



COUNTRY CALL



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THE ADELAIDE COUNTRY MUSIC CLUB INC.

www.acmc.org.au Club Patron ...Trev Warner

WITH CO-OPERATION FROM THE SLOVENIAN CLUB

THE ADELAIDE COUNTRY MUSIC CLUB INC. PRESENTS

SUNDAY June 2, 2013 - Show 12.30 to 4.30pm

DOORS OPEN 11.00 am (or earlier if set up)

City Cowboys

plus Tammie and Stewart Ray and Shane Johnson

Catering will be available 12 noon – 2 pm

Pies, pasties, sandwiches, cheese & greens and cake plates

Entry:- ACMC members and other Country Music Club Members:- \$6.00, all others \$8.00

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Coming Attractions

Aug 4 AGM followed by - Lee Brocky and
Outback Overdrive

Sept 1 Jay J Shannon & Winchester plus
Graeme Hugo

Oct 6 Eddie Edwards and friends

Nov 3 Murray Mac & True Grit

President's Report

HOW YA GOIN' EVERYBODY?

I hope you people are all well. We have had a couple of good months of entertainment. Many thanks to those members that came in early to help us set up the hall while some of our members were on holidays - thanks guys and gals. Also many thanks to those members who donated gifts for the LEN WAKEFIELD MEMORIAL RAFFLE, it was very much appreciated by all, and thanks to Raelz and Bev for doing a great job on membership and many thanks to Rhonda Byrne and her ladies in the kitchen.



It's also great to see so many new faces at our club and it's better when you hear that they have signed up to become new members - welcome to the best country music club in Adelaide, also many thanks to Les Paris from Gawler country music club for making those tin badges for us and thanks to Joy Champion for making that beautiful Mothers' Day cake.

Well it's great to have the Sparks back from their holiday but you get one back and another goes sick like Ron Crispin had a operation recently but is ok now.

Thanks again for all those members who have helped out along the way. Well there's no more to say so cheerio for now.

KEEP IT COUNTRY.

RUSSELL BYRNE YOUR PRESIDENT.

Please consider nominating for a vacant committee position for 2013/2014

The Adelaide Country Music Club Inc., operates from the SLOVENIAN CLUB ADELAIDE at 11 LaSalle St, Dudley Park (off Pym St.)

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LORRAINE'S ROUND-UP - April 2013



I hope everyone had a good safe Easter.

April has Anzac Day, a day of memories, school holidays and a couple of festivals (Lameroo and Swan Reach). There sure is a lot of country music to go to!

We had a lovely afternoon with the Hoffmans for our April show. They are a very talented duo, not all country music but it's pleasing to have a little bit of rock & roll, opera and comedy.

I get a lot of pleasure watching Heather's actions and the look on her face is amazing. They enjoy what they do, that's why we, the audience, also do.

Trevor Philbey was our special guest, a great musician. I love the sound of his guitar solos. He can sing as well! (note there is a link on www.acmc.org.au to many photos that Robert Chapman took on the day, the ones below were taken by Robert))

Thanks to all for coming, it's been a busy month. Thanks to all who help setting up the hall and cleaning up after the finish. Thanks to all for the Len Wakefield Memorial Raffle gifts, the money helps us with the money and trophy to assist younger talent with proven ability to continue in country music.

Lorraine



The Hoffmans. Thanks to Robert Chapman for taking the above photos.

Trev Philbey

LORRAINE'S ROUND-UP - May 2013

Here we are once again, a great afternoon of Country Music. The Blackhats Band always provide great music becoming one of the top bands. Special guest for the day was our Patron Trev Warner who provided great sounds on guitar, banjo and fiddle. (he was accompanied by two of the Blackhats and John Bridgland). Trev has a new CD which can be purchased from the Club. I believe the Blackhats are about to produce a new CD.

Two other gentlemen then provided us with a nice bracket of songs. Gary Daniel, from the US, was accompanied by Trevor Philbey. Thanks to everyone for making the day go well.

It was pleasing to see visitors from West Australia, and I believe Billy Dee had guests from Liverpool, England. Billy has been on the sick list but looked okay!

There was also a young man of 91 years at the Club, shows you Country Music keeps us going longer!

That's all, see you next time June 2nd with City Cowboys, Tammie and Stewart Ray and Shane Johnson, July 7 with Mustang Country plus Beck Hance (from Victoria) and Jim McMullan.

Lorraine



The Blackhats, Dave Verrall, Denis Gore, Peter Datson and Jim Roberts.



Above:- Trev Warner playing guitar, banjo and fiddle and singing.

Left: John Bridgland who accompanied Trev.

Right:- Gary Daniel and Trevor Philbey who accompanied him



June Show:- City Cowboys

The City Cowboys is a good time 4 piece country band.

The band is made up of drums (Bill Clarke), guitar (Joe Griffa), bass (Doc Sheedy), piano & harmonica (Peter Symons (Boogie Man)).

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

Harmonies are one of their strong points.

They were last at the club in July 2011.



June Show:- guest artists Tammie and Stewart Ray and Shane Johnson



Right :-Shane Johnson has been doing very well at numerous talent quests the past year. He has appeared at many clubs too, ours several times, the last time was for our November show. This year he appeared at Alcheringa, Lake Charlegrark and Swan Reach!

Left:- Tammie and Stewart at our Club in January of this year.



July Show:- Mustang Country



Below:- Mustang Country at our March 2012 show - Brenton Spry, Honi, Martin Krollig, Errol and Willem

July Show:- guest artist Bec Hance

Bec Hance, a singer/songwriter from Lang Lang Victoria, is a fresh, down to earth Aussie girl who loves to write her own version of songs about the Australian way of life. Growing up on a 4th generation family beef farm her influences for writing songs and carrying on the tradition of country music greatly comes from her upbringing.

Bec was a Toyota Star Maker Grand – finalist, and a graduate of the CMAA country music college in Tamworth in 2009.

Her interest in music began at 10 years old, when she learnt to play the piano, and in the later years taught herself guitar, studied music theory and has written a swag of her own songs. Bec's interest in country music was derived from her upbringing to traditional country music influenced by Slim Dusty, Shirley Thoms, John Williamson, Loretta Lynn and Johnny Horton. Her modern influences today include Sara Storer, Troy Cassar-Daley, Graeme Connors and Norma O'Hara Murphy.

Whilst studying at university in Melbourne, Bec worked at a singing school teaching piano and

studied vocal training. This is where she began her country music venture. Since then, Bec has released three independent albums, all with solely written and co-written songs. Her current album, 'All About Mates' released in October 2011, has already seen her nominated for various awards, the most recent being for a Golden Guitar for Bush Ballad for her co-written song "The Ballad of Castlereagh" in Tamworth in 2013.

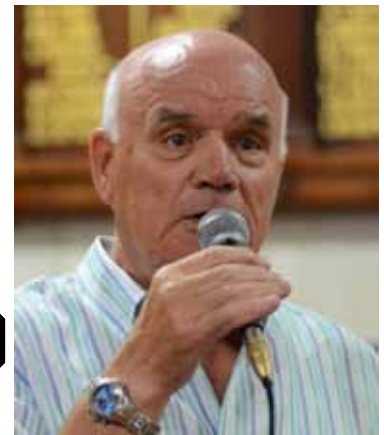
Although she's lived in NSW and QLD, she now is back in the heart of VIC living right next to the Goulburn River in Murchison. She enjoys fishing and horse riding as well as pursuing her career and travelling around Australia as a country music artist.

The above was taken from her website (www.beckhance.com). Also included there is a long list of her many achievements, news, happy snaps, lyrics etc.



July Show:- guest artist Jim McMullan

Jim has been coming to the local country music clubs for many years. He has done some walkups, but in 2012 he decided to enter talent quests. He did very well too, winning the Senior Male section at the Country Music SA Champion of Champions competition in November 2012.



Our Annual General Meeting is on August 4, 2013

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



More photos of most of our club meetings are on our website www.acmc.org.au. Past Country Calls (mostly in colour) from 2006 are also there.

Please save the club having to print, fold and post your Country Call by downloading your COLOUR copy from our website. It is usually on the website a week before most members receive their posted version! Please send an email to info@acmc.org.au and ask to be taken off the mailing list. You will be sent an email advising when the next issue is available to download.



Birthday Members for June and July

Elwyn Arnold, Lilli Baggio, Colleen Carclaw, Wendy Cope, Gary Daniel, James Errock, Jenny Excell, Judy Fairhead, Pauline Florence, Ray Fowler, Graeme Gardner, Bruce Hall(80), Tom Ireland, Coralie Li, Kevin James Merritt, John Piep, Evonne Rayson, Betty Redman, James Ross, Jeannie Stout, Gary Trenerry, Nola Trenerry, Kaye Venchiarutti, Trevor Walker, Judy Walker, Lynette Weston and Jean Wigg(80)



Elwyn, Colleen, Wendy, Gary, James, Jenny, Bruce Hall, Coralie



Kevin, John, Betty, Gary, Nola, Trevor, Judy, Lynette, Jean

Sick List.

Since our last Club Day the health of our Committee and Members have not been the best.



Christine Sherrah is having ongoing health issues, new treatments are being adjusted.

Ron Crispin had a operation recently and is coming along well.

Shirley Mitchell has been in hospital.

Best wishes to the above and all others not well.

Right:-

85 year young Len Searles has been nominated for National Transport Hall of Fame (Alice Springs)

Below right:
Barbara and Graeme from Stirling, WA



What has 72 legs and 26 teeth?

The first row at a Willie Nelson concert!

What happens if you play country music backwards?

Your wife returns to you, your dog comes back to life and you get out of prison!

The Postions coming up for election at the August 4th Annual General Meeting are:-

President - presently held by Russell Byrne

Secretary - presently held by Bryan Sparks

Publicity - presently held by Ian Fisk

plus three general committee positions - - presently held by Raelz Gebhardt, June Sparks and Ron Crispin

Nomination forms are attached to this newsletter, additonal forms will be available at our June and July meetings and from our website.

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

Thanks also to all the contributors to this issue.

Welcome to our new Club Members

Eileen Bullen, Wendy Cope, Marion Turner and Robbie Williamson

Around the Traps . . . Other Venues

Willaston Country Music Club Willaston Football Clubrooms, Gawler River Rd, Willaston 12 to 5pm	2 June Sun	Charlie McCracken Band plus guest artist Kevin Smiff
	7 July Sun	Key Country guest artists 'Company of Two'
Southern CM Club, Lockleys Bowling Club, 46 Rutland Ave, Lockleys 1-5pm	9 June - Sun	Eddie Edwards & Friends with guest artist tba
	14 July - Sun	Graeme Hugo with Fine Form
Barossa Country Music Club At the Nuriootpa Bowling Club Buna Terrace, 11am - 5pm	9 June - Sun	Good Company
	14 July - Sun	Lee Brocky & Outback Overdrive
Gawler CM Club, Munno Para Bowling Club, cnr Curtis & Main North Rd Munno Para 12 - 4pm	16 June Sun	The Hoffmans
	21 July Sun	Craig Giles with Bernie & the Bandits
Railroad Country Music Club SA Sea Rescue Squadron Barcoo Road, West Beach 1-5pm	16 June Sun	The Blackhats with guest artist Amber Joy Poulton
	21 July Sun	Mustang Country
Murray Bridge CM Club, Johnstone Park, 11am - 4pm	23 June Sun	City Cowboys plus guest Sandra Humphries
	28 July Sun	Murray Mac & True Grit
Kilburn RSL Country Music Functions 2 Way Street, Kilburn 8349 6694 1-5pm	23 June Sun	The Blackhats
	30 June Sun	Bernie & the Bandits with 'Big Jim the Irishman'
	28 July Sun	Eddie Edwards and Friends
Naval Association of Port Adelaide 35 Quebec St Port Adelaide	3 rd Sun every month 1.30pm	Musical Variety Afternoon, with Country Plus - Walk Up Artists welcome
Other Events Coming Soon		
Gawler CM Club Workshop, Anglican Parish Hall, 26 Cowan Street, Gawler	1 st Sat each month	Play, Sing, Jam, Have Fun! 12pm to 5 pm
Gawler Country Music Club Inc. Open Mike all welcome	2 nd and 4 th Sat every month	Phill 8287 8020
Blackwood RSL, 1 Brighton Pde	3 rd Sat every month	Winchester featuring Jay J Shannon Country Cabaret
Hillbilly Hoot Ali & the Hoot Live from the stables,	Every Monday evening 8 - 9pm	Dunstone Grove/Linde Reserve, Stepney Three D Radio live on air (93.7FM) plus streaming
Plympton & Glenelg RSL 464 Marion Rd, Plympton Park	Every Thursday 6 - 8.30pm	Regeneration (Julia Williams, M Hammond and H Aistrop) dinner/dance
	3 rd Sun every month 1.30pm	Billy Dee & Friends Show with "Walk Ups" very welcomed and encouraged
The South Australian Country Music Festival, Riverland - check the website	May 31- June 10 - Rodney Vincent, Stephen Cheney, Brian Letton, Sandra Humphries, Trevor Keilar, The Blackhats, Dave Prior, Murray Mac and his Band True Grit plus many many more!	
Strathalbyn, Gumeracha and Eudunda	July 18, 19 & 20 ring 0408 250 170 The Lucky Country Hall Tour - Bob Corbett & The Roo Grass Band	
Laura, Moonta, Hindmarsh Valley	check the cmsa gig guide for details	Lindsay Buter & Shaza Leigh with Justin Standley June 29, July 2 & 6
Laura Country	July 26 - 28	Ian List, The Blackhats, Sandra Humphries & Band Special, Amber Joy Poulton, The Sherrahs, Charlie McCracken plus many more

For full details of all Country Music Gigs in SA join Country Music SA and receive Preludes including the 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.countrysuicsa.com.au)!

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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 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 photos by Ian Fisk

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