



Two sleeps until you can be part of the magic that is the Good Friday Appeal on 7

Channel Seven Melbourne is proud to telecast the **2016 Royal Children's Hospital Good Friday Appeal LIVE** on Channel 7 this Friday, March 25 from 9am to midnight.

Across the day and night, from both the Royal Children's Hospital and the Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre (MCEC), all the stars and celebrities will unite at this iconic and unrivalled telethon with a shared goal – to raise much-needed funds that will go towards helping Victoria's sick children.

The telecast will get underway at 9am with **BRUCE McAVANEY**, **TIM WATSON** and **CAMERON LING** live from the Royal Children's Hospital sharing firsthand the inspiring stories of doctors, nurses, children and families.

Cast members and presenters from Channel 7 hit shows **HOME AND AWAY**, **THE CHASE**, **MY KITCHEN RULES**, **SUNRISE**, **BETTER HOMES AND GARDENS**, **800 WORDS**, and **MOLLY MELDRUM** with his little maltese shih-tzu cross **ZIGGY** following closely behind, will pay special visits to children at the Royal Children's Hospital before joining our **Good Friday Appeal Night Show** panels.

From 7pm, the **Good Friday Appeal Night Show** will have you jiving along to live performances from Home and Away's **SAMANTHA JADE**, The X Factor's **CYRUS**, country star **ADAM BRAND**, Australian tenor **MARK VINCENT** and **ROB MILLS'** super-group **SWING ON THIS**.

HAMISH McLACHLAN will lead a Sporting Legends panel that includes Paralympic gold medalist **DYLAN ALCOTT**, basketballer **ANDREW GAZE**, Olympic gold medalist **STEVE HOOKER** and footballers **LUKE DARCY** and **MATTHEW RICHARDSON**.

Following a performance from musical comedy trio **TRIPOD**, Sunrise's **EDWINA BARTHOLOMEW** will host Comedy Hour for the final panel with **CAL WILSON**, **FELICITY WARD** and a stand-up segment from English comedian **STEPHEN K AMOS**.

The Good Friday Appeal Night Show is a fully-ticketed primetime concert and the last round of tickets are available for purchase at www.ticketmaster.com.au or by phoning 13 61 00. All proceeds are donated to the Good Friday Appeal.

The Good Friday Appeal telecast starts at 9am on Friday March 25 on Channel 7, with a break for the Seven News 6pm bulletin, and from there we launch into the Good Friday Appeal Night Show from 7pm until midnight.

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