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## **KASEY CHAMBERS LEADS ALL-STAR AUSSIE LINE-UP** **SANDALFORD WINES – SUNDAY NOVEMBER 8**

Five classic Australian acts will come together for the next '**a day on the green**' concert, promising another fantastic day of great music at Sandalford Wines.

Kasey Chambers, with special guest Shane Nicholson, The Whitlams, James Reyne, Ross Wilson and Dragon will all take the stage for this afternoon show on Sunday November 8. Gates open at 11.00am.

These five multi Award-winning artists have provided some of the most memorable songs in Aussie music history – hits like 'Am I Not Pretty Enough', 'The Captain', 'No Aphrodisiac', 'The Boys Light Up', 'Reckless', 'Eagle Rock', 'Come Said The Boy', 'Are You Old Enough' and 'April Sun In Cuba' to name just a few!

Acclaimed for their songs, musical expertise and brilliant live performances, this year's '**a day on the green**' is first-class quality music across the whole day. Children under 12 years of age will be admitted free of charge for this event and with a Kids Entertainment Zone during the afternoon, this is a great value-for-money concert.

### **THE ARTISTS:**

#### **KASEY CHAMBERS**

Kasey and husband Shane Nicholson continue to enjoy great success from their collaborative album "Rattlin' Bones". The album reached #1 on the ARIA Charts, has achieved platinum status, taken out ARIA, APRA and Golden Guitar awards and has been lauded as arguably the finest record of Kasey's stellar career – and that's saying something! With more than one million albums sold, Kasey's heartfelt music has made her one of our most-loved and acclaimed female artists.

#### **THE WHITLAMs**

Last year's 'Truth, Beauty And A Picture Of You' was a comprehensive look at the amazing journey of the Tim Freedman-led band, showcasing all their greatest hits. It debuted at #3 on the ARIA charts and reconfirmed their appeal across audiences of all ages and tastes. Freedman's songs with their 'charming cynicism' and poignant melodies are perfect for an '**a day on the green**' afternoon. The current line-up of Freedman on piano and vocals, Jak Housden on guitar, Warwick Hornby on bass guitar and Terepai Richmond on drums has remained unchanged for the last 7 years and 4 albums.

#### **JAMES REYNE**

With his unique vocal style and prolific song-writing, James Reyne has earned his stripes as one of our home-grown greats. With one of the most distinctive voices in Aussie music, James's songs from Australian Crawl through Company Of Strangers to his platinum-lined solo records have resonated with audiences everywhere. Expect a massive Perth sing-a-long as James rolls out some Aussie classics.



## ROSS WILSON

Singer, songwriter, producer and TV talent quest judge, ROSS WILSON continues to do what he does best – thrill audiences all over Australia. Ross & The Urban Legends, which features colleague Eric McCusker from Mondo Rock, are always in huge demand. His latest album 'Tributary' is a stunning acoustic record which sees Ross revisit and reinterpret his vast repertoire of hits. From Daddy Cool to Mondo Rock to solo albums, Ross is always a huge '**a day on the green**' crowd favourite.

## DRAGON

With a run of chart-toppers like 'Are You Old Enough', 'April Sun In Cuba', 'Still In Love With You', 'Rain' and 'Get That Jive', Dragon's legacy is one of Australasia's most successful pop bands. Joined three years ago after a lengthy hiatus by rock veteran Mark Williams as frontman, a revitalised Dragon are thrilled to be back on stage again. The band's contributions to Australian music history were recognised when they were inducted into the ARIA Hall of Fame last year.

## **EVENT INFORMATION:**

'**a day on the green**' is a fully licensed event. Strictly NO BYO alcohol and NO glass. Gates open at 11.00am.

Minors (those under 18 years of age) who have purchased a ticket will only gain entry if they are accompanied by their parent/step parent or legal guardian. Children under 12 years of age (accompanied by their parent/step parent or legal guardian) will be admitted free of charge in the General Admission area.

Food will be available on site or BYO picnic. Picnic rugs and low deck chairs are recommended. Limited Parking is available on site.

For full event information, please visit: [www.adayonthegreen.com.au](http://www.adayonthegreen.com.au) or [www.mellenevents.com](http://www.mellenevents.com).

## **TRANSPORT INFORMATION:**

For a totally relaxing day, leave the car at home! Return transfer service is available through Buswest, phone 9256 3223 or go to [buswest.com.au](http://buswest.com.au) for schedules and fares.

Free Shuttle buses depart Victoria Street, adjacent to Midland Train Station every half hour between 10.30am and 4pm. The shuttle buses will depart the venue at the conclusion of the event returning patrons to Midland station.

## **TICKET INFORMATION:**

General admission (GA) ticket: \$84.90 (plus transaction fees)

Concert & Dining Packages: \$299 (plus transaction fees)

## **PLAYING TIMES:**

11.00am	Gates open
Noon	Dragon
1.00pm	Ross Wilson
2.15pm	James Reyne
3.30pm	The Whitlams
5.00pm	Kasey Chambers

### **ABOUT 'A DAY ON THE GREEN':**

The upcoming 2009/2010 summer season will be the event's ninth year. With more than 165 shows and almost one million happy patrons, the '**a day on the green**' experience of good food, good wine and great music is now well and truly established as one of Australia's most popular concert events. Register at the website [www.adayonthegreen.com.au](http://www.adayonthegreen.com.au) for early-bird offers, great competitions and special offers.

### **TICKETS ON SALE FROM MONDAY JULY 27**

General Admission and Concert & Dining packages from:  
[ticketmaster.com.au](http://ticketmaster.com.au) or 136 100

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