



## Armageddon's stellar line-up

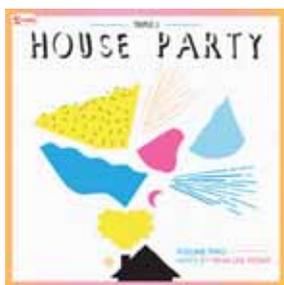
Following the success of past events, the Armageddon Expo Australia is back to Melbourne for its seventh year in a row. A change of venue this year means it will be held at the Melbourne Showgrounds on October 19 and 20.

As always, Armageddon will be bringing the biggest stars in sci-fi, gaming, anime and comic books down-under. Some key guests include: Corey Feldman – Friday 13<sup>th</sup>, The Goonies, Stand By Me; David Morrissey – The Walking Dead; DJ Qualls – Supernatural, Legit, Roadtrip; Barry Bostwick – Rocky Horror Picture Show; Kevin Eastman, legendary creator of the Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles; Evanna Lynch and Robbie Jarvis of Harry Potter fame; Ian McNeice – Doctor Who, Ace Ventura; Billy Boyd from The Lord of the Rings trilogy; Claudia Black of Stargate SG1

Other guests include other stars of Doctor Who and Supernatural, as well as celebrities from the Animation and Comic world as well. Armageddon provides fans with diversity with both classic and contemporary guest stars – ensuring that there is something for everyone.

As always, Armageddon provides an online token system for photos, autographs and meeting guests. This ensures shorter wait times and a greater experience for attendees. There will also be opportunities to have dinner with celebrities after the show, providing fans with the chance to get up close and personal with some of their favourite stars.

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### House Party Volume Two

**Nina Las Vegas**  
**Universal**

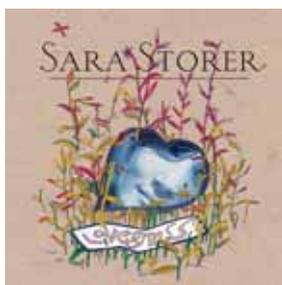
The world's greatest party happens every Saturday night from 6pm. Stash your valuables 'cause House Party is mixing all your triple j faves with new club joints and party jams. If you can't make it to the party, start your own at home with House Party Volume 2. This favourite Saturday night radio program is hitting the road in August/September with a massive national club tour, hosted by Nina Las Vegas, Flight Facilities, Cassian, Tyler Touché and Wave Racer. Melbourne's Saturday 7 September show at The Hi-Fi is sold out.



### If I Want To

**Jasmine Rae**  
**Universal**

Two-time ARIA nominated singer-songwriter Jasmine Rae is setting the charts on fire with the release of her third studio album. Within an hour of release, *If I Want To* shot directly to number one on the iTunes Country Albums Chart and finished number one Country Album on the ARIA Digital Albums Chart after its first week on sale. The album's lead single and title track is also topping the charts.



### Lovegrass

**Sara Storer**  
**Universal**

It's been over three years since Australian storyteller Sara Storer's latest album release but the wait is finally over. Since the release of *Calling Me Home: The Best Of Sara Storer* in 2010, Sara Storer married and had her second and third children. The album's opening single and title track *Lovegrass* is a song written about her husband Dave. "This is my love song for Dave. How lucky is he to have a song written for him about a noxious weed," she jokes. "Every now and then I threaten him with Roundup."



# Music and Bollywood

Diwali the Festival of Lights, with a beautiful meaning of victory of good over evil and light over darkness has truly become a Victorian Festival.

This annual event will be launched on the Yarra in a fully decorated Diwali boat on Friday 18 October followed by a five day, free screening of Bollywood films at Fed Square.

During the week preceding the main event, there will be performances at the City Square and Flinders Street Station. A specially decorated horse carriage with Indian music will be seen around the city during this week.

International travellers would be able to enjoy the beautiful Diwali display, live performances and Diwali greetings at the Departure Lounge of Melbourne Airport from 23 October until 3 November.

The main event on Saturday 26 October will immerse Federation Square in rich, vibrant colours of India. The whole day of cultural blast will cater for all ages. Interesting craft workshop for children, jugglers, face painting, interactive items with AFL players and Australian cricketers are just some of the exciting activities along with captivating Indian traditional and Bollywood dances, live band, bazaar and the multinational cuisine.

Local Indian, Fijian, African Chilean and Chinese artists will also perform some unique collaborative fusion items at this year's festival.

The festivities will begin at 12 noon and culminate with a spectacular fireworks display on the Yarra at 9.30pm. The festival with colorful and exciting performances will provide incredible photo opportunity for media.

This is a free, family event and is sponsored by the OMAC, City of Melbourne, Melbourne Airport, Government of India, Fed Square, various Corporate groups like MB Films, Telstra, RACV and supported by Community organisations like Fiji Hindu Foundation and many Indian organisations.

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