LOBETHAL HARMONY CLUB
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Thanks again to our adjudicators, they did enjoy meeting again relaxing at a meal, and sharing ideas . Thank you.

Don't Forget ……..
Payment for the Dinner at the Bierhaus is $35 each. If you are planning on coming please make a booking so that we can inform the Bierhaus of the numbers who will be attending. Payment would be appreciated.

Last week we mentioned our Thanks to the adjudicators. Last Friday night the adjudicators enjoyed a tea at the Hahndorf Inn and gave several suggestions to be considered to assist our Scholarships. One being to give an Honorary mention to a young musician who has performed very well, but did not win the Scholarship. The other still to be negotiated with the Service clubs who provide the funding if we did not have young people who may not be of a very high standard could an encouragement award be presented in lieu of a Scholarship. We will keep you informed, of the discussions that will be made.

Chor Farmer…for you to know what is planned.
*The first **Busy bee** was held last Saturday where we were able to manage to set in place the base for the Japanese lantern, repaint the Welcome in Japanese by the well known artist from Lobethal "Fred the Man of Class", and the posts for the Friendship Garden sign have had an undercoat through the expertise of Sir Peter of world renown. Thanks for the help, and we did enjoy the refreshments at the well known artists home afterwards.*
*The **next Busy bee** will be held on **Saturday September 8th t**o complete the sign for the Friendship Garden, and the Plaque to be placed at the Rising Sun. If you can assist on Saturday September 8th we will meet at the Friendship garden at the Lobethal Lutheran School at 10am.*
Thanks to Peter Dickason who has been keeping in touch with Katsutoshi from Chor Farmer. We have the structure for the program for the Concert, and Gerry will inform us of our pieces soon.
The badges thanks to Stephen have been ordered and we will have them to be shared at the end of the concert.
Cost of these will be shared by all members so that we do not make it difficult for one person who is hosting 3 people to pay for 3 badges. The sharing will be done after the final song and so it will be a need for everyone to share a badge and to pay for it, would be appreciated.
***Payment for the Dinner at the Bierhaus, $35 each** would be appreciated, and if you are travelling on the Steam Ranger the cost to Hosts will be a donation or $20 each which is considerably cheaper than if you travelled on a regular weekend.*
***Advertising** for the Chor farmer concert has been given to the Mt Barker Courier, and the Southern Argus. The write up and advert will appear in this weeks Southern Argus, and hopefully next week in the Mt Barker Courier.*
Thanks for taking Posters last week, still take extras.

THANK YOU for the Help for the Movie Night we raised $1,626.50 Profit.

Next Soup Night

Chefs

4th September J Herbig and ??? Any offers Sandra has offered to prepare 2 soups for you. Thank you Sandra.
Please remember to work out between yourselves who will bring the "veggie" only soup. The Garlic bread will be supplied. We have raised so far $504.90. Well done everyone.

NEXT CONCERT September

Tuesday 11th September 7:30pm Lobethal
Lutheran Church Sound check after Chor Farmer have completed their practice possibly 5pm.
Tea in the basement 6:pm. Some help ladies with serving and men in cleaning up, before and after the tea.

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.PUB LUNCH

Just a reminder that all club members are invited to at 12 noon, at the Bedford Hotel Woodside. Every 4th Thursday of each month. Invite someone to come and enjoy the lunch

Learn Japanese????? Still MORE can Join

Thanks to Graham, he has arranged through Helen, at the Lobethal Lutheran School to take classes of about 30minutes 11:05am to 11:30am on Monday 27th, 31st August, and 3rd, 7th and 10th September. Come and enjoy to have a brief understanding of the language of our visitors Chor Farmer.

TONIGHT WE MUST DECIDE ABOUT SINGING AT MACCLESFIELD 11th Nov.

From the Executive …….

We have the normal points to resolve, and discuss, but for me this meeting had a highlight when we received the Draft copy of the History of the Lobethal Harmony Club. We need to Thank Lyn for her effort especially the last weeks with her health issues, we are all very thankful for the effort you have made. Thanks must also be extended to everyone who has contributed.

Another matter that was discussed was the possible purchasing of a Speaker amplifier that could be attached to the keyboard, to be used when we have a "concert of a smaller style" where only 3 or 4 songs are going to be sung, and this addition to the keyboard could assist with our overall performance.

Jeff Gerrard has already looked into the possible purchasing of this equipment. Thanks Jeff.

Peoples Choice Community Lottery

Tonight

TUESDAY 28th August please hand in any outstanding books. NOTE NO LATER. Thank you for your help*. I will inform you of the total raised after I have worked through all the returns.*

Steam ranger…….

Tickets are selling for this "adventure" on Wednesday 12th September, please see J Wittwer for tickets. Flyers advertising the event are available please help yourselves.

Graham & Ros ……

Recently Graham and Ros were travelling on the freeway near Mt Barker turnoff when they hit a Roo. Fortunately they were not hurt, but their car is a "write off". Sorry to hear of your problem.. We hope you recover OK from the shock.

Coming Meetings.

Concert Planning meeting Tonight 28th August 6:30pm

Executive on Tuesday Sept 18th 6:15pm a change of date due to the Chor Farmer concert on Sept 11th.

SCHOLARSHIPS

After the discussion at the Hahndorf Inn last Friday a suggestion when discussing the times of holding the Scholarships at the beginning of 3rd term was mentioned, the reason that we have kept this date as Year 12 Music students who are taking this subject need to perform as a part of their Year 12 course, and the Scholarship provides the avenue for a practice before they need to be assessed as apart of their Year 12 course.

We did agree that we can notify all 17 schools earlier when the auditions will take place.

Concert planning committee…….

We have been working at the need to have the Concerts worked out for 2019 by the End of Year dinner this year, that is our goal.

We have one booking for the 24th March at Crystal Brook,. Several places have been contacted, Holy Cross Lutheran church at Murray Bridge, St Andrew's Uniting at Strathalbyn, Marion Uniting Church, Laura Country Carnival, the Mt Pleasant Show, Kadina Uniting Church. Recently Angela Lowe rang and she wishes to engage the Lobethal harmony in a concert with a section of the SA Police Band in 2019. We are awaiting all of their responses. We have prepared a leaflet that can be distributed when advertising for concerts.

We discussed at the Selection & Review meeting that we should have an edited DVD focused on our concerts so that people who wish to know about what type of Concert we can provide a more descriptive view of us. Thanks to Colin who is prepared to design the DVD for us.. Suggestions for Concerts are welcome.

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