

## **Richard Lane**

(Guitar, vocals, Keyboards, Harmonica)

From The Stems 1983-1987, reformed 2003-2009

The Stems formed in 1983 when Richard and Dom Mariani were introduced. The band went on to support the likes of The Saints and The Triffids and also undertook several national and international tours, alongside the band like The Hoodoo Gurus and Radio Birdman, to name but a few....

The band has released several albums, with The Rolling Stone magazine nominating them in the top 100 Aussie Albums of all time. The Stems were also invited to perform on the final episode of Countdown.

Besides Richard's busy schedule with The Stems, he also embarked on a solo career in 2008 and is currently working on recording a new album. Richard has also been teaching guitar in Margaret River, and on moving back to Fremantle in 2009 has joined us here at the Canning Art Centre to teach guitar on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.