



## **Tweed Battle of the Bands 2017**

### **When is it?**

Heat 1 – Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	5.00 -10:00pm
Heat 2 – Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> June	5.00 -10:00pm
Final – Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	5.00 -10:00pm

### **Where is it?**

All events will be held at The Cudgen Leagues Club.

- The 2 heats will be held in the upstairs function room
- The final will be held outside on an outdoor stage, with food trucks and stalls.
- There will be no alcohol served in the upstairs function room or the outdoor space.

### **Prizes**

1<sup>st</sup> - \$2000, plus performance spots at Buskers by the Creek & Bluesfest Busking Competition

2<sup>nd</sup> - \$1000

3<sup>rd</sup> - \$500

- An act from each of the heats, and the final (3 acts in total) will be given a paid gig at Cudgen Surf Lifesaving Club in August. Each gig is worth \$400.

### **Who are the judges?**

Each year, our panel is made up of a range of industry professionals. This year, that panel includes:

- Polly Snowden – Gold Coast Music Awards : Music Champion of the Year
- Anita Colebrander – Artist Manager & Organiser of Bluesfest Busking Competition
- Cindy Jensen – Event Director : Buskers by the Creek
- Dan Hannaford – local renowned musician
- Matty Rogers - local renowned musician

### **Who can enter?**

Any soloist, duo, or band, whose members are aged 12-25 years old. We welcome ALL genres. We welcome ALL acts.

### **What commitment does the band/act have to make?**

The act will have to commit to the following:

- To perform at one of the 2 heats (Friday June 2<sup>nd</sup> OR Friday June 9<sup>th</sup>)
- To perform at the final (Friday June 23<sup>rd</sup>)
- If the act won, to perform at Buskers by the Creek in October and at Bluesfest Busking Competition in April 2018
- To perform at Cudgen Surf Lifesaving Club for \$400 in August 2017

## How do acts enter?

- Entries will open beginning of April.
- Go to the our facebook page and click on the blue 'Sign Up' button.
- Pay an entry fee of \$45 per act/band.

## Previous success stories

- High Tide – Uki
- Eliza & the Delusionals – Kingscliff
- Gabriel & Cecilia - Byron
- Double Lined Minority – Gold Coast

## Check us out on facebook

<https://www.facebook.com/tweedbattleofthebands/>

NB: The Tweed Battle of the Bands is an initiative of Safer Communities Alliance Inc. All members of the committee of SCA have NSW Working with Children Checks.

