

## Vale: "Big D" - Daryl Hewitt



The Gippsland Acoustic Music Club is saddened, like many, at the passing of Daryl on May 10<sup>th</sup>. Aged 65.

Please visit this link to the on-line funeral service at

<https://www.latrobevalleyfunerals.com.au/funeral-notice/notice/hewitt-daryl-norman>

So many tributes and memories. This much loved musician, who left the stage too early.

Big D was much more than a musician, but many remember him as that big Strzelecki Stringbuster with the beautiful deep voice.

He was easy to get to know and chat to at his Club gigs at Tyers.

Daryl and his life partner Danusha came to Welcola music camps.

Great music and fun around the campfire with Daryl.

Our thoughts are with Danusha, Big D's family and friends, and the extended Stringbuster family.

This is a great doco on the "busters" with lots of Daryl moments - see

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wPnOlqsfoD4>

So lucky to have these videos as memories of "buster" magic on stage.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vrDuc5g4S18>

One of the few who gets to sing at their own funeral. R. I. P. Big D.

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1, Musicians **perform** on-line. Pay to watch. Help their income.

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## *Song Appetit with Yuval Ashkar*

Fabulous musicians give an intimate opportunity to hear their story and their music. Yuval Ashkar is a composer, Oud player, percussionist and vocalist, trained by masters Yair Dalal & Ghassan Harb. Yuval synthesises Turkish, Iraqi, Egyptian & Maghrebi influences.

Wednesday May 20, 7pm. Tickets at TryBooking - see

<https://www.trybooking.com/book/event?eid=615857&>

Wednesday 20 May

Deborah Conway and Willy Zygiel - Songs that chronicle elements of life, love and loss. See website for this, and more at

<https://www.monash.edu/mlive/whats-on/events/sound-gallery-sessions/>

## SALTWATER MUSIC FESTIVAL ONLINE FROM BROOME

Fabulous online festival coming out of Broome called the Saltwater Festival.

May 23 & 24. See the link here. Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/events/2838582522926639/>

OR

<https://allevents.in/broome/the-2020-saltwater-music-festival-live/200019407343545#>

## ISOL-AID WEEKLY FESTIVAL

<https://www.isolaidfestival.com>

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2, Music participation websites. Sing & Play along.

## Latrobe Valley Community Choir: online.

Choir has started Term 2 online rehearsals. Interested singers should contact Tineke Westwood locally on 0427955009 or go to [www.playitforward.org.au](http://www.playitforward.org.au) or the Play It Forward Facebook page. Online rehearsals are working quite well.

## Grantville on-line. Community Music Victoria's virtual music camp.

From Friday May 29 - check it out at

<https://cmvic.org.au/whats-on/events/cmvic-music-camp-2020-save-the-date>

**Thank you CMVic.**

Terrific range of workshops with great leaders, Lyndal and Strat, Tanya and Jane, Jen Hawley & Terry Cole from Royal Hi Jinx, Barb McFarlane and more.

Join "Virtual Street Band" with Strat & Lyndal @ 3pm on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup>.

Follow links on how to prepare. Follow your whim on how to dress. See

<http://cmvic.org.au/whats-on/events/virtual-street-band-parade-cmvic-music-camp-online-2020>

George from Ukulele Orchestra of Great Britain leads a 1 hour play along. See

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wmvsxeZn4Z4>

Lockdown? Lose yourself for an hour.

- Sell your music videos on-line

[https://webcastcloud.com.au/events/pay-per-](https://webcastcloud.com.au/events/pay-per-view?gclid=EAIaIQobChMIjvj6yMHE6AIVTomPChOReQJ5EAMYAiAAEgJ34_D_Bw)

[view?gclid=EAIaIQobChMIjvj6yMHE6AIVTomPChOReQJ5EAMYAiAAEgJ34\\_D\\_Bw](https://webcastcloud.com.au/events/pay-per-view?gclid=EAIaIQobChMIjvj6yMHE6AIVTomPChOReQJ5EAMYAiAAEgJ34_D_Bw)

- Fiddle for Dummies

[https://books.google.com.au/books?id=dsNoBQAAQBAJ&pg=PR11&lpg=PR11&dq=alasdair+fraser+online+lessons&source=bl&ots=TSfAiwJDik&sig=ACfU3U2B\\_PCoxSFHNpszMAj1GJuCGTSp6A&hl=en&sa=X&ved=2ahUKEwiis5qNxsjoAhVUwzGf7aCc0Q6AEwBnoECAwQKA#v=onepage&q=alasdair%20fraser%20online%20lessons&f=false](https://books.google.com.au/books?id=dsNoBQAAQBAJ&pg=PR11&lpg=PR11&dq=alasdair+fraser+online+lessons&source=bl&ots=TSfAiwJDik&sig=ACfU3U2B_PCoxSFHNpszMAj1GJuCGTSp6A&hl=en&sa=X&ved=2ahUKEwiis5qNxsjoAhVUwzGf7aCc0Q6AEwBnoECAwQKA#v=onepage&q=alasdair%20fraser%20online%20lessons&f=false)

## Virtual Soul Choir - the invite to join was in Hum5.

**Were you there?** See the great result.

<https://virtualsoulchoir.com>

Yes, Ballarat based, Geoffrey and George Williams

have put "Ray of Sunshine" together. Congratulations to all

Note: At end of youtube clip is an invite to join their next song project.

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## Odd Spot

Simon Mayor & Hillary James introduce children to mandolin and mondobass

<https://childrensmusic.co.uk>

The Spider in the Shed

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HhqG1ct-zN4&feature=youtu.be>

Fireflies

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VP5ek3sW5h0&feature=youtu.be>

OR, for everyone see

Carolan's Dream - Simon Mayor on guitar

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C3S6yO67X-g&feature=youtu.be>

See also <https://mandolin.co.uk>

"What a Little Moonlight Can Do"

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