

☹️ OCTOBER CLUBNIGHT CANCELLED

Our October clubnight was to feature Polly Christie, who loves to sing. However, given current restrictions on gatherings and the fact that singing is a restricted activity, we've decided to put a hold on clubnights for the moment. Polly is keen to come and perform at a time when there are less restrictions, and hopefully the audience can join in too. Meanwhile, you might like to visit her website pollychristie.com and get inspired for this rescheduled night.



Yes it's sad that there are a few cancelled events, but keep shower -singing, playing music and staying connected. We're looking forward to GAMC-ing before too long ☺️

- There won't be a November clubnight (you may recall that this is often the case, due to a clash with the set-up of the Tyers Art show)
- *AND it's with great disappointment we also announce that "Spruik the Uke" has been cancelled for 2021 due to the current COVID restrictions. We have already set a date for 2022, with the hope that things will be much more open and regular by then. So keep October 15th 2022 in your diaries for "Spruik the Uke" next year. Meanwhile, to get your uke fix, see below for Boroondara and Briagolong Ukulele Festivals*

• SOME LIGHT AT THE END OF THE TUNNEL:

Sun 5th December, commencing late arvo or early evening. Plans are still evolving, & are subject to restrictions, but we're hoping for some sort of low-key, byo dinner, music get-together (possibly partially outdoors). **So, save your energy for this one!**

Boroondara Ukulele Festival: Sat 25th Sept (online)

Learn clawhammer, rhythm tips and tricks, bass ukulele, songwriting and more, with workshops catering to absolute beginners as well as more experienced players. Beamed into your home by the online events team that brought you Musicfest!

- Leaders include **Thom Jackson, Bruce Watson, Dan McEoin and Oli Hinton, Julie Bradley, Dave Rackham, Nicki Johnson, Craig Barrie.**
- Sing and strum along to CMVic's famous **Ukeoke**, and enjoy the **Leaders' Concert!**
- **Tickets are \$8-\$10** for our live, online experience. You can join for one workshop or stay for a whole day!

Search "Boroondara Ukulele Festival" for website with further info and ticket purchases.

Rescheduled:
Sat 23rd October 2021

Briagolong Ukulele Festival

Workshops, open mic, strum session.
With Sally Carter, Chantelle Riordan & Green Fieldz

<https://www.trybooking.com/BSUPE>
enquiries 0456455595



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TREVOR ROBINSON
MEMORIAL FUNCTION

24th October
at Yallourn Golf Club
starting at 12noon.
BYO instruments.
Contact Brett for further info
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GAMC's 40th Anniversary **In 2022 the Gippsland Acoustic Music Club turns 40**

1. Bring out your archives.

Calling all past and present members. Do you have any personal or club archival material which the club can access please? This is for use in our 40th celebrations, the committee needs your help to find any rare archives. Of particular importance are:

- Newsletters from 1982 to 2011.
- Photos and videos
- Press releases.
- Sound recordings

2. Celebration needed.

Calling all members. It's your club celebrating its 40th birthday. How would you like to celebrate? Your ideas are needed to create an events calendar for 2022.

What's needed are your suggestions focusing on:

- Clubnight performances & support acts
- Vocal Nosh
- Gippsapella
- Gippsland a capella Festival
- Ukulele program
- Music camps - Summer & Winter
- Club History celebrations

What's also needed are your suggestions & assistance, focusing on event activities, such as:

- Old T-Shirt competition
- Club songs etc.

Ideas to committee please.

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