

# "TOTALLY GOURDGEOUS"

## SUN 1<sup>st</sup> JULY 2018 7:30pm TYERS HALL, TYERS



Formed in 1998, Australian band Totally Gourdgeous are four outrageously diverse singer/songwriter/musicians united under gourd. Indeed, playing instruments made from those woody cucurbits brings their music together to make folk funk philosophy to feed your wildest pumpkin longings. **Penelope Swales** (guitar), **Carl Pannuzzo** (drums), **Mal Webb** (bass, mbira and bugle) and **Andrew Clermont** (violin, mandolin and guitar) sing songs written by themselves and a few dear friends. Imagine Joni Mitchell and James Brown getting down in Bob Marley's pumpkin patch via the Muppets. Infectious eclectic beauty in the gourdiest of costumes.

All the instruments are hand-made from gourds by Penelope under the guidance of home-grown, world renowned luthier, Jack Spira.

They combine to create a manic, organic musical experience,

Punning Pathos

Heartfelt Hilarity

Messages of love, fellowship and environmental sanity.

MC: Barry Stuckey

### Club Night Entry:

\$20 adult, \$15 member/  
concession, free for under 18 y.o.

### ...and prior to the evening performance (also at Tyers Hall):

- Your choice of 2 workshops (3-4.30pm)

**\$5** (free for school-aged children & conc) lead by TG members

(see next pages for further info)

"BANDMOUTH,  
BEATBOX & BEYOND"  
with **Mal Webb**

OR

"A CRASH COURSE TO GET YOU  
ABOVE YOUR MUSICAL PLATEAU!"  
(for stringed instrument players)  
with **Andrew Clermont**

- "Vocal Nosh" (singing followed by soup/bread/fruit dinner) \$10. Under 18 free  
5.30pm at Tyers Hall led by **Carl Pannuzzo**

- **Jam Session** Country/old timey/Bluegrass in adjacent Tyers PS 4:30-6:15pm

\*Members please bring a plate of supper for evening performance

Please RSVP (details next pages) for workshops and/or jam session to give us an idea of numbers, especially those wanting to stay for soup dinner from 6.30 (\$5 but already included in fee for "Vocal Noshers").

# ***BEATBOX WORKSHOP***

With ***MAL WEBB***

Be a band with your voice. ***Bandmouth, Beatbox & Beyond.***

***Sunday July 1: Tyers Hall. 3:00 – 4:30pm.***

***Adults: \$5. School age & Conc: \$Free***

***Inq: Barry Stuckey Ph 0429 966130. Email to attend: [stuck.cal@gmail.com](mailto:stuck.cal@gmail.com)***

***Adventure around your gob. A lip to lung journey of the physics and physiology of all the sounds a face can make.***

***Sideways yodeling, beatbox, mouthdrums, vocal percussion, harmonics, throat singing, PLUS mic technique, looping, advanced clapping and painless vocal distortion are all explored. Addictive.***

***See: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=101mzpgOz0k> and <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qlcUWDa1nww>***



# ANDREW CLERMONT

## Workshop:

**A Crash Course to get you above your musical plateau!**

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*Three time Bluegrass Guitar Champ.* His Guitar/Mandolin/Fiddle workshop is focusing on Oldtimey & Bluegrass, plus Blues/Folk/Country with a hint of jazz. Advanced Uke (only) for alternative techniques, PLUS banjo technique when playing with others. A generous workshop, Jambuster style.

- *Do you want to play and sound like it was always meant to be?*
- *Slot in and produce the appropriate accompaniment.*

DVDs of “Crash Course to Mandolin/ Fiddle/ Guitar/Didgeridoo” available at Workshop.

**See:** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yelg4kbtO-s>



## Diary:

- ♪ Tues 3<sup>rd</sup> July 7.30pm: Committee Meeting at Nola's
- ♪ Weds 27<sup>th</sup> June (and consecutive Weds until 1<sup>st</sup> Aug) 7pm at Latrobe Special Developmental School Hall, Hickox St Traralgon. Gippsapella Rehearsals
- ♪ Sun 5<sup>th</sup> Aug Clubnight: "Dr Craske & his Swinging Elixir Band" (Café Culture Series)
- ♪ Sat 11<sup>th</sup> Aug: GAMC ACapella Festival with "Soundswell" - Wendy Selling and Sue Cullen
- ♪ Sun 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept Clubnight: Kristian Mizzi (early start 2.30pm for Fathers' Day so you can have a meal and bring Dad to GAMC)
- ♪ Tues 4<sup>th</sup> Sept: GAMC AGM at venue tbc. All welcome.
- ♪ Sun 7<sup>th</sup> Oct Clubnight: GAMC founding members Aileen & Neville Boothman leading "Boothman family line-up"
- ♪ Sat 27<sup>th</sup> Oct in Traralgon: "Ukulele Wingding" including 2 workshops, jamming & evening concert. Stay tuned for further info.
- ♪ Sun 4<sup>th</sup> Nov Clubnight at VRI Hall Traralgon: "Bollywood" (Café Culture Series)
- ♪ Fri 7<sup>th</sup> Dec: Christmas Function. Stay tuned for further details.

## JOIN IN THE ACAPELLA SINGING!

Singers of all ages and abilities are MOST WELCOME.

No experience necessary.



**"GIPPSAPELLA"** (the GAMC Acapella choir) will be reforming once again in preparation for this year's annual GAMC Acapella festival.

We welcome **Jenny Wolswinkel** as our Gippsapella leader this year.

Jenny has previously led GAMC Vocal Nosh sessions, has performed at GAMC as part of Jelian trio and has been involved in and led a number of other community singing groups and workshops in Gippsland... so warm up those vocal chords and be prepared to have fun!

Rehearsal times/dates & venue: 7pm-9pm on Wed June 27<sup>th</sup>, July 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> and Aug 1<sup>st</sup> (consecutive Wednesdays) at Latrobe Special Development School hall, Hickox St Traralgon.

Performances include a set in the evening concert at the Acapella Festival at Tyers Hall on Sat 11<sup>th</sup> Aug and also as a support act at the clubnight on Sun 5<sup>th</sup> Aug.

Cost: \$25 payable at the first session. Participants will need to be members of GAMC (\$15 adults, \$12 concession, \$20 family) and have a club t-shirt for performances. Membership payments and t-shirt purchases can be arranged at the rehearsals.

Anyone interested in participating in the Gippsapella choir should simply turn up to rehearsals. For any enquiries, please contact Joan Griffiths on 0408 747 882

### 2018 GAMC ACAPELLA FESTIVAL, Sat 11<sup>th</sup> August at Tyers Hall from 3pm

- Afternoon workshop led by "SOUND SWELL" (Wendy Sellings & Sue Cullen)
- Evening concert featuring workshop performers, "Gippsapella" & other local singing groups
- Great selection of dinner options available (catering by Andy & Ann-Marie)

Sue and Wendy met through community music in 2010 and have continued to share their love of music, not only through singing leading, but also with their acapella group Acoustic Kitchen, of which they were founding members 6 years ago.

They form a dynamic duo when leading together and with the emphasis on fun, harmony and a really good sing, it's guaranteed you'll have a great time!!



## Calendar of Events Around The Place:

- ♪ **Sat 7<sup>th</sup> July World Music Show: Karavana Flamenca** Grand Ridge Brewery, Arts Pit, Mirboo Nth 7pm Duelling flamenco guitars, Afro-Cuban rhythms and haunting flamenco melody lines accompanied by searing Spanish/Romani vocals. A true gypsy fiesta every performance. Tickets \$20,table seating. Bookings <https://www.trybooking.com/391561> Enquiries: 0431 179 317 Grand Ridge Brewery,1 Baromi Road Mirboo Nth
  
- ♪ **August 4th World Music Show with Boolarra Social Club**, Grand Ridge Brewery, Arts Pit, Mirboo Nth 7pm. From the streets of Havana, Boolarra Social Club band pays homage to the roots of Cuban music with sultry boleros, traditional son, Afro-Cuban rumba,as well as mambo and high octane salsa. A night to dance! Tickets \$20,table seating Bookings: <https://www.trybooking.com/391583> Enquiries: 0431 179 317