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The Music Lounge & Dom Turner present

The Turner Brown Band

Featuring Nikki D Brown from Toledo, Ohio & Dom Turner

Fri 7.30pm, 13 October

The Music Lounge, Wollongong Town Hall



This Friday 13 October, The Music Lounge will be graced with the cool blues and infectious gospel-soul music produced by *The Turner Brown Band*.

The Turner Brown Band is a joint Australia/USA musical collaboration between Australian slide guitarist and music producer **Dom Turner** (of awarded blues act 'Backsliders' fame) and Ohio based 'Sacred Steel' vocalist and lap-slide guitar sensation **Nikki D Brown**.

Nikki was born into a Church-based slide guitar tradition known as 'Sacred Steel' and has been described by Guitar World magazine as the "Jimi Hendrix of Sacred Steel". Renowned blues-artist Dom Turner has spent more than 30 years touring the festival circuit with *Backsliders* as well as various musical collaborations including *Phil Wiggins & Dom Turner* and *Supro*. Joining Dom and Nikki are her sister **Gloria Brown** (rhythm guitar and vocals) and cousin **Tomika Webb** (drums and vocals) who share the same deep musical heritage and love of infectious gospel-soul music. Australian bass player, **Ben Edwards** (Ray Beadle band, Dust Radio) completes the five-piece band.

After a successful tour in May 2017, *The Turner Brown Band* have returned to Australia to tour the coast of NSW over September and October making The Music Lounge one of the last performances of the tour.

Reviews

“Nikki Brown is the Jimi Hendrix of ‘Sacred Steel’” - **Guitar World Magazine**

“Turner is a phenomenal guitarist and brilliant songwriter with trademark vocals” - **Rhythms Magazine**

“Dom Turner and Nikki Brown are a match made in heaven” “Blues met sacred steel and the chemistry was just right” - **The Newcastle Herald**

The Turner Brown Band

Venue: The Music Lounge, Wollongong Town Hall, Cnr of Crown & Kembla Street
Wollongong

Performances: Friday 13 October, Doors & Bar open from 7:30pm

Running time: Approx 3 hours (Incl. interval)

Tickets: **Seated:** \$42 (Shared table max. 6 people to a table)

Standing: \$32 (Released once seated tickets have sold out)

Call the IPAC Box Office on 02 4224 5999 or visit www.wollongongtownhall.com.au
A transaction fee of \$6.90 applies for phone and online bookings.

Website Link: <http://merrigong.com.au/shows/the-turner-brown-band.html>

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