

Katie “Monty” Dimond

Broadcaster

A fresh, fun and individual voice on national radio and TV.

Best known from her national radio shows on the Nova network with Ryan Shelton and Michael ‘Wippa’ Wipfli. Monty currently hosts her own weekend Breakfast show ‘Saturday Morning Monty’ for the Nova network nationally.

Monty got her start in radio driving around in Black Thunders, handing out cans of soft drink and ice creams. At the same time, and while studying PR at university, Monty and a couple of girlfriends produced and co-hosted a weekly community radio show *You’re Drunk*. The innovative program ran for two years on youth station SYN FM and received an award for best comedy program.

She then took up a behind-the-scenes role assisting the producers on Mick Molloy’s *Tough Love* and then Tony Martin’s *Get This*, eventually making guest appearances on the show.

After realising her true passion was to be on air full time, Monty packed her bags and spent 14 months at Star FM in Albury, where she co-hosted the breakfast show with Matt Griffith.

In 2008 she returned to Melbourne and teamed up with close friend Ryan Shelton to host a national Saturday morning show on Nova, *Ryan and Monty*. 2009 saw Ryan and Monty join up with old friend Michael Wipfli to become the new national Nova FM drive team *Ryan, Monty and Wippa*, heard in Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane Adelaide and Perth each weekday from 4pm to 6pm.

In 2011 Monty joined Merrick Watts and Scott Dooley on the Nova 969 Breakfast show in Sydney before taking the reins of her own weekly national show, *Saturday Morning Monty*.

Known for her honest, fresh opinions and sense of fun, Monty also appears as a guest on well-known TV shows, most recently *Talkin Bout Your Generation*, *The 7PM Project* and *The Circle*.



Radio

Current Saturday Morning Monty **Breakfast National** Host
Nova Network
2011 **Merrick, Dools & Monty** Breakfast, Nova 969
2009-10 **Ryan & Monty** National Drive Show, Nova FM
2008 **Ryan & Monty**, National Saturdays, Nova FM
2007 **Get This**, Guest Appearances, Triple M Network
2005-06 **You’re Drunk**, Weekly show SYN FM Melbourne

Television

2011 **Talkin’ ‘Bout Your Generation** Channel 10- Gen Y
Panelist
2011 **The Playlist with Andrew Mercado** Showtime, guest
panelist
2010-11 **The Metro Whip, 7pm Project** Channel 10
2010 **The Circle** Channel 10, guest
2009-10 **Mornings with Kerri-Anne**, Channel 9, Regular guest
2009 **Biggest Night of Comedy** Comedy Channel Foxtel,
guest hosting

Awards

2006 **SYN FM Best Comedy Program (You’re Drunk)**

Katie’s manager is Jess Ball Tel: +61 3 9804 7187