## SALLY PYKE

BIO 2014



Sally Pyke is an actor, inspirational children's presenter, singer-songwriter/recording artist and creative producer. Her journey is about others; about finding tangible and impacting ways in which to let people know that they are valued and loved.

An intrinsic love of making things and giving them to convey value and love is the stem from which Sally's creative passion has grown. This deep-rooted passion was fueled by her country-NSW upbringing where integrity, warmth, generosity, authenticity, passion and love were the hallmarks of her informative years. These traits remain at the core of who she is and permeate all she creates.

Sally's formal education includes Bachelor of Music Education (Hons, Sydney Conservatorium of Music/University of Sydney), Teaching Certificate (NSW Department of Education), and a Master of Arts in Leadership and Management (Hons, cum laude, Biola University, La Mirada, CA, USA). Sally has also lived and worked in Tokyo (JAPAN) and Los Angeles (USA), and worked in Wewak (PNG). In terms of personal development, Sally's greatest "crucible" of growth and rich source of joy is being a mother to her son, Samuel James (aged 5yrs). Together with her husband they reside in Glebe, NSW, where they are continuing to grow Sally's emerging creation production company, Greenwood House (greenwoodhouse.com.au).

RiverSally is the persona created by Sally to deliver her songs, videos and other creative content to children and to educators across various platforms (riversally.com. au). Already an established creative producer, singer-songwriter/recording artist and artwork director, Sally has already produced an indie pop single "Love is Like...," and an instrumental album, "River," (both already on iTunes). Various other projects (song releases, music video clips, albums, anime and children's storybooks) are in various stages of development and will be rolled out in the future on various media platforms.

An immediate goal for Sally is to feature as a Children's TV Presenter and to further grow her platform and influence in the genre of children's media. Her motivation is to positively impact children everywhere, inspiring them to reach their fullest potential and leave their positive mark upon the world. 2014 marks Sally's formal emergence as a fulltime actor, creative producer, and singer-songwriter/recording artist after having more recently devoted focal time to be a fulltime stay-at-home Mum and to engage in content creation and various children's presenting roles in the community.

Sally's long-term goal is to produce a children's anime TV series that she has already conceived and developed substantially. Every step now is an investment into the future of this project and other projects like it, projects destined to leave an indelible and positive mark upon our world, especially our children.

Sally is a prophetic visionary with the wisdom of a sage and the innocence and curiosity of a child. Her expressive means are winsome and enchanting beyond measure. Sally's inspirational character, her strong ability to create things, and her strength at engaging an audience, especially children, make her not only endearing, but will show her to be enduring. In the gift that is Sally, the world will wonder where on earth she's been hiding until now...!

