

# TRISTEN BIRD

## HORSE TO WATER CD TOUR

Melbourne based singer-songwriter **Tristen Bird** deals in subtle, intimate, mood-driven storytelling. Proving that the apple doesn't fall far from the tree, his father was also country-folk musician, and Tristen turned to his craft early, developing a style that utilises textured finger style guitar and stringed sound scapes.

Armed with his debut album **Horse To Water**, Tristen is preparing to embark on criss-crossing the country to promote the CD during October and November. Recorded with ARIA award winning producer Shane O'Mara at the wheel in Melbourne's Yikesville studios. O'Mara has previously produced records for The Audreys, Lisa Miller, David Ross McDonald (The Waifs) and for Tim Rogers, all of whom are inspiration for Tristen.

The record also features a haunting duet with Triple J unearthed winner Abbie Cardwell and the Dobro talents of brother Jeb throughout.

**Horse to Water** is set for release in October and three radio singles will be released from the record, with music video clips to follow. The record will also be released with a social conscience and shall be combined with a number of unique conservation fund raising events for Birds Australia, an organisation close to Tristen. Birds Australia manage conservation projects for bird species that are on the brink of extinction. To support them Tristen will be promoting these efforts throughout the album release tour and donating to the "EagleCAM" project.

Catch **Tristen Bird** as he tours across Australia at the following venues : Sat 22nd Oct at Bella Union, Melbourne; Sun 23rd Oct at Pure Pop Records, Melbourne; Thurs 27th Oct at TwangCentral Guitars Adelaide (daytime show), Grace Emily Adelaide; Fri 28th Oct at Basement Discs Melbourne and The Deli, Adelaide; Sat 29th Oct at Clarity Records, Adelaide; Wed 2nd Nov at The Gaelic Hotel, Sydney; Thurs 3rd Nov at The Arthouse, Sydney; Fri 4th Nov at The Tea Club, Nowra; Sat 5th Nov at The Front Gallery Canberra; Sun 6th Nov at Mars Hill Cafe Paramatta; Mon 7th Nov at Hotel Gearin, Katoomba; Wed 9th Nov at The Lass OGowrie, Wickham; Thurs 10th Nov at Hotel Gollan, Lismore; Fri 11th Nov at The Treehouse, Byron Bay; Sat 12th Nov Three Worlds Music, Byron Bay; Sun 13th Nov at The Cave, Nobby Beach; and Thurs 17th Nov at Willow Bar Melbourne.

### Full Tour Details Overleaf

For more information go to :  
[www.myspace.com/TristenBird](http://www.myspace.com/TristenBird)



Tristen Bird is available for  
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# TRISTEN BIRD TOUR DATES :

## **SATURDAY 22nd OCTOBER** **THE BELLA UNION: MELBOURNE LAUNCH SHOW**

54 Victoria Street, Carlton VIC  
www.bellaunion.com.au  
With special guests The Stillsons, Esther Lamb and Mike Antoniou. Doors 8pm. Tickets \$10 presale/\$15 at door

## **SUNDAY 23rd OCTOBER** **PURE POP RECORDS: INSTORE PERFORMANCE**

221 Barkly Street, St Kilda VIC  
www.purepop.com.au  
With Pear & the Awkward Orchestra, Lucy Fisher and Conway Savage. 3pm, Free Entry.

## **WEDNESDAY 26th OCTOBER: INSTORE PERFORMANCE**

**MELBOURNE: SECRET SHOW TBA**  
www.tristenbird.com for further details 6:30pm. Free Entry.

## **THURSDAY 27TH OCTOBER** **TWANGCENTRAL GUITARS: INSTORE PERFORMANCE**

208 Gilbert Street, Adelaide SA  
www.twangcentral.com.au  
1pm. Free Entry.

## **GRACE EMILY HOTEL: ADELAIDE LAUNCH**

232 Waymouth Street, Adelaide SA  
www.myspace.com/graceemilyhotel  
With special guests Esther Lamb and Mike Antoniou. Doors 8:00pm. Tickets \$10 at the door

## **FRIDAY 28TH OCTOBER** **BASEMENT DISCS: INSTORE PERFORMANCE**

24 Block Place, Melbourne VIC  
www.basementdiscs.com.au  
12:45pm. Free Entry.

## **THE DELI**

54A George Street, Thebarton SA  
www.thedeli.com.au  
With special guests Esther Lamb and Mike Antoniou.. Doors 8pm Free Entry.

## **SATURDAY 29TH OCTOBER** **CLARITY RECORDS: INSTORE PERFORMANCE**

60 Pulteney Street, Adelaide SA  
www.clarityrecords.net 1pm. Free Entry.

## **WEDNESDAY 2ND NOVEMBER** **THE GAELIC HOTEL: "THE STUDY" (SHOW-CASE)**

64 Devonshire Street, Surry Hills NSW  
www.thegaelic.com  
Other artists TBA  
7:30pm. Free Entry.

## **THURSDAY 3RD NOVEMBER** **THE ARTHOUSE HOTEL: SYDNEY LAUNCH**

275 Pitt Street, Sydney NSW  
www.thearthousehotel.com.au  
With special guests Esther Lamb and Mike Antoniou. Doors 7pm. Tickets \$10 at the door

## **FRIDAY 4TH NOVEMBER** **THE TEA CLUB**

46 Berry Street, Nowra NSW  
www.theteaclub.com.au  
Other artists TBA. Doors 7pm. Tickets \$7 at door

## **SATURDAY 5TH NOVEMBER** **THE FRONT GALLERY: CANBERRA LAUNCH**

1 Wattle Street  
Lyneham ACT  
www.tristenbird.com.au  
With special guests Esther Lamb and Mike Antoniou. Doors 8pm. Tickets \$10 at door

## **SUNDAY 6TH NOVEMBER**

### **MARS HILL CAFE**

331 Church Street, Parramatta NSW  
www.marshillcafe.com.au  
With special guests Esther Lamb and Mike Antoniou. Doors 6:30pm. Tickets \$7 at door

## **MONDAY 7TH NOVEMBER**

### **HOTEL GEARIN**

273 Great Western Highway, Katoomba NSW  
www.hotelgearin.com  
With special guest Mike Antoniou. Doors 6:30pm. Free Entry.

## **WEDNESDAY 9TH NOVEMBER**

### **THE LASS OGOWRIE**

14 Railway Street, Wickham NSW  
www.lassogowriehotel.com.au  
Guests TBA Doors 8pm. Free Entry.

## **THURSDAY 10TH NOVEMBER**

### **HOTEL GOLLAN**

73 Keen Street, Lismore NSW  
www.sideshowpresents.com.au  
With special guests Mike Antoniou and Kit Gray. Doors 7pm. Free Entry.

## **FRIDAY 11TH NOVEMBER**

### **THE TREEHOUSE: BYRON BAY LAUNCH**

25 Childe Street, Byron Bay NSW  
www.treehouseonbelongil.com  
With special guests Mike Antoniou and Kit Gray. Doors 8pm. Tickets \$7 at the door

## **SATURDAY 12TH NOVEMBER** **THREE WORLDS MUSIC: INSTORE PERFORMANCE**

7 Marvell Street, Byron Bay NSW  
www.threeworlds.com.au  
With special guests Mike Antoniou and Kit Gray. 1pm. Entry through donation

## **SUNDAY 13TH NOVEMBER**

### **THE CAVE**

Shop 1/2243 Gold Coast Highway, Nobby Beach QLD  
With special guests Mike Antoniou and Kit Gray. Doors at 6pm. Entry through donation

## **THURSDAY 17TH NOVEMBER** **WILLOW BAR: END OF TOUR SHOW**

222 High Street, Northcote VIC  
www.willowbar.net  
With special guests The Stillsons and Mike Antoniou. Doors at 7pm. Free Entry.