

*DOWN SOUTH JAZZ CLUB PRESENTS*

# *GALAPAGOS DUCK*



**Featuring**

**JOHN CONLEY (BASS)**

**WILLY QUA (REEDS/PERCUSSION)**

**RICHARD BOOTH (REEDS/PERCUSSION)**

**WILL SARGISSON (PIANO)**

**RODNEY FORD (DRUMS/VOCALS)**

**WHERE & WHEN**

**AT CLUB SAPPHIRE**

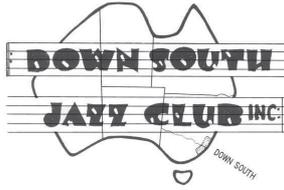
**THURSDAY 17TH MAY 2018**

**COST: \$15 JAZZ CLUB MEMBERS**

**\$20 VISITORS**

**MUSIC STARTS AT 7.30 PM**

*Seats & tables may be booked with Kevin/Aileen on 64959853, at  
bookings@downsouthjazzclub.org.au, or at door on the night*



# DOWN SOUTH JAZZ CLUB

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May 2018

Dear Member



On Thursday 17th May at Club Sapphire the Down South Jazz Club will be presenting once again that very popular band “Galapagos Duck”. Many will remember from their visits over the last few years, when on each occasion they brought the house down collectively and with brilliant solos from all performers.

Beginning in the late 60’s and rapidly becoming well-known in the Australian jazz and music scene during the 70’s, Galapagos Duck is a household name being arguably the most well-known jazz band in Australia with its unique approach and extraordinary popular appeal.

Along with trailblazers like the late, great Graeme Bell and then stars like Don Burrows, George Golla and the Morrison brothers, Galapagos Duck put Australian jazz on the map. They’ve won many national and international awards over the years. Aside from playing at jazz festivals, both national and international, there have been extremely successful performances in England, Germany, France, Switzerland, Belgium, China, Indonesia, Vietnam, Thailand and Laos.

Although the membership has changed, of necessity, the direction of the band has always remained the same and that is to create a performance experience that, while jazz oriented, is able to be appreciated and enjoyed by everybody.

All members of Galapagos Duck are respected performers and composers who maintain The Duck’s hallmark flavour, versatility and style. With the band again comprising John Conley (bass), Willy Qua (reeds/percussion), Richard Booth (reeds/percussion), Will Sargisson (piano) and Rodney Ford (drums/vocals), they have lost none of their enthusiasm, versatility or skill and are probably playing better than ever, delivering a polished, versatile and entertaining performance in any situation.

Drawing from the band’s comprehensive repertoire, the evening will reflect all the many facets that are represented by the word ‘Jazz’. Other genres of music are also included but always with a jazz flavour.

Early bookings are recommended due to the popularity of this band. Cost is \$15 for jazz club members and \$20 for visitors with music commencing at 7.30 pm. Bookings can be made with Aileen/Kevin Walsh (64959853), at [bookings@downsouthjazzclub.org.au](mailto:bookings@downsouthjazzclub.org.au), or will be available on the night at the door. The Club Sapphire bistro opens at 6.00 pm with its extensive menu; meals can either be eaten in the bistro, or ordered, collected and eaten at leisure while listening to the music.