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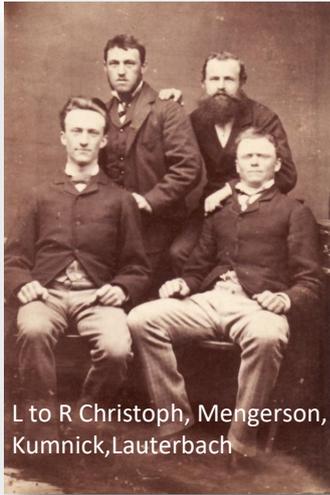
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CELEBRATE 145 Years as the Lobethal Harmony club...

This is an achievement that has been continued through challenges especially during World War 1 where German descendants were ostracized. This effected the Lobethal Harmony club where the numbers fell to only 4 members, but they kept the club going. Today we still celebrate the joy we receive through singing, the fun of being a club that cares for its members, and supporting communities to provide entertainment, and assist their fund raising efforts.

We will reflect over our 145th at the End of Year Concert on Sun 5th Nov.

Please support our People's Choice Lottery it finishes on 9th March. We need your help.

The members who started the Lobethal Harmony club in 1878 at the Rising Sun Hotel Lobethal.

Scholarship committee.. Meeting to be held on Wed 8th March at J Wittwer's Home 7pm. Agenda available tonight. Reminder... to Peter Dickinson, Raylene & Darrol and Stephen Wilson.

People's Choice COMMUNITY LOTTERY

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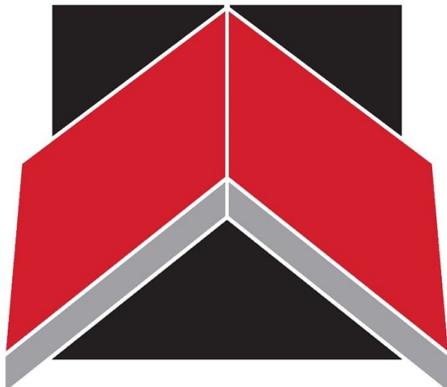
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Our aim is to raise \$1,500 between now 11th December 22 to 9th March 2023. So far we have raised \$540, can we extend this???

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Reflections.....As we journey through another year of singing, entertaining, and enjoying the fun of helping each other, we need to look over how we are managing our club. The AGM will soon be the opportunity for ideas to be discussed on where we may need to adjust the way we operate. Enjoy the club by helping, where you can.

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Welcome again
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Pub lunches..... Are set to start again this year, with the first to be held on the 3rd Sunday of the month March 19th, at Great Western Littlehampton. We need to give names who are anticipating coming to Jeff a week before March 18th. Come and enjoy the day.



Jumpers will be available in 3 weeks time. Thanks Graham.



From Alex..... We have 2 pieces to collect tonight. The Barrett's Privateers, and Northwest Passage, both pieces have been composed by Stan Rogers. Don't forget to collect your copies.

Coffee & Soup Roster.... The roster has been completed and is placed on the back of the Concert Program for 2023 for you. The next "Chefs" are Colin Holder and Stephen Wilson on Tuesday 7th March.

New Members.... A "flyer" has been prepared for all of us to distribute these at places like the Shed Men, Libraries, Doctors surgery, and churches. Take some and help to obtain extra members. Thanks for your help.

Concert planning committee report.... This committee met last week to discuss several details for this years Concert Program, 145th Anniversary, Planning for 2024, and the Concert Planning committee. The Concert program that has been presented was explained where to organize a Concert is not a simple matter, where people ring us to "book" us with a date and venue. **THIS DOES NOT OCCUR.** We have to phone sometimes 3 times and wait for their committee to discuss if they want us, and then we receive Yes or No. It is a time consuming task. Several suggestions have been made for next year, which will be discussed at our next meeting. It was agreed to accept the Concert Program for 2023 as presented by the Concert Program committee. This has been printed for you, together with the Coffee and Soup Roster and is attached to this Newsletter for you.



We still require a sale for the trailer. Cost is \$10,000. If you know of anyone who is interested please let them know the trailer is in excellent condition, just needs a sale.

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