

NEED A LAUGH?



FELICITY WARD

Felicity Ward is a star of Australian TV and a darling of the live circuit, with an international reputation that is growing daily. She has had phenomenal success at the world's biggest comedy festivals: Melbourne, Montreal and Edinburgh. In 2012 she won, or was nominated for every single comedy award in Australia. She has also appeared in the films *Any Questions for Ben* and *The Inbetweeners 2*. In October 2014, her first documentary premieres on ABCTV.



SAMMY J

Award-winning musical comic, Sammy J is truly one of the most inventive and most likeable performers and MCs in the country. His hosting roles range from the satirical Democratic Party interview series at The Wheeler Centre to the Melbourne Comedy Festival (MICF) TV Gala and ABC1's 2013 AWGIE award-winning political comedy, *Wednesday Night Fever*. Whether you want stand up or hilarious songs, Sammy J is a guaranteed crowd pleaser, with an ARIA nominated album to boot!



HEATH FRANKLIN

Heath Franklin is a Logie and ARIA-nominated actor, comedic performer, improviser and writer. He is best known for his comedy character Chopper, originally created for Network 10's *The Ronnie Johns Half Hour* and has sold over 275,000 tickets globally. His more recent characters have included the hilarious pisstakes of Clive Palmer for ABC1's *Wednesday Night Fever*, Bear Grylls and Matt Preston. Heath is a regular on both Australian and NZ television



DAVID QUIRK

Skateboarder and stand up comic, David Quirk, won the peer voted award for 'Best Show' at the 2013 Melbourne Comedy Festival for his earth-shatteringly bold show, *Shaking Hands With Danger*. He performed in the 2013 Just for Laugh Sydney Opera House Gala, and appeared with Sam Simmons in the ABC TV show, *Problems*. With charm, good looks and a questioning wit that makes you think while you laugh, Quirk is a complete original who is well on his way to global domination.



SAMMY J & RANDY

The skinny, piano wielding comic and his felt-faced buddy, Randy, are one of very few Australian acts ever to win our highest comedy accolade – The Barry Award for Best Show (MICF 2010). They have hosted the MICF TV Gala, headlined the Montreal Just For Laughs Gala, toured South Africa as OxFam ambassadors, performed on ABC's political panel show Q&A and released a best-of live album and an ARIA-nominated DVD. They are now recording their TV sitcom for the ABC. There is simply no funnier skinny man, felt face duo working today.



ADRIENNE TRUSCOTT

For more than 15 years, Adrienne Truscott, choreographer, circus acrobat, dancer and writer, has been making genre-straddling work in New York City and abroad. In 2013 she decided to try her hand at comedy and went on to win some of the most sought after comedy and theatre awards in the industry. Her ground-breaking debut show, 'Asking For It – A Rape About Comedy' has been a smash hit at comedy, fringe and major arts festivals across the globe. Just wait to see what she does next...

