



LOBETHAL HARMONY CLUB NEWSLETTER

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Ross Schubert our Patron celebrating his 85th Year and nearly 70 years as a member of the Lobethal Harmony Club

Welcome to 2019

It is always good to have a "break" from the usual pattern of our lives, if it is travelling, or visiting friends, or family members are times we can keep as treasured memories.

Having the "break" from the Harmony Club practices and concerts has hopefully provided all of us with a new enthusiasm to this year. **Tonight we especially welcome 2 new members Geoff Kay and Kym Bartlett. Geoff is a retired teacher who has been encouraged to come and join us by John Minchin. Incidentally Geoff also taught with our Peter Hardy what a combination.**

Kym has been encouraged by Graham Simmons who remembered Kym as a "good mate" from school days, that could bring back a few memories, maybe we may hear about remember when????? Kym is a retired salesman and is enjoying farming at Strathalbyn.

We extend our welcome to both of you, and we hope you can enjoy singing and the "fun" we can enjoy as a club.

Almoner news: We have several members who are in hospital or having treatment. Peter Shaw fell when fixing a door on his shed and has had to have parts of his hip and adjacent bones joined by a plate. He is in the Mt Pleasant District Hospital room 3 phone 8568 0000. for the next 4 weeks.

Alan Thompson is to have radiotherapy treatment for "prostrate cancer" next week for 8 weeks. We all wish everyone all the best.

HISTORY BOOK IS COMPLETED.....

We extend our many Thanks to Lyn Dickason for her excellent work in completing the History of the Lobethal Harmony Club . We have sold \$1,255 worth of books (with a few donations) leaving a deficit of \$439 we still have 66 books to be sold from the 150 that were initially printed. We should receive a profit of \$551 when all the books are sold. Thanks to everyone who have contributed in making the History book .

Next Supper Chefs

Thanks to Graham Simmons and John Wittwer for tonight's Supper, and birthday celebrations for Graham, Bob Long, Gerry Roberts, Luke Zanker and any others we may not have your birthday details. Graham has the roster form for Supper "chefs" for 2019 please fill this in to help our fund raising .



FIRST CONCERT Mt Pleasant show Sat 16th March 11:45am to start 12:15pm. Blue uniform.

Thanks to our Major Sponsor

We are continuing to work with the Company to have their adverts included in our Concert presentation.



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SOCIAL PUB LUNCH & SINGALONG

Begin again on **28th February, 2019**
Then on every 4th THURSDAY each month. I.e 28th March, 25th April, 23rd May, 27th June, 25th July, 22nd August, 26th September, 24th October and finish with 28th November for 2019.

12:00 noon at the Bedford Hotel—
Woodside
Everyone is welcome, including partners.

Book of Reports Please note we need reports to be included in the Book of Reports these will need to be handed in by 19th February THANK YOU. The Book of Reports will be available on Tuesday 26th February.

Concert planning further developments

The Concert Planning committee at their last meeting in September 2018 left the situation of trying to arrange 2 extra concerts in 2019 for J Wittwer to try to obtain concerts in the metropolitan area. Contact has been made with the Rosefield Uniting church Men's Shed and they have declined to have a concert this year. In addition a contact has been made with a member from the Prospect Baptist church before Christmas and I am working with P Shaw to advise me when I should follow this further as the contact from the Baptist church is in hospital at the moment. This leaves us with NO extra concerts at this stage. If you have any suggestions I will endeavour to obtain an extra concert/s for 2019.

Thank you

Keith & Naracoorte Concerts

Since last year we have received \$600. from the Naracoorte Singers as our contribution to our share of the concert. Thank you.
Keith community concert raised \$1,500.57 an excellent effort by their committee.



Coming Meetings.

Executive are meeting next Tuesday 12th February beginning at 6:15pm [sharp]. A schedule of meetings of Executive meetings and committee meetings have been prepared, and will be available through the Newsletter after the Executive committee have viewed the schedule at next weeks meeting.

Fund Raising committee members please note our first meeting for 2019 is scheduled for 19th February 6:45pm. if this suits everyone F Maiolo, G Simmons, P Dickason, S Wilson and we would welcome anyone who may wish to join this committee. Please let J Wittwer know tonight if the date and time is OK with you..

Music committee..... This committee has met and has worked through pieces to be included this year. Thanks for the effort. Bruce Kelly has been added to this committee as Librarian and he has been instrumental in finding music that the Music committee has selected. The new pieces that have been purchased are Gloria by Vivaldi, Lasica CH'io-pango, Silent Worship, Jesu Joy of Mans, and Eddystone Light.

All the pieces have been purchased and printed with copyright details being observed. Thanks must go to Bruce Peter, and John Paterson for their effort in having the copies finished with the plastic strip added for our folders. Well done, Thank you.

Concert program for 2019 These are available for you, take a copy tonight. Thanks

