



Red Bull   
 **THRE3STYLE**   
World **DJ** Champion

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Location	Barbados
DJ Since	2008
Category	Professional Club DJ
Genres	House, Dance, Techno, Pop, Hip-Hop, Rap, R&B, Soul, Reggaeton, Reggae, Dancehall, Soca/Calypso
Set	60-90 mins
Equipment	Pioneer PLX 1000 Turntables Pioneer DJM S9 Mixer V-Moda Crossfade Headphones Serato DJ Software

## BIOGRAPHY

Celebrated as the Barbadian DJ who shook the world with an energy as vibrant and infectious as the Caribbean hits that spin from his Technics 1200s, Andre "Puffy" Parris holds the coveted title of Red Bull Thre3style World Champion 2016. From wildcard entrant to subsequently emerging as the most skilful DJ of his era, this gifted turntablist and trailblazer has excelled by creating a unique Caribbean-EDM sound that captivates his thousand-fold audiences.

Born on November 20, 1991 to a family of talented musicians, it was certainly inevitable that bars and beats would course through his veins. Little did he know, what began as a teenage obsession fuelled by raw talent would quickly develop into a fruitful career and lasting passion following his early discovery by Dream Real Projects' CEO and visionary, Matthew "Fewwture" Ashby in 2009. Fast forward just seven years later, Puffy's resume spans hundreds of performances at nearly every major event to hit the Caribbean in recent years.

His musical flair and mash-up prowess transcend geographical and language barriers with international audiences that include both the young and young-at-heart, with a fan-base that spans the Eastern Caribbean, French Antilles, Central America, North America

## VENUES PLAYED

Brixton Jamm (**London**), William E. Reed Auditorium (**Boston**), Boss Club (**Markham**), Rebel (**Toronto**), Club Subterrano (**Chile**), Local 522 (**Calgary**), Clevelander (**Miami**), Mazi Nightclub (**New York**), Soca Madhouse (**Spain**), Revolution Live (**Fort Lauderdale**) and more than 300 clubs, raves, parties and events.

and parts of Europe. Staying strong to his heritage, he has performed for some of the largest Caribbean diaspora festivals in the world including New York's Labour Day Parade, Miami Broward Carnival and Notting Hill Carnival.

His performances have also been received by an elite who's-who crowd which includes his compatriot Rihanna where he most recently performed for at the Fenty X Puma pop up show in New York City and other prominent A-list celebrities such as Amber Rose, J. Cole, Jeremih and the cast of Oxygen's Bad Girl's Club. Within the last five years of his career, he opened for a select list of international performers, sharing the stage with Chase and Status, the UK music-producing duo; Omarion; Rick Ross and Hed Kandi deejays, Andy Norman and Krystalroxx.

However, his biggest spotlight moment on the stage was at the seventh world finals of the Red Bull Three3style World Championship in Santiago, Chile on December 17, 2016, where his eclectic music palette, impressive skills repertoire and compelling stage presence separated him from his competitors and earned the winning vote from world-class masters Nu-Mark, Scratch Bastid, Craze, Z-Trip and DJ Jazzy Jeff.

Off the stage, Puffy continues to develop his craft in the studio working on his popular Prime Time mixtapes and pending productions. He is also keen on developing other areas of his professional career having recently collaborated with Dave Bautista in Vegas for Heineken's Spyfie promotion and is focused on establishing his own clothing and accessory line alongside Boasty in 2017.

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## DISCOGRAPHY

Some of the best mixes and compilations from DJ Puffy. You can listen and download on Soundcloud.

01. Red Bull 20before17 Hour Live Mix Audio (2016)
02. Dj Puffy Presents - SOCA SUMMIT (2016)
03. Barbados Crop Over Soca Sampler (2016)
04. Prime Time Podcast Vol. 20 (2016)
05. Dance 101 Podcast Episode 3 (2015)
06. Crop Over Do Over Crop Over Do Over (2014)
07. Freezer Burn Podcast Vol. 1 (2014)
08. Hii Power Vol. 4 (2014)
09. Dance 101 Podcast Episode 1 (2013)
10. Gyal Settings Vol. 1 (2013)
11. So Bad Vol 1. (2013)
12. Xmas Gift Trap (2012)

More mixes, tracks and podcasts also available at [mixcloud.com/DjPuffy](https://mixcloud.com/DjPuffy) for free download.



## CLIENTS

Fenty x Puma, Aura, Limerz Cruise, Booze Cruise, Elevate Entertainment, Glitz Entertainment, Savant Enterprises, Twisted Entertainment, Powerline Sounds HD, Nova Mas International, Jugglers United, Studio 79, OC Events NYC, Trauma Unit, Illusions Mas, Candy Coated Events, Island Roots, and others.

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Cheesing with the DJ City team



Heating things up with Skratch Bastid



Photo op with Funkmaster Flex



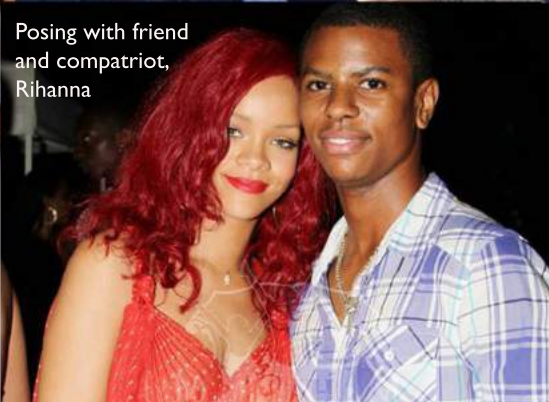
Working with Dave Bautista in Las Vegas



Hanging out with Jazzy Jeff



Chatting with Lewis Hamilton



Posing with friend and compatriot, Rihanna



Special welcome home by Min. Stephen Lashley and others at GAIA.



Walking with Hon. Stephen Lashley Min. of Culture, Sports & Youth



Striking a pose with Dr. the Right Hon. Keith Mitchell, PM of Grenada



Pre-performance snap with Alison Hinds



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