



LOBETHAL HARMONY CLUB NEWSLETTER

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Welcome everyone to a New Year 2021



A Welcome From Your President

Dear Friends,
Welcome back as we gather for practice as the Lobethal Harmony Club!

It is so good to be together again, after all the uncertainties and upheavals of 2020.

Even as we resume practice again, we have no idea how many concerts will be possible in 2021.

Community organisations are still feeling uncertain about making any commitment to engage the Harmony Club to perform for them.

Our own experience in South Australia last November showed us how quickly COVID can cause plans to be changed.

This evening we gather for the joy of singing, but also with the hope that we can be "concert-ready", as soon as opportunities to perform may arise.

It is clear to us all that the "new normal" will continue to require us to exercise care with hand hygiene, social distancing and food handling. This is not because your Executive Committee is just being fussy! Rather, we do this to give us all the maximum opportunity to meet and sing together in a safe manner.

In a spirit of hope, may we have a joyful year of music and song, fun and laughter, care for one another.

John Minchin
President

Planning for 2021.....

At this stage we will be working through all the contacts we had planned for Concerts in 2020, but had to cancel due to the Covid restrictions. Some of the contacts have responded where they would welcome us if the restrictions are lifted. Some of the people have mentioned to me that while the restrictions on numbers being able to attend a concert makes the concert NOT VIABLE due to only an audience of 50 odd people being able to come .

We will monitor the responses and inform you of any changes.

At the moment we have a 1 hour concert on June 16th at the Plympton CWA fund raising activity.

To assist with the planning for this year, the Concert planning committee will meet next Tuesday at 6:30pm to discuss our strategy for this year.

The members of the Concert Planning committee are **P Staska, D Staska, R Magor, D Magor, B Kelly, M Kelly, G Simmons, R Simmons, J Herbig, S Herbig, S Wilson, J Wittwer, S Wittwer.**

The reason we incorporated many of the ladies was centred around the need to cater for Chor Farmer 's concerts.



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Pub Lunches to begin.....
 We have enjoyed the time we have spent sharing a Pub Lunch on the 3rd Thursday of the month at the Great Eastern Hotel Littlehampton. To begin at 12:30pm on Thursday 18th February. Our contact person for numbers attending is Jeff Gerard.



Next Exec meeting.....

The Exec is planning to hold the next Exec meeting at the Senior citizen's hall on Tuesday 16th Feb beginning at 6:30pm.

People's Choice Lottery Closes on Friday 19th Feb.



Support our club and buy.....

To assist you in knowing the procedure to buy the tickets for the People's Choice Lottery. Click on (1) People's Choice Lottery Buy Tickets (2) then when you have all the options on the screen select OTHERS (3) Click on this, and finally (4) Click on Lobethal Harmony club then BUY!!! BUY!!! tickets are on sale! Available for all Life members to assist the Lobethal Harmony club.

Thank you.....

Sponsors..... Both Sponsors G Hughes construction, and Klose's will be supporting us again this year. We are very privileged to have local businesses helping us.

BARBEQUE AT BUNNINGS Jan 2nd 2021



Thanks to every-one.....

Manfred has the square ready for the sale by card. Thanks Manfred for your effort to manage this procedure for us. Our first sale for the day, thanks for the Bunnings staff, and the patrons. We raised \$840 profit. Thanks again.



Fund Raising committee Tuesday 2nd March 6:45pm.

Coffee and Soup Nights

We should be able to resume again provided we follow Covid safe procedures to enjoy this "saying G'Day" and assist the club.

Help is required.....

We need to tidy the "Dungeon" room any offers would be appreciated, see Bruce.

