



COUNTRY CALL



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THE ADELAIDE COUNTRY MUSIC CLUB INC.

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THE ADELAIDE COUNTRY MUSIC CLUB INC. PRESENTS



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DOORS OPEN 11.30 am

our 21st Birthday



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Coming Attractions

Apr 4 Country Mile including Sonni Francis

May 2 Tracey Rains & Claypan

June 6 Brian Letton and Cactus Martens

July 4 Bill Bedford and Country Roundup

President's Report

Hi Everyone,

A happy New Year to you all. Do you realise that it's only 11 more months to Christmas? Scary thought!

I couldn't believe my eyes when I saw Easter eggs on sale only a matter of days after Christmas. Ridiculous!

Well, this year at our Club promises to be another great one with some new performers and bands. February should be lots of fun being our 21st birthday. The band of the day is 'Country Junction', with our Patron Trev Warner and Guest Artist, Allan Webster. I believe also, a mystery act that Lorraine is not telling us about. Hopefully we will have some of the original committee members there as well.

I myself came on to the Committee at the 1990 A.G.M., so this is my 20th year. I've really enjoyed every moment on team. Lorraine is the longest running on the Committee and yours truly is second longest.

Hopefully this year we will see more young ones come into country music – goodness knows we have enough clubs for them to perform at. Country music has changed a lot and we oldies need to change with the times. For example, be more accepting of the modern styles, in order to keep 'Country' going.

Hope to see you at our 21st Birthday Show. Bye for now.

Thank God for Country.

Di Smith, President.

P.S. Always forgive your enemies. Nothing annoys them as much.



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LORRAINE'S ROUND-UP - December 2009



Lorraine with cow gift!

Here we are at the end of another year. Welcome to 2010.

It's been a very good year for the Club. Thank you to our members and friends for your support, some days are cold, some very hot, but you all seem to make it. We still get a few who don't like this or that, but we can't find the answer to satisfy all. I believe we did though at our Xmas show. We didn't get any written 'don't likes'!

Wow, Peter Coad and the girls, Virginia and Lynette sure know how to entertain. Brilliant musicians and vocal harmonies. Mother Margaret on piano did a great job with the old style dance tunes. And then came along Jim Hermel with Country Rock enjoyed by all.

Of course we had Father Xmas giving out lollies and an exhibition of line dancing to Xmas songs. Thanks to all who took part. Even I had a go at line dancing, I didn't do too well, but our President Di Smith did okay!

Now on to 2010. I hope everyone had a safe good Xmas and Happy New Year too.

The Club celebrates 21 years in February, so put on your party hats for a day of entertainment after January with Kindred Spirit.

Lorraine



Santa with Di Smith, Peter Coad cutting our Xmas Cake (baked by Joy Champion) and Virginia Coad



Lynette Coad (drummed, played guitar and sang!), Jim Hermel (drummed, played banjo and guitar and sang) and Tom Kruse MBE with Peter Coad



At our December show, Lorraine Wakefield was joined by her sister Betty Thiele, Betty's husband Bill and their lovely daughter Heather

LORRAINE'S ROUND-UP - January 2010

Wow what a great start for the year. The band Kindred Spirit was fantastic. They performed lots of country songs we haven't heard before, a lovely selection of slow to fast numbers.

Lead singers Raelz and Steve blended well together.

Then along came our winner of the Len Wakefield Memorial Award Breanna Kinlough, only 10 years but did herself proud. She had Candy Latham to play guitar for her, nice to see Candy along. She had to leave straight away. We would like to see her at one of our shows to

perform for us.

Brendon Liley, what a magnificent voice from New Zealand, son of Steve Liley in Kindred Spirit. He wooed everyone.

Then the ever popular Peter Tomlinson, always a pleasure to hear from Peter.

Thanks to everyone for making it a great day. See you all in February for our special 21st Birthday Celebrations.

Lorraine



Above:- Kindred Spirit Members - Les Parris, Raelz, Martin Krollig and Steve Liley



Kindred Spirit Member - George Vassallo plus walk-ups Brendon Liley, Peter Tomlinson and 2009 Len Wakefield Memorial Award winner Breanna Lee Kinlough (accompanied by Candy Latham)

Breanna Lee Kinlough - 2009 Len Wakefield Memorial Awardee

Brianna recently sent the below words.

"Hi,

My name is Breanna Lee Kinlough and I'd like to tell you a little about myself.

I'm 10 years old and I have been singing since March, 2009. My first competition was at the Leafy Sea Dragon Festival in April, 2009 followed by the Barmera Country Music Festival. My success at these festivals won me entry into the 2009 South Australian Champion of Champions, held by the South Australian Council for Country Music. As well as being selected as a grand finalist in the Champs Under 13 section, I was extremely happy and honoured

to be presented with the 2009 Len Wakefield Award from the Adelaide Country Music Club. This is something I am very proud of as it was only my third competition, and I would like to thank those involved with this award for encouraging me to continue singing.



I also want to thank Candy Latham, who has been a wonderful help in providing me with singing lessons, playing guitar for me, helping me to understand country music and encouraging me to enter competitions."

Check our website for a colour version of this newsletter, plus more colour photos of our recent shows. Save the club printing a postage costs, download and print your own colour Country Call. Send an email to info@acmc.org.au to request to be taken off the snail mail out list!

February Show - Trev Warner and Country Junction

The lineup for Country Junction will be the same as it was last February, ie Trev Warner, John Bridgland (guitar), Carl Pink (bass guitar) and Mark Meyer (percussion). See last Feb/Mar and Apr/May Country Calls for more information.

February Show Guest Artist - Allan Webster

Allen recently sent the below:-

“Allan Webster, the 1999 South Australian Champion of Champions of Country Music will be entertaining the members and friends of the Adelaide Country Music Club on Sunday February 7th, when they celebrate their 21st Birthday.

Allan’s musical career spans 45 years, beginning in England as a teenager and playing the typical ‘Mersey sound’ of the time. He migrated to Australia in 1964 and continued his success in several bands over the years. In the mid ‘90’s his interest turned to country music and songwriting and this career move proved to be a very wise one. Allan has become a successful solo country music artist, travelling interstate and overseas where his dynamic stage presence has seen him invited back to venues time after time.

His songwriting prowess is evident by the amount of awards he has won and in 2003 ‘Grandpa’s Words’ won the

SA APRA Song of the year. It was also placed second in the Australian Songwriter’s Association National Awards. In 2005, his song, ‘Love On The Side’ which was recorded by Sandra Humphries on her ‘Every Road’ album, and sung as a duet with Bill Chambers, was awarded a TIARA for vocal collaboration at the Tamworth Country Music Festival.



Allan has released three albums, ‘Joker’s Wild’, ‘Guitar Man’, and his latest album, ‘Part Time Dreamer’ was released in March 2009 and has been selling well with wide radio airplay. His wide repertoire of classic country, bluegrass, Hank Williams and of course his own compositions has made these albums very popular. Take the opportunity to see this great performer in action, along with Trev Warner and ‘Country Junction’.”

February Show Guest Artist - Ian List

Ian has made many appearances at the Club through the years, both with his family and alone.

In 2001 Ian was inducted into Rocky’s Hall of Fame in Barmera.

Ian has been a great promoter of country music in Gawler and South Australian districts since around 1975.

His balladeering singing style in all ranges of country music has become quite legendary in SA.

He originally formed the famous List Family Singers, who have since gone on to form their own bands and sole careers.



March Show - City Cowboys with guest Susan Crowe from NZ

The City Cowboys is a good time four piece country band.

The band is made up of drums, guitar, bass, piano & harmonica.

They focus on getting and keeping people on the dance floor having a good fun time.

Harmonies are one of their strong points.

Pictured are:- Bill Clarke, Peter Symonds, Jay Lindblom and Joe Griffa taken at the Southern Country Music Club in January this year.

Susan Crowe appeared at our Club last year, unfortunately she had a cold. Hopefully her health will be better this year!



Help

Please try and keep crumbs and rubbish off the floor. At the end of the day Committee members vacuum the floor. Less crumbs less work! Thanks!

Please also put your rubbish in the bins, return bottles and glasses to the bar and cup holders to their container. Again this will save your Committee having to do these chores.

Thanks to all for helping the Committee with setting up the venue at the start and clearing and cleaning up at the end of the day.

The Adelaide Country Music Club 21 years 1989 - 2010 by Lorraine

I was on holidays in Sydney when my late husband Len phoned me to say a Mr Glen Harrison and his daughter Kathren were thinking of starting a country music club on my return to Adelaide. We starting meeting looking for people of interested. It was very pleasing to have so many people interested and after much research and ground work the Club was formed.

Some of the people who offered advice etc were the Sherrah family who had experienced country music clubs in their homeland of New Zealand. Mr. Ian List had good ideas and others came up with their suggestions.

I would like to again thank the bands and artists who helped us in those early years, playing for no payment or

The Adelaide Country Music Club in 1989/90 from Bob Johnston

The foundation meeting of the Club was held at the Marryattville Hotel on 4th Nov 1988, attendees were: Glen and Christine Harrison, Rick Adams, Jim Hermel, Mike Quarmby, Kevin Sherrah, Amanda Thomas, Robert Tilmouth, Len & Lorraine Wakefield, Ron Wellington and Jan Worden.

The first newsletter was produced in July 1989, the listing of the committee is as follows:-

President - Glen Harrison, VP - Mike Quarmby
Secretary - Lloyd Starr
Treasurer - Len Wakefield

The following members were listed in Aug 1989:

Publicity - Rob Tilmouth
Christine Harrison

Country Music by Lorraine

Country Music has been around forever in America. Australia seemed to be a little bit as one would say Hillbilly, but we soon got the message. It started in the late 40s during the war years when the late Buddy Williams, one of the pioneers, he used to sing to the service men in the Island and the North of Australia. Another Pioneer, the late Tex Morton also performed songs about the bush and things about Australia, real Bush Balladeers. Then along came Slim Dusty, number one for a lifetime over 100 albums well known for his song the Pub With No Beer, it reached the charts and got people thinking Country Music is okay.

Another great pioneer, late Stan Coster, his songs will be sung forever. Reg Lindsay, Tim MacNamare and a few females like the McKean Sisters, Heather and Joy, Jean Shepherd, Joan Ridgeway, The Sneider Sisters, June Holmes and can't forget Shirley Toms died in 1999. Great yodelling songs, the Aussie way from Shirley and June.

The new ones now:- Lee Kernaghan, James Blundell, Adam Brand, Adam Harvey, Troy Caser-Daly, Reg Pool, Beccy Cole, Gina Jeffreys, Kasey Chambers, her dad Bill, Felicity Urquhart just to mention a few. Australian Country Music Artists write about their country, love and life styles.

accepting a fee below what they should have received. A lot of bands got themselves started and many are still singing and playing today. I believe I'm the only one left from the original get together that is still involved with the Club.

Sadly we have lost quite a few in passing. It's pleasing to have the Len Wakefield Memorial Award. Len and I started in Country Music in April 1952, so I guess I'm a pioneer of it.

Later this year we hope to have a Kevin Sherrah Memorial Award for Gospel Country Music as thanks for the great support of the family.

Des Rogers
Lorraine Wakefield
Jan Worden



The committee in Jul 1990 was:

President -Glen Harrison, VP - Des Rogers
Secretary - Christine Harrison
Treasurer - Len Wakefield
Entertainment - Lorraine Wakefield
Publicity - Rob Tilmouth
Committee - Jan Worden, Bob Johnston, Ian Holt, Lloyd Starr

Membership fees for 1990/91 were:

\$10.00 single, \$5.00 pensioner & \$20 family

Different styles of Music, Traditional Folk, Bush Ballads, Honkey Tonk, Blue Grass, Country Rock.

The sound of guitars, bass drums, fiddle, banjo, keyboard, pedal steel – that's Country Music, great to listen to and dance old style or the new line dancing even Cajun.

Truck drivers play country music on the long hauls across the wide country. It keeps them awake and they can sing along. I even know hospitals sometimes use the music to bring people out of comas. Country Music is very relaxing.

Back to the American scene, the early favourites were Hank Snow, Wilf Carter, the Carter family, Tammy Wynette, Dolly Parton, Don Williams. Then along came Garth Brooks, Shania Twain, K T Lang, Taylor Swift, Billy Ray Cyrus just to mention a few. The most popular Country Music places in the US are Nashville and Bronson.

In Australia the major Country Music locations are Tamworth, Gympie, Mildura and Barmera.

Well that's all for now Folks. Let's all enjoy Country Music, no matter if it's folk, bluegrass or a bit rocky or loud!

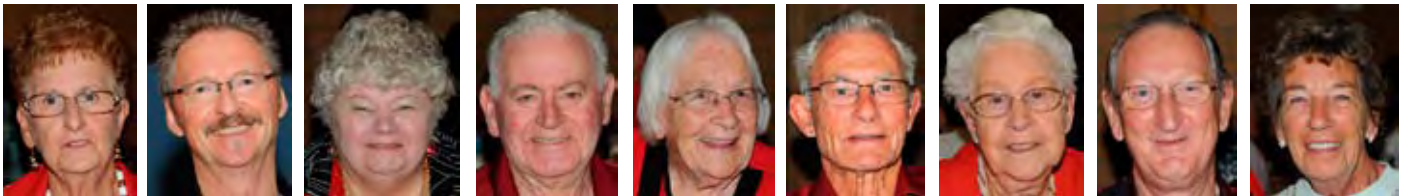


The Birthday Wishes for February and March

Vyvyan Buck, Robert Burman, Maxine Burman, Russell Byrne, Rhonda Byrne, Doug Chandler, Lyell Dugan, Robin Ellbourn, Raelz E. Gebhardt, Hartley Green, Anne-Marie Holt, Lorna Jackson, Steve Liley, Peter Loveder, Neil Mitchell, Shirley Mitchell, Audrey Moule, Warren Myers, Barbara O'Daniel, Mel Pressley, Pamela Price, Rosemary Schulz, Len Searles, Lloyd Starr, Valma Trengove, Maurice Tuncks, Lorraine Wakefield and Gordon Weston



Vyvyan, Robert, Maxine, Russell, Rhonda, Doug, Robin, Raelz and Hartley

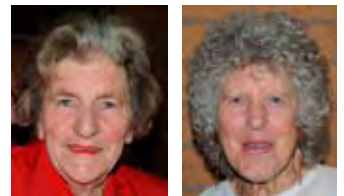


Lorna, Steve, Neil, Shirley, Audrey, Warren, Barbara, Mel and Pamela



Rosemary, Len, Maurice, Lorraine and Gordon

Below is Rob Smith on Dec. 12th cutting his 80th birthday party cake made by Joy Champion
Photo by Rhonda Byrne.



Joan Ince and Betty Thiele should have had their photos in the earlier issues but missed out! Joan is a November girl and Betty a December one.

If your photo has not appeared here this or earlier months maybe because your birthday is not known to the Publicity Officer, he hasn't found you at a meeting or you haven't advised him your birthday is coming up!

Sick List.

Rob Smith recently had his 80th birthday. His health is not too bad, he is back to doing 20 push ups a day, his dizzy spells are probably a side effect of medication he is on, some adjustments are being tried.



Rhonda Byrne is having ongoing arthritis in her back.
Best wishes to all for a speedy recovery



Who is the 75 year old with the initials LAW who received another speeding ticket?

Condolences to Dean and Shirley Beviss on the loss of their son-in-law.

Q. What's the difference between a Banjo and a trampoline?

A. People take their shoes off before jumping on a trampoline!

Thank you from Garry Trenerry

"I would like to thank everyone who sent cards and made phone calls to the hospital and home during my time (16 days) in the Wakefield Hospital."

Thanks to Raelz and Pam Fisk for proof reading Country Call and to Russell and Rhonda for help in folding, taping and posting it.

Thanks also to all the contributors to this issue.



Frankie Baker recently managed to be involved in an accident. He was bruised, but the van is beyond repair!

Hope 2010 goes better Frankie!

Some of the bands we have had at the Club through the years include:- Both Barrels, Ian List Family Band, Twin Rivers, Young Country, Blue Velvet Band, Burning Memories, Shut UP and Deal, Wranglers (Ben Harris), Saddle Tramp, Tex Ernie and Rita, Cobbers and Co. Peter Miller Country Band, MaryAnne and Co., Allan Webster and Los Amigos, Sweetwater Band, Kerry Ellen Band, Edj On In Band, Graeme Hugo and Iron Bark, Good Company, Murray Mac and True Grit, Southern Skies, Dean Ettridge, Jay J Shannon and Winchester, Sandra Humphries and Crosswind, Noel Kneebone and Mallee Blue, Warren Milera Band, Just Pass'n, Outback Over Drive, Wanetta's Country Plus, Key Country, Phoenix, Midnight Mountain Blue, Urban Sound, Wildcard, Midnight Special, Breakaway, Country Bumpkin, Cheating Hearts, Diablo, Detour, Flaming Country, Highly Strung, Misty Mountain, No Way Out, Mike Quarmby and Nightowls, The Starlites, The Travellin Band, Us Blokes, Fully Loaded.

Some of the Interstate Artists that have been at the Club in the last 21 years include:-

Wolverines, Darcy Le Year, Jan Kelly, Beccy Cole, Brian Letton, Brian Young, Lindsay Butler, Bill Chambers, Audrey Auld, Shaza Leigh, Carter and Carter, Howie Bros, Tom Maxwell, Owen Blundell, Terry Gordon, Reg Poole, Corrina Cordwell, Billy Bridge, Lee Kernaghan, Craig Byrne, Greg Champion, Craig Giles, Dwayne Elix, Jim Haynes, Alan Caswell, Ian Castles, Andrew Cleremont, Peter Coad and the Coad Sisters, Costa Brothers, Laura Downing, Paul Gibbs, Dale Hooper, Paul McLeod, Hank and Donna Koopman, Stephen Cheney, Tony Goodacre, Col Millington, Kelly Tassone, Diane Corcoran, Olive Bice, Felicity Urquhart, Tracey Coster, Tracy Killeen and Nikki Sweeney, Brendon Belenski, Dusty Rankin Pete Denahy, Camille Te Nahu and Stuie French, Wayne Nuku, and Chooka Williams.

Current Bands:- Heartland, Jim Hermel, Peter Coad and the Coad Sisters, Bernie and the Bandits, City Cowboys, Trev Warner and Country Junction, Top Dead Centre, Carole Sturtzel and Wild Oats, Kindred Spirit, Creole cowboyZ, Bill Bedford, Country Mile with Sonni Francis, Tracey Rains and Claypan and the Sherrah Family Band.

Guest Artists and Walkups:- We have also had many walk-ups and special guests during the years, including:- Lorraine Wakefield, Raelz Gebhardt, Sonni Francis, Jeanette Wormald, Steve Tripodi, Dookie Laurel and Rob Smith, Di Smith, Helen Whelen, Kristal Collins, Lyn Hughes, Steve and Brendon Liley, Tiffney Stroh, Tammy and Candy Latham, Scott Warner, Ramona Paterson, Eliza Parker, Peter Tomlinson, Rose and Billy, Kevin Merritt, Danny Gyory, Ian Maddern, Twyce Daily, Lee Brocky, Ben Furnell, Georgette Berry, Mike Tenace, Sugar, Gary Trenerry, Susan Crowe. Bush Poet Bob Magor has made a number of appearances at the Club through the years.

Bush Balladeers:- for many years the Club has enjoyed appearance of the current year's Bush Balladeer Star Quest winner, those appearing included:- Anita Ree, Matt Manning, Jeff Gibson, Julie Perandes, Greg Bain, Rachel Richards and Sharon Smith. Hopefully this year we will have Dave Baldi from Victoria, the 2010 ABBA Star Quest Winner.

Len Wakefield Memorial Awardees:- all have appeared at the Club including Derani Haynes, Jodie Thomas, Kimberly Rodgers, Loni Manners, Kym Wilson, Ben Harris, Leah Briggs, Tiffney Stroh, Sarah Griffin, Nathaniel O'Brien, Georgie Shortt, Emily Zanker, Gorgette Berry and Breanna Kinlough.

Lorraine.

Letter from Robyn Member no. 288

In January I travelled from Port Augusta to enjoy a good and relaxing afternoon at Adelaide Country Music Club. Unfortunately like a lot of others, can't get up and dance any more but can sit and listen to the music.

I've actually known Raelz for about 10 years and have been coming to country music for that time.

Over those years I've watched her do walk-ups after walk-ups but now she's finally in a band. That is so fantastic. If you have a dream, follow it through no matter what. My friend Raelz is no spring chicken, (sorry about that, hahaha), but she is proof of that. You can achieve your dream and she and the members of Kindred Spirit have done just that.

The way Steve and Raelz, as the singers, work the crowd with the rapport they have, just makes the day. It seems a-la-naturale.

This wasn't the first time I've been to a performance of Kindred Spirit although it was their first at the Adelaide

Country Music Club. Every time and wherever they play I'm making every effort to be there. They have acquired a very supportive group of followers so I know I'm not the only one who is a huge fan. It goes without saying I will continue to support them and I hope that others will follow suit.

It's not only the great shows Adelaide puts on but what about those cakes!!! I spent a small fortune and can't wait to get back to stock up on more.

I am proud to be a member and as I give support, hope others will continue to do so also.

Thanks for all the friendship at the shows and also for wishes given me when I was ill.

In closing, Kindred Spirit you're the best.... I love you!

Robyn



Around the Traps . . . Other Venues

Railroad Country Music Club S. Dist. Workingmen's Club, Epstein Dr, Morphett Vale 8382 5611 2-6pm	21 st February Sun	Heartland
	21 st March Sun	Kindred Spirit
Kilburn RSL Country Music Functions 2 Way Street, Kilburn 8349 6694	28 th February Sun 28 th March Sun	Top Dead Centre with guest artist Freddy Bowen Kindred Spirit 1pm to 5pm
Adelaide Airport Sports and Social Club, 6 James Schofield Drive, Adelaide Airport	28 th February Sun 28 th March - Sun	Heartland Good Company including Julia Williams free sausage sizzle at 12noon
Willaston Country Music Club Willaston Football Clubrooms, Gawler River Rd, Willaston 11.30am to 4.30pm	7 th February - Sun	Top Dead Centre guest artists Tiffney Stroh and Candy Latham
	7 th March - Sun	The Rustlers plus Kamian Country Duo
Other Events Coming Soon		
Gawler Country Music Club Workshop Anglican Parish Hall, 26 Cowan Street Gawler	1 st Sat each month	Play, Sing, Jam, Have Fun! 12pm to 5 pm
Open Mike Country Music Event Gawler RSL Hall	2 nd and 4 th Sat each Month	all welcome 12.30 to 4.30
Blackwood RSL, 1 Brighton Pde	1 st Wed every Month	Jay J Shannon and Debi 6.30 - 9pm
Blackwood RSL, 1 Brighton Pde	3 rd Sat every month	Winchester featuring Jay J Shannon Country Cabaret
Brecknock Hotel, King William St, Adelaide	Thursday evenings Billy Dee & The Rare Old Times & Rainbow Sessions Many gigs Friday and Saturday evenings, including the Cowtippers Band (check the Advertiser, SACCM Gigguide etc)	
Hillbilly Hoot Ali & the Hoot Live from the stables,	Every Monday evening 8-9pm 48 Nelson Street, Stephney Three D Radio live on air (93.7FM)	
Prospect RSL Club, Willcox Ave	Last Sunday every Month	Bluegrass Pick 'Prospect Jam' from 1.30pm
The Gov, 59 Port Rd, Hindmarsh	Feb 5 th 8.30pm Fri Mar 5 th 8.30pm Fri	The Cowtippers
Adelaide Entertainment Centre	Feb 12th 7.30pm Fri	Taylor Swift
Alcheringa Shindig, Dave's Place, Wellington, All profits in aid of Royal Flying Doctor Service Feb 13 & 14	Craig Giles, Graeme Hugo, Stephen R Cheney, Des Morgan, Amber Joy Poulton, Jay J Shannon, Slim Connor, Chooka Williams, David Pearce, Mell Preusker, David Croser, Len & Jean Connor, Gummy Bill, Lee Brocky, Winchester and Angela Easson - compere Ian List	
Lake Charlegrark Country Music Marathon - Feb 20 - 21	Travis Sinclair, Troy Cassar-Daley, Sandra Humphries, Paul Costa, Penny Bourke, Graeme Hugo, Wildcard and Gavin Chandler	
Frances Folk Gathering - Feb 26-28	The Free festival you're IN and not just AT !	
Festival of Country Music including a talent quest Casadio Park Mount Gambier - March 6 & 7	Sat night Cabaret with Carole Sturtzel and Wild Oats Band 8 Sunday - Herbie Collins Memorial Trophy, Lucky Star, Sandra Humphries, Wildcard Band, Graeme Hugo, Olive Bice, Maryanne Glassmann, Phil Royle & Leonie Lattin and Dave Prior	
Cowell Country Music & Ute Muster March 13 and 14	Adam Harvey, Graeme Hugo, Sandra Humphries, Chrissie Murphy & Highway 32, Andrew Hugo, Fineform, Mark & Alison Tempany, BC Boys & 6 on the slack	
Lameroo Country Music Festival May 1st	Craig Giles, Graeme Hugo, David Croser, Rick Bartlett, Chooka Williams, The Texettes, Kristal Collins, Heartland, Wild Card, The Cruisers plus young whip cracking sensation Luke Fritsch	
For full details of all Country Music Gigs in SA join the South Australia Council for Country Music and receive a monthly Prelude and Gig Guide. Catch Ian Fisk at a meeting (he always has application forms and a receipt book!) or ring Ian on 8296 3350. More up-to-date continuously updated details are on the website. (www.saccm.com)!		

The Club Billboard ... February & March



Barossa Country Music Club

www.saccm.com/bcmc

At the Nuriootpa Bowling Club

Enquiries: Phone Natalie (08) 8523 1957



Sunday, 14th February, 11am – 4pm

***Craig Giles Club Birthday Bash plus
Tiffney Stroh and Band***

Sunday, 14th March, 11am – 4pm

Murray Mac and True Grit



Southern Country Music Club

www.saccm.com/scmc

At Holdfast Bay Bowling Club

583 Anzac Highway, Glenelg - 2nd Sunday

Enquiries: Phone Darrell (08) 8381 7622



Sunday, 14th February, 1pm – 5pm

***Murray Mac & True Grit with special
guest John Turner Jnr.***

Sunday, 14th March, 1pm – 5pm

Good Company



Gawler Country Music Club

www.gawlercountrymusicclub.com.au - 3rd Sunday

At the Munno Para Bowling Club

Cnr Curtis and Main North Rds, Munno Para

Enquiries: Phone Keith Warren (08) 8255 8920



Sunday 21st February, 12noon – 4pm

***Kindred Spirit with guest
Brendon Liley***

Sunday 21st March, 12noon – 4pm

***Kristal Collins and band plus guest
Justin Freschi***



Murray Bridge Country Music Club Inc.

www.saccm.com/mbcmc 4th Sunday

At Imperial Football Club, Johnstone Park

Enquiries:- Brian Spargo (08) 8535 4317



Sunday 28th February, 11am – 4pm

Compact Company

Sunday 28th March, 11am – 4pm

Tracey Rains and Claypan

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Treasurer:- Len Wakefield, Ron Whelan, Dean Beviss, Graham Silvy, Merv Jackson

Entertainment:- Lorraine Wakefield

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Full details including their years in the positions are on our website. www.acmc.org.au

The Club Song
 'No Offence Intended'
 (by the late Aussie Atkinson, 1990)
 (Updated 2001 - Sung to the tune of Tom Dooley)

We all love country music,
 We belong to The Adelaide Club
 Meet on the very first Sunday,
 Down at the Slovenian Club.

Rob Smith - he's our president!
 Adrian May's next in line.
 Our secretary is Bryan Sparks,
 And Graham Silvy keeps our dimes.

Lorraine tells us what to do.
 June Sparks spreads the word.
 We all sing country music
 We're the loudest you've ever heard.

John Turner's a true Aussie,
 On the committee just a short time.
 But he's been singing country
 For a very long time.

And now here come the Parkers.
 Roger's our publicity.
 Jean's our membership lady
 The Wordens and guitars.

Evonne Rayson does the catering,
 Dianne Smith works the door.
 Marie O'Connell sells souvenirs
 Now we don't want to sing no more!

Industry Awardees	Merit Awardees
1990 Rocky Page.	1990 Len & Lorraine Wakefield
1991 Lorraine Wakefield.	1991 Des Rogers
1992 Ian List	1993 (No Nominations)
1993 Wally Sparrow.	1993 Ian O'connor
1994 Helen Downer.	1994 Dianne O'connor
1995 Judith Waugh.	1995 Lorraine Wakefield
1996 Rob Tilmouth.	1996 Ian Holt
1997 Peter Miller.	1997 Dean Beviss
1998 Robyn McIntosh.	1998 Joy Champion
1999 Murray Mac	1999 Jan & Don Worden
2000 Maurie Huxley	2000 Evonne Rayson
2001 Coast F.M. Presenters	2001 Dianne Smith
2002 Jim Hermel	2002 June & Bryan Sparks
2003 The Sherrahs	2003 Jean & Roger Parker
2004 Graeme Hugo	2004 Fred Champion
2005 Noel Kneebone	2005 John Turner
2006 Trev Warner	2006 Graham Silvy
2007 Bernie Scott	2007 Rob & Laurel Smith
2008 Ian Fisk	2008 Rhonda And Russell Byrne
2009 Carole Sturtzel	2009 Josie Evans

**MEMBERSHIP FEES
 PLEASE NOTE
 2010 FEES ARE NOW DUE**

Club Meeting Venue

The Club held its first meeting at the then West Torrens Football Clubrooms in the early part of February 1989. The Club has continued to hold monthly shows ever since, and each February celebrates its birthday.

After a period of successful meetings here the decision was made to transfer to the Tubemakers Hall (now the SA Canine Assoc.) at Cromwell Rd., Kilburn. Many happy and memorable meetings were held at these premises over a number of years, and it was with a feeling of deep regret the decision was made to leave, very simply because the Club outgrew the hall. In April 1996 the Club moved to the Function Centre of the SA Greyhound Racing Authority at Angle Park, where it continued to hold its monthly meetings until the final one there in January 1999.

Although it was a most luxurious venue it didn't really suit our purposes, so on the Club's 10th birthday we held our

first show at our current venue, The Slovenian Club, at 11 LaSalle St, Dudley Park.



Read Me ... Read Me ... Read Me ... Read Me ... Read Me

You are reminded that our shows are on licensed premises, and you are **NOT** permitted to BYO grog/softies to the shows.

Please consider your own safety and the safety of others, and take appropriate care wherever you are (and especially around the dance floor).

Our bands and guest artists perform for our enjoyment. Please consider the rights and comfort of others and keep the noise down during performances.

The Club is run by volunteers who work hard to make our Club one to be proud of. Give them your support.

Unless noted otherwise, all pictures by Ian Fisk

‘COUNTRY CALL’ NEWSLETTER

