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The Noisy Johnnies Bio

On a building site somewhere, sometime in 1994 Jim Ahern got the idea to assemble a band for one gig (his 40th). Now, almost 20 years later, that band has evolved into a tight Aussie pub rock band, **The Noisy Johnnies**.

All venues big and small

For the past 14 years the same five-piece line up has entertained punters of all ages at more than 100 gigs, parties and corporate functions in all sorts of venues. From suburban pubs and bars, to tennis courts and squash courts (with strippers), to backyards and back rooms, to farms and schools on the back of a truck, all the way to top city venues like the Regent Theatre (the Lion King told upstairs told us to turn down), Hilton Hotel, Crown Palladium Room and the Parliament House Gardens.

Money for nothing

Any money we have earned has been spent on gear and practice. We've certainly done our bit for charity.

Advance Australia Fair

And we've done lots to promote live Australian music by organising concerts on Australia Day (for the Victorian Premier) and gigs in pubs and clubs to fight against the influx of poker machines that has contributed to the closure of so many local, live music venues.



Sticky carpet

We only play Aussie rock and that makes us unique. We pay tribute to the Aussie pub rock genre but our song choice is not too predictable.

We do number two's from the number one's

People get sick of the anthems flogged on commercial radio so our

set list always contains Australian songs people love but they haven't heard for a while. We do original arrangements as well as covers and even some rock poetry. The beat is great to dance to, our sound is bright and we are tight.

Wrinklys that fly

We do it for love and we love what we do. People love us because when they see us having so much fun, it is infectious. We reckon that we are not *Wannabes* because if we'd wanted to, then maybe we'd be *Could-a-beens*.



We are not *Has-Beens* because we are still doing it. We like to think that we are *Legends in our own Lunch boxes* but we are definitely *Never-Weres*. To be Exhumed would be a fitting epitaph.

The band

John (Johnny) Dingeldei

lead vocal keyboard
57 y.o. advertising executive

Jack (Johnny) Ahern

drums vocals
50 y.o. sales manager

Greg (Johnny) Johnson

guitar keyboard vocals
56 y.o. chief executive

Steve (Butch) Ellis

lead guitar
56 y.o. bricklayer/builder

Jim Ahern

bass (and van)
59 y.o. builder

Tracks



Click the links (or cut and paste them into your browser) to hear full recordings on SoundCloud.

Come said the boy (Mondo Rock)

<https://soundcloud.com/noisy-johnny/come-said-the-boy>

Alone with you (The Sunnyboys)

<https://soundcloud.com/noisy-johnny/alone-with-you>

Like wow wipeout (Hoodoo Gurus)

<https://soundcloud.com/noisy-johnny/like-wow-wipeout>

Out of mind, out of sight (The Models)

<https://soundcloud.com/noisy-johnny/out-of-mind-out-of-sight>

Big Wednesday (The Noisy Johnnies)

<https://soundcloud.com/noisy-johnny/big-wednesday>



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