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Khristian Mizzi

SUN 2nd SEPT 2018 2.30pm
TYERS HALL, TYERS

With a warm, lilting voice and an art for weaving beauty and truth into the words of each song, Khristian Mizzi reaches the hearts of his audiences. His performances have been described as being 'heart opening' and 'captivating' leaving listeners feeling lighter and more serene than when they came in.

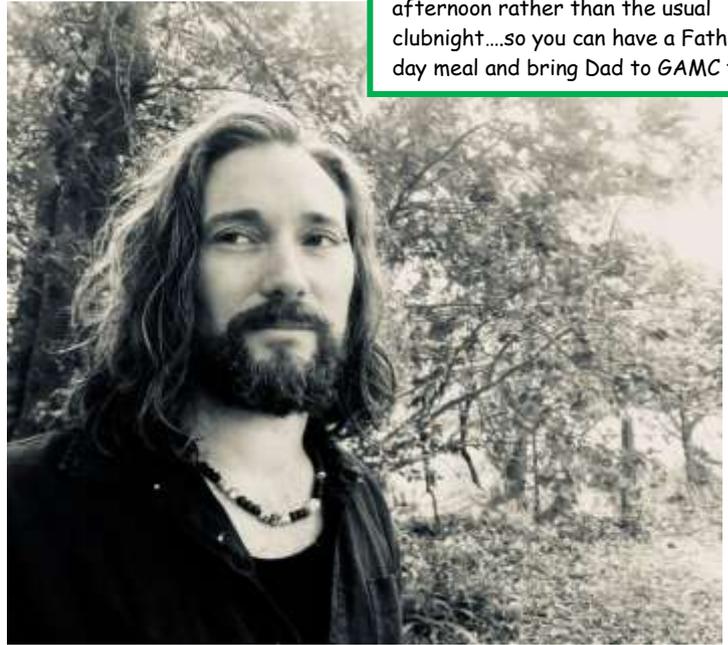
Poetic lyrics, meandering melodies and a voice 'like a big warm hug' along with a unique picking style, Khristian really is a complete artist and is becoming renowned for his intimate performances and thoughtful songs.

Though a newcomer to the Australian Folk Circuit, Khristian has spent most of his life dedicated to his work as a songwriter.

He was born in Gippsland and spent his early twenties balancing young fatherhood and life as a travelling musician.

In 2009 Khristian released his first EP (The Road Between) and has since become a mainstay of the Melbourne music scene. His 2017 self-titled EP was recorded with award winning producer Kalju Tonuma and guitarist Megan Bernard (MEJU) in an old farmhouse, over an evening of food & wine, laughter and friendship in the winter of 2016. Each track performed live with the intention of delivering the most authentic sound and capturing the spirit of the music.

In recent times, Khristian has expanded his reach and built upon his already dedicated, local audiences through being awarded The 'Troubadour Artist' of the Year (2017) at The Newstead Live Folk Festival. Recently performing in Regional Concert Halls, House concerts and Music Festivals to capacity audiences around the country, his songs have had an overwhelming public response which continues to grow. Khristian Mizzi is fast becoming a favourite amongst Folk Music fans throughout Australia.



Please note the early start....a club afternoon rather than the usual clubnight....so you can have a Fathers' day meal and bring Dad to GAMC too!

Support Act: Dana & Jeannie



Sorry to disappoint our singers, but there won't be a "Vocal Nosh" session this month due to the earlier start time of this event

Club Night Entry: \$20 adult, \$15 member/ concession, free for under 18 y.o **MC:** Joan Griffiths

Members: please bring a plate of supper to share **MC:** Joan

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GAMC 2018 Annual General Meeting

Tues 4th Sept at CWA Hall Hotham St Traralgon

ALL GAMC MEMBERS WELCOME!



6pm: Pizzas and/or other takeaway ordered based on numbers and preferences of attendees.

Ideally bring small(ish) change to make splitting bills simpler. Alternatively you may prefer to bring your own food from elsewhere. Plates, cups, napkins, tea/coffee provided but you may like to byo other drinks.

7pm: Meeting to commence:

This will include appointment of the following positions/jobs: President, Vice President, Secretary, Minutes Secretary, Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer, Newsletter Editor/Email circulation, Publicity Officer, Librarian, T-Shirt orders/salesperson as well as ordinary committee members (ie. without a specifically designated role).

Any GAMC club members wishing to nominate themselves or another member (over 18 years old) is asked to complete & return this nomination form by Tues 28th Aug to club secretary Barb Brabets at 21 Hickox St Traralgon 3844. Otherwise email with title Committee Nominations to gamc30@gmail.com

NOMINATION FORM FOR AGM 2018

I _____ (insert name of nominator) wish to nominate

_____ (insert name of person to join the committee)

for the position of _____ (insert position or simply "Committee") on the 2018-2019 GAMC Committee.

Seconded by _____ (or can be given verbally at the AGM)

Accepted by the nominee _____ (or can be given verbally at the AGM)

All ages and abilities welcome

Contact 0456455595
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2018

Ukulele Wingding

SAT OCT 27th 2-9pm

Venue: Liddiard Rd Primary School Traralgon

**Ukulele Workshops: basic
& advanced
Strum session
Evening Concert**



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Diary:

- ♪ Tues 4th Sept: GAMC AGM at Traralgon CWA hall. All welcome.
- ♪ Sun 7th Oct Clubnight: GAMC founding members Aileen & Neville Boothman leading "Boothman family line-up"
- ♪ Sat 27th Oct in Traralgon: "Ukulele Wingding" including 2 workshops, jamming & evening concert. See above
- ♪ Sun 4th Nov Clubnight at VRI Hall Traralgon: "Bollywood" (Café Culture Series)
- ♪ Fri 7th Dec: Christmas Function. Stay tuned for further details.
- ♪ Fri night 8th - Sun 10th Feb 2019 summer camp at Jack River (near Yarram)

Ukulele Wingding. Volunteers needed.

Hi all,

GAMC's Ukulele Winding on Saturday Oct 27th needs volunteer helpers please.

Poster above has the event details, at Liddiard Road Primary School, Traralgon.

Volunteers will be asked to wear their club T-shirts for easy identification for participants.

From around midday, and then the evening, volunteers are needed for:

- Hall set-up,
- Parking. Note: Hi-vis fluoro vests will be provided .
- Ticket sales.

During the event, in the afternoon and evening, help is needed for:

- Covering the doors, meet and greet, and providing directions. Get there a bit early to familiarise yourself with the venue and its facilities.
- Catering monitors to keep kitchen tidy, and top-up supplies.
- First Aiders (current). Must carry their mobile phones. This is mainly for first contact and does not eliminate participation in the event. Enough volunteers should enable a rotating roster to share task around.

In the evening from 6:30:

- Stage hands for concert
- Ushers for concert.
- Helpers for cleaning, packing up, and taking down banners etc.

Please let us know how you can help, and we'll sort offers and let you know your roster details.

Di Stephens - Email: stephens.dianne.d@edumail.vic.gov.au

Julie Bradley - Email: jbradley@ccsale.catholic.edu.au

Many thanks,

Julie & Di

Voting for the pick my project <https://pickmyproject.vic.gov.au/>

There are many great local projects listed on the above link. It will take about 5 minutes, you need to register, then verify yourself, and vote for three good projects. Music related projects include:

- **Purchase of a mobile stage for the Boolarra Folk Festival** (the stage which has been hired for the last 15 years is no longer available)
- **"Live at Spectrum"** (the live streaming television program showcasing the music of Gippsland...and that included a GAMC feature last year)

Calendar of Events Around The Place:

♪ **Sun 9th Sept 7.30pm at "The Wedge",** ↗
Sale: Stratford Sister Cities Concert.
Free but bookings required. Ph 5243 3200

♪ Fri evening 12th Oct, Sat 13th Oct: "Foothills Music Festival" in Briagalong
www.facebook.com/foothillsmusic this event is renowned for being family friendly and its mission is to provide opportunities for anyone to participate in music making for experienced to amateur musicians as well as those who don't consider themselves musical at all.

♪ Nov 2-6 (Melb Cup w/e): **Quebec Fiddle Weekend Music Camp** at Hidden Hill Farm, near Moe. A small camp dedicated to the lively music of French Canada. And it's not just for fiddles! The weekend features guest artists Laura Risk (fiddle) and Rachel Aucoin (piano) from Quebec, along with local stars, Pria Schwall-Kearney (kids' class), Kit Joyce (accordion & free reeds), Jeanette Mill (contradance) and Jess Foot (oboe & woodwind). Come and try a new style of playing in a relaxed, friendly environment. Meals & accommodation included. Info and booking: <https://quasitrad.com/the-quebec-fiddle-weekend/> Contact Judy 0422868680 judy@quasitrad.com

♪ **Sun 4th Nov, 2pm at Narracan Hall** Quebec Fiddle Weekend **Concert** featuring Laura Risk (fiddle) and Rachel Aucoin (piano) from Quebec, Canada; the Stony Six from Gippsland; and the faculty and participants of the Quebec Fiddle Weekend 2018. Info & tickets: <https://quasitrad.com/quebec-fiddle-weekend-concert/> Contact: Judy 0422 868 680, judy@quasitrad.com

♪ **Mon 5th Nov 5 (Cup Eve) 7:30pm - 10pm at Trafalgar Public Hall**
Contradance (a hugely popular form of dancing, originally from New England). Once you try it, you'll realise why! Add to the mix a dynamic live band from French Canada and you know you're in for a fun night. No experience or partner necessary. Perfect for families!
All proceeds from the night go to CMVic, to help them continue their excellent support of community music-making in Victoria. Info & tickets: <https://quasitrad.com/contradance/>

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There are six Stratfords from around the world who meet together every second year, rotating the venues each time. This year our Stratford in Gippsland is hosting 65 overseas guests, who will be billeted in various homes around the area. A week of activities has been planned to showcase the area. One of the activities is a concert (this is the one at the Wedge), named the Catalano Memorial Concert, after Hugh and Marylou Catalano from Stratford Connecticut USA, who were instigators in starting the Stratfords of the World back in 1985. Each of the countries presents an item – it may be singing, dancing, drama or just a skit about something – but it is always a fun night. The Stratford Singers are representing our Stratford.

