

# **Champs & Brooksy Out-Barmy the Army**

## **CHAMPS & BROOKSY'S CRICKET CHANTS** **SONGS FOR SINGING AT CRICKET MATCHES**

Those two laugh-loving larrikins of Sports Songs Greg Champion & David Brooks have combined again to produce six seriously singalong-able cricket chants, capable of being picked up by any cricket crowd.

Designed to be chanted by the most boisterous and bogan Aussie fans, get set to join in on six new chants including *We Are Young And Free*, *You Do The Best You Can*, *We Had Dennis Lillee* and two tuneful versions of *Aussie Oy*, all written by Greg & Angela Champion.

In 2006 Champs & Brooksy sat in an SCG Stand during an Ashes Test and watched The Barmy Army performing brilliantly and out-singing The Aussies in a walkover -- the only place The Poms won *anything* on that tour.

Their mission was born: to create songs that *beat* the Barmy Army at their own impressive game. Stand by for the sweet sounds of '*We had Dennis Lillee, You had Phillip Tuffnell*', '*We are a Leading Cricket Nation and You do the Best You Can*', and the stirringly patriotic '*Your Country's had the Gong, We are Young and Free*'.

Finally, Aussie cricket fans can move on from 'You're Going Home in the Back of a Divvy Van', iconic classic 'though it is. Not since *Come on Aussie Come on* have Australian crowds had something fun to sing at cricket games. Well, get ready to sing Aussie Oy and other national catchcries in a musical new way, with the release of ***Songs For Singing at Cricket Matches, by Greg Champion and David Brooks.***

*Songs will be available on various on-line stores including iTunes, Nokia and MySpace, later this week. Or visit <http://gregchampion.com.au/store.html> to purchase your copy of the Album.*

### **About Greg Champion:**

Songwriter, singer, comedian and radio personality, Greg Champion - "Champs" - captures what it is to be Australian through his unique combination of comedy, sport parodies and country/folk music. Dubbed the king of footy tunes, Champs is recognised as Australia's leading writer of AFL and cricket songs. Since the 80's Greg has written several hit cricket songs including *I Made a Hundred in the Backyard at Mum's* and *Cricket's On the Radio* - songs revered by sport lovers across the nation.

### **About David Brooks:**

Founder and front man of the Music Men, David Brooks - "Brooksy" - has become a widely recognized 'Aussie Pom' through his own variety of colourful musical comedy and sport songs. Brooksy has endeared himself to the Australian public with his infectious personality and on stage antics. A lad from Lancashire with decades of Australian sunshine under his belt, Brooksy has a unique ability to bridge the Land of Nature's Gifts with the Land of Hope and Glory.

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