

dominique jingles

ABOUT ME

I'm more a musical being than human being. It goes back to the beginning. I'm the youngest of seven kids and our home was a mini conservatorium of music. There was always a song or a tune emanating from one of our rooms. My dad Ted ran an advertising agency, Jaques McCaskill, that created some of the biggest jingles of its day. Remember Chiko Roll and Ferdi Dominelli?- they were my Dad's.

For me, singing and playing were a way of life for as long as I remember. I began singing professionally at 8 and I really haven't stopped since.

I love writing songs and jingles. It gives me a creative edge to be involved in the brief from conception to completion with studio production. I use my own voice but I have on my books a plethora of young and up-and-coming artists for different projects. My creative process draws on my life experience, be it my travels, relationships, motherhood, challenges and successes.

MY CAREER

- 1988: Carl Orff schulwerk course, Conservatorium of Music
- 1989: Graduated Associate Diploma in Expressive and Performing Arts, University of NSW
- 1990-1995: Darwin Theatre Company. Founded Gecko Theatre for Young People and directed and performed in a series of children's theatre productions and performed in two adult productions.
- 1990-1994: Feature act, playing piano and singing, at the Sheraton Darwin and Pickled Parrot in Darwin
- 1995: Telltales entertainment – Lead performer with this travelling children's theatre group.
- 1997: ABC's Flowerpot Gang – performed and toured
- 1998: Dragontale – Performed, toured and sang on the Dragontale CD
- 2000: Tapping sticks - Created children's music educational company teaching music to pre-school children
- 2001: TV presenters course
- 2002-2009: Founded Dominique, pop princess for kids. Produced and released two albums: self-titled Dominique and Secret Agent. Toured Australia and performed at major events including Sydney's News Years Eve, Australia Day and Sydney Royal Easter Show
- 2009-present: Jingle production. Wrote lyrics and music, co-produced and sang jingles for Jetset Travel and Travelworld. Jingles used for national radio and TV campaigns for the past two years. Also performed music-on-hold for both companies.

Sang on ABC for Kids theme song with seven-year-old daughter Natalie. Natalie also sang promo for ABC's Peppa Pig.
- 2010: Launched Yoga for Kids company, Suki Sprout Yoga.
- 2012: Launched children's entertainment production company, Funky Guru, incorporating TV and live productions.

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