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The Push announces competition winners joining the All-Ages Tour across the suburbs of Melbourne next month!

MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA – After receiving hundreds of submissions from young musicians across Victoria, 14 young artists have been selected to join the line-up for The Push's All-Ages Tour this May – giving them a massive opportunity to perform their music to young audiences across the suburbs of Melbourne next month.

They will be joining the 2023 tour with **Thelma Plum**, **Mallrat**, **The Terrys**, **Cub Sport**, **King Stingray**, **Jaguar Jonze**, **Teenage Dads**, **Teen Jesus and the Jean Teasers**, **Cry Club**, **The Vovos**, **Tia Gostelow**, **South Summit**, and **JACOTÉNE**.

Competition winners for the 2023 tour are:

- Friday 5 May Brighton Town Hall: **EMEREE** & **OCD**
- Sunday 7 May Thornbury Theatre: Angela Lane & O AEREAL
- Friday 12 May Box Hill Town Hall: Speed Mullet & Tamara and The Dreams
- Saturday 13 May Glen Eira Auditorium: Karen Took the Kids & Ramona Sky
- Friday 19 May Hawthorn Arts Centre: Aydan & Mathilde Anne
- Friday 26 May Clayton Hall: Munchy Dolphin & Kitty Rae
- Saturday 27 May The Centre Ivanhoe: Soft Plastic & Vending Machine Repairmen

As a part of the Victorian Government's On The Road Again program, the seven-date tour is being staged and programmed by teams of local young people, through the Victorian Government FReeZA program - a youth development initiative that provides young people with industry skills and experiences in staging events in their local communities.

"The Push is committed to making sure more young people have the opportunity to participate and thrive in Australian music. By giving these young artists a chance to take the stage with huge artists like Thelma Plum and King Stingray, they can increase their confidence on stage, grow their audiences and build their music careers," says The Push CEO, Kate Duncan.

Tickets for the All-Ages Tour are \$30 (plus booking fees) are on sale now through Moshtix. Visit <u>thepush.com.au/events</u> for more info and to buy tickets.

All shows are all-ages, drug, alcohol, smoke and vape-free, fully supervised events.

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The Push All-Ages Tour 2023

Friday 5 May

City of Bayside @ Brighton Town Hall Thelma Plum & JACOTÉNE + Local Supports: EMEREE & OCD

Sunday 7 May

City of Darebin @ Thornbury Theatre Mallrat & Tia Gostelow + Local Supports: Angela Lane & O AEREAL

Friday 12 May

City of Whitehorse @ Box Hill Town Hall Teenage Dads & Jaguar Jonze + Local Supports: Speed Mullet & Tamara and The Dreams

Saturday 13 May

City of Glen Eira @ Glen Eira Auditorium The Terrys & South Summit + Local Supports: Karen Took the Kids & Ramona Sky

Friday 19 May

City of Boroondara @ Hawthorn Arts Centre Cub Sport & Cry Club + Local Supports: Aydan & Mathilde Anne

Friday 26 May

City of Monash @ Clayton Hall - Main Hall King Stingray & The Vovos + Local Supports: Munchy Dolphin & Kitty Rae

Saturday 27 May

City of Banyule @ The Centre Ivanhoe King Stingray & Teen Jesus and the Jean Teasers + Local Supports: Soft Plastic & Vending Machine Repairmen

The Push All-Ages Tour is delivered as a part of On The Road Again - a Victorian Government initiative to bring live music back across the state.





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About The Push

The Push is an Australian youth music organisation and registered charity based in Melbourne. Over three decades we have supported millions of young people with access to contemporary music programs and events. Our work is guided by our purpose of giving every young person the opportunity to participate and thrive in Australian music. Our program alumni include Courtney Barnett, Alex Lahey, Alice Ivy and Angie McMahon – who have each progressed onto successful, global careers. For more information, visit: <u>thepush.com.au.</u>

WATCH: About The Push (Video)



The Push acknowledges the Wurundjeri Woi Wurrung people who are the custodians of the land on which we live, work and create and we pay our respects to their Elders past, present and future.