

German Australian Association of Tasmania

NEWSLETTER

JUNE - JULY 2023



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GROUP & COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

KAFFEEKLATSCH: Held the last Sunday of every month at 2pm, \$10 per person. A decision will be made each month on the viability of the next session based on attendance.



SKAT: The Skat Players meet Fridays at 5pm and Mondays at 1:00.

AUSTRIAN COMMUNITY: Our Austrian Club Members play cards at the club every Thursday at 3pm.

MERTON ART GROUP: The artists meet Mondays at 11.30am. Bring your own project and paint amongst friends.

THE FRIENDSHIP QUILTERS: The quilters meet on the 1st & 3rd Saturdays of the month from 10-4. New members welcomed.

CHOIR: Two choirs call the German club home. Contact the club for more information.

U3A: U3A is held on Tuesdays & Thursdays, currently in Term 2 until 22 June. Term 3 runs 25 Jul - 14 Sep. Check the notice board for details.

BAR SNACKS: the club is open on Thursdays from 3pm til 7pm. Bar snacks are served from 4pm once everyone has gathered. Drop in - bring your friends - have a drink and a nibble to eat - possibly meet someone new in the friendly atmosphere.

GERMAN CHOIR ACTIVITIES

The German Choir is back to their regular activities including social gatherings and excursions. On 19 June at 2pm they'll be singing at Guildford Young Grove. Please contact the Choir for information



APOLOGIES	DEBBIE MINTY MARK KOPPLEMAN	28-Mar 6-Apr
JUNE	PAUL KUCHINKE PIP MORRISON, CHERY HORNE DAVID KERNKE CLAIRE EATON GRAEME CAIRNS DEAN SCHROEDER THEA HELDERMAN SOPHIA MITCHELL RENATE GEHLHAAR ADRIENNE CHARLES	2 3 7 16 19 20 22 24 25 30
JULY	HARRY NERMUT MARGRET ANUTHA KERRY NICHOLAS HEIDEROSE SCHROEDER HANS KRAMER FRANK STOSS MICHAEL ROWE RENE RIME ERIKA KERSTAN	6 9 13 16 17 20 24 27 28



GERMAN RADIO PROGRAM

Listen to Karina and Karl-Heinz every Sunday 9-10am on FM 96.1 and 92.1 or online at <u>www.hobartfm.org.au</u> by clicking "listen live".

Sjaella German Singing Group

A German female vocal sextet of renown artistic excellence called Sjaella are coming to Hobart (direct from Europe) for the Festival of Voices.

They are performing at St David's Cathedral on Friday 7th at 6pm (a ticketed event <u>https://festivalofvoices.com/act/transcendence/</u>

) and we have been invited to attend their rehearsal for free at the cathedral at 1pm that day. Please arrive quietly around 1pm and find a seat in the middle of the cathedral – remember it is a rehearsal for them. They are hoping to have a quick chat with our members after the rehearsal before they get away to rest before their evening performance.

If you can't get to this rehearsal, they are also performing at the Federation Concert Hall at 2.30 on Saturday 8 July – this is a ticketed event. <u>https://festivalofvoices.com/act/meridians/</u> They will perform folk songs from many different countries, all sung in the original language.

More about this world class ensemble can be found here: <u>https://</u> <u>sjaella.de/ensemble-en.html</u>



PRESIDENT'S REPORT

What a wonderful Autumn we are experiencing here in beautiful Tasmania.

I'd like to thank Bernie, Veronika and Mark Siegemund for cooking during April and May – what a super job! They were ably assisted by Denis and Stephanie Cooper and our usual volunteers, Frank and Pip. I'm sure you will agree the meals were great and it's good to know we have that backup.

Our Czech and Slovak community are holding a few functions again this year – a gourmet BBQ and dessert on 16 July. This is the third Sunday of the month and they will cook instead of Gaby. Put 22 October in your diary for their Independence Day celebration where they will prepare a Pork Spit Roast.

Our memberships fall due on 1 July so please attend to this when you are at the club or ring on Thursdays and Gaby can pay it over the phone with your credit card.

A German female vocal sextet will be in town performing as part of the Festival of Voices. We invited them to our Schnitzelessen but they don't arrive in Tasmania until the Monday. See details about how you can hear them in this newsletter.

Don't forget we still have a get together on Thursdays between 3 and 7pm at the club and there is always a variety of bar snacks served. Don't stay home - come and meet some other club members and enjoy yourself.

I'll see you at the club

President—Veronica Phone: 0409 233 051



GERMAN AUSTRALIAN CLUB



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OPENING TIMES

- The Bar is open every Thursday, 3-7pm, bar snacks are served from 4pm
- Club functions are generally held on the 1st & 3rd Sunday of every month. Check the Functions page of this newsletter for details
- Check the Group page in this newsletter for times the club is open for other activities



2022-2023 CLUB EXECUTIVE

President	Veronica Dalton
Vice-President	Sandra Laird & Michael Rowe
Secretary	Gaby Seely
Treasurer	Gaby Seely
Licensee	Frank Stoss

NEXT FUNCTIONS AT THE CLUB

Sunday 4 June midday Schnitzelessen \$20

Sunday 18 June midday Abendbrot (but at lunch time) Bread & rolls, meat, shortcuts, cheese, salads, compote & ice cream \$10



Sunday 2 July midday Schnitzelessen \$20

Sunday 18 July 12:30 Czech & Slovak Christmas in July Gourmet BBQ and dessert \$20 pp, \$10 children 10+, free for children under 10



All events must be pre-booked by leaving a message at the club or ringing Gaby 0407 495 593. For the Christmas in July event, bookings required **by Monday, 10 July**, all other events bookings required **by the Thursday prior** to

CLUB MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

It's that time again. Please renew your membership when you next visit the club. All memberships are due on 1st July.