



Robbie Magasiva.

Height 188 cm

MC/Entertainer Biography

JOHNSON&LAIRD

Born in Samoa, Robbie moved to New Zealand in 1980, where he discovered he had a talent for making his schoolmates laugh. He has since gone on to have a varied and wide career as one of our best known Polynesian performers. Robbie has starred on stage and screen, as well as being a member of the Naked Samoans comedy troupe. His many credits include lead roles in award winning movies "Sione's Wedding" and "The Lord of the Rings". In 2008 he was co presenter on Tagata Pasifika with famed athlete Beatrice Faumuina and Small Blacks. Robbie starred in Shortland Street and is now dividing his time between NZ and Australia while he films the hugely successful television series 'Wentworth'. He is an experienced MC and host and any time he has left he spends hanging out with his kids.

MC gigs over the past few years include:

- Rangitikei District Council Conference MC 2017
- Christmas in the Park (Co-Host)
- Advertising Axis Awards (MC with Kerre Woodham: 2005)
- Tourism New Zealand Conference, Wellington (Co-Host with Petra Bagust)
- Several corporate gigs for ACP Media (MC)
- Richmond Rd Film Festival (co-host with Danielle Cormack and Te Radar in 2006)

Testimonials.

MANAWATU CONTACT CENTRE AWARDS - MC - 31 OCTOBER 2014

"Robbie Magasiva is one of the most down-to-earth celebrities we've ever dealt with. He went above and beyond his contractual obligations to make our event a memorable one for our guests, and was engaging and charming throughout. I'm sure the internet's content has doubled from all the photographs that were taken and posted with him on the night! A definite crowd puller and pleaser!"
Gee Mason, Association of Local Government Information Management (ALGIM)

Testimonials continued...

APPRENTICE OF THE YEAR AWARDS - MC - AUGUST 2014

"Robbie was a last minute alteration to our event when our original MC went sick. He had a few hours to learn a comprehensive script which he performed with humour and enthusiasm. He interacted well with the audience, adapting to what was a difficult audience of varying ages. His prompt acceptance of the booking made what could have been a stressful situation for us much easier. "Ali Glover, Registered Master Builders Association of NZ Inc.