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# 'PROMS' FUN COMES TO MARIST COLLEGE ASHGROVE

One of Australia's finest military bands will bring popular 'Proms' style entertainment to Marist College Ashgrove in July.

The 30-strong Band of the 1<sup>st</sup> Regiment, Royal Australian Artillery, will perform at the College's Draney Theatre, presenting an uplifting program ranging from show tunes and cabaret, to rock, jazz and pop.

The Band provides ceremonial and musical support to the Army's 1<sup>st</sup> Regiment and 7<sup>th</sup> Brigade and at Royal and Vice-Regal occasions, and is in demand for a huge range of civilian engagements.

Marist College Ashgrove Foundation Manager Wayne Hansen said the band would present a toe-tapping, hand-clapping program of musical favourites.

"It will be a sparkling afternoon of musical entertainment, with all the pomp and ceremonial splendour only a military band can deliver," he said.

The Band of the 1<sup>st</sup> Regiment, Royal Regiment of Australian Artillery was established in 1954. In its 60 years of service, it has played at a huge number of military and community events around Australia, and was deployed to Bougainville in support of Operation Bel Isi II in 2000.

The band will perform at the Draney Theatre, Marist College Ashgrove, 142 Frasers Road, Ashgrove, from 2.00 to 4.00pm on Sunday 27 July 2014.

All proceeds from the concert will help the Marist College Ashgrove Foundation's Champagnat Trust provide a Marist education for disadvantaged boys.

Tickets are strictly limited and cost \$20 each or \$50 for a family of four. Tickets can be booked at: [www.trybooking.com/FEBY](http://www.trybooking.com/FEBY). There is no allocated seating in the Draney Theatre.

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