

Friday 12 January 2017

RYDE ROCKS AUSTRALIA DAY

Join the community to celebrate Australia Day at the City of Ryde's annual family concert at North Ryde Common from 5.00 - 9.00pm.

Ryde rocks Australia Day with the Battle of the Bands kicking off at 5.00pm as they compete for the 2018 title, followed by 'Jay Parrino & The Rockers of Oz' and the headline act 'Spencer Jones' from The Voice 2017.

Bring your own picnic rug or deck chair and enjoy the concert with family and friends. There will be rides, sports, food trucks and a great line up of entertainment, ending with a spectacular firework display at 9.00pm.

- Kids' activities include: Amusement Rides, Mini Tennis, Volleyball, Parachute, Soccer, Cricket, Scoop Ball, Frisbee throwing, and face painting.
- Food trucks include: Miss Mabel's, Gozleme, Pro Catering, Bar Coco, Pimp My Chimney and more.
- Battle of the Band finalists include: 'The Vinyl Press', 'A Big Mistake' and 'Supahoney', come and watch them perform on Australia Day and vote for your favourite band on the day for the 'People's Choice' award. The winning band will receive \$1,000 cash, a mastering session at Studios 301 and a mentoring session with a leading Australian music industry executive.
- Enter the thong throwing competition for your chance to win freebies for whoever can throw it the furthest in the kids and adult categories.

Parking available on site – arrive early to get your spot (spaces are limited).

For full details go to <u>ryde.rocks/AusDay</u>

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