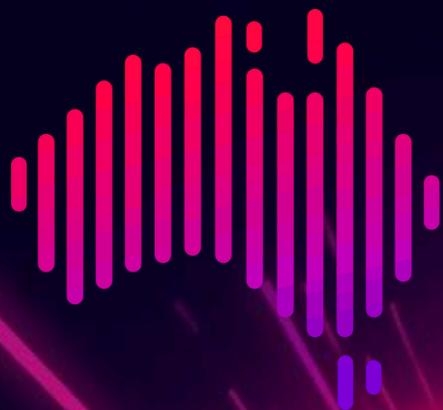




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2026



DJ & MC CONFERENCE

HORIZONS ROOM
TWIN TOWNS SERVICES CLUB



3, 4 & 5 AUGUST 2026
GOLD COAST

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CDJ-1500X

Compact design

Perfect for smaller DJ booths and combinable with turntables and other gear

10.1-inch touchscreen with enhanced track visualization

View up to 15 tracks, or waveforms with indicators for vocal positions and phrase structures

Playlist Edit

Rearrange tracks within playlists directly on the CDJ

Cloud connectivity

Play tracks from compatible streaming services via rekordbox and built-in Wi-Fi

CoBeat service

Receive requests from your crowd on the screen of the CDJ

Customizable look

Change the color of the LED lighting and add optional panels on the sides

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The DJAA & Beat Mix acknowledges the traditional Custodians of Country throughout Australia. We recognise their strength and pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging. We extend that respect to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, and recognise their rich cultures and continuing connection to land and waters.



Beat Mix gratefully acknowledges and deeply appreciates the support of all our Sponsors, Exhibitors & Supporters without whom Beat Mix 2025 would have been made much more difficult.



DAILY ACCESS

Entry each morning will be from 8:30 am via the over road walkway bridge between the Mantra Twin Towns / Sebel Twin Towns. You need to enter the Mantra or Sebel to access the walkway bridge and a friendly events team member will meet you on arrival.

Entrance to the Club is subject to The Registered Club Act (NSW) rules whereby identification or Membership Card must be produced upon entry to the Club. Guests who are not financial members of Twin Towns Services Club & Club Banora and live within a 5 kilometre radius of the Club must be accompanied by a member.

The Horizons Room is located on Level 3. There is a Lift & stairs to Level 3. Events staff will help direct you.



SCHEDULE

MONDAY 3/8

3:00PM

Registration
Head Shots
Networking, Exhibitors & Merch Swap

3:30PM

Reading The Room
Brett Swain
Luxe Entertainment

3:50PM

Music Licencing For DJs
Serge Olivieri
DJ:Plus! Entertainment

4:05PM

Break
Networking
Exhibitors

4:25PM

Business Q & A
Glenn Mackay
G & M Event Group

4:55PM

Networking Drinks*, Exhibitor Time &
Merch Swap
6:00PM - Day 1 Close
*At own cost

6:30PM

Close



SCHEDULE

TUESDAY 4/8

8:15AM

Registration
Head Shots
Networking, Exhibitors & Merch Swap

8:50AM

Welcome, Housekeeping, Sponsor,
Exhibitor & Supporter Acknowledgement
Nathan Cassar

9:10AM

Stop Overthinking Sh*t
Ren Noble
DJ Renkun

9:50AM

Morning Tea
Networking
Exhibitors

10:10AM

Creating A Remix
Dave Winnel
Dave Winnel - DJ & Producer

11:10AM

Beat Drop
Will Crisp
Encore Electrical & Entertainment

11:15AM

Stand Up & Presentation
Dave O'Neil
Dave O'Neil Comedian



SCHEDULE

TUESDAY 4/8

12:25PM

Lunch
Networking
Exhibitors

Lunch Menu

- Butter Chicken
- Beef Korma Curry
- Vegetable Korma Curry (V/VGN/GF)

Served with basmati rice, pappadums, chutney, raita

Lunch also includes:

Chef's choice of two salads, whole/sliced fruit and fresh fruit juices.

1:25PM

Dave O'Neil Workshop
Dave O'Neil
Dave O'Neil Comedian

2:25PM

Beat Drop
Will Crisp
Encore Electrical & Entertainment

2:30PM

Beat Mix 2025 Group Photo
Outside At NSW - QLD Border
[Weather Permitting]

2:45PM

Afternoon Tea
Networking
Exhibitors



SCHEDULE

TUESDAY 4/8

3:05PM

Trade Marks
Karla Holzburger
IP Wealth

3:45PM

Beat Drop
Will Crisp
Encore Electrical & Entertainment

3:50PM

inMusic Products & Engine
Chris Appleton
DJ MC Apples & CMI Music & Audio

4:20PM

Beat Mix Industry Awards
Winner Announcements

4:30PM

Day 1 Wrap Up

4:30PM

Networking Drinks*, Exhibitor Time &
Merch Swap
6:00PM - Day 2 Close

*At own cost

6:15PM

Dinner - Coolangatta Hotel (at own cost)
Cnr Warner Street &, Marine Parade,
Coolangatta QLD 4225

6:45PM

Beats & Laughs - DJ Showcase Social
Event
Coolangatta Hotel

11:00PM

Upstairs Band Room
Beats & Laughs DJ Showcase Social
Event Concludes





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Access to streaming services

Mix tracks from Apple Music, Beatport, Tidal and more with music from other sources

Works with mobile apps

Play with rekordbox for iOS or djay for iOS, and use DJM-REC for live streaming / recording

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Pair your SonicLink headphones for ultra-low-latency wireless monitoring

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Directly manage your cloud-based music via a compatible rekordbox subscription

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3-Band FX

Apply Lever FX and Isolate FX to the highs, mids, and lows independently

Sampler section

Layer 20 built-in samples – and your own – to build energy and shape your performance

Release Echo

Exit samples and effects with a button press and return to the original track via an echo tail

PRO DJ LINK support

Sync BPM and grid info with CDJs, and use samples from CDJ-connected USB drives/SD cards

Digital send/return

Connect via USB to the DJM-A9 or DJM-V10 mixer

Professional sound quality

Hear the difference in the redesigned audio architecture with significantly improved sound

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SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY 5/8

8:30AM

Registration
Head Shots
Networking, Exhibitors & Merch Swap

9:00AM

Welcome, Housekeeping, Sponsor,
Exhibitor & Supporter Acknowledgement
Nathan Cassar

9:10AM

The MC They Remember
Chanel Olive Nayer
Chanel Olive MC

9:50AM

Beat Drop
Will Crisp
Encore Electrical & Entertainment

9:55AM

Beyond Blue Presentation
Adam Garland
Beyond Blue

10:25AM

Morning Tea
Networking
Exhibitors

10:45AM

Event Law Topic
Kathryn Adams
Event Law



SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY 5/8

12:05PM

Beat Drop
Will Crisp
Encore Electrical & Entertainment

12:10PM

Zebri CRM & Wedding Help
John Edney
Edney Celebrations

12:50PM

Lunch
Networking
Exhibitors

Lunch Menu

- Thai green chicken curry, lime leaf, fresh chilli
 - Thai red beef curry
 - Stir fried vegetables (VGN/V)
- Served with steamed jasmine rice

Lunch also includes:

Chef's choice of two salads, whole/sliced fruit and fresh fruit juices.

1:50PM

AI SEO
Robert Adelman
The No Bullshit Business Coach

2:50PM

Afternoon Tea
Networking
Exhibitors



SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY 5/8

3:10PM

Device Library vs One Library & CDJ
1500x
Blake Moussa & Christopher Gafforini
Jands Pty Ltd

3:40PM

Beat Drop
Will Crisp
Encore Electrical & Entertainment

3:45PM

Anxiety Free DJing
Joe Bunn
Bunn DJ Company

4:15PM

Chairperson & Executive/ Q & A Panel
Various Participants
Including Any Prize Draws

4:55PM

Wrap Up & Close

7:00PM

Dinner & Networking for those
departing Thursday





Captured a Great Moment at Beat Mix 2026? Share it with Us! 🎥

We'd love to see Beat Mix 2026 through your lens! Whether it's a behind-the-scenes snap, a high-energy DJ Showcase night video, a favourite presenter in action, or a candid moment with fellow DJs and MCs, your content helps us relive the energy and magic of the event.

To make it easy, simply scan the QR code and upload your photos and videos directly to our shared Dropbox folder.

Note: We're using the Dropbox account from the business of The DJAA Secretary "DJ:Plus! Entertainment" for convenience. QR Code will be valid until 11:00pm AEST 15 August 2026.

Thank you for being part of Beat Mix – we can't wait to see what you captured! 📷 ✨



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ABOUT OUR PRESENTERS

Beat Mix 2026 brings together an exceptional line-up of presenters who are leaders in their respective fields, both within and beyond the entertainment industry. This year's programme features internationally recognised keynote speakers, award-winning DJs and MCs, industry innovators, business specialists, legal professionals, and experts in branding, technology, performance, and event production. Together, they offer a diverse range of knowledge and experience designed to challenge your thinking, sharpen your skills, and help you grow both personally and professionally.

Expect practical strategies, fresh perspectives, and engaging sessions packed with real-world insights that you can apply immediately. Whether your focus is mastering your performance, building a stronger business, protecting your brand, embracing new technology, or creating unforgettable client experiences, our presenters are here to inspire, educate, and equip you with the tools to take your career to the next level.



Ren Noble
DJ Renkun

Ren Noble has built a successful career as a full-time DJ after spending almost a decade performing throughout Canberra's vibrant nightlife scene before transitioning into weddings and private events. With a lifelong passion for music and a strong background as a drummer, Ren combines technical skill, musical knowledge and crowd-reading ability to create unforgettable dance floor experiences for every audience.



Dave Winnel
Dave Winnel

Internationally acclaimed DJ and producer Dave Winnel has established himself as one of Australia's leading electronic music artists. Having performed at prestigious festivals including Tomorrowland, Listen Out and Stereosonic, Dave has toured extensively throughout Europe and Asia and collaborated with some of the biggest names in dance music, including Armin van Buuren, Tiësto, David Guetta and Hardwell. His high-energy performances and production expertise have earned him worldwide recognition.





Will Crisp

Encore Electrical & Entertainment

Will Crisp is an experienced DJ and qualified electrician who combines technical expertise with years of entertainment industry experience. Having performed at weddings, corporate functions, clubs and major public events, he understands both the performance and production sides of live events. With qualifications in electrical contracting and data cabling, Will offers valuable insights into event power, safety and technical best practices.



Dave O'Neil

Dave O'Neil

One of Australia's most recognised comedians, Dave O'Neil has entertained audiences for more than three decades through stand-up comedy, television, radio, podcasts and film. A familiar face on shows including Have You Been Paying Attention?, Spicks & Specks and Fisk, Dave is renowned for his quick wit, observational humour and effortless audience connection. He is also a highly sought-after corporate MC and event host.



Karla Holzberger

IP Wealth

Karla Holzberger is the Head of Trade Marks at IP Wealth® and a Registered Trade Marks Attorney with extensive experience protecting brands across Australia and internationally. Having also served as an Assistant Hearing Officer at IP Australia, she brings a unique insider's perspective on trade mark law, brand protection and enforcement. Karla specialises in helping businesses secure, manage and protect their intellectual property through practical, commercially focused strategies.





Chris Appleton

DJ MC Apples

Known professionally as DJ MC Apples, Chris Appleton is one of Melbourne's most sought-after DJs and MCs, renowned for his explosive open-format performances and exceptional crowd engagement. As an ambassador for RANE, Denon DJ and Numark, Chris combines outstanding technical ability with genuine performance artistry. His experience includes entertaining crowds of up to 75,000 at the MCG and performing regularly at major AFL and NBL events, making him one of Australia's premier live entertainers.



Chanel Olive

Chanel Olive MC

Chanel Olive is a Melbourne-based Confidence and Communication Coach, professional MC, media presenter, speaker and moderator. Passionate about helping people find their authentic voice, Chanel empowers individuals to communicate with confidence both on and off the stage. Her inspiring TEDx talk, Striving to Find Belonging, has resonated with audiences worldwide, and her engaging approach makes her a sought-after presenter across multiple industries.



Adam Garland

Beyond Blue

Adam Garland has served with the Queensland Police Service for more than a decade and is a passionate volunteer speaker for Beyond Blue. Drawing from his own lived experiences, Adam delivers powerful and authentic presentations focused on mental health, resilience and wellbeing. His honest, compassionate approach encourages meaningful conversations around vulnerability, reducing stigma and seeking support - messages that resonate both personally and professionally.





Kathryn Adams

Event Law

Kathryn Adams is the founder of Event Law and an experienced solicitor with more than two decades of legal expertise spanning employment law, commercial law, intellectual property and dispute resolution. Having worked in Australia, the United Kingdom and Singapore, as well as in-house for multinational organisations, Kathryn now focuses exclusively on supporting businesses within the wedding and events industry. She is widely respected for providing practical, commercially focused legal advice tailored to event professionals.



John Edney

Edney Celebrations

John Edney is an experienced Marriage Celebrant, DJ and MC who has been creating memorable celebrations since 2005. Known for his warmth, professionalism and ability to connect with every audience, John expertly combines ceremony delivery, event coordination and entertainment to ensure weddings run seamlessly. His extensive voice and presentation training, together with years of practical experience, make him one of Australia's most respected wedding professionals.



Robert Adelman

The No BullShit Coach

Known as "The No BullShit Business Coach", Robert Adelman is an experienced business strategist, digital marketer and entrepreneur with more than 27 years in IT and over 15 years in digital marketing and e-commerce. After successfully building and selling his own IT company, Robert now helps business owners increase profitability, improve marketing strategies and eliminate barriers to growth through honest, practical and results-driven advice.





Blake Moussa

Jands Pty Ltd

Blake Moussa is a Product Support Specialist at Jands with extensive expertise in professional DJ, audio and lighting technology. Specialising in AlphaTheta/Pioneer DJ and Shure products, Blake combines his Diploma in Music Industry (Technical Production) with hands-on industry experience to help DJs and event professionals maximise the performance of their equipment. His practical knowledge and approachable teaching style make complex technology easy to understand and apply.



Christopher Gafforini

Jands Pty Ltd

Known professionally as Citizen, Chris Gafforini has been a fixture of Australia's electronic music scene for more than two decades, performing at leading clubs, festivals and events including Rainbow Serpent, Strawberry Fields and Revolver. Alongside his extensive DJ career, Chris has spent over 13 years training and mentoring DJs, helping develop the next generation of performers. As AlphaTheta Product Specialist at Jands, he combines real-world performance experience with expert technical knowledge of professional DJ technology.



Joe Bunn

Bunn DJ Company

Joe Bunn is one of the world's most respected educators in the mobile DJ industry and the founder of the multi-location Bunn DJ Company in North Carolina, USA. Over the past 25 years, he has built a highly successful entertainment business while mentoring thousands of DJs through speaking engagements, coaching, The DJ's Vault and the internationally recognised PhDJ Podcast. An advocate for live mixing, exceptional MCing and dance floor management, Joe is widely regarded as one of the industry's leading innovators and is honoured to be Beat Mix 2026's international keynote presenter.





Nathan Cassar

Nathan Cassar MC Experience Amplifier

We are thrilled to have the incredible Nathan Cassar back again as the official MC for Beat Mix 2026! Nathan will bring his charisma, energy, and professional flair to the stage on both days of the event, ensuring a seamless and engaging experience for all attendees.

With a reputation for excellence and a deep passion for hosting, Nathan is a perfect choice to guide us through this inspiring and transformative industry event.



Chris Appleton

DJ MC Apples

Known professionally as DJ MC Apples, Chris Appleton is one of Melbourne's most dynamic open-format DJs, renowned for his explosive mashups, seamless mixing and exceptional crowd interaction. A talented multi-instrumentalist, Chris effortlessly blends genres to create high-energy performances that keep dance floors packed from start to finish. Whether performing at weddings, corporate events or major sporting venues, his infectious enthusiasm and technical excellence make every set an unforgettable experience. Chris will be one of our DJs on Tues 4 August 2026.



John Edney

Edney Celebrations

John Edney has been entertaining audiences for more than two decades, with his DJ journey beginning in Melbourne's thriving nightclub scene of the mid-2000s. Today, he is recognised as one of Australia's most respected wedding DJs and MCs, known for his ability to read every crowd and create memorable celebrations through expertly curated music and engaging performance. John's passion for connecting people through music shines through every set he plays. John will be one of our DJs on Tues 4 August 2026.





Dani Smarrelli

Nussy

Known behind the decks as Nussy, Dani Smarrelli is a versatile DJ and accomplished vocalist whose musical background spans more than a decade of live performance. Regularly performing at private events and some of Australia's most recognised venues, Dani combines exceptional vocal talent with an instinctive ability to read a crowd and deliver the perfect soundtrack for every occasion. Her infectious energy and diverse musical style make every performance engaging, memorable and uniquely her own. Dani will be one of our DJs on Wed 5 August 2026.



Ian Wagner

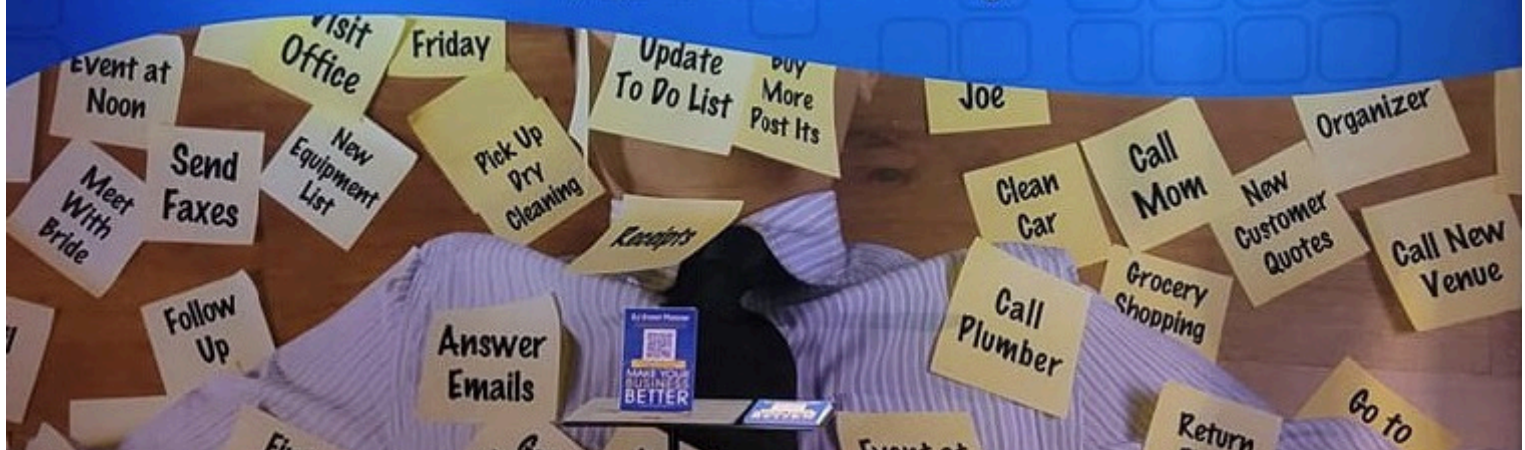
DJ Ian H

With a DJ career spanning almost four decades, Ian Wagner - better known as DJ Ian H - is a true veteran of Australia's dance music scene. From Melbourne's iconic nightclub district and the Gold Coast's legendary nightlife to international residencies in Hong Kong, China and Taiwan, Ian has built an impressive reputation for his exceptional mixing skills and deep knowledge of dance music. His experience alongside some of Australia's biggest DJs has cemented his place as one of the industry's most respected performers. Ian will be one of our DJs on Wed 5 August 2026.

ORGANIZED?

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Web Based Event Management Software





The DJ Alliance Australasia Inc (DJAA) has been organising Beat Mix, since 2013. Plans for Beat Mix 2027 are already underway. If you're attending Beat Mix 2026, you're eligible for the best pricing for Beat Mix 2027, with details provided at the start of Day 2.

The DJAA is a national not-for-profit association, that promotes professionalism in the DJ & MC industry through information, education, networking, and support. Besides Beat Mix, the DJAA offers regular online chats and presentations open to all DJs & MCs, plus additional benefits.

If you enjoyed Beat Mix, consider supporting the DJAA by becoming an Accredited or General member from just \$5.95 per month or \$70 per year. Membership connects you with peers for advice, offers a mentor program, discounts on gear, music pools, and more.

To join, visit <https://www.djaa.org.au/membershiplevels/>.

WE HOPE TO SEE YOU ALL AGAIN AT BEAT MIX 2027... IF NOT SOONER!



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