

JACK NOLAN

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Australian singer-songwriter | Poetic folk, alt-country and atmospheric folk-rock

About

Jack Nolan is a Sydney-based singer-songwriter whose music traverses poetic folk, alt-country and atmospheric folk-rock. Across more than three decades of writing, recording and performing, he has built a substantial catalogue centred on strong songs, atmosphere and storytelling, with nine studio albums and a live EP to his name.

In the early 2000s, Nolan fronted The Kelly Gang as lead singer and principal songwriter. The band released Looking for the Sun, critically acclaimed at the time, and featured musicians whose backgrounds included Midnight Oil, Hoodoo Gurus and other notable Australian acts.

CURRENT DIRECTION

Recent work, particularly The Lonely Petunia, leans toward intimate, acoustic-led songwriting with a strong sense of atmosphere, character and place.

LIVE / BOOKING

Solo, duo and band formats. Available for intimate venues, songwriter rooms, support slots, regional and interstate dates, and selected full-band performances.

"Nolan isn’t just playing around with retro here; he’s reminding us how commonplace handmade music once was — and how good it can sound when produced with today’s knowledge."
- Sonic Realms, on The Lonely Petunia

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- Dancing About Architecture

CURRENT & FORTHCOMING MUSIC

Selected recent releases and forthcoming projects

THE LONELY PETUNIA - 2025

A defining move toward Nolan's acoustic, poetic and alt-folk/country sound - intimate, atmospheric songs with storytelling at their centre.

TELL IT TO THE BIRDS - LIVE ACOUSTIC EP - 2026

Recorded live at Curb Studios in Nashville with longtime collaborator and producer Justin Weaver, capturing Nolan in a stripped-back setting where songcraft, voice and feel take centre stage.



MIND THE GAP - 2026/27

A bolder late-'60s/early-'70s folk-rock frame with acoustic and electric guitars, big live drums and a sharper rock edge, while retaining melody, story and atmosphere.

FADED BLUE - 2027

Returns to the intimate storytelling and poetic atmosphere of The Lonely Petunia while opening the arrangements into a broader, fuller sound. Planned for April 2027.

Selected Press

"Not only is this a great album... the songs found here are honest and heartfelt, real and relatable."
- Dancing About Architecture, on The Lonely Petunia

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"Looking for the Sun is one of those great albums that exists on a precipice."
- Mark Mordue, on The Kelly Gang's Looking for the Sun

WATCH LIVE

Rushcutter's Bay - Live at Curb Studio with Justin Weaver

2027

Australian dates and U.S. performances planned for April.

Private advance music available for industry enquiries.







