



COUNTRY CALL



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THE ADELAIDE COUNTRY MUSIC CLUB INC.

WITH CO-OPERATION FROM THE SLOVENIAN CLUB
THE ADELAIDE COUNTRY MUSIC CLUB INC.
PRESENTS

SUNDAY AUG 3rd 2003 - DOORS OPEN AT 10.30am
The AGM, commencing at 11.00am, followed by ...
The Sherrahs,
with special guests Charlie McCracken and Kristy Cox
From 12.30 - 5.00 pm

SLOVENIAN CLUB ADELAIDE
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For information about The Adelaide Country Music Club contact:
PO Box 307 MODBURY NORTH SA 5092
Entertainment: Lorraine Wakefield Ph (08) 8365 6315
Secretary: Bryan Sparks Ph (08) 8396 0575
General Enquiries: Rob Smith Ph (08) 8266 6689

Club Patron ... Trev Warner

YOUR MONTHLY CALENDAR TO DEC

- 7 SEPT SANDRA HUMPHRIES AND CROSSWIND
- 12 OCT MIDNIGHT SPECIAL
- 2 NOV HANK KOOPMAN & DONNA MARIE,
AND TREV WARNER AND FRIENDS
- 7 DEC SADDLETRAMP

CATERING DETAILS FOR 6th JULY

Home-Made Soup ... Pies & Pasties ... Sandwiches ... Cakes ... Cheese & Greens
Available from 12 noon - 2.00pm

CLUB NEWS

Hello again, everyone, this will be my last opportunity to have my say in the newsletter, as I will be vacating the President's chair in August. May I say what an honour it has been for me to have been president of such a strong and friendly club for the past two years. I have made many friendships in that time and have had the pleasure of presiding over a very hard-working and conscientious committee. They deserve many accolades for their work behind the scenes as well as on our show days, and also for their very creative ideas on our special occasions.

Once again at our show on July 6th we had a great lot of raffle prizes, some of them donated by members, our grateful thanks to those people. Just a reminder about sound queries and complaints – John Turner is our sound officer, so anyone wishing to make any remarks about the sound during a show should direct their remarks to John, who is well qualified to try to sort things out.

It was good to see our treasurer, Graham Silvy, back again and full of get up and go after his overseas jaunt. I hope that I didn't leave the bookwork in too big a mess for him to straighten out. I might add that the finances of our club are in very sound order thanks to Graham's good management and we are fortunate to have such a capable person as our treasurer.

We are also very fortunate to have had such a capable person as our publicity officer – I'm referring of course to Roger Parker, who also will not be continuing in office after August. I think everyone would have to agree that his presentation of the newsletter each month is first class. His good wife, Jean, who has looked after the membership, has also done a first class job, in fact they have both helped one another in these tasks and I am full of praise for them both.

The Carter and Carter show on July 13th was great entertainment and all I can say is that those who weren't there missed a show to remember.

Don't forget, August 3rd is the AGM, which will start right on 11am, so be there early, ready to vote for the people you would like to have on the committee. We will endeavour to keep the meeting as short as possible so that you can enjoy the music of top class band, The Sherrahs, afterwards.

Well folks, that seems to be all for now except to say thank you for having elected me as president for the past term, and may The Adelaide Country Music Club continue to flourish in the coming years!

So long for now ... best country regards,

Rob Smith (President)

Committee Members

PRESIDENT :	Rob Smith	8266 6689
VICE PRESIDENT:	Dianne Smith	8182 5913
SECRETARY:	Bryan Sparks	8396 0575
TREASURER:	Graham Silvy	8271 9676
ENTERTAINMENT:	Lorraine Wakefield	8365 6315
PUBLICITY:	Roger Parker	8278 3906

GENERAL COMMITTEE

June Sparks	Wendy Jacob
Adrian May	Evonne Rayson
John Turner	Jean Parker

CATERING CO-ORDINATOR: Evonne Rayson
(Ph 8391 1363)

MEMBERSHIP OFFICER: Jean Parker
(Ph 8278 3906)

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Material for publication should be submitted early so it can be discussed at a committee meeting prior to inclusion. Committee meetings are held on the 2nd Wednesday of the month.

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MODBURY NORTH SA 5092

LORRAINE'S ROUND-UP



Here we are into August and the AGM. There will be a lot of changes to the committee. I would like to thank all the ones leaving for a job well done, and I will personally miss them all. Welcome to the new members.

We had a new band for July, and after a sound problem things got into the swing of things. Tahlia Whitman, the vocalist in the band, was one of the finalists in this year's Champion of Champions, which is organised by the SA Council for Country Music.

I would like to thank the Council once again for allowing our club to select the Len Wakefield Memorial Award recipient from the young talent on display. This year the awardee is only 13 years old and I believe she has a great future in country music. Her name is Tiffany Stroh, from Murray Bridge – she was unable to come to the club in July, but we look forward to seeing her in the coming months.

John Turner, as usual, brightened up the day with his bracket of songs, as did Rose-Marie, a regular at the Southern Country Music Club. A very nervous little Heidi Lee, daughter of the band's leader, Daryl Lee, sang a couple of songs.

It's always good to hear of special people in the audience - Tom Bruce, from Kangaroo Island (now living in Peterborough, was a visitor to the club. Tom spent 12 years in America as a horse trainer – he was the trainer for the horses used in the Marlborough cigarette ads.

After spending two weeks in Sydney it was good to get back to little old Adelaide. I didn't get to any country music, but I mixed with a lot of classical artists, actors and actresses, so I guess you can say I've been on both sides of the fence.

Keep it country!

Bye for now

Lorraine

LEN WAKEFIELD MEMORIAL FUND

Subject to certain conditions, the purpose of the fund is to assist younger talent with proven ability: a) in entering talent quests throughout Sth Aust, Mildura and Tamworth, b) by payment or part payment of professional tuition, and c) towards the cost of a musical instrument.

The fund is administered by the ACMC committee with expenditure limited to the interest from capital invested, with all payments made to the appropriate body and NOT to the awardee. Annually an awardee is chosen at an event deemed suitable by the Full Committee by a judging panel consisting of three suitably qualified ACMC committee members.

Contributions to the fund, which may be made to the club treasurer at any time will be acknowledged in the club newsletter.

Don't forget, **you must show your membership card at the door to get in at members' rate** – it's impossible for those at the door to know who's paid up and who isn't, so make sure you've got your current membership card with you. Members of the other local clubs with whom the reciprocal membership arrangement applies, must show proof of current membership of their club – otherwise dig deep and pay the extra \$2!!!

The Country Clothesline

As you can see from the list of nominations for the vacant committee positions neither our president, Rob Smith nor the publicity officer (that's me) is standing for re-election this time. Make sure you get to the AGM and cast your vote for the incoming new faces.

The AGM is a closed meeting – this means only members are allowed in. If you know any non-members who regularly attended club days, you might like to let them know they'll have to wait outside until the AGM is finished (the AGM usually lasts an hour or so). Then they can adjust their time of arrival.

The past couple of years we've cleared the hall after the AGM but that hasn't been very satisfactory. This year members will pay as they go into the AGM. If you're a member who wishes to go to the AGM but is unable to stay for the show, then let the people on the door know.

Last year some members arrived late for the AGM and stayed outside. Although it's a closed meeting members are allowed in ... so although being late is bad-mannered, inconsiderate and disruptive, you can still come in and have your say. Just make sure you bring a note from your mum, and it had better be good!

Seriously, please try to be there in time for the start of the meeting.

The Birthday Wishes for Aug



Hoppy Smurfday Hippy Bathday Happy Birthday to ...

Marina Anderson, Kathleen Biggs, Lindsay Brooksby, Elaine Castle, Pam Clarke, Bernie and Janice Dobner, Aileen Formosa, Evelin Guley, Elsie Heness, Ross Hitchcock, Robert Ince, Aileen McKinnon, Diane Morsbach, Christine Newell, Judy Powell, Judith Promnitz, Marlene Roberts, Max Thomas, Patricia Venables and Laraine Wilson

... and you're looking as good as ever!

Beyond the Black Stump



The club wishes to extend our deepest sympathy to Ann Moar and all the family and friends of Brenton Moar, who passed away recently. Club members will remember Brenton as leader of the Twin Rivers band – he will be sadly missed.

Committee member Adrian May was looking decidedly crook at the last show. Travelling to Port Augusta recently he damaged the exhaust system on his big F100, and was unaware that exhaust fumes were entering the cab. Fortunately he wasn't far from his destination – a few more minutes and it would have been curtains for Adrian. As it was the invidious effects of carbon-monoxide poisoning made him pretty sick! My gawd, 'e did look sick! Hope you're better now, Adrian.

Don't forget our website, courtesy of Ian Fisk!

Look for us at – www.acmc.org.au

Position Vacant Publicity Officer

At the time of mailing out this newsletter, there have been no nominations for the position of Publicity Officer

The main task of the Publicity Officer is the production of the club's newsletter, so if you've got a computer, a bit of experience with the word processor and a bit of time, why not put your hand up and help the club!!

You won't get paid, but you will get to work with a great bunch of people for a great club!

I've enjoyed my stint compiling the club's newsletter. It's been interesting and very enjoyable, especially paying out Lorraine, June and other committee/club members. But ... it's 5 years since I took it on at a time when someone had to step forward and do it. Well, that time's here again – for a number of reasons I'm giving it away - and I hope there's someone out there who can step up and take over! I'll be glad to help the next bloke/sheila get the hang of things. In case there's someone out there who's not quite sure, this is what's involved ...

Gather information from the committee, members, other clubs' newsletters, newspapers, anywhere etc and type it up. Photocopy it (about 300 times), staple, fold and label it and mail it out. Compiling it takes as long as you need it to depending on how good you are and what you've got to put in, and producing 300 copies takes about 3 hours.

There! What could be simpler? Put your hand up!

Although Jean and I are leaving the committee we'll still be members - so we'll see you around the traps!!!

Keep it Country!!



A very special Happy Birthday to Buck Greenfield who will reach the big 5-oh on August 6th

Hope you have a great party, Buck!!



Here's a picture of Tiffany Stroh from Murray Bridge, who was this year's winner of the Len Wakefield Memorial trophy.

Congratulations, Tiffany!

Beyond the Black Stump



The August Show ~ The Sherrahs



South Australia's premier country and gospel band, the Sherrahs, make a welcome return to the club.

In the late 80's the Sherrah family arrived in Australia from New Zealand and met the Stewart siblings at the Tamworth County Music Festival – and the rest is history. Sherrah boy (Steven) married Stewart girl (Michelle), then Sherrah girl (Tracy) married Stewart boy (Anthony).

In 94 they formed highly successful group, Applejuice., winning every talent quest in sight. After their first album

the group was expanded to include drummer, Terry Gawen and began touring as The Sherrahs, going from strength to strength. Their second album, Reason and Rhyme, was released at last year's Port Pirie Country Music Festival and is a credit to their outstanding talent. Don't miss it!

Special Guests ...



Charlie McCracken

Charlie McCracken is a well known and enduring member of the local country music scene. Currently a member of the South Australian Council for Country Music, Charlie has been instrumental in organising the Hank Williams Birthday Party at the Highway Inn for the past couple of years.

It's quite a while since Charlie graced our stage so be sure to come along and renew the acquaintance!



Kristy Cox

Kristy is an up and coming star in the making – she was the 2002 SA Champion of Champions and has just returned from the biggest competition she has performed in to date, the trans-Tasman on Norfolk Island (part of her Champion of Champion's prize). You can read Kristy's report in the Prelude (SACCM's newsletter) – although she didn't win, we can all be proud of her representing South Australia! Come along and encourage a young local artist.

In accordance with clause 10 (e) of the constitution the secretary advises members of the following nominations for the committee positions that are to be declared vacant at the AGM:

<u>Position</u>	<u>Nominations</u>
President	Adrian May, John Turner
Secretary	Bryan Sparks
Publicity Officer	No nomination
General Committee (3 positions vacant)	Evonne Rayson, Betty Molloy, Pat Barnes, Mervyn Jackson



**THE SOUTHERN
COUNTRY MUSIC CLUB Inc.**

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PRESENTS

COURTHOUSE CONNECTION

SUNDAY 10th AUGUST 2003

12 noon till 5pm
Doors open at 12 noon
Entertainment starts at 1pm

THE MITCHELL PARK SPORTS
& COMMUNITY CLUB
BRADLEY GROVE MITCHELL PARK

ADMISSION MEMBERS \$5.00 NON-MEMBERS \$7.00

BBQ LUNCH, SNACKS & BAR FACILITIES

RAFFLES & PRIZES

FOR ENQUIRIES PHONE 08 8381 7622



**BAROSSA COUNTRY MUSIC
CLUB INC.**



AUGUST ROUND UP

SUNDAY 10th AUGUST 2003 11am - 4pm

at the GREENOCK CREEK TAVERN
COME AND HEAR

**MURRAY MAC
& TRUE GRIT**

WALK UP ARTISTS WELCOME EVERYONE WELCOME
STEAK SANDWICHES, SAUSAGE SIZZLE, SOUP, TEA, COFFEE &
HOMEMADE CAKES
TRADING TABLE, BAR FACILITIES & RAFFLE.

ADMISSION MEMBERS \$4 VISITORS \$6

ENQUIRIES PHONE NATALIE (08) 85252288



**GAWLER COUNTRY
MUSIC CLUB INC.**

Presents

CROSSFIRE

At the
Munno Para Bowling Club
Corner Curtis & Main North Roads,
Munno Para

SUNDAY 17TH AUGUST 2003

12 noon - 4 pm

Bar & Lunch Facilities Available

Walk-ups, dancing, meeting friends

Cash & prizes to be won

The Gawler Country Music Club
Is

smoke-free

The Gawler Country Music Club is proudly
Sponsored by KFC Gawler.

The St Kilda Hotel

Fooks Terrace, St Kilda, SA 5110

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COUNTRY MUSIC

EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT

8.00pm - MIDNIGHT

COMING ATTRACTIONS:

2nd Aug.....COMPACT COUNTRY

9th Aug.....LAST CHANCE

16th Aug.....ATTILA

23rd Aug.....EDJ ON IN

30th Aug.....FENCELINE

NO ENTRY CHARGE

Meals Available (6.00pm - 8.00pm)

PHONE PAM, ON 8280 6874 FOR BOOKINGS

Around the Traps ...

The Clubs

The Southern Country Music Club, Mitchell Park Sports & Community Club, Bradley Grove	10 th Aug 1.00pm - 5.00pm	Courthouse Connection
Barossa Country Music Club The Greenock Creek Tavern	10 th Aug 11.00am - 4.00pm	Murray Mac & True Grit
Gawler Country Music Club Munno Para Bowling Club Cnr Main North & Curtis Rds	17 th July 12 noon - 4.00pm	Crossfire
Open House Country Parafield Gdns Community Club, 65 Sherherdson Rd, Parafield Gdns	23 rd Aug 1.00pm - 5.00pm	Wanetta's Country Plus, and Loni & Mercia Manners
Murray Bridge CM Club Imperial Football Club Johnstone Park	23 rd Aug 11.00am - 4.00pm	Heartland

Special Events Coming Soon

Barham 2003 Country Music Stampede	27 th July – 3 rd Aug	Enquiries Joyce Yates 03 5821 8411 Or 0408 218 411 or Barham Sevices Club 03 5453 2159
Peter Coad & the Coad Sisters	9 th Aug 8.00pm	The Singing Hall, McLarenvale, \$12.00, Concession \$10.00
City Muster (Lee Kernaghan, Adam Harvey, Melinda Schneider, Brook McClymont, Catherine Britt	9 th Aug	The Entertainment Center, Book at Bass
Country Music Cabaret, featuring Suede (new band)	23 rd Aug	Munno Para Bowling Club Contact Pam 0409 677 525 for bookings/info
Kasey Chambers	26 th & 27 th Aug	Thebarton Theatre
Hank William's Birthday Party	October (date to be finalised)	The Highway Inn (I think - more details next month)

Local Links

SA Council for Country Music	www.saccm.com
Southern Country Music Club	www.saccm.com/scmc
Murray Bridge Country Music Club	www.murraybridge.yourguide.com.au

Club Muster

BAROSSA CM CLUB. Meets on the 2nd Sunday of each month, GREENOCK CREEK TAVERN, Contact Natalie Pearce 8525 2288, Box 50 Nuriootpa 5355

SOUTHERN CM CLUB Meets on the 2nd Sunday of each month, Mitchell Park Sports and Community Centre, Bradley Grove Mitchell Park, Contact Darrell Reed 8381 7622

MURRAY BRIDGE CM CLUB. Meets on the 4th Sunday of the month, Secretary Bill Bates, Box 2030 Murray Bridge 5263, Shows held at the Imperial Football Club, Johnstone Pk, ph Janet Garner on 08 8527 2118 for enquiries.

NORTHERN CM ASSOCIATION, Contact Roma Sampson on 08 8633 4417, Box 780 Pt Pirie 5540

SOUTH EAST CM ASSOCIATION, Meets on the 1st Sunday of the month, North Gambier Football Clubrooms, contact Carol Partridge on 08 8725 7565, Box 2913 Mount Gambier 5290

RIVERLAND CM CLUB, PO Box 623 Barmera 5345

MALLEE CM CLUB, ARDYAKKA PARK, Every 4th Sunday of the month, ph Jim on 08 8583 5300 for enquiries

MILLICENT CM ASSOCIATION INC. The Secretary, PO Box 155 Millicent 5280

ARDROSSAN CM PROMOTIONS, Contact Barry Henke, Box 149 Ardrossan 5571, ph 088 373 407

GAWLER CM CLUB, Meets on the 3rd Sunday of the month, Munno Para Bowling and Recreation Club, car Main North & Curtis Rds, Munno Para, Contact Keith Warren on 8255 8920, PO Box 1132 Gawler SA 5118

LINEDANCERS OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA, Contact Peter or Bronwyn Heath, ph 08 8281 4767 various locations

PORT AUGUSTA & DISTRICTS CM CLUB, PO Box 387 Pt Augusta, Contact Kayc Wade, ph 08 8643 6006

OPEN HOUSE COUNTRY, Meets on the 4th Sunday of the month, Parafield Gardens Community Club, 65 Shepherdson Rd, off Salisbury Highway, Parafield Gdns, Enquiries Ian & Ann-Marie Holt, ph 08 8263 8221 or fax 08 8396 5592

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN COUNCIL FOR COUNTRY MUSIC PO Box 8094 Station Arcade, 5000, ph 08 8218 8440, fax 08 8212 8122

If any information contained above is incorrect could clubs please advise The Secretary A.C.M.C. of correct details.

RADIO MUSTER

RADIO ADELAIDE (101.5FM)

Sat 6-9am "Country Brekky" with Rusty Neylon

Sun 7-9am "New Country Café" with Jeff King

Sun 12 noon - 1pm "Bluegrass Unlimited" with Bill Lawson

5PBA FM (89.7)

Sat 9pm - Midnight "Our Kinda Country"

5CS AM (1044)

Sun 6-9am "Dave Prior's Country Music Show"

5AN AM (891)

Sat 11pm-2am "Saturday Night Country" with John Nutting

Sun 5.30-10am "Australia All Over" with Ian McNumara

3D FM (93.7)

Sat Midday "Yodel Action"

Sat 1-3pm "Cross Country"

5RM (801) Renmark

Sun 6-10pm "Sunday Country"

COAST FM (88.7)

Mon 2-4pm "Country Crossroad" with David Parker

Mon 12 m/night "Pyjama Country" with Frank Roberts

Tues 2-4pm "G'Day Country" with David Parker

Wed 2 -4pm "Coast Country" with Shirley, Ralph, Colin & Barry

Thurs 2-4pm "On The Border" with Judith Waugh

Fri 2-4pm "Gospel And Country" with Maurie Huxley

Sat 12 noon-2pm "Folk Around The Coast" Various Presenters

Sat 4-6pm "Country Round-Up" with Chris Hill

Sun 2-4pm "Louisiana Hayride" with Leaping Lawrie

Sun 1am "Down Memory Lane" with Frank Roberts

5RPH (1197)

Mon 10.30-11.30pm "Country Jukebox"

WOW FM(100.5)

Mon 9.30-12noon "Easy Country" with Luke Williams

Wed 8.00-10.00pm "Country Moonlight" with Luke Williams

Triple B FM 89.1 (Barossa Radio)

Sun 7.30-10.00am "The Horse Show" with Grant Marshall

Mon 6pm-9pm "Make Mine Country"

Wed 10pm-1.00am "Rob's Country Mix" with Rob Edwards

Thurs 1am-6am "Country Across Australia" with Bob Spence

Sat 6am-8am "Country Bacon and Eggs" with Bruce Klemm

5MU 1125 Murray Bridge

Sun 8am-Midday "Country Music"

5UMA FM (89.1) Port Augusta

Mon-Fri 9am-Midday

Thurs 7pm-Midnight "Judy's Country On Call"

Thurs 9pm SA time, 8pm NT time, Live broadcast from Alice

Springs "Strictly Country"

5EFM Victor Harbour (89.3) Strathalbyn (94.7)

Yankalilla (88.3)

Thurs 8.00-10.00pm "Country Gospel" with Malcolm Rohrlach & Neil Pratt

Sat 9.00-1130am "Country Ho Down" with Betty Pannell

Sat 2.00-4.00pm "Australian Country Showcase" with Don Shaw

Sun 6.00-8.00am "Country Breakfast" with Malcolm Rohrlach

Sun 10.30-Noon "Country All Over" with Bert Paterson

Victor Harbour FM (90.1)

Sat & Sun Midday-3pm Merv Schapel

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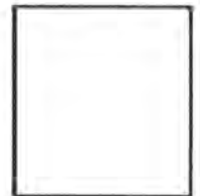
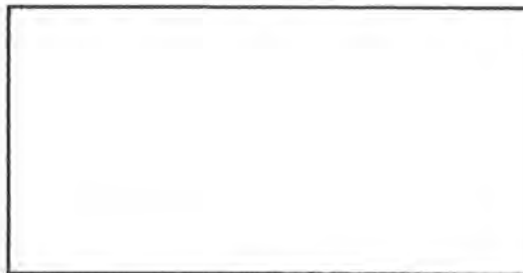
You are reminded that our shows are on licensed premises, and you are not permitted to BYO grog/softies to the shows.

Please consider your own safety and the safety of others, and take appropriate care where-ever 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.

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Community Radio
88.5 Mhz.
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