

## Jessica and Bonnie unite on The Secret Daughter

Following Jessica Mauboy's casting announcement comes news Bonnie Sveen will also star in the exciting new drama.

(<u>6 April 2016</u>) *Home and Away*'s **Bonnie Sveen** is set to join the cast of **THE SECRET DAUGHTER**, a new feel-good drama produced by Screentime, a Banijay Group company, for Channel Seven.

Full of heart, humour and romance, it stars **Jessica Mauboy** as Billie, a part-time country pub singer whose chance meeting with a wealthy city hotelier triggers a series of events that will change her life forever.

"I'm looking forward to bringing this colourful character and story to life," said the ARIA and AACTAwinning singer, songwriter and actress.

2014 TV Week Logie Award winner Bonnie will appear as Billie's best friend, Layla. "I'm really happy to be joining the cast and working alongside such talented people like Jessica Mauboy," Bonnie said. "It's an exciting time for me and I'm thrilled to be working on another production for Seven."

Filming for THE SECRET DAUGHTER begins later this month. Further cast announcements will be made in coming weeks.

In the meantime, Bonnie will continue to be seen as the much-loved Ricky on *Home and Away* at 7pm weeknights.

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