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WHO WILL BE DANCING WITH THE STARS?

Channel Seven confirms the celebrity cast line-up for the news series which includes a TV Star, pregnant Paralympic Champion, an Aussie Pop Icon and a top Australian Supermodel.

DANCING WITH THE STARS will return to Channel Seven within weeks, sporting a new co-host, Shane Bourne, alongside veteran Edwina Bartholomew.

The bevy of new celebrity dancers includes stars of the NRL and AFL, an Olympic Gold Medalist and a married couple vying for the coveted mirror ball.

Taking to the floor:

ASH POLLARD – My Kitchen Rules, dancing with **Jarryd Byrne**
EMMA FREEDMAN – TV and Radio Star, dancing with **Aric Yegudkin**
KELLY CARTWRIGHT – Paralympic Champion, partnered by **Damian Whitewood**
LYNETTE BOLTON – Wedding planner and WAG, partnered by **Carmelo Pizzino**
SAMANTHA HARRIS – Supermodel, partnered by first timer **Josh Keefe**
JOHN PAUL YOUNG – Aussie Pop Icon, partnered with newcomer **Giselle Peacock**
JUDE BOLTON – AFL legend, dancing with first timer **Dianne Buswell**
LARRY EMDUR – TV Star, dancing with **Alana Patience**
MAT ROGERS – Rugby Superstar, dancing with **Ash-Leigh Hunter**
MATTHEW MITCHAM – Olympic Gold Medalist, dancing with **Masha Belash**
TIM ROBARDS – Celebrity Bachelor, partnered with newcomer **Camille Webb**

Special Guest Judge **Bruno Tonioli** will grace the judging panel this year joining **Todd McKenney**, **Helen Richey**, and fresh from her recent success in the 20th series of the US show, **Kym Johnson**.

DANCING WITH THE STARS returns soon to Channel Seven.

Dancing With The Stars is a BBC Worldwide format produced by FremantleMedia Australia for Channel 7. The smash-hit BBC format is licensed to over 50 countries, with over 270 series aired around the world to date and 14 series broadcast in Australia.

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