



Australian National **BUSKING CHAMPIONSHIPS™**



BUSINESS INVITATION TO HOST A "BUSKING SPOT"



The Rotary Club of Cooma, together with Cooma School of Music and Cooma Visitors Centre are proud to announce the fifth annual "Australian National Busking Championships" to be held in **Cooma on Saturday 5th November 2016.**

This exciting event will see pre-registered performers busking in the CBD and in Centennial Park throughout the day. Roaming judges and "people's choice" voting with "Busker Dollars" will be carried out and finalists chosen to perform in the "Finals Concert" in Centennial Park later in the afternoon.

Local Businesses in the CBD are being asked to host a "Busking Spot" for the day. The idea is to host performers out the front of your business, allowing them to use your space (and possibly an electricity outlet). Buskers will be on a rotating roster to ensure fairness to both the busker and host venue.

In return you will enjoy free entertainment for your customers and the opportunity to be a part of this exciting event for Cooma.

We encourage Businesses to "value add" by offering specials, hosting a BBQ or providing outside service and extra outside seating so you can make the most of the increased customers to your business. Outside seating may be as simple as a milk crate and a cushion, anything to encourage people to linger longer.

IT IS IMPORTANT TO BE AWARE THAT THIS IS BEING RUN ON THE SAME WEEKEND AS THE SNOWY RIDE 2016 - whereby we usually see up to 4000 bikes flock to the region for the annual charity ride.

To be involved please register with Cooma School of Music by Friday 7th October. A fee of \$60.00 to be an official Busking Hot Spot will secure your booking and go towards the promotion and organisation of the day.

Yes we would like to host a "Busking Spot"

Business Name: _____

Contact Name & Ph: _____

Opening Hours on Saturday 5th November 2016 _____

Special Requests/Requirements _____

Please return this form with payment to Cooma Visitors Centre **by Friday 7th October 2016** or contact Allan at Cooma School of Music for more information Ph: 6452 6067

Payment Options:

- Cheque payment written out to the Rotary Club of Cooma (delivered to Cooma School of Music, Shop 2, Parkview Arcade, 123 Sharp St Cooma 2630)
- Cash Payment to Cooma School of Music, Rotary Receipt will be issued.



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