

MEDIA RELEASE  
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## A special invitation for the young people of Airds and Campbelltown:

### Get down to Hip Hop with Youth Off The Streets!

On Friday August 29, Youth Off The Streets will be holding a Hip Hop night for youth at the Campbelltown Arts Centre.

Organised by the Youth Off The Streets Airds Outreach Program, the Hip Hop night will be a fully supervised evening of music and dance for young people.

The night is sure to be full of good vibrations with the \$5 entry fee including a special guest star performance by international Hip-Hop band, Snob Scrilla.

Youth Off The Streets are grateful to the members of Snob Scrilla who have taken some time out of their busy touring schedule to hang with the young people of Airds and share their passion for Hip Hop before heading off as part of the line up in the 2008 HOMEBAKE concert series.

According to Jennifer Misifosa of the Youth Off The Streets Airds Outreach Program: *"If you like dancin' to backing beats and mixin' with the best, then this is the place to be."*

The Hip Hop for Youth Off The Streets initiative has been developed by Airds Outreach youth workers in an attempt to raise funds to support the program which currently sees up to 70 young people get together for a BBQ, Hip Hop classes and sporting activities at Airds basket ball courts, every Monday night.

*"This is an opportunity for young people in the area to come and meet the youth workers in our programme. It's also an excellent opportunity for young people to contribute to a great cause while having the time of their life!"* said Ghouwa Sadien, Airds Outreach Program Community Worker.

The Hip Hop in aid of Youth Off The Streets is a fully supervised drug and alcohol free event for youth.

## MEDIA / PHOTO OPPORTUNITY

<b>When</b>	18:00hrs – 21:30hrs, Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> August 2008
<b>Where</b>	Campbelltown Arts Centre Performance Studio (Cnr Appin & Camden Road)
<b>Who</b>	Snob Scrilla, Staff from the Youth Off The Streets Outreach Program and young people.
<b>What</b>	A night of Hip Hop dance and music. ENTRY FEE: \$5 THIS IS A SUPERVISED DRUG & ALCOHOL FREE EVENT FOR THE YOUTH OF AIRDS.

#### **Youth Off The Streets Mission:**

*Helping disconnected young people to discover greatness within, by engaging, supporting and providing opportunities to encourage and facilitate positive life choices.*

#### **About Youth Off The Streets:**

Youth Off The Streets is a non-denominational community organisation working for young people who are chronically homeless, drug dependent and recovering from abuse. We support these young people as they work to turn their lives around and overcome immense personal traumas such as neglect and physical, psychological and emotional abuse.

Since opening in 1991, Youth Off The Streets has grown from a single food van delivering meals to young homeless people on the streets of Kings Cross to a major youth specific agency providing a wide range of services offering a full continuum of care.

It is our goal that these young people will leave our care drug free, with a high school education, living skills and a full or part time job in hand. **To donate to Youth Off The Streets, please call: 1800 06 22 88 or visit: [www.youthoffthestreets.com.au](http://www.youthoffthestreets.com.au)**  
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