

## ***Champagne celebration: live music returns to Lennox Head Cultural Centre***

Live music is hitting the stage at Park Lane Theatre for the first time in almost a year – and it's set to be a dynamite show!

Described as 'the finest guitar player of his generation', young virtuoso Daniel Champagne will be the first to bring his show-stopping act to the recently refurbished Lennox Head Cultural Centre on Saturday 24 October.

Daniel fuses the strong traditions of blues, folk and other roots art with his pop showmanship, poignant lyrics and beautifully crafted melodies.

The young Australian singer/songwriter first picked up a guitar as a five-year-old and began writing songs at age 12. He trained classically throughout his teens and performed solo wherever he could, honing his craft and developing what would become the one-of-a-kind live show that he is renowned for today. At 18 he left school, turned professional and hit the road.

Over the next several years he travelled throughout North America, the United Kingdom, Europe, New Zealand and of course, his homeland Australia, playing such festivals as California WorldFest, Winnipeg Folk Fest, Vancouver and Mariposa Folk (Canada), Belgium's Labadoux Festival and Australia's Woodford Folk Festival, Port Fairy Folk Festival and the legendary Byron Bay Bluesfest.

Daniel Champagne will be live in concert on Saturday October 24 from 7pm – 10pm in Park Lane Theatre, at the Lennox Head Cultural Centre. This event is being held in conjunction with Tintenbar Up Front, with proceeds from door sales donated to charities.

There will plenty of live music coming our way in the next few months. High-energy country rock band Hurricane Fall will play two shows on Friday 20 November and Saturday 21 November. Hailing from Newcastle, Hurricane Fall's sound is a modern but earthy fusion of their country roots and the classic rock heritage of the Steel City where they reside.

Recent enhancements to the Lennox Head Cultural Centre make it the perfect venue for live performances.

"The new interior in the theatre adds a clear and high-end quality sound to these events," said Council's Manager Facilities and Services, Craig Brown.

"We're excited that live music is coming back to the centre for the community to enjoy, and we can't wait to announce more exciting events in the coming months."

Lennox Head Cultural Centre is located at 1 Mackney Lane, Lennox Head. The centre is a licensed venue with food and beverages available for purchase. BYO not permitted.

Numbers are limited to comply with COVID-19 safety requirements. To book your tickets visit [www.communityspaces.com.au/tickets](http://www.communityspaces.com.au/tickets) and follow the links.

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Image: Daniel Champagne on stage during his 'Satellite City Tour'.

