

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And members, when you are hurtling down the rock 'n' roll highways in the Central Qld region, why not tune into 94.7 FM for some of those cool 50's and 60's vibes. What better way to trundle along an expanse of bitumen than having that sweet rock music blaring.?

## GOOD, GOOD, GOOD, GOOD VIBRATIONS

**PROP ME UP BESIDE THE JUKEBOX WHEN I DIE**



**PUT ANOTHER COUPLE OF BOB IN THE JUKEBOX BABY**

**BEND ME SHAPE ME ANYWAY YOU WANT ME**

## ROCKERS REVIEW AND GENERAL CHIT CHAT

FAREWELL TO DEBBIE HUNT WHO HAS NOW LEFT THE GLADSTONE REGION. ROCK ON DEBBIE AND IF YOU ARE EVER IN THE AREA AND THE HOUSE IS ROCKIN, PLEASE DO PAY US A VISIT.

A WELL DONE TO DOREEN THOMAS FOR 4 YEARS AS SECRETARY WITH THE ROCKY ROCKERS. AND WELCOME BACK TO SUE VASCHINA (ROFE) IN HER RETURN TO THE ROLE AFTER SOME TIME.

AND TO BOB MURNANE FROM JUST ROCK BUNDABERG WHO HAS AGAIN TAKEN ON THE ROLE OF CLUB PRESIDENT. PROBABLY AROUND 10 YEARS THAT HE HAS HELD THE REINS OF WHAT IS ONE SUPERB AND WELCOMING CLUB DOWN THERE IN THE RUM CAPITAL OF AUSTRALIA.

SPECIAL THANKS TO THE GRC, BOYNE ISLAND COMMUNITY CENTRE, FOR GIVING THE USE OF THE PORT CURTIS ROOM FOR THE CAMP QUALITY FUND RAISER TO BE HELD ON 25<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2019. NICE GESTURE.

EVERYONE WHO HAS A HAND IN AND VOLUNTEERS FOR ROLES ON THESE ROCK 'N' ROLL CLUB COMMITTEES, IN ANY OF THE MANY CLUBS IN THIS FAIR LAND ARE PRETTY SPECIAL PEOPLE AND DESERVE OUR THANKS AND SUPPORT. LET'S ALL KEEP ON ROCKIN', IT'S SWEET



"Doing nothing for others is the undoing of ourselves."  
— Horace Mann



## ONE OF THE GREATEST SONGS OF THE 60'S ROCK ERA

### The Ronettes "Be My Baby"

With the signature kick drum intro that has been emulated and imitated ad nauseum since, Phil Spector outdid himself when he wrote the girl group classic "Be My Baby". The only thing that could improve such a simplistically genius song is the impeccable vocal capacity of the remarkable Ronnie Spector and the Ronettes. Laden with clap along drums and a flourishing string section, "Be My Baby" is an aural depiction of fresh, undying love; the kind that makes people nauseous, both from its sickening sweetness and everyone's desire to find the same. Love is right when it's simple, and it is in the simplicity of "Be My Baby" that makes it so ingenious. -----*Kurt Suchman* ---



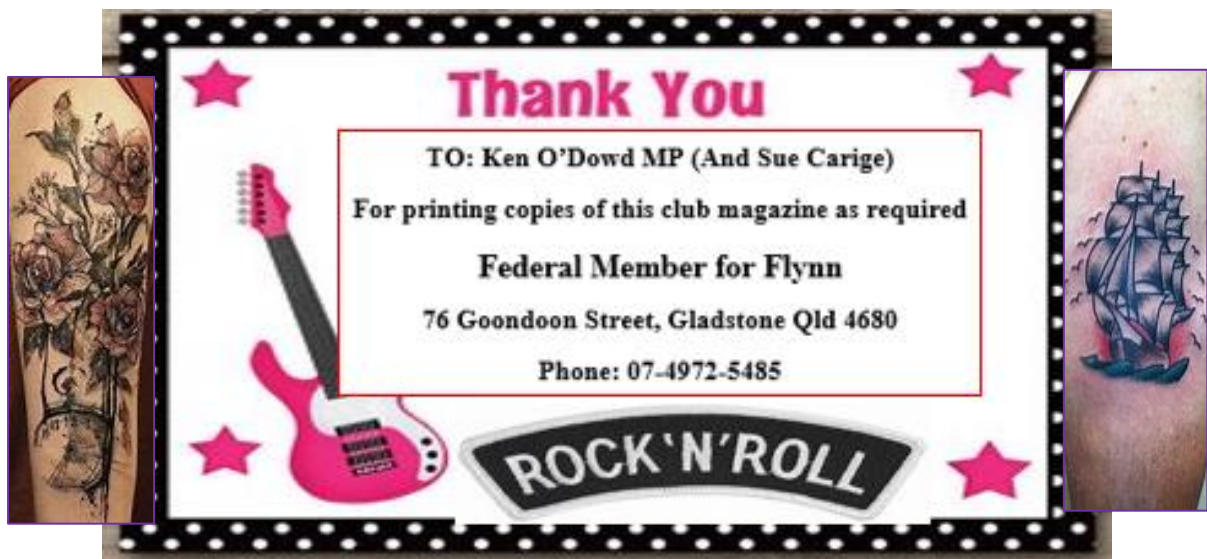
## ROCKIN' LADIES, DO YOU WANT SOME CLOBBER

Then check out Vinatge and Vamp. Some groovy threads in there for you all

<https://vintageandvamp.com.au/product-category/women/>



The owners of Vintage and Vamp are active and social members of the Rock and Roll scene in South Australia, thoroughly enjoying the dancing and music from an amazing rock and roll era, not just retailers selling to you. We also share information about gigs, festivals and events through our social media and other digital platforms and are only too happy to assist with marketing your events. **SWEET THINGS FOR YOU SWEET LADIES**



ROCK 'N' ROLL GIVES YOU THAT ITCHY TWITCHY FEELING

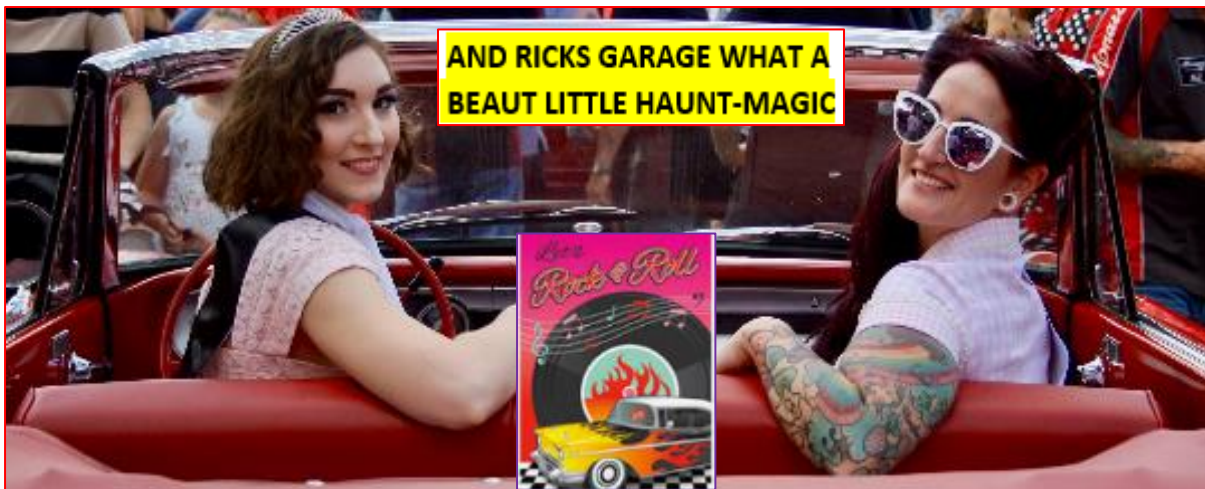
# **VISITING THE VENUES** **RICKS GARAGE PALMWOODS** **AND THE TIME WARP 2019**

**Sunday, MAY-5-2019, Palmwoods Main Street. 10am-late**



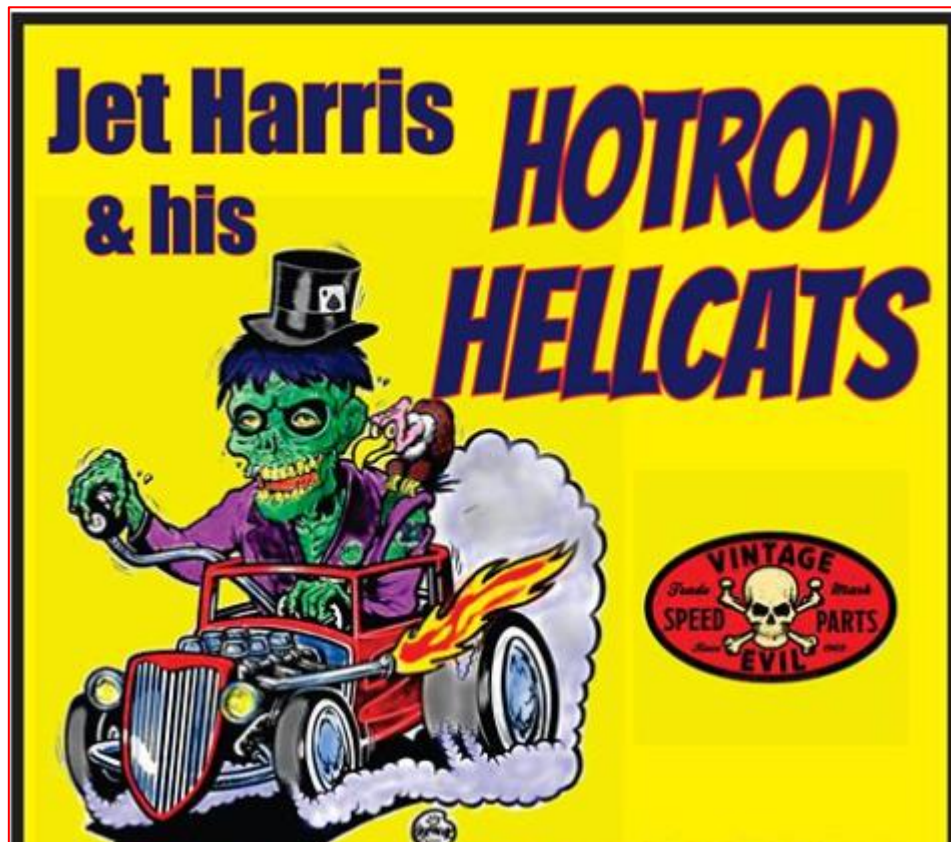
<https://timewarpfestival.com.au/about>

Rockers, now here is one sweet festival to sink those rock 'n' roll teeth into. Concocted and first held in 2015, it now enjoys the support of the Sunshine Coast Council and a fair bit of sponsorship. This event is a right little humdinger and deserves to be supported by all the rock 'n' roll fraternity. Margaret Street is closed for the day and is awash with all that fantastic everything that is vintage, rockabilly and kustom kulture. The array of bands in 2018 was absolutely sensational and 2019 promises to be even better. Truly an immaculate conception. Congratulations and thanks to those who kicked this off in 2015. True visionaries. This will be a right cracker down in Palmwoods. My advice-BE THERE.





# THE BEST BANDS IN THE LANDS



Rockers, now here is a trio that will rock your socks off. Based in Eugene, Oregon, they are definitely a band that I would crawl a mile over broken glass to see. This trio is nothing short of sensational. Songs like "Tear it up" are fabulous renditions and really do deliver a high standard of electrifying rock and roll. Have a gander at their facebook pages and watch them hook into "School of rock 'n' roll". I thought the Lennerockers version of this was outstanding, but Jet Harris and his Hotrod Hellcats really do take it to another level. What a brilliant lot of talented musicians. If you are ever over there in the USA, then I would highly recommend a trip to the Eugene area and try and catch this band in action. And if you do, then don't forget those dancing shoes. This band will send you into a frenzy. Man, this is one band I would like to see come over here to Australia and strut their stuff. Any rockaholic would be blessed to have this fabulous band entertain them. To the blokes that make up this trio; you are superb and totally uplifting and enriching. It is indeed a pleasure to sit and listen to your output. One of the best bands around. Strike me pink, this band could raise the dead. Right rip snorters-**The Editor.**

**THE HOTROD HELLCATS WILL TRANSPORT YOU INTO  
THE STRATOSPHERE -BLINDINGLY BRILLIANT**



## SURFING THE COOL ROCKIN' NET



### ROCK AND ROLL DINERS AND CAFES

The Irish Rose Saloon in Ena Road Waikiki-Hawaii.  
Smoking allowed in this venue.

Ricks Diner in Palmwoods – Magic little haunt

The Thunderbird Café Jones Street Mooloolah

Victoria Point R'n'R **Café 7** Masters Ave

Happy Days Café 11 Bulcock St Caloundra – Beaut

MJ's Café Bruce Highway Benaraby – Real Groovy

The Eagle Rock Café Patrick Street Laidley Qld

As you travel through Central Queensland and look for somewhere to rock 'n' roll, then you can't go past the Hervey Bay Boat Club or the fabulous Maryborough Sports Club. These two fine establishments have great dance floors and have live entertainment every Friday and Saturday as a minimum. The Boat Club has entertainment all week long and these two clubs are great places to wine, dine and dance if you are ever in the area.

### MY SOUL PINES FOR ROCK AND ROLL



## WORDS FROM THE EDITOR



**SONGS OF THE MOMENT** – Fellow rockers, G'day, and wherever you are, keep those ears of yours primed to pick up any great rock 'n' roll vibes that populate the air waves. Some great songs you won't hear of course, as most radio stations these days don't play the music that defined a generation. So, constantly on the lookout for some new material that I collect religiously, here are a couple that you can find on the internet and download for your listening enjoyment. In my view, these are little pearlers and will have the right vibes and sweet beat to transport you and your little ladies onto the dance floor. So get hold of "I just wanna rock 'n' roll" by Joey and the Jivers. A great little number indeed. Plus another in the old time vein "Please don't cry" by a bloke named Brad Newman. Very nice indeed. Yes indeedy, music that oozes class. Enjoy them both – **The Editor**

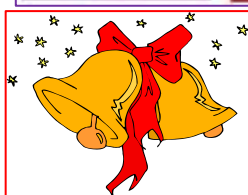
WE DON'T NEED NO PILLS, ROCK 'N' ROLL WILL CURE ALL OUR ILLS  
LET'S ALL KEEP ROCKIN' TILL WE FALL OFF THE PERCH

### ROCK AND ROLL WILL STAND

**Joey & the Jivers**



## DAWNING ON THE SWEET ROCK HORIZON



**LOOK WHAT'S COMING HERE  
IN 2019 – RIGHT RIP SNORTERS**

**LET'S ROCK THIS PLACE**



DATE	VENUE	START	FINISH	GIG NAME	BAND NAME
30/03/2019	PORT CURTIS ROOM BOYNE ISLAND COMMUNITY CENTRE	1930	2330	ROCK THE REEF	THE HEMIS
25/05/2019	PORT CURTIS ROOM BOYNE ISLAND COMMUNITY CENTRE	1930	2330	CAMP QUALITY FUND RAISER	THE ROCK 'N' ROLL BOYS
13/07/2019	RSL HALL DAWSON HIGHWAY CALLIOPE	1930	2330	CLUBS 17TH BIRTHDAY DANCE	THE ROCKIN' BODGIES
17/08/2019	RSL HALL DAWSON HIGHWAY CALLIOPE	1930	2330	AUGUST SPECIAL	THE LONG GONE DADDY'S
7/12/2019	PORT CURTIS ROOM BOYNE ISLAND COMMUNITY CENTRE	1930	2330	CLUBS CHRISTMAS DANCE	THE LINELOCKERS

Yes rockers, this club has been rockin' for 17 years in 2019 and it needs a right corker of a celebration to mark this milestone. So, we have secured the "Rockin' Bodgies" who will rock your socks off. The committee thanks the bodgies for making the trek up here to CQ and they are looking forward to the night, as all us local rockers are. We would love to see all our good mates from Rocky, Bundaberg, Hervey Bay, Mackay and Gympie join us. This will be a right little bottler on one of the best dance floors in the region - BONZA.

**YOUR CLUB WILL CELEBRATE ITS' 17<sup>TH</sup>  
BIRTHDAY IN 2019 – THE DATE 13<sup>th</sup> JULY**



**"THE ROCKIN' BODGIES"**

**VENUE: THE RSL HALL DAWSON HIGHWAY CALLIOPE**



## ESSENTIAL DATE CLAIMER-2019

### CAMP QUALITY FUND RAISER



**25<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2019**



### ROCK 'N' ROLL DANCE



**THE  
ROCK N ROLL  
BOYS**

**ENTRY \$20 – RAFFLES – LIGHT SUPPER**

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# ROCK 'N' ROLL: AIN'T IT JUST BEAUTIFUL



COOL DANCE MOVES YOU CAN DO		SO GET ON DOWN	ROCK RULES
BILLY TEASE	4-STEP		
BETTY BOOP	4-STEP	ROCKABILLY	
BULLFIGHTER		ROCKABILLY	
CHOP CHOP		ROCKABILLY	
DOUBLE BASS	4-STEP	ROCKABILLY	
EGG BEATER	4-STEP		
FANCY AMERICAN	4-STEP	ROCKABILLY	



Yes indeed, if you enjoy all that is rock 'n' roll and the lifestyle that surrounds it, I am sure that you will agree with me that it has a raw beauty and a distinct and unique power that has the capacity to transform oneself. Certainly, it has the capacity to smooth away any of life's troubles and ease the mind, let one escape for a time and forget about any woes. And when it transports you onto a dance floor there is nothing more exhilarating. There is also medical proof that music in all its forms is a superb and mind blowing tonic and its magical properties are better than all the pills on the planet. Get into it. **---The Editor---**

**WE DON'T NEED NO PILLS, ROCK 'N' ROLL WILL CURE ALL OUR ILLS**



**NOTE: LAST CLUB NIGHT IS 12<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2018  
AND WILL RESUME ON 16TH JANUARY 2019**



**IF YOU WANNA BREAK FREE, THEN TURN THE ROCK 'N' ROLL KEY**

## **SEEN AT THE BUNDY XMAS DANCE 10/11/18**

Well, the Bundaberg Christmas dance for 2018 has come and gone. Four Gladstone'ites made the trip down to the rum capital where the Old 45's rocked up a storm. Around 87 bodies rolled into the premises and had one fabulous night of rock 'n' roll. The rum isn't the only thing that's warm and inviting in Bundaberg; the Bundaberg rock clan is just as warm, welcoming and inviting and really do know how to bung on a corker of a party. Well done Bundy and sorry more could not make it down, but an unfortunate clash of dates, and another do here in happyrock saw a lot of members unable to rip on down and enjoy the company of our Just Rock cousins. Thanks for welcoming those who did attend.



**CORAL, BRUCE, PAULINE AND KERRY ENJOYING THE NIGHT  
AND BELOW THE OLD 45'S PUMP OUT THE ROCK 'N' ROLL  
THIS IS ONE HELL OF A GOOD ROCK 'N' ROLL OUTFIT.**



**ROCK 'N' ROLL – YOU HAVE GOT US UNDER YOUR THUMB**

# ROCKIN' IN THE LAND OF OZ



**THESE EVENTS CERTAINLY ADVANCE AUSTRALIA FAIR**

## 25TH JAILHOUSE ROCK FESTIVAL 2019

Rockers – Well, if you want to have a rip snortin' good time then these two festivals are definitely for you. Cooly Rocks is held in the magnificent setting of Coolangatta and runs from 5<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> June 2019. This event used to be called Wintersun and each year it was an annual pilgrimage for members of the Just Rock Gladstone club along with others from Bundaberg and Rockhampton. If you have never been, then I do highly recommend that you do, and mingle with others of your ilk and immerse yourself in a trip down memory lane with some fabulous bands and sensational music. And the 25<sup>th</sup> Jailhouse Rock Festival is held in Ararat in Victoria and runs for 3 glorious days from 15<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> March 2019. These events are a credit to the organisers who work tirelessly for months in pulling these events together. So, if you can, then do rip along and support them. You are only on the planet once, so do yourselves a favour and savour their delights. – The Editor--

**REMEMBER, WE ARE INTO ROCK AND ROLL TO ROCK AND ROLL**

**HAIL, HAIL ROCK AND ROLL**



# KULTURE FOR THE KOOL KATS



Rockers of Australia, now here is another must do before you fall off the perch. Held in the delightful area of Cleveland, this is one sensational event where the entertainment is absolutely superb and where you can immerse yourself in some real kustom kulture. Lori Lee and her team work tirelessly to bring this together on an annual basis and deserve the support of anyone who can manage to get there. No better place to spend a weekend rockin' away by the shores of western Moreton Bay. The venue is first class, the bands awesome, the ladies fabulous and the hot rods, customs cars and market stalls grouse. Lori Lee and her team are marvellous and we thank them for this festival. –The Editor



**HEY MAMA, YOU'RE TIME AIN'T LONG, SO GET THERE**

## **RESULT – BOP FOR A BALE –HELD 03/11/2018 AT THE SENIOR CITIZENS HALL.**

Fellow rockers Australia wide, since floating this idea of rock ‘n’ roll clubs climbing on board to try and do their bit for the drought affected farmers, at last, in Gladstone, we have made it happen. While disappointing attendance wise (23), the financial outcome of \$431.40 was exceptional. The Feedbarn, the Calliope Bendigo Bank, NRG and some members of the club donated items that could be raffled on the night. Very generous and the club thanks them all. The monies were checked, then verified by Cheryl Hannant the Mt Larom treasurer of the QCWA, the organisation that will be injecting these funds into the system for the drought relief appeal. Hold your heads up high, well done. Geoff JRG-

**AND TO THE SENIOR CITIZENS COMMITTEE FOR GIFTING  
THE USE OF THE VENUE FOR THE NIGHT. SINCERE THANKS**



**ABOVE: GEOFF HANDING OVER THE MOOLAH TO CHERYL – WELL DONE ROCKERS  
AND ALSO TO JUST ROCK IPSWICH WHO DONATED \$1000 IN RECENT TIMES**




# MORE – BOP FOR A BALE –HELD 03/11/2018 AT THE SENIOR CITIZENS HALL.

THE QUEENSLAND COUNTRY WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

On behalf of MT LAR COM

Date 03/11/2018 A 522096

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Received from JUST ROCK GLADSTONE League No.                     

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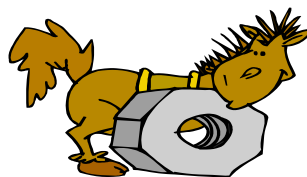
QLD DROUGHT APPEAL

DONATION FUNDRAISER

C. Hennant Received with thanks Total \$ 431 40



THE ABOVE RECEIPT REALLY IS THE NUTS AND BOLTS OF THE NIGHT. VERY ESSENTIAL FUNDS FOR OUR STRUGGLING FAMILIES ON THE LAND. FARMERS REALLY ARE THE LIFE BLOOD OF THE NATION.



GOOD HEARTS ARE SO HARD TO FIND, BUT WE HAVE PLenty IN THIS CLUB



## FINAL DROUGHT APPEAL MOOLAH HANDED OVER 24/11/18



THE QUEENSLAND COUNTRY WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION	
On behalf of <b>MT LARCOM</b>	A 522101
Date <b>24/11/18</b>	
Received from <b>JUST ROCK</b>	Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>
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	dollars cents
<b>DROUGHT APPEAL DONATION</b>	<b>30 00</b>
<b>C Hannant</b>	Received with thanks Total \$ <b>30 00</b>



MERRY CHRISTMAS  
OH WHAT A NIGHT



Rockers, the additional \$30 that came in after the clubs "Bop For a Bale" event has now been handed over the the QCWA rep in Cheryl Hannant. This was performed at the Christmas dance on 24/11/18. Thanks Cheryl and thanks members for their support.



ABOVE: THE ROCK 'N' ROLL BOYS PUMPING OUT THE VIBES AT THE XMAS DANCE

# HEY MAN, THIS GIPPSLAND PLACE ROCKS



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### FIRST ROCK 'N' ROLL SONG TO SELL OVER A MILLION COPIES

Fats Domino was a talented rocker in the 1950s and 1960s. His music prowess and record sales could not be rivalled by any other of his time. Such achievements and records only came to be broken by the king of rock 'n' roll, Elvis Presley. His first record, The Fat Man, which was co-written by Bartholomew of Imperial Records, became the first rock 'n' roll song to sell over a million copies.



**SOURCE: ROCKNUTS.NET**

### THE ROCK 'N ROLL BOYS WILL PERFORM AT YARALLA

SATURDAY	12/01/2019	SATURDAY	6/04/2019
FRIDAY	28/06/2019	SATURDAY	29/06/2019
FRIDAY	6/09/2019	FRIDAY	8/11/2019

# MERRY XMAS 'N' HAPPY NEW YEAR

Well it's almost farewell 2018 and welcome 2019. Old man time is again busy weaving his garments that drape us in another year of older skin and plants another deep furrow in our brows. But, as his incessant tick tocking finally drags us into another year, and draws us closer to the pearly gates, let's be thankful that we have made it through another year on this beautiful blue marble called earth. There are lots that haven't made it this far. If you can still dance and are in excellent or reasonably good health and still gulping air as each day breaks, then you are doing pretty well. The pearly gates can wait as we have a lot of rockin' to do. And as we approach another year, a year where we are able to sally forth and rock 'n' roll to some great music, spare a thought for those who are not as fortunate as us and wherever possible give them support. As I look back and reflect over the years that I have been a member of this club, I feel a sense of pride knowing that we have stepped up and held gigs that have raised some much needed coin for those in need. Who knows where that 2019 highway will lead us, but I hope it is a pathway to good health, happiness and prosperity for you all within the club, for the bands who have entertained us, and all the friends we have made at other clubs throughout Australia and elsewhere. **ROCK AND ROLL, YOU TURN US ON LIKE AN ELECTRIC LIGHT.** You all ROCK. See you on the dance floor somewhere in this fair land. And in 2019 we do have some bonza bands coming to Gladstone. It will be sensational—**The Editor**

**WE DON'T STOP ROCKIN' BECAUSE WE GROW OLD**

**WE GROW OLD BECAUSE WE STOP ROCKIN'**



**MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO YOU ALL**

## CAMP QUALITY GIG REMINDER 25/05/2019

If any rocker out there wants to support this cause in 2019, and perhaps has a few dollars to spare, then please hook into the below website and donate before the event. A few dollars will help bring a smile to some kids face as they battle cancer. Think about it, better still, do it. These kids and their families need the support of us all, as this Camp Quality organisation receives no government funding. Thank you one and all. The ED.

<https://fundraise.campquality.org.au/s/201/259/e>

*Fundraising is the gentle art of teaching the joy of giving. – Henry Rosso*



# HAPPYROCKS 2018 XMAS DANCE

Well fellow rockers, what can one say. One word probably sums it up **FANTASTIC**. What a great night and what a super dooper night of great rock 'n' roll music churned out by the "Rock 'n' Roll Boys". For a duo, these blokes are superb and have a connection with their audience that is pure magic. These guys really knew how to play, sing and capture the attention of all those that filled the Port Cutis Room. This is one fine duo that invites audience participation, and man didn't they attract that. The dance floor was chockers all night and everyone had a ball. One hundred on the knocker, yes 100 rock thirsty patrons swelled the venue and rocked the night away. Not a bad way to finish off 2018 with a major gig of this calibre. Rockers from both the local clan and others from Rocky, Bundaberg, Hervey Bay and elsewhere joined in a night of high top class enjoyment. The hall was decked out beautifully and to those that toiled to provide this décor and create a very welcoming environment for our guests, you deserve a pat on the back. Great effort. To all those that made the trek from further afield and that included an ex Prezz in Ross Tanner from Brisvegas, plus all the local members, thank you very much. As I have said before, it is only with backsides on seats that makes these events successful, so your participation was highly valued. Once again, the supper provided was sensational and all the guests enjoyed the fare. This generosity has once again cemented our reputation of providing the best suppers at rock and roll dances in Central Queensland. Well done. Plus, those sweet ladies that dished up the cuisine and then took to the sinks and cleaned up afterwards, man, what a team and a real credit to the club. And the raffles on offer, wow, very nice indeed and Rockhampton cleaned up on the night, particularly Ian Tyrrell who purchased a lucky run of tickets. To those who donated to these prizes, a ginormous thanks also. In the breaks, Ray provided partner dances so that the mob could carry on dancing. Why waste a minute, after all, to waste time is to waste life. To everyone who had a hand in bringing this end of year major together, my sincere thanks to you all. And what about Trevor and Sue who manned the door until the last body had arrived. You rock. Just a reminder gang, when we have the next major gig, please try and arrive on time, be seated and ready for the night. This really avoids people manning the door for long periods waiting for stragglers. Obviously that will be unavoidable at times, but is just something to keep in mind. You all rock, and to the band, a huge thanks. Everyone in attendance had nothing but high praise for you both. Plus, we had the BITS Saints Footy Club members manning the bar on the night, and to them also a big thanks. Farewell major gigs for 2018, but get ready and be primed for those coming in 2019. If we can pull 100 at each and every major, then this club had a bright future, and let's, where possible, reciprocate and attend the dances at the other clubs as they happen. This really was a corker of a night and a grand way to end the year. See you around the traps.



The Editor

*Let's Go To The Hop!*

**Life is short and there will always be dirty dishes, so let's dance.-James Howe**

**HEY BABY, WON'T YOU LET ME ROCK AND ROLL YOU**



**ABOVE: THE BUNDABERG MOB – GREAT TO SEE YOU ALL THERE. IT'S A ROCKIN' GOOD WAY**



# THANK YOU BITS SAINTS BAR STAFF



And so it all ends again for another year, but what a way to finish off. The Port Curtis Room was rockin' so much, the Council may have to check the foundations. BONZA. And if you are leaving town for the Christmas break, take care and travel safe. Rock On.

**REMEMBER, DON'T DRINK AND JIVE**



# WELL ROCK MY CHRISTMAS STOCKINGS

Many thanks to Victor for taking these snaps, after several of mine were wipe-outs



**THERE WAS A WHOLE LOTTA SHAKIN' GOING ON – HUMDINGER OF A NIGHT**  
**THE NIGHT HAS A THOUSAND EYES**

# UNDERRATED BANDS OF THE 60'S

The 1960's was probably the most influential, music wise, in the history of rock and roll. The 1950's were also fantastic and that era paved the way for the brilliance of those that carried on into the 60's, creating mind blowing lyrics, penning music that would define a generation, and also for generations to come. Several bands, unfortunately, while having some success, were largely cast aside into the wilderness and never really managed to climb to the top of the pile or the charts. However, their music was memorable and will stand the test of time and must surely rank alongside that which was churned out by the Beatles, The Stones and others of the time. They left a lasting legacy and their music is pure genius. The songs from these groups need to be removed from the vaults of history and played regularly. Wow, the talent and creativity of these bands is unparalleled. So take a ride on the music waves that these amazing people created. Listen to them. **The Ed**



Plus, there were a myriad of others that plied their trade and exhibited their talent to the masses, and while enjoying some moderate hits, were largely ignored as time marched on and played second fiddle to the superstars of the era. Bands like "The Turtles", "Gerry and the Pacemakers", "The Dave Clark Five" and sensational girl groups like "The Ronettes", "The Cookies (also recorded under the name of The Honey Bees)" and "The Caravelles" to name a few on an almost endless list. These must be also considered as super groups and deserve more recognition than they probably received. Pure brilliance.

**"Music is the universal language of mankind." - Henry Wadsworth Longfellow**



**IS THIS THE MOST CHARITABLE BAND ON THE  
PLANET ? – THEY PROBABLY ARE?**



Rockers, now this band is always performing gigs and raising monies for numerous causes over there in the US of A. A fantastic gaggle of musical talent that belts out some great music, some in a magic rocking style (Rock 'n' Roll Annie's and Catholic Girls) and others just plain superb listening and highly infectious tunes. John Vento is a terrific vocalist and he is backed by a ripper bunch of blokes that are a real credit to their craft. What they do over there on the charity front is quite incredible and a lot of people are all the better off for it. And how generous is it that they are allowing you to get into their catalogue and take what you want, but it is only reasonable that you leave what you can \$\$\$. Via the pages of this magazine, to the NHB, well done. You really do ROCK The ED-

**THE HEART THAT GIVES, GATHERS**

**Rock'n Roll**





As rock ‘n’ roll evolved in Australia back in the 1960’s some great bands came into the music scene and created some fabulous music and wrote some sensational songs. The bands or individual artists set the scene for what was to become a hallmark of musical excellence. They left an indelible impression on all those who were swept up in it and captivated by it. These are the musicians and artists that deserve our thanks and will be forever remembered for what they achieved and provided the listening populace. These were true pioneers that paved the way for many others to follow, but man, the footsteps of some of these early pioneers really do require big shoes to fill them. Below are some of the greatest Australian singles of the 60’s. Grab hold of them and enjoy them.-The Editor

THE SONG	THE ARTIST	THE SONG	THE ARTIST
55 DAYS AT PEKING	ROG E.G	A WORLD OF OUR OWN	THE SEEKERS
BAD BOY	THE TWILIGHTS	THE COAL MAN	RONNIE BURNS
DEAR PRUDENCE	DOUG PARKINSON	BOMBORA	THE ATLANTICS
COME AND SEE HER	THE EASYBEATS	EARLY IN THE MORNING	THE PURPLE HEARTS
ELEVATOR DRIVER	MASTERS APPRENTICES	EVERLASTING LOVE	THE TOWN CRIERS
FARMER JOHN	JOHNNY COOPER	HANGING FIVE	THE DELLTONES
HUSH	SOMEBODY’S IMAGE	I BELONG WITH YOU	BOBBY AND LAURIE
LITTLE BOY SAD	MPD LIMITED	LOVE MACHINE	PASTORAL SYMPHONY
MOVE BABY MOVE	JOHNNY O’KEEFE	NEEDLE IN A HAYSTACK	THE TWILIGHTS
ONE	JOHNNY FARNHAM	SOOTHE ME	THE GROOVE
SURFSIDE	THE DENVERMEN	THE REAL THING	RUSSELL MORRIS
WEDDING RING	THE EASYBEATS	YOU’VE ALL GOT TO GO	THE PARTY MACHINE
THE LOVED ONE	THE LOVED ONES	BAREFOOT BOY	NOELENE BATLEY



And there were heaps more magic stuff that emanated from the 1960’s: Ray Brown & The Whispers “Fool Fool Fool” and “Pride: Johnny O’Keefe’s “Sing” and “The Real Thing” by Russell Morris are some other gems of the period. Man, it was a sweet time.

**YES, THE 1960’S IN AUSTRALIA SAW SOME OF THE BEST MUSIC IN THE WORLD CREATED**

# THE GRAVEYARD SHIFT - HALLOWEEN



**THIS WAS THE NIGHT OF THE GRAVEYARD ROBBERS-WELL DONE YOU LOT**





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ROCKABILLY: IT'S ELECTRIC, FABULOUSLY RHYTHMIC



# YARALLA NEWS

Well rockers, Yaralla has finally decided to take some new acts on board for 2019. Now, what they all are is not yet known, but one exciting and good piece of news for you all who like to get out and get down and boogie, is that “The Rock ‘n’ Roll Boys” have 6 gigs at that establishment. Who knows, maybe Yaralla will get on a par with some other clubs and really start catering for the dancers in the community. I look forward to see what other acts are on the bill in 2019. Now, all you rockers need to take advantage of this and support the establishment that is providing this entertainment for you. So make a diary note and rock along when the RNR Boys and other decent acts are playing, buy a beer, a vino for the missus, a coffee and maybe even partake of a meal. Your participation and visual presence will no doubt be a catalyst for the management to get more different acts into the place and provide more top quality entertainment moving forward. Through the pages of this magazine we wish to convey our thanks to the Yaralla management for this initiative. Also gang, in 2019, Sunday sessions will go by the wayside and entertainment will be on Friday and Saturday nights. Not bad. At least now you can go to a nice venue, be entertained and dance the night away on one not too bad a dance floor. I would also encourage management to remove the furniture off of that asset once the raffles are done and dusted, so that it is ready for those who want to interact with the band once they fire up. Normally this is done by the patrons in most cases. Well done Yaralla-The Editor

**AND NEW YEARS EVE AT YARALLA WILL SEE**

**BARLIGHT**

**ROCKIN’ IN THE NEW YEAR**

***SPECIAL THANKS ALSO IS EXTENDED TO THE FOLLOWING:***



**For the generous donation of redundant sound equipment from the construction phase of QGC’s Curtis Island gas plant**

***.And the Calliope Country Club for allowing the club to hold rock ‘n’ roll sessions at the venue on odd occasions in 2019. Appreciated. Members are strongly encouraged to come along and support these nights. Rock Rules.***

### **HEY THERE ALL YOU LOCAL ROCKERS**

Just Rock Gladstone has commenced issuing (via email) a WEEKLY Newsletter (normally just one page), which advises briefly the goings on within the club, including dances, moves being taught for the next couple of weeks etc. We also let everyone know of upcoming Events/Social Outings etc. If you would like to receive a copy, please email Kerry Campbell via [kerrybillcampbell@gmail.com](mailto:kerrybillcampbell@gmail.com) and we will add to you the list! You do not have to be a club member to be included.

## **WAY BACK WHEN - 2010**



**ABOVE: THE HIPPIY NIGHT IN BUNDABERG 2010. MAN, WHAT A CRACKER OF A NIGHT.**

**BILLY GUY WILL PLAY UBOBO ROCKS IN MAY 2019 – CLAIM THE DATE YOU ROCKERS. BARRY MALUGA IS THE MAIN POINT OF CONTACT FOR THIS GIG**

**DID YOU KNOW:** That in 1965, Adelaide's "The Twilights" won the Hoadley's Battle of The Sounds Contest. This was one fine band and the lead singer Glenn Shorrock is one of the finest vocalists around. Along with the Easybeats and The Masters Apprentices, The Twilights were one of the most significant rock bands of the 60's. Glenn Shorrock is also a fine songwriter and also fronted the Little River Band, a band that I deem to be as good as The Eagles ever were. Australia certainly spawned some talent in those years. Let's appreciate and play their music

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**LONG LIVE  
ROCK AND ROLL**



**OUR CHICKS ARE DYNAMITE. KEEP THEM DANCING BLOKES  
AND TREAT THEM RIGHT**

**THE ROCK AND ROLL HIGHWAY TRULY IS THE SWEETEST ROAD**

Fellow club members and members from other clubs both in Australia and overseas, again let me say, that it is my pleasure once again to bring you another edition of our local Just Rock Gladstone magazine. Brimfull of pictures, I hope it is an interesting and enjoyable read for you all. Every picture tells a story and that is one of the main attributes of this magazine. Its one main aim is to tell your story, the general stories about rock and roll and capture that story in pictures. If you receive them via email, save them to your hard drive and keep them as precious mementos of your rock 'n' roll activities. Rock and rollers are a close knit community here in Central Queensland, other parts of Australia and overseas. I do view us as the guardians of a truly noble art form and its history and happenings should be recorded. It is hoped that this magazine does just that and helps preserve for future generations a fun record of what this top little rock 'n' roll club and others has got up to over the years. At long last, we also now have a website up and running, where these club magazines are now loaded. Sweet. Sincere thanks to Jane Mitchell for the development of this cyber space address. Check it out via google and view loaded pictures, plus keep abreast of what is happening on the rock scene here in CQ and elsewhere. **It's where we are smack dab in the middle of rock 'n' roll. RIPPER TUNE.**

**ROCK ON "THE ROCK AND ROLL HIGHWAY IS THE SWEETEST ROAD"**