

Rosie and The Thorns

From the North Coast to New York

Debut album 'Crazy Talk' OUT NOW
Mixmasters Records MXR033

As the only girl in cult surf band The Val Dusty Experiment, **Rosie Sutherland** provided a sweetness to their raw folk-rock sound. Now she has her own band **Rosie and The Thorns** and her distinctive style is coming to the fore.

Their debut album *Crazy Talk* is out now on the Mixmasters Records label. With eleven original songs and one tender Beach Boys cover, intimate ballads nestle between forthright rock confessions. Selected songs and music videos are online now at www.rosieandthethorns.com while the band tours the album release through 2010.



Rosie also makes the band's music clips and their video *Get Sweet* was selected to screen at the **New York Surf Film Festival 2010** and the **International Surf Film Festival 2011, France**.

Rosie and The Thorns have been receiving airplay on ABC Radio, a variety of community radio stations including FBI, 2BBB, 2NVR, 2BOB and featured on Doug Lang's Roots/Folk/Americana program *Better Days*, CFRO Vancouver, Canada.

Rosie recently contributed to the **ABC Radio 'Sing Like Slim' series** with her moody, minor-key interpretation of Slim Dusty's iconic 'Pub With No Beer'.

'(Sutherland) exudes a strong folk aesthetic in her writing and singing. She also exhibits the invaluable understanding of economy in her singing; delivering just what the song and lyric requires and no more' – Martin Jones, Rhythms magazine

Track 2 Sweet Dreams – radio-friendly rock

Track 3 Crazy Talk – pop-rock musing on the little voices in your head...

Track 5 Breakdown (Note to Self) – Quirky dark pop ballad – music video released

Track 12 I Get Around/Sweet Dreams – short film/music video *Get Sweet* released

'a compelling solo rendition of 'I Get Around'' **Martin Jones, Rhythms**

'THE best Beach Boys cover I have ever heard' **Gerard Nedich, FairPlayNow**

'blew my mind!' **Jack McCoy, Filmmaker**

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