



# GEOFF TURNBULL



## Transit Bandit

### ROCKIN ROOTS & STOMPIN GROOVES

*"Best new talent best male vocalist"* Newcastle blues fest 2007

*"Individual, definitive and electrifying"* Fasterlouder 2006

*"Mesmerizes his audience with wicked beats"* Tsunami Mag 2005

*"1 man a zillion trillion sounds"* UQ union 2004

### NEWS! "TRANSIT BANDIT" OUT APRIL 08

After a massive 3 years of solid touring around OZ clocking up 300 shows and covering 100,000kms in his Transit van, it is only fitting Geoff's new album would be titled "Transit Bandit. Produced by Steve James at Rockinghorse studios Byron Bay the album features Geoff in both solo and band format. A massive national tour is scheduled for 2008 to promote its arrival.

### HISTORY

- Whilst promoting his first 2 albums Geoff has slotted major festivals including; Festival Of The Sun, Day In The Vines, Trial Bay Music Festival, Port Fairy Folk Festival, Nimbin Mardigrass, Brisbane's Urban Blues & Roots festival, Castlemaine State Festival, Newcastle Blues Festival, and was awarded 'Best New Talent' & 'Best Male Vocalist' at the Newcastle Blues Festival '07'.
- He has also supported some top Aussie acts including; COG, Gotye, Lior, The Fumes, Kid Confucious, Butterfingers, Clare Bowditch, Saritah, Dallas Frasca, Vasco Era, Ash Grunwald, The Mess Hall, Carus, Mick Hart.

### HYPE



- With his individual approach Turnbull has received critically acclaimed reviews, being rated alongside the greats of Ben Harper, John Butler & Xavier Rudd but all have outlined the same explosive element that Turnbull carries like no other.
- Turnbull has a volatile streak which gives him an explosive nature, "an unexpected eruption of strumming burst out midway through the set, draws awe-struck gasps and spontaneous applause" Fasterlouder 2005.
- "All in all Turnbull's refreshing live approach imbues him with a spontaneity the didactic John Butler can only dream about" Rave mag '2004'.
- "Turnbull has more variation & the tendency towards the ferocious which John Butler & Rudd do not have making for a more interesting performance" Fasterlouder 2005.
- "Turnbull's songs are sparse, personal, intimate and pure, without the ego tripping rockstar posture and is certainly a musician who releases his demons in a subversive, energetic live performance" Beat 2004.

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