

live music / events



with Mandy Nolan



George, coming to Twin Towns Services Club on Thursday November 20.

Ganga Giri
Ganga Giri live is an explosive, pulsating experience of complex grooves that force you to reconsider the power of natural sound and impel you to move to a beat that is so raw and intense, that it touches your soul. This is sensual, psychic and sexual healing on new level, Marvin Gaye elevated to a celestial high! The Ganga Giri group has created their own unique market niche through dazzling live performance at dance events and their innovative approach to joining musical forms and processes. Don't beat the bush, dude, be the bush. Ganga will get his giri off at Coorabell Hall on Friday November 21.

They perform as part of a Bay FM Presents so get some karmic credit points in your favour and support your local community radio station!

All that Re-Mains

The Re-Mains are soon to be heading off on a bit of out of area touring. After being selected to appear on the bill with headliners of national and international repute at the Blues Fest and Splendour in The Grass, the guys have been fuelling their growing reputation backed up by some kick arse gigs. Once you've seen the Re-Mains you'll understand why country decided to 'crossover'. It's dirty, it's grungey, it's the only way home. The Re-Mains perform at the **Australian Tavern** in Murwillumbah on Friday, **The Gollan Hotel** in Lismore on Saturday and at the **Billinudgel Hotel** on Sunday.

Harper's Bizarre

Well, he's not really, but I thought that sounded like a pretty catchy subject heading. **Harper** has been described as a

cross between John Popper and Dave Matthews (with the bowling arm of Greg Matthews). He recently completed his ninth US/Canadian tour where he performed at some of the largest festivals in the world. Harper was the only Australian artist to be invited to perform at the 100 year celebration of Harley Davidson and the only artist in the world to be invited to perform at both The Milwaukee Summerfest and the Harley Festival. Between them, both events attracted millions.

Harper has just released a new CD, with US magazine *The Guide to the Best of the Blues Harmonica and Beyond* rating it as the number one CD of 2003. This CD is the aural bible of suck and blow. The CD also received airplay on over 1,000 US/Canadian roots music stations, he is currently on tour launching the CD throughout Australia. Harper performs at the **Lennox Hotel** on Saturday.

To B or not to Matty B

In a brave new world where hip hop interfaces with break (I mean surf style), **Matty B** emerges as an artist pioneering his own sound. Matty B has just released his debut LP Australia wide. It has been produced by Optamus and Dazastah as well as other members of Downsyde. Matty B has been well received in Adelaide and Melbourne and is a favourite solo artist of Sydney's Mass MC. Matty went off at the 2002 Big Day Out and was the best received act on the Culture Of Kings album.

Matty B writes and plays acoustic guitars on his tracks and is reaching a broad audience base of musicians as well as hard core Hip-Hop devotees.

Being a top surfer in WA in the late 90s, Matty B has performed at the Margeret River Masters Concert in 2001 which has seen his popularity grow through his songs appearing on surfing and other extreme sports videos. His lyrics are somewhat political yet have a fun element to them. The *Courageous* LP is a must listen

release for people who love music coming from the luckiest country in the world; Australia. Matty B is at **Fracas** on Saturday with local supports MCs **Esscay** and **Stylaz**, there's an MC Battle with \$100 cash prize. I love the MC thing, it's like free form word association with rhyme. I'm sitting in my chair, writing this stuff, don't know what to say because there's never enough, information to make it seem intelligent, I'm reticent don't have seven cents I'm a heretic, man I'm a scary chick. I'm also not very good at it. If you can speak in text, you can MC.

Pete Wave

It seems that even rugby players are multi-tasking now with **Pete Murray** doing a little more than keeping his eye on the ball since he saw the light and left the scrum for the recording studio. Not that there's probably that much difference, a lot of sweaty blokes packed into a very tight space. Pete is set to hit the Gold Coast's **Troccadero** on Saturday November 15. Causing a sensation wherever he goes – at his first Sydney show he was forced to turn away 500 people. He has been selling out country wide and has been touted as 'One of Brisbane's most impressive talents' by the *Courier Mail*. This show is hot on the heels of his national tour promoting his latest top five release album 'Feeler'. Anyone who has seen Pete Murray perform already knows what the rest of the country is about to discover. Not only

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