

# FREESTYLE NOW

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RIDER PROFILE  
ANDREW HOME

LOCAL HOT  
MUSIC POLL SPOTS

ON THE COVER: ANDREW FLYNN FLYING HIGH (MAIN PHOTO) AND ANDREW HOME DOING A WALKAROUND (INSERT).

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# WHAT'S HAP'N

RUMOR HAS IT THAT THE REDLINE TRICK TEAM MIGHT BE SPLITTING. TALK WITH TEAM MEMBERS REVEALED THIS: "I'VE BEEN RIPPED OFF" TODD TRIBLER, "LAST MINUTE SHOWS ARN'T MY THING" RIFFENO TALOT, "WELL WHAT CAN I SAY" ANDREW FLYNN. IS DIDIER BIANQUART TO BLAME FOR THE SPLIT, STAY TUNED NEXT ISSUE.

TALKING OF DIDIER, HE HAS STARTED A NEW ASSOCIATION CALLED THE ASA (AUSTRALIAN SKATEBOARD ASSOCIATION) AT THIS PRESENT TIME IT IS STILL SMALL BUT GROWING BIGGER, WILL THIS ASSOCIATION END UP LIKE THE BFC (BICYCLE FREESTYLE CLUB) OR WILL IT BE FOLLOWED THROUGH AND BECOME SUCCESSFUL. SPEAKING OF THE BFC WILL IT SUCCEED NOW THAT DIDIER HAS GONE ON TO SOMETHING NEW.

FREESTYLE NOW, HAS NOW GOT A FULL ON FREESTYLE TEAM. IT CONSISTS OF SHAUN JARVIS, BRAD DYER AND GEORG MOLNAR, WE HAVE GOT OUR ACT TOGETHER AND HAVE STARTED TO PUBLICISE OURSELVES BY PUTTING TOGETHER SOME SHOWS, WITH GREAT SECSESSES. OUR SHOWS ONLY CONSISTS OF FLATLAND STYLING BECAUSE WE HAVE NO RAMPS, BUT WE ARE WORKING ON GETTING SOMETHING TOGETHER. IF ANYONE KNOWS ANYONE WHO IS SELLING A RAMP PLEASE LET US KNOW. WE ARE ALSO LOOKING FOR A GOOD FREESTYLE SKATER TO JOIN US FOR SHOWS AND JAM SESSIONS.

BALCATT A ROLLERDROME IS HAVING SKATEBOARDING SESSIONS ON SATURDAY AND MONDAY NIGHTS, THEY HAVE RAMPS AND JUMPS. COST TO GET IN IS \$3.00 FOR 2 HOURS, FOR INFO RING BALCATT A ROLLERDROME ON 349 3166

HOT RUMOR IS THAT WANNEROO BMX CLUB MIGHT BE STARTING THEIR OWN FREESTYLE TEAM THIS YEAR.

MOST OF THE READERS OUT THERE HAVE PROBABLY ALREADY HEARD ABOUT THE HALFPIPE THAT HAS BEEN BUILT IN ROSALIE PARK IN SHENTON PARK. IT IS A GOOD RAMP FOR BIKERS AND SKATERS BUT THE ONLY PROBLEM IS THAT BIKERS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO RIDE IT, BUT THAT HAS NOT STOPPED US FROM RIDING IT, HAS IT NOW. A LOT OF PEOPLE HANG OUT THERE ON THE WEEKENDS, YOU CAN USUALLY SEE ABOUT 50 RIDERS THERE PLUS THE SPECATORS. MORE ON THE HALFPIPE IN HOT SPOTS. (ELSE WHERE IN THIS ISSUE)

WHILE WE WERE AT THE HALFPIPE ONE DAY WE TOOK A SURVEY ON WHAT TYPE OF MUSIC FREESTYLERS LIKE TO RIDE TO, SO HERE IS THE TOP TEN.

1/ DEVO	6/ OINGO BOINGO	IF YOU WANT TO SEND IN YOUR TOP TEN PLEASE DO SO AND WE WILL HAVE ANOTHER MUSIC POLL IN A LATER ISSUE.
2/ MIDNIGHT OIL	7/ KING PIG	
3/ GEORGE THOROGOOD	8/ AUSTRALIAN CRAWL	
4/ BILLY IDOL	9/ NEW ORDER	
5/ TALKING HEADS	10/ SPY V SPY	

ANDREW HOME IS ONE OF THE BEST FLATLAND FREESTYLERS IN THE WEST. HE IS A VERY QUIET PERSON AND KEEPS TO HIMSELF ALOT, BUT THAT HAS NOT STOPPED HIM BECOMING A HOT FREESTYLER. HE IS POSSIBLY THE MOST SUCCESSFUL RIDER HERE IN THE WEST FROM ALL THE PUBLICITY THAT HE HAS HAD AND FROM THE AMOUNT OF SHOWS THAT HE HAS DONE.



FULL NAME -- ANDREW HOME.

AGE - 20.

HOME TURF - MIRRABOOKA.

SPONSOR - NONE.

STARTED FREESTYLE - 2 YEARS AGO.

HOW HE STARTED FREESTYLE - "I SAW BOB HARO AT A BMX TRACK"

EVER RACED - "YEAH A COUPLE OF YEARS AGO"

FIRST BIKE - MONGOOSE.

BIKES OWNED - MONGOOSE, RALEIGH, REDLINE, SE PK RIPPER, HUTCH, HARO.

FIRST HERO - BOB HARO.

FAVE TRICK - LAWNMOWER.

WHY DO YOU FREESTYLE - "BECAUSE IT IS GOOD FUN"

MUSIC - JOHN COUGAR MELLENCAMP.

INJURIES - NONE.

PRATICE - "I DO AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE EVERY DAY"

MOST MEMORABLE EXPERIENCE - "WHEN I WAS DOWN AT ALBANY AND I WAS FREESTYLING AND EVERY ONE WAS FREAKING OUT BECAUSE THEY HAD NEVER SEEN IT BEFORE"

BIGGEST DISAPPOINTMENT - "HAVING TO GO BACK TO WORK AND NOT BEING ABLE TO FREESTYLE ANY MORE"

HOBBIES/INTRESTS - MOTORBIKES, SWIMMING.

FAMILY - MUM, DAD, SISTER.

PETS - DOG, JACK.

TRANSPORT - MOTORBIKE, BIKE(HARO)

FAVE FOOD - HUNGRY JACKS.

FAVE PLACE TO RIDE - THE BASKET BALL COURTS ON THE RESERVES.

FAVE T.V. SHOW - "DONT WATCH T.V. MUCH"

FAVE RECENT MOVE - TOP GUN.

BIGGEST TURN OFF - "LITTLE KIDS WITH NO MANNERS AND BIG MOUTHS"

BIGGEST TURN ON - "GOING FAST ON MY MOTORBIKE"

WHERE DO YOU SEE FREESTYLE GOING TO - "IT COULD BE BIG IF MANAGED PROPERLY"

HOW WOULD LIKED TO BE REMEMBERED - "AS A PERSON WHO HELPED OUT TO START FREESTYLE AND TO GET MORE PEOPLE INTO THE SPORT!!"



# LOCAL HOT SPOTS

SHENTON PARK, ROSALIE PARK, HALFPiPE. THIS IS HOT. 9ft TRANSITION PLUS 1ft OF VERT. 15ft WIDE AND 10ft OF FLAT BOTTOM. PLATFORM ON ONE SIDE BUT NONE ON THE OTHER SIDE. LARGE CROWDS OF SKATERS PLUS A FEW BIKERS.

BALCATT A ROLLERDROME. GOOD FOR BEGINNERS AND INTERMEDIATES SKATERS. ONE 6ft RAMP AND ONE 8ft RAMP PLUS A 4ft STREET RAMP. COST IS \$3.00 FOR A 2 HOUR SESSION ON MONDAY NIGHTS FROM 7:30 TO 9:30 AND \$3.00 ON SATURDAY NIGHTS FROM 6:30 TO 7:45. THE PROBLEM IS THAT IT IS TOO CROWDED.

SCARBOROUGH, OBSERVATION CITY. LOADS OF WALLS FOR JUMPING FROM AND LARGE FLAT AREAS FOR JAMMING. OVER ALL A GOOD PLACE TO RIDE IF YOU'RE IN THE AREA. MOST TIMES YOU WILL SEE OTHER SKATERS AND BIKERS HANGING OUT THERE.

KING PARKS. GOOD AREA FOR JAMMING AND FOR DRAWING CROUDS. BENCHES, WALLS AND STAIRS ARE THERE TO BE MADE GOOD USE OF.

## SLICK PIX'S

TOP LEFT; SHAUN JARVIS, LAWNMOWER.  
RIGHT; RORY LUCAS, BLASTING AN AIR.  
BOTTOM LEFT; SHAUN JARVIS, JUST A PLAIN AIR.  
BELOW; BRAD DYER, CROSSED FOOTED ENDO, YEAH.

