

Special show at Ryde-Eastwood Leagues pays tribute to JOK

THE DAUGHTER of the late rock and roll legend Johnny O'Keefe will perform a tribute to her father at Ryde-Eastwood Leagues Club on Saturday October 6.

Vicky O'Keefe will perform alongside Digger Revell at this special event which marks the 40th anniversary of Johnny O'Keefe's death.

"This day marks the 40th anniversary of Australia's King of Rock n Roll - the Wild One - Johnny O'Keefe, who left us on October 6, 1978," event organisers said.

"Four decades on and Digger Revell is still captivating audiences all over the land

with Rockabilly, Rock n Roll and Country favourites.

"He will be joined by Vicky O'Keefe, the daughter of our King of Rock n Roll, Johnny O'Keefe and she'll take you on a trip down memory lane with a special and moving tribute to her father that will take you back to those exciting days of The Sydney Stadium, Bandstand and Six O'Clock Rock!"

This special show

starts at 8pm with tickets at \$27.

To book tickets contact Ryde Eastwood Leagues Club reception 9807-2444.

The legendary Digger Revell is pictured with Vicky O'Keefe, the daughter of Johnny O'Keefe, who'll perform a special tribute to The Wild One from 8pm on Saturday October 6 at Ryde Eastwood Leagues Club.



'Battle of the Primary Schools' Dance Eisteddfod

MORE than 18 northern Sydney primary schools recently participated in Marsden High School's annual 'Battle of the Primary Schools' dance eisteddfod.

In a burst of colour, movement and sound, students aged from as young as 6 years through to 13 danced their hearts out over two evenings in a range of categories such as jazz, contemporary and mixed genre.

Ms Rachel Bugeja, Marsden High School Dance teacher and co-ordinator of the 'Battle of the Primary Schools' said: "The eisteddfod has been created to showcase the talent of primary school dance groups in a fun, friendly and social environment. It provides local students the opportunity to perform in a professional setting as well as build new relationships with other students."

Local schools participating included Ermington, Kent

Road, Denistone East, Epping, Epping Heights, West Epping, Boronia Park and Putney Public Schools.

The event was a resounding success with each session packed with parents and families, keen to support their youngsters.

The atmosphere was buzzing and the students themselves were so excited to perform and the smiles on their faces showed how proud they were of their efforts.

The event was adjudicated by international dancer and owner of Vibz Performing Arts in West Ryde, Tamara Scamporlino.

"It was truly inspiring to see so much talent and enthusiasm presented on stage," she said.

"It was an extremely tough competition to judge with such a high standard amongst the primary schools. The children and teachers should be proud of what they have achieved."

Lance Berry, Principal of Marsden High School, said "We see it as part of our role in the community to collaborate with our partner primary schools to promote and celebrate the talents and dedication of all students. Marsden High School runs a number of events, including gifted and talented workshops and sports gala days, as well as the dance eisteddfod, to give primary school students a taste of what high school is all about and highlight what Marsden High School has to offer."

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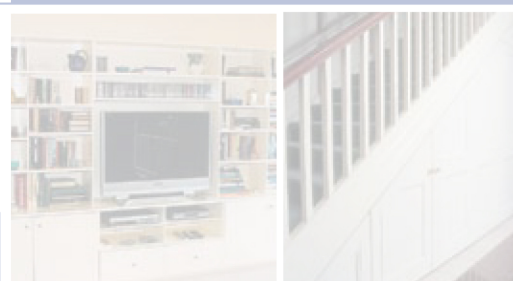
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