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The band

Current line up :-		
Nick Kipridis	:	lead vocals & guitars
Dennis Kipridis	:	electric/double bass & vocals
Bill Rankine	:	guitars & vocals
Deryck Charles	:	keyboards
Steve Peterka	:	drums/percussion

Bio

"THE STREAMLINERS".....don't sound like anyone else ...they're not blues, not soul, not roots, not jazz, not funk... yet they are all these things and they just sound like the streamliners....they really have a sound of their own... they're truly a unique band!' ('Blues Power' 3D Radio FM - July 2011).....

Consisting of some of the cream of South Australian roots/rock musicians, the Streamliners are an Australian institution in blues, soul and roots music. They've won many awards as a band, as individual artists and for their recordings, including "Best Roots & Blues Album 2011" for their 5th recording "Signs", and have backed up many international artists including Buddy Guy, Junior Wells and Charlie Musselwhite to name a few over their 28-year existence.

Priding themselves on song writing and live performance, their music reminds listeners of classic American blues and R&B, evoking a certain familiarity but with an elusive, modern edge. Comparisons have been made to such artists as BB King, Van Morrison, Allman Brothers, Los Lobos, Bob Dylan and John Lee Hooker to name a few. They are a band full of musical colour, texture and variety when they hit the stage or on record.

With 2 of the most sought after guitarists in Adelaide, Nick Kipridis and Bill "Billy Bob" Rankine, together with a backup of bass, keyboards and percussion, there is a unique synergy at play when these five musicians get together. Their unpredictable live shows take on a spin of their own that to the audience's delight, sound fresher and somewhat beyond the 5 CD's released over the last few years. The Streamliners are a group constantly striving to take that extra step into the void of musical improvisation while pushing the envelope of what defines "Roots Music".

With their latest release (2019), **The Streamliners** present fresh songs to inspire longtime fans and newcomers alike with their eclectic brew of bluesy adventures.

Awards and Credits

2011

Best R&B recording "SIGNS" album award (Derringers Music Adelaide Blues & Roots awards, SA)

2010

Band of the Year award "The Streamliners" (Derringers Music Adelaide Blues & Roots awards, SA) Guitarist of the Year award "Nick Kipridis" (Derringers Music Adelaide Blues & Roots awards, SA)

2008

Bassist of the Year award "Dennis Kipridis" (Derringers Music Adelaide Blues & Roots awards, SA) Guitarist of the Year award "Sav Palaktsoglou" (Derringers Music Adelaide Blues & Roots awards, SA)

1996

Best new release runner up "Waiting on you" (SAMIA Awards, SA) Best blues band runner up (SAMIA Awards, SA) Best bass player runner up "Dennis Kipridis" (SAMIA Awards, SA)

1994

Best new R&B band award (Lithgow R&B festival, NSW) Best R&B song - "Hummingbird" (Lithgow R&B festival, NSW) Best new male artist' runner up - "Nick Kipridis " (Lithgow R&B festival, NSW)

Discography

- 1. Kicking back the blues (2019) 2 Moons
- 2. House of fire (2014) 2 Moons
- 3. Signs (2009) _2 Moons records
- 4. Under the Moondogs (2006) _2 Moons records
- 5. 2 Minutes to Curtains (2000) _2 Moons records
- 6. Waiting on You (1996)_2 Moons records
- 7. Deep South SA Roots music (1994)_Blues club records/Shock records