

Third and final line-up for Bluesfest

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Bluesfest NZ is proud to announce the third and final line-up.

The final line-up has now been confirmed. With the addition of five more New Zealand artists, Bluesfest NZ now completes an outstanding and musically diverse Easter weekend music festival, comprising 18 bands over two stages. From the traditional blues master himself Buddy Guy, Grammy award winning Keb Mo, and the legendary Ian Brown, the 12 hour festival programme now includes Paul Ubana Jones, Herbs (Unplugged), Darcy Perry, Kokomo and Twinset.

XAVIER RUDD – Xavier Rudd’s performances are captivating and his talent unmistakable. His sincerity and frankness are clearly reflected in his music, which explains the huge level of support that his rhythmic and rootsy sounds have been met with wherever he tours. Hailing from Torquay on the southern Victorian coast in Australia, Xavier has a strong affinity for the beauty of his surroundings. A multi-instrumentalist – including a breathtaking proficiency on didgeridoo – Xavier applies rhythms on the stomp box with his bare feet as he glides his Weissenborn guitar through fluid melodies on songs like “Let Me Be”. A must-see live experience, Xavier was honoured at the 2006 ARIA Awards with a nomination for Best Blues And Roots Album for his 2005 release Food In The Belly. His latest offering White Moth harnesses the live spirit Rudd is famous for, thus realising a goal of combining the acoustic warmth offered by a studio with the adrenalin of the stage.
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