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Thirsty Merc

Rock Ya Socks Off Tour!

For Release: Thursday, 5 May, 2011 - The 'well oiled' machine that is **THIRSTY MERC**, is firing up the engines once again for a run of shows in New South Wales and Victoria this June on their **Rock Ya Socks Off** tour.

Never ones to remain idle for too long, the hard working Sydney four piece are taking their highly acclaimed live show on the road, stopping in at **Ferntree Gully Hotel** (Friday, 10 June), Frankston's **Pier Live** (Saturday, 11 June), **Village Green Hotel** in Mulgrave (Sunday, 12 June), Canberra's **Southern Cross Club - Top of The Cross** (Thursday, 23 June), **Taren Point Hotel** (Friday, 24 June), **Rooty Hill RSL** (Saturday, 25 June) and **Australian Brewery Hotel** in Rouse Hill (Sunday, 26 June).

Featuring some of the finest instrumentalists in the country, **THIRSTY MERC** continue to raise the bar and the world is taking notice, with the band recently notching up a No. 3 single on New Zealand iTunes with crowd favourite *Tommy and Krista* and a No. 1 on Australia's domestic artist airplay charts with *Mousetrap Heart*. In addition, the peer voted 2011 APRA Song of The Year Top 20 shortlist features not one but TWO entries for **THIRSTY MERC**, with *Mousetrap Heart* and *All My Life* in contention for the upcoming prestigious songwriting Award.

The new album is spearheaded by new favourites *Mousetrap Heart*, *All My Life* and *Tommy & Krista*, which stand shoulder-to-shoulder with **THIRSTY MERC**'s already impressive swag of hits, including *In The Summertime*, *20 Good Reasons*, *Someday Someday*, *The Hard Way* and *Emancipate Myself*. It all sounds darned good on record, and gets even better in concert when **THIRSTY MERC** are in their element putting their highly revered talents on display.

Catch **THIRSTY MERC** on tour as they take the stunning latest album *Mousetrap Heart* on the road in 2011. Tickets for all shows on sale from 9.00am, Thursday 5 May.

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Thirsty Merc
With special guests
Rock Ya Socks Off Tour

TOUR DATES:

Friday, 10 June - Ferntree Gully Hotel, Ferntree Gully
1130 Burwood Highway, Ferntree Gully

Tickets from Ticketmaster - www.ticketmaster.com.au / Ph: 1300 883 622
or the venue, Ph: 03 9758 6544 / www.ferntreegullyhotel.com.au

Saturday, 11 June - Pier Live, Frankston

1 Davey Street, Frankston

Tickets from Ticketmaster - www.ticketmaster.com.au / Ph: 1300 883 622
or the venue, Ph: 03 9783 7311 / www.pierlive.com.au

Sunday, 12 June - Village Green Hotel, Mulgrave

Corner Springvale & Ferntree Gully Roads, Mulgrave

Tickets from Ticketmaster - www.ticketmaster.com.au / Ph: 1300 883 622
or the venue, Ph: 03 9560 8400 / www.thevillagegreen.com.au

Thursday, 23 June - Southern Cross Club - Top of The Cross, Canberra

92-96 Corinna Street, Woden

Tickets from the venue, www.csccl.com.au / Ph: 02 6283 7288
or Foxtix - www.foxtix.com

Friday, 24 June - Taren Point Hotel, Taren Point

Parraweena Road, Taren Point

Tickets from Moshtix - www.moshtix.com.au / Ph: 1300 GET TIX (438 849)
or the venue, Ph: 02 9525 2879 / www.tarenpointhotel.com

Saturday, 25 June - Rooty Hill RSL, Rooty Hill

55 Sherbrooke Street, Rooty Hill

Tickets from the venue, Ph: 02 9625 5500 / www.rootyhillrsl.com.au

Sunday, 26 June - Australian Brewery Hotel, Rouse Hill

350 Annangrove Road, Rouse Hill

Tickets from the venue, Ph: 02 9679 4555 / www.australianhotelandbrewery.com.au

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