



LOBETHAL HARMONY CLUB

NEWSLETTER

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Welcome to everyone!!!!!!!!!!

It was good to have a break from our normal Tuesday routine, but now it is good to smile at the familiar faces of our members, and we especially welcome any possible new members.

Concert calendar for 2020.

This has been updated for you, there are two details that you need to note. The Adelaide Plains Male voice choir wish to hold a joint concert with us on Saturday 16th May possibly at the Lobethal Lutheran church, to raise money for Bush fire relief, and second addition to the Concert calendar is a concert to be held at Robe Uniting church on Saturday June 20th.

*An updated **Concert Calendar** is available for you tonight make sure you have your copy.*

Please collect..... *The invitations for prospective NEW MEMBERS have been prepared, please take an invitation fill it in and hand it to a person who you know is thinking about joining us. We do need extra members, this does require an effort by everyone.*

Fires surround Lobethal and the District

On December 22nd our lives were under threat, where residents of Lobethal had to evacuate due to the ferocity of the fire. Fortunately none of our members lost their homes, but they were surrounded with the fire which did devastate the area. To evacuate, and in which direction to travel would have been frightening. We do wish everyone, who has been effected, our concern and if you require help please speak to a member explaining your situation.

Geoff Kay *one of our 2nd Tenors has been involved with the CFS for many years had a very fortunate escape when combating a fire on Kangaroo Island. Read the article in the Herald Weekender from last week.*

It is headed TRAINING SAVES IN TIME OF DANGER. Thank you Geoff for the effort you and your team have provided over many years. It is really appreciated.

Adverts *In future editions of the Newsletter we will be including several adverts to help cover the costs. If you know of a business that maybe interested see J Wittwer.*

Calendar of Meetings for 2020

This has been prepared for you, please take a copy, it MUST be understood that there will be changes, but it provides a guide, so that we can organize ourselves for 2020.

Meetings for February

NEXT WEEK Tuesday 11th Executive will meet at 6:15pm.

Tuesday 18th Fund Raising will meet at 6:45pm. Please note Graham S, Stephen W, Peter (sec), Tom W, Fred M, and John W.

Tuesday 25th Concert Planning will meet for a short meeting at 7pm.

BBQ at Bunnings

We have been offered on Sunday March 15th to hold a BBQ. I have discussed this with Peter (sec) and John M about the possibility of holding this event as a way we could provide funds for the Bush fire relief. WE need to make a decision TONIGHT if we could have sufficient members to help on Sunday March 15th.

BOOK of REPORTS

If you usually provide a report of our activities for the year, could you please send your report to J Wittwer by Tuesday 25th Feb.

AGM *Will be held on Tuesday 10th March. Time to be decided.*



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SOCIAL PUB LUNCH & SING-A-LONG

The Pub Lunch that is usually held on the 4th Thursday requires someone to co-ordinate the venue, for each Pub lunch. Dorothy and Paul will NOT be continuing in this role, we THANK YOU both for your effort and we will be requiring someone to manage this. Could you assist please speak to Peter (sec) or J Wittwer.



OUR END OF YEAR BBQ

Thanks John & Sandra and Peter Hardy for the photos



OUR END OF YEAR CONCERT

Thanks to Peter Hardy



We all enjoyed the hospitality that John & Sandra provided for us it was a refreshing venue where we could relax see the excellent garden without a weed to be seen and enjoy the afternoon. Thanks to everyone who made this afternoon possible.

Chor Farmer We have received notice from Chor Farmer that they will be visiting Lobethal from Mon Sept 14th to Thurs 17th. We will require help with billeting again. If you can help please see Peter (sec) or J Wittwer

Bob Long has a trailer and pump available to be sold. If you are interested see Bob.

Harvey Schultz a Life member passed away late Dec last year. Thanks to the members who assisted at the funeral which was held on Friday 3rd January.

Gift from Chor Farmer

The members of Chor Farmer held a Charity auction selling items that they brought to be auctioned on January 26th. They raised A\$2,000 which they have donated to Australian Red Cross. We have THANKED them for their gift, the concern that they have expressed and best wishes to everyone. It is great to have them as our friends.

