

TRIPLE J PRESS RELEASE



Beat The Drum: Celebrating 40 Years of triple j

In 1975, a little radio station called 2JJ launched in Sydney, changing the face of Australian radio forever. The first track ever played, Skyhook's 'You Just Like Me 'Cos I'm Good In Bed', set the tone for the risqué antics and love of Australian culture and music that would unfold over the next four decades. 40 years later, and now a national network, **triple j** continues to be as passionate and provocative as ever.

To celebrate this milestone, **triple j**, **Sydney Festival** and **Fuzzy** have enlisted some musical friends for a massive party in the Domain, with a concert and live broadcast showcasing the incredible music we've championed in that time.

But this isn't your typical concert. A diverse mix of Australia's best live acts, as well as some very special guests, will not only perform their trademark festival sets, but there will be heaps of surprises along the way, including some incredible acoustic arrangements, unexpected collaborations and covers of legendary Australian hits made famous over the years on triple j. Plus DJ sets from triple j's own Nina Las Vegas and KLP in-between. The concert will encapsulate the cultural impact triple j has had over the last 40 years and really is a once in a lifetime event for music fans.

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Friday 16 January - The Domain, Sydney

HILLTOP HOODS

THE PRESETS · THE CAT EMPIRE

YOU AM I · VANCE JOY

BALL PARK MUSIC · THE PREATURES

NINA LAS VEGAS · KLP (DJ SET)

with special guest appearances from

ADALITA · COURTNEY BARNETT · REMI · OWL EYES · TKAY MAIDZA

ALISTER WRIGHT & HEIDI LENFFER (CLOUD CONTROL)

+ more to be announced

Tickets on sale **Mon 27 Oct**. See the [triple j website](#) for more info and ticket details.

Plus the whole concert will be broadcast live on **triple j radio** and streamed on the [triple j website](#), along with heaps of photos and behind the scenes music news.

The concert is just the first announcement for the **Beat The Drum: Celebrating 40 Years of triple j**. In 2015, there will be an exhibition, TV documentary, book, CD release and of course, radio and online content celebrating 40 years of triple j. Stay tuned for more details.

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