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Farewell to Gerry……..

Several people from the Uke group and the Harmony club have made contact with Jacinda (Gerry's daughter) to work out if we could have a time to celebrate Gerry's life. It would be focused on his involvement in the clubs including his bowling "expertise" at Langhorne Creek. Jacinda will work with a group and we will inform you of the planning. Meanwhile if you have any photos, stories to tell, we would appreciate hearing what you could provide. The people working on this "Celebration of Gerry's Life" are Laurie Guidera, Jeff Gerrard and John Wittwer other members can assist, we will let you know when the meetings are planned. The "Celebration of Gerry's Life" could possibly be held on an afternoon over a weekend in several months time.

Fund raising committee….. Will be held on Tuesday March 11th at 6:15pm to work through our Fund Raising program for this year. If you wish to be a member you are welcome to join us.

Thank you…….Hughes construction have sent an email to Peter Dickason saying that they are prepared to sponsor us again this year with $6,000 . Other letters have been sent Klose's, Lobethal Bakery, Mt Barker Toyota, and the Bierhaus. I will contact the businesses later this week.

Next Coffee & Tea "Chefs" Will be John Wittwer and Dorothy Staska on March 18th a special occasion for "SOMEONES BIRTHDAY"?????? will be CELEBRATED. Don't forget to collect the Coffee & Tea Roster for 2025. Thank you for being prepared to help. Please remember if you are rostered you need to provide milk, and bread with soup.

Next CONCERT Sunday May 4th Lobethal Lutheran Church Lobethal Fleurieu Choir with us

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Thanks……..Mavis Lienert has expressed her sincere thanks to the Lobethal Harmony club for being at the funeral of her husband Kevin Lienert and for singing "How Great Thou Art".

Concert Planning…..Next meeting to be held on Tuesday 18th March beginning at 6:15pm.

A BIG thank you…..To Chris for his assistance given to Stephen Wilson's family over last week end. They have been able to clean up his sheds so that the land can be sold. Thank you Chris.
Tickets….The National Male Voice Choir is giving a Gala Concert on May 25th at the Entertainment Centre. See J Minchin for further information

Book of Reports…. Hopefully this will be available next week……..This Book of Reports provides the reader with a reflection of what we have managed during the year, and it should include possible areas where we can improve, and plan for. We will outline the Life members points and the financial details for you.

From Exec…. The planning for this years Scholarships are to be held during September 2nd and the 9th, depending on the numbers who wish to audition.
Concert Planning is still managing to arrange the dates for Concerts at Murray Bridge Uniting church during July, Victor Harbor Uniting church during August, and Strath-albyn Lutheran church in September. We await their replies.
Our Financial position is sound, due to the transfer of $15,000 from our Incentive Saver to cover the extra costs when Chor Farmer visited us last year. More financial details will be given in the Book of Reports. At this stage we have $21,937.54. I have suggested to the Exec that when we have received notification from our Sponsors we could transfer an amount back to our Incentive Saver.
Discussion re the changes to the Constitution were distributed but not discussed at this stage. Time will be arranged where everyone can give their ideas for how we can operate.

NEXT MEETING 11th March 6:15 Fund Raising

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