

TASMANIAN SONG COMPANY

October Snippets

Town Hall Concert

Concert details were finalized.

Upcoming events :

Bruny Concert

Date confirmed Sunday 4 November. As we need to be at the Adventure Bay Hall by 12.30 for rehearsal, which is approx 30 min drive from the ferry terminal, it is advised to catch either the 9.30 or 11.05 ferries. The concert starts at 2pm expected finish before 4pm which means we should be able to catch the 4.30 ferry home.

Wesley Charity Concert

Sunday 11th November, 2pm in aid of the Royal Guide Dogs Assoc. We are still waiting for the Guide Dogs Assoc to accept our offer. The plan is for a 1 hour concert, \$5 admission.

Program to be *"A selection of Seasonal Favourites From The Library of the TSC"*

Vaucluse Concert

Confirmed for Sunday 25 November, details in next Snippets

Glenorchy Carols by Candlelight promotion

Meet at 11am on Saturday 24 November at Northgate Shopping Centre. Numbers aren't important, just whoever can make it for an hour. Note it is the day before the Vaucluse Concert.

Glenorchy Carols by Candlelight

Saturday 8 December, details in the next Snippets.

**We have had a request to provide Carol singing at Cat and Fiddle Arcade during December. We have accepted this request and dates will be posted in the next Snippets. At this stage we have not been asked to perform at any other Shopping Centre. It is understood another choir has been approached.

Future Venues

Suggestion from Annesley about Triabunna and Spring Bay Singers has been followed up and it may prove to be an opportunity to mix a social event with a performance early in the new year.

Musical Director's Report

Dr Abby Fraser is confirmed as soloist for Global Harmonies Concert.

Teo Torriate is ready and we discussed that this could become our theme song as we now 'own' it.

The Bruny Island concert will use music from Global Harmonies concert. Decision on the other concerts will come later.

Social Opportunities

We'd like to try something different and with good weather fast approaching thought that a BBQ or picnic at Waterworks Reserve at the weekend for family and friends would be lovely. Details to be confirmed.

TSC—Some Dates For Your Fridge

4 Nov—Bruny Island Concert 12.30 call, last ferry 11am
11 Nov—Charity Concert at Wesley Hall in aid of Guide Dogs starts 2pm
24 Nov—Promotion for Glenorchy Carols 11am—12pm at Northgate
25 Nov—Vaucluse Gardens Concert
8 Dec—Glenorchy Carols by Candlelight
Shopping Centre carols - dates to be confirmed

Logos

We have received 6 logo designs from LogoNow and have selected 3 as possibilities. We have deferred discussion until next meeting so all committee members can study the designs.

Membership Report

We have **33** active members.
It was suggested that we ask Yasmin Shoobridge to give out TSC business cards to students who have completed her LearnXpress (Adult Ed) singing course.

Uniform

Old uniforms can be disposed of in any way members prefer eg Charity organizations. One uniform has been kept for Archival reasons.

As noted by Annette on Monday night, please treat the uniform material with care - hand wash, drip dry, cool iron. In other words, don't get it dirty, ever!!



Correspondence included

- Music which had been hired has been returned.
- Annette was disappointed that invitations to our Friends to the Global Harmonies concert was poorly responded to.
- Investigation of cost of replacing the choir risers ongoing.
- A request has been placed with Buntings to book the BBQ for the same time next year.

Applications

Annette will apply for a grant from Bell Bay Aluminium to redevelop our repertoire for the 25th Anniversary of Tasmanian Song Company.

Application to the Moonah Arts Centre for 2013 will focus on an event like the open rehearsal held earlier this year. Entitled *Listen Learn and Sing*.

We will also consider one of the grants could cover the cost of new choir risers.

