



Greetings Great Rock Variety music lovers!



“Hot August Night and the leaves hanging down and the grass on the ground smelling sweet” (Neil Diamond)

Well, what a month July was!!! The team at 99.7 Bridge FM seemed to be everywhere recently with Outside Broadcasts (OBs) to the right of ‘em, OBs to the left of ‘em and everywhere an OB!!

And don’t we just love it – getting out from the studio and catching up with some of our wonderful listeners.

The OBs also give us a chance to catch up with volunteers on other shows during the week, whom we may not see very often.

We will have lots of pictures from our recent OB adventures and from a fabulous and successful Comedy Night in this issue.



ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

*This year's Annual General Meeting will be held on **Sunday 29 October 2023, at 1pm** on the deck at **The Komo**, 99 Marine Parade, Redcliffe.*

An Agenda with further details will be emailed out to Members prior to the date.

*Positions for election this year are: **Secretary, Public Relations Director, Grants Coordinator - for two-year terms**, and due to a vacancy, the position of **Treasurer** will also be up for election this year, for a one year term.*

Please note:

- 1. Potential Board members seeking election/re-election must be nominated by two other members in writing with all three persons signing the nomination form; and*
- 2. In accordance with our Constitution, Proxy voting is only permitted for members who are station personnel on duty at the time of the meeting. (here is a link to the Constitution:
<https://997fm.com.au/constitution/>*

Moreton Media Group Inc (MMGI) would like to thank The Komo management for kindly sponsoring the venue for our AGM again this year.





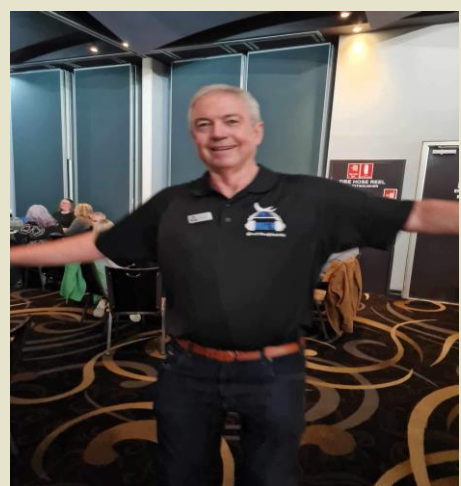
Here are some pics from a very successful Stand Up Comedy Night held at the Redcliffe RSL on 1 August. The sell-out evening was organised as a fundraising venture to assist with our antenna and equipment costs.

A big Thank you to event organisers: Our Fund-raising Team Chaired by Cheryl (Sundays, Reelin in the Years), (Ron – Wednesday Drive with Selena), Fran (recently Sunday afternoons – moving soon to another time-slot), Rob Maguire (Wednesday pm) and Denise (Admin/Traffic – and much more!).

A big thank you also to Mick Wells, a very funny MC, and to the Stand-up comedians:

- *Steven J Whitely (Headline act)*
- *Luke Lewis*
- *Ron Hailes*
- *Rachel Hornbuckle*
- *Codie Grimsley*

who gave so generously of their time and had us all in fits of laughter. The evening was so much fun – can't wait until the next one (hint, hint, Team).



This month's Challenge- Know your 99.7fm Volunteer/Announcers – See if you can put names to faces. (Hint: match the faces to shows on the website: <https://997fm.com.au/shows/>)

Here are some pics from a recent OB, new Coles precinct, Deception Bay



Dave & Jy brought their toys along to play with



Gorgeous Georgia



Local Federal Member, Luke Howarth (centre right), enjoying the fun with 99.7 FM's hard working volunteer announcers. Great work Ken Maxwell & Scott (L) and Ken & John Carey (R)



Ken & Georgia get up close and personal with Batman & Wonder Woman



Oops – nearly forgot to include Daring Dave and his Derring-Do with Wonder Woman – Go Dave!



Don't forget to look out for a great new show: The **'All Abilities Radio Show'** every **alternate Thursday, 6-7pm**, hosted by Big Jon & Julie. Supporting people with a disability to have a Voice on air.



Look out for the Backyard Bonanza soon, at Brackenridge – details below and next page

See
PAW Patrol
Live On Stage
2 shows

BACKYARD BONANZA
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FREE ENTRY
SUNDAY
27 Aug

Food Stalls
Market Stalls
Community Stalls
Lions Train Rides
+ so much more...

9am - 2pm
McPherson Park
Bracken Ridge

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BRISBANE CITY
Councillor Sandy Laiders
LIONS CLUB
BrackenRidge Plaza



WHAT'S ON

STAGE 1

- Hosted by 99.7fm
- Aussie Aussie Aussie Band
- Local Schools Showcase: Concerts, Bands and Choirs



STAGE 2

- Street Science
- PAW Patrol Show
- Soundwave Choir
- Kyushin Ryu School of Jujitsu Martial Art Demonstration
- FAD Cheer and Dance



STAGE 3

- Hosted by Beat Connection
- Showcasing our Local Youth Talents

FREE RIDES
Teacups
Giant Worm
Giant Slide
Rock Wall

FREE
Kids Workshops
Face Painting
Photobooth
Street Science
Reptile Adventure
Animal Farm

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What a great time Georgia and Lezley had at the Einbunpin Festival in July – here are the pics to prove it!!





Huge Congratulations to Levi X

Local singer/songwriter/saxophonist, Levi X, has been interviewed on 99.7 Bridge FM several times. Levi and Dad provided entertainment at 99.7 Bridge FM's Raise it for Redcliffe Outside Broadcast last year and they are regular performers at the Redcliffe Markets.

Levi X appeared on The Voice Australia Blind Auditions last week and will be taken under the coaching wing of UK singer/songwriter Rita Ora. ***Well done, Levi X.***





And then there was the Pine Rivers Show – Yes, 99.7 Bridge FM, “Get’s around, round, round, Yeah, we get around” (And Love It!!)



(L) Big Jon, Raven & Sharon.
Georgia and Sandii (above), Gav & Cheryl (Below)



Sandii, Gav, Cheryl, Big Jon & Mark (below)

Raven & Sharon (below L)





Raise it for 
Redcliffe Hospital

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***SAVE THE DATE: Redcliffe Hospital
Giving Day - Thursday 12th October 23***

***Radio-Thon to be hosted by 99.7 FM at
the station - 75 Anzac Avenue, Redcliffe***

Just a reminder about the 2023 **Raise it for Redcliffe Hospital Giving Day, Thursday Oct 12** and we will keep you up to date with progress.

99.7 Bridge FM will once again be hosting the Radio-Thon at the Station.

Exciting new things are happening this year and in conjunction with the Radio-Thon. There will be a **Plant and Bake stall at 99.7 Bridge FM** on the day. More details on how/when to donate next month and into October.





Upcoming Outside Broadcasts (OBs)/Events

AUGUST		
Sat 12 August	Lawnton, Repco	10am – 4pm
Sun 27 (OB)	Lions Backyard Bonanza, McPherson Pk, Brackenridge	9am – 2pm
Thur 31 (OB)	The Komo, Redcliffe	9am – 1pm (TBC)
SEPTEMBER		
Thurs 14 Sept	Pine Rivers Golf Day	1pm – 4pm
Sat 23 Sept	Redcliffe Paceway High Tea	TBA

SAVE THE DATE – CREW LEGAL’S SPRING GALA BALL

1 September 2023 – Tickets selling fast.





Who is who at 99.7 Bridge FM 2022-2023

Moreton Media Group Inc Board

Jon Twartz	President
Dave Andrews	Vice President
John Vogel	*Interim Treasurer (has taken over from Peter Schofield until AGM)
Sue Gledhill	Secretary
John Atchison	Public Relations
Ray Kerr	Station Manager

Station Management

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Ken Maxwell	Assistant Station Manager/Programming

Department Leaders

Dave Andrews	Content Manager
Gavin Kett	Sales Consultant
Ken McHugh	Safety Coordinator
Bronwyn Davies	Grant Coordinator

Cheryl Barrett	Chair Fund Raising Committee
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IT/Tech: Ken Maxwell, Roger Hagelaar and Shaun Carrett

Production: Mr Grumpy and Josiah Goodrich

Administration Staff

Di, Georgia, Shelly, Denise, Sharon, Johnny, Pam and Chris

Website: Peter Browne (Brownie), Cheryl Barrett

<https://997fm.com.au/>





Ron & Selena Wednesdays 3-6pm



Brownie – Sunday Brunch 9am-12pm

Don't forget to check out 99.7 Bridge FM's website: <https://997fm.com.au>

Facebook page: <https://facebook.com/997bridgefmradio/>

Community Hub on fb

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1939270186397349/>

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