

Hi everybody, hope all is well.

With Easter upon us, don't forget our next Open Mic and JAMM Night:

NEXT MONDAY, APRIL 5TH
8.30PM
(Booking sheet out at 7.00pm)

Although we were a bit light on for musicians this month, it didn't deter us from having a ball. A cheery audience were treated to a great night's entertainment courtesy of some well put together sets.

K. J. Hansen's original material creates quite a bit of interest here. Armed with his new fangled box of tricks and a truck load of material, the Lilydale likeable opened proceedings with a tasty selection of tunes.

Aaron and his horde of harmonicas followed with a bombardment of blues classics, with an original to boot. Darryl took care of vocals on Leadbelly's Gallows Pole.

Death Valley Mustangs are a new band that certainly deserve a rave. All original material that is raw, gutsy and definitely rocks. Great sounds, great songs from Michael, James, Tony and Andrew. Word is spreading already and there's a recording in the works.

Maddison joined us for a sweet acoustic session. Her fine vocals and original songs were met with great enthusiasm, and there was even one about her cat. Her friend James had loaned her his guitar and relieved Maddison for a couple of numbers. James had a couple of his own originals to lay on us and proceeded to do so in fine style.

Dave Haley wound back the clock half a millennium or so with his Komotozed Komets. Steve Cubella was warmly welcomed to the drum stool for the first time, and was ready to take a cruise down memory lane. Daniel from Crossroads stepped up on bass whilst Mark and Darryl donned their six stringed weapons. The Kiss Curl Krooner rocked and rolled the place with a well chosen selection that rattled those pots and pans.

Aaron jumped up, eager for a blow with the band. Darryl took over on vocals and the guys stormed into a pumped up jamm session. Harmonica favourites including Little Red Rooster and Midnight Rambler were the perfect vehicle for Aaron's licks. Quite a bit of fum was had on this set.

Latecomers, Sunny "Shintaro" Lewis and Carlos "The Jackal" joined us for the final set. Dave "Danger" settled in on his mighty kit whilst Darryl joined him on bass. Sunny blew harp and delivered a silky selection of his trademark numbers. Carlos copped a treat for the final song of the evening with The Sky Is Crying, one of his favourites. Vocals and slide guitar were courtesy of yours truly whilst Mark switched to bass.

A few of our friends dropped by, including, Brett, Libby, Paul Z and the ever smiling "Spud" Wilson. Fiona was all smiles as hungry punters queued for treats. A huge thanks to Sue for all her efforts, and, of course, Dave Haley, Stan and Drew. A special mention for our own

Dave "Danger" Matthews. Along with Brett "Dusty Starr" Pollock, Dave's band Time Unlimited will be performing at the Thank You Melbourne concert in Federation Square next Wednesday, 7th April. Go to <http://www.thankyoumelbourne.com/> for info. Many other local performers will be there too.

Many thanks to all who came along.

Looking forward to Easter Monday.

Best Regards,

Darryl
C/O St. Andrews Hotel Open Mic JAMM Nights
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