

## MEDIA RELEASE

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### 2013 Airnorth Kimberley Moon Experience line-up announced

Airnorth are very proud to sponsor the **Airnorth Kimberley Moon Experience** for 2013, held on Saturday 25 May at the James Hughes Amphitheatre on the banks of the Ord River in Kununurra.

Airnorth has been sponsoring the Kimberley Moon Experience and the Ord Valley Muster since their inception in 2001 and are pleased to announce that this year's event is to be headlined by singer/songwriter Guy Sebastian and will feature a line-up of Aussie greats, including Mark Seymour, James Reyne and Northern Territory's award winning musician, Geoffrey Gurrumul Yunupingu.

**Guy Sebastian**, singer songwriter and the only male solo artist in Australian chart history to achieve eight number one hits.

**Mark Seymour**, acclaimed singer/songwriter, solo artist and former lead vocalist of Hunters and Collectors for 18 years.

**James Reyne**, rock musician, singer/songwriter and former front-man of the iconic 1980s band Australian Crawl.

**Geoffrey Gurrumul Yunupingu**, multiple ARIAS and Deadly awards winner, both as a solo artist and as a member of Saltwater Band and Yothu Yindi.

This year's Airnorth Kimberley Moon Experience is set to be another magical night under the stars and tickets are on sale from 12pm, Friday 01 February from Ticketmaster.

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#### ***Company background***

Headquartered in Darwin, Airnorth is now the premier airline based in Northern Australia and carries in excess of 250,000 passengers annually.

Airnorth is a full service carrier accommodating the needs of both business and leisure travellers, operating state-of-art regional jets through its interstate and international network and providing passengers with complimentary catering and a free baggage allowance.

The airline operates over 185 departures weekly, serving 16 destinations in the Northern Territory, Western Australia, Queensland and Timor-Leste including:

Darwin	Dili, Timor-Leste	Broome	Elcho Island
Gold Coast	Groote Eylandt	Gove [Nhulunbuy]	Karratha
Kununurra	Maningrida	McArthur River	Milingimbi
Mt Isa	Perth	Port Hedland	Townsville

Passengers can also earn and redeem Qantas Frequent Flyer points on all Airnorth scheduled services.

Airnorth, through its partnership with Qantas Airways, offer seamless connectivity including through check in and interline baggage facilities, with Qantas code sharing on the majority of Airnorth's Jet services.

In addition to scheduled departures, Airnorth operates contract and ad-hoc charter services for a wide variety of companies undertaking oil & gas, mining, defence and government activity.

Airnorth directly employs more than 200 staff in Darwin and provides indirect employment through the contracting of ground service operations across its destinations.

Airnorth was recently awarded as the winner of the **2012 Large Services Award** at the Northern Territory's Chief Minister's Export and Industry Awards that recognise the important contribution that NT businesses make to the local economy through job creation and increased prosperity in the community.

