

ABOUT BARREL DAWG

With all the rumble of an old Holden V8, Barrel Dawg are from NSW Australia and are known for their unique music. They are storytellers, a bit rootsie, a tad swampy, somewhat mountain style gritty blues with a hint of dark country... whatever the case, together, they are dead-set musical chaos and their objective is to ensure everyone is having a rip snorting good time!



Barrel Dawg first entered the music industry back in 2018. Beginning to write and perform new songs at local venues soon created quite a buzz in their home town and establishing themselves in the blues community. After much anticipation, their debut EP was released, and fans and critics alike were excited about 'Mongrel's Unleashed' which was recorded at ShoeHorse Studio.

B' Dawg (Aka Mella) has a passion for unique instruments like Cigar Box Guitars, Banjo and Resonator Guitar. She is inspired by the raw soul exhibited by bluesmen such as Son House and Robert Johnson infused with her own improvisation to create unique folky blues & roots music with the simplicity of old blues storytelling. She also uses a combination of finger picking and slide methods with a little distortion to deliver their big, dirty, swampy blues sound! This concept creates a musical journey for the listener.

"Barrel Dawg is the freshest new blues music I've discovered in 2020! The more I listen the more I like them! I just can't get enough!"
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"They have a unique sound and play original music, they're a little hard to forget after you've seen them perform!"
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Mongrel keeps the engine revving with big bold Bass whilst B-Dawg plays, sings and stomps! Mongrel understands the principles of good blues basslines and provides some solid rhythm, he is as dependable as the lifeguards at Bondi!

To form a trio, 'Muttley' joins as the groups rhythm master, and he shakes, rattles and hits stuff unleashing a bit of creative percussive mayhem to make each performance memorable. Muttley also fills their sound with smooth vocal harmonies, call-outs and the odd Dad Joke to ensure everyone is having a howlin' good time. He has an amazing voice and is the biggest larrikin'. His enthusiasm injects energy into their music and his joy is contagious!

The Band: 'Madra' brings the bang, clash and boom! Madra knows how to fill perfectly to suit each performance, switching between Cajon Drum and a full kit to suit every different show or scenario.

Other Strays include Harp Dawg (Harmonica) & Old Dawg (Electric / Lead Guitar)

They're a bit mountain music, bluesy, rootsie, swampy and tad dark country... whatever the case, together, these guys are deadset, fair dinkim, fun story tellers and it's all about having a rip snorting good time!

It's not all fun and games though, the group take their music and performance very serious and have shared the stage with some music greats such as, Kevin Borrich, Minnie Marks, Claude Hay, The Marvellous Hearts, Steve Bennett and Dan Hopkins to name a few!

Barrel Dawg are available for live performance bookings, house concerts, festivals, private parties and interviews.

