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Alice Springs Desert Park Goes Musical

Locals and visitors will be able to enjoy an evening under the stars listening to the blues and roots musicians Dan Haynes, Herman Marcic and friends at the Alice Springs Desert Park next Saturday, 9 May 2008.

Alice Springs Desert Park Director Gary Fry said *Music in the Park* is held up to four times a year in the Park's Nature Theatre, and usually attracts audiences of more than 100 people.

"This is the second time Dan Haynes, Herman Marcic and friends have played *Music in the Park* showing off their original music," Mr Fry said.

"We had more than 120 people turn up to see them play at the last event, held on 19 September 2008, and we're hoping for another good turnout next weekend."

Mr Fry said the Alice Springs Desert Park boasts a spectacular setting and facilities for hosting evenings such as this.

"With the stunning West MacDonnell ranges as a backdrop, a full moon and starry sky above, and sitting amongst Central Australia's magnificent flora and fauna it makes for a truly unique experience," Mr Fry said.

"The Desert Park strives to provide interesting and entertaining evenings for locals and visitors to enjoy that provides a unique alternative.

The Theatre opens at 7.15pm and the concert commences at 7.30pm.

Tickets cost \$15 per Adult and \$10 per Child, or \$10 for Territorian Pass holders, and will be sold on the night. Please note seats are limited.

For more information about ASDP phone 8951 8788 or go to www.alicespringsdesertpark.com.au.

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