

# TIME TO PLAY BLOWING OUR OWN TRUMPET

Dubbo Jazz Festival

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On one weekend every year, the city of Dubbo is abuzz with the sounds of saxophones, trumpets, cellos and gospel services.

On the eve of its 20th anniversary, the annual Dubbo Jazz Festival attracts quality national and international bands to the City.

Organisers say it's the variety, excellent venues and professionalism that make the event so successful. Highlights of the Festival include an International Piano Competition and Gospel Service.

While the Festival proper is conducted at Dubbo's RSL Club Resort, the event is a community effort with bands performing at a range of indoor and outdoor venues across Dubbo - to the delight of audiences of all ages.

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The City's facilities, diverse range of accommodation options, and wonderful shopping, restaurants and tourist attractions all contribute to the Festival's popularity with visitors and locals.

As well as engaging Australia's finest jazz musicians, the Festival invites school bands to participate in workshops and performances.

