

# PENINSULA FOLK CLUB

BANKSIA BULLETIN JANUARY 2019



“Making Music Magic”

## FEBRUARY 3rd WILL BE THE FIRST CLUB NIGHT FOR 2019 GUEST ARTIST.. KHRISTIAN MIZZI

*Our first Guest Artist for 2019 will be Khristian Mizzi who came and did a spot in October. More than just a few have said with enthusiasm that Khristian Mizzis songs take them to a place they'd forgotten in themselves. 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 'captivating', leaving listeners feeling they have experienced something special. Poetic lyrics, meandering melodies and a voice like a big warm hug along with a unique picking style, Mizzi really is a complete artist and is becoming renowned for his intimate performances and thoughtful songs.*

*Khristian has spent most of his life dedicated to his work as a songwriter and performer and has been performing as a solo artist for over a decade. He is a genuine music lover and this is reflected in his song writing with obvious drawing of inspiration from Leonard Cohen, James Taylor, Neil Young, Joni Mitchell, Cat Stevens and John Martyn.*



**SPOT ACTS** *If you want to get a spot on the bill in 2019, you need to call our new Spot Acts Co-Ordinator, Peter Bucci His contact no is 0438 487 565.*

**THERE WILL NOT BE A WORKSHOP IN FEBRUARY....**

**HOWEVER, THERE WILL BE A JAM SESSION** *As always, our ever-popular regular Jam Session will go ahead from 5.30 in the Bar Area...Come early and join in the fun!!*

**PENINSULA FOLK CLUB** meet on the First Sunday each Month 5.30 - 9.30pm  
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# WHAT'S COMING UP AT PFC

## GUEST ACTS

### MARCH 3rd ..GREEN FIELDZ with PFC's own Sally Carter and Keith Rea

*Green Fieldz is about having a lot of fun playing some pretty wild music. We don't play to the crowd.....we play for the crowd! We love to entertain as well as perform our stuff. Pubs, clubs, wineries, cafes and festivals.....we are there to make people tap their feet, dance like no-one's looking and go home with a smile on their faces and a happy spirit. O, and we rock on fiddle and guitar.....but then a picture speaks a thousand words.*



### APRIL 7th LEIGH SLOGGETT With Patrick Evans

"...a letter perfect blend of folk and blues, one of the best I've ever heard". - Mark S. Tucker (The Folk & Acoustic Music Exchange, U.S.A)

Leigh Sloggett performs original acoustic folk, blues, and instrumental music. His songs, rich in story telling are subtly woven around distinctive husk-tinged vocals and compelling musicianship on both lap-slide and rich open tuned guitars. Leigh has released three albums and is currently working on his fourth. He has toured internationally and has been performing consistently for over a decade at festivals, clubs and a variety of other venues and events.

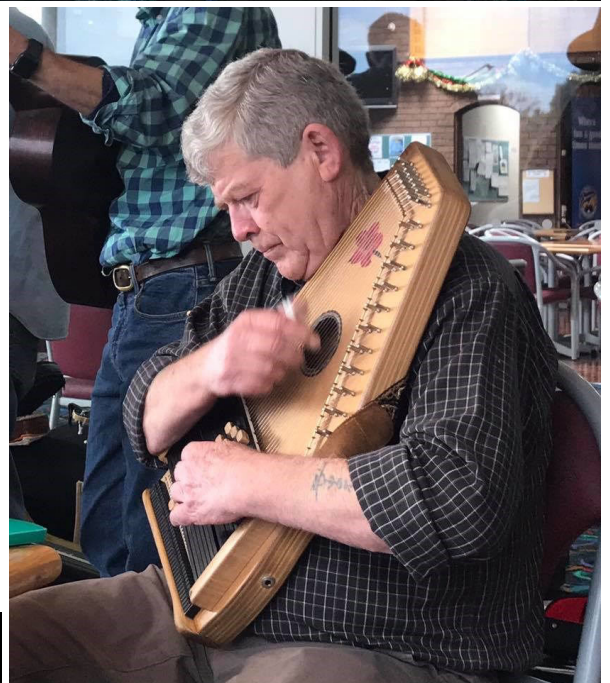
Patrick Evans brings an extra dimension to Leigh's music with a lifetime's experience working with a veritable who's who of Australian folk music as an accompanist on violin and guitar.

Leigh and Patrick first came together for their Three Folks project in 2017 and discovered the delights of working together and a magical musical connection.





# CHRISTMAS PARTY PICS



THANKS TO INGRID FOR THE PICS



# SECRETARIAL MUSINGS

*Well, 2018 is done and dusted, and what a great year it has been! We have had some wonderful guest acts over the year.. Just to remind you we had..*

*the old timey Appalachian Heaven In Feb*

*In March, we went Irish with the unpronounceable Saoirse*

*the wonderful folk singing of Suzette Herfft in April*

*In May, we experienced Bluegrass with the amazing new group, The Undertones*

*As usual June was given over to our Annual Songwriters Contest*

*As well as our incredibly brief AGM, July featured our great friends Jose, Barbara and David as Tidal Moon*

*August saw the talented and very zany Jam Tarts*

*we welcomed the wonderful Irish born singer/songwriter, Enda Kenny in Sept*

*We went Cowboy in October with the Grandsons of the Pioneers*

*November turned out to be a double bill... in addition to our amazing "Hat Bands" we were delighted to have visiting US Bluegrass wizzes Jeff Scroggins and Colorado*

*December was our regular Christmas "Bun-Fight"*

*Throughout the year, we were treated to some great solo and group performances in our "spot acts" by members and friends of PFC.. It is always encouraging to see folk get up and have a go..getting out of their comfort zone.. Several have made great strides during the year. And then we had visiting musicians come and play.. You never know what they will be like.. Some of these were amazing!*



## FRANKSTON LIFE COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS LUNCH

*The Christmas Lunch is held annually on Christmas Day at the Frankston Arts Centre to enable lonely and disadvantaged people in the Frankston region to celebrate and enjoy the true spirit of Christmas*

*Frankston Life prepared 520 meals and distributed Christmas gifts to attendees.*

*We received a letter of Appreciation for our support . We were able to give \$200 from the sale of artwork and the Christmas Raffle. A job well done.*



# A SPACE IN OUR LIVES

*You may have heard about the sad passing of one of our members Brian Collier. Brian lived in England and came to Australia each year for three or four months, His association with your club spanned about 8 years. A quiet, unassuming talented musician he slowly worked his way into the club activities and into everyone's hearts. He fought a hard battle and decided to marry his long time partner Janet and two days later passed away. Your committee corresponded with Janet and part of that read:*

*"He was the sort of person that you warmed to immediately. He regularly came to ,and performed at, the Folk Club and attended Music Festivals with us.*

*As well as this, his circle of Australian musical friends expanded with him attending other functions and clubs. He was always considered "one of the gang". Sadly now, with his passing, he has left a space in our lives that will never completely be filled. We can only imagine the grief his English family and friends feel."*

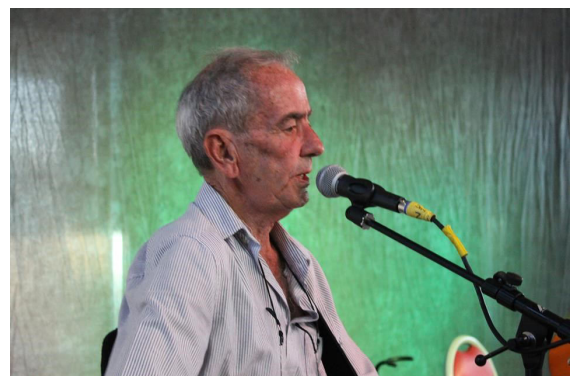


*Queue the music, press the play button (Always look on the bright side of life) In honour of Brian we should all look to fill "that space in our lives" caused by his death.*

*We can do that by being a little more considerate to our fellow human beings, encourage their musical aspirations, share your knowledge with them. And more importantly when you are standing in the spotlight on life's stage ask them to come and stand next to you, not behind you.*

*A great year ahead, made even better by the fact that I will be sharing it with all of you.*

*Max Amos  
President  
Peninsula Folk Club*





# GIRGARRE 2019





# HERE IS AN OVERVIEW OF CLUBS AND VENUES!!

1st Monday 9.30-11.30  
 1st Friday from 7.30pm  
 1st Saturday from 7pm  
 1st Sunday 1-5pm  
 1st Sunday 5.30-9.30pm  
 1st Wednesday 7-10pm

SPUKES Monday Group  
 SELBY FOLK CLUB  
 CORONET BAY MUSIC NIGHT  
 UPWEY COUNTRY MUSIC CLUB  
 PENINSULA FOLK CLUB  
 PLUMS JAM SESSION CARRUM

2nd Friday from 7.30pm  
 2nd Saturday from 12-3pm  
 2nd Sunday from 1pm  
 2nd Sunday noon-5pm  
 2nd Tuesday 7.45-10.15pm

FATHERS IN THE CHAPEL CRANBOURNE  
 SPUKES (Southern Peninsula Ukuleles)  
 PENINSULA COUNTRY MUSIC CLUB RYE  
 PLUMS CARRUM  
 RINGWOOD FOLK CLUB

3rd Monday 9.30-11.30  
 3rd Friday from 7.30pm  
 3rd Saturday from 12.30pm  
 3rd Saturday from 7.30pm  
 3rd Wednesday 7-10pm  
 3rd Thursday 7.15 pm

SPUKES Monday Group  
 BERWICK & DISTRICT FOLK CLUB  
 VERANDAH MUSIC DROMANA  
 FOLK UNITING NIGHT CRANBOURNE  
 PLUMS JAM SESSION CARRUM  
 OPEN MIC AT THE GREEN Yamala Bowling Club South Frankston.

4th Friday from 7.30pm  
 4th Saturday from 12-3pm  
 Last Tuesday from 6.30pm  
 Last Friday from 7.30pm  
 Last Friday from 7.30pm  
 Last Sunday 4-7pm

ACOUSTIC & FOLK MUSIC NAR NAR GOON First for 2018 on Friday 26th jan  
 SPUKES (Southern Peninsula Ukuleles)  
 MOUNTAIN PICKERS UPWEY  
 DOVETON OPEN MIC NIGHT  
 RANGES CONCERT LOUNGE UPWEY  
 CELTIC MUSIC SESSION CHELSEA

EVERY MONDAY  
 Every Tuesday 7-9pm

JAM SESSIONS @ Hastings Community Centre 185 High St 1.30 -3.30 pm  
 LONGBEACH UKES @ Carrum Activity Hub, Valetta St

EDITOR'S NOTE: Please let me know if any of this information is out of date



**Folk Uniting Night .. 3rd Sat from 7.30** *hosted by the Cranbourne Regional Uniting Church at 41 Lesdon Ave. Cost is \$7 per head, ( \$5 for performers) .includes supper. If you like live music, good company and don't mind supporting your local community - come along to our concerts! Come along and share your songs, poems, dances, music; or just enjoy the evening as part of the audience*

Feb 16th- Monique Churchill

**BERWICK & DISTRICT FOLK CLUB..3<sup>rd</sup> Friday** at the Berwick Old Cheese Factory @ 7.30 Guests \$12, Members and Spot Acts \$8

**15th FEBRUARY...TBA**

**Fathers in the Chapel** *It's a strictly acoustic concert with open stage format at St John's Anglican Church, Childers Street, Cranbourne, 2nd Friday each month. No amps, No mics.. A great place for performers to practice the lost art of projecting their voice to the back of the hall !! The evening's entertainment is open to all performers and all types of music with each performance allotted ten minutes. Singers, musicians, and poets are all welcome. Admission is \$7 for patrons and \$2 for performers. Come and hear beautiful music performed in a beautiful acoustic environment. Contact MICK TINETTI: 5971 4331 if you want to get a spot on the performers roster*

**VERANDAH MUSIC..** *It's always on the 3rd Saturday of every month at Dromana Community Hall, cnr of Hodgkinson and Verdon St , starting at 12-30 with a jam session and finishing at 5pm ED's NOTE.. No pre-booking of spots.. This is a very popular venue for performers.. SO..If you want to play, get there early!!*



**OPEN MIC' AT THE GREEN**

Yamala Bowling Club Rooms,  
Dunstan St, Frankston South.  
7:15pm for a 7:30pm start.

**2018 DATES**  
Jan 18<sup>th</sup> Feb 15<sup>th</sup>  
Mar 15<sup>th</sup> May 17<sup>th</sup>  
June 21<sup>st</sup> July 19<sup>th</sup>  
Sept 20<sup>th</sup> Oct 18<sup>th</sup>  
Nov 15<sup>th</sup>

**ALL ENTERTAINERS WELCOME**  
Bar open at Club prices • BYO nibbles

**Enquiries call Wayne 0407 063 223**

## OPEN MIC AT THE GREEN

*The night is held the 3rd Thursday of each month , unless otherwise notified. Because of the number of people wanting to perform, the nights will now kick off at 7.15 ..You need to book a spot on 0407 063 223 if you want to play!!*

**Entry is via a gold coin donation**

**Due to popular demand we will be back on the 17th January - 6.40 kick off , open mic beginning at 7.00**

**VFMC inc-Ringwood Folk Club:** The 2nd Tuesday of each month, 8:00 pm - 10.15pm @ Ringwood East Community Hall (enter from Knaith Road, off Dublin Road), Entry is \$14.00, concession \$12, members \$10

## Tues 12th Feb GARRY & GEORGIA ROSE

Father/daughter duo Garry and Georgia Rose are an outstanding pair of musicians from Briagalong near Sale. For nearly four decades Garry has played with The Briagalong Bush Band while 22 year old Georgia, classically trained, is a superbly talented fiddle player, appearing at the country's top Celtic and country music festivals.



**MOUNTAIN PICKERS ASSOCIATION** Last Tuesday. at 7 .45. .Club night held at the Ferntree Gully Bowling Club (2A Glenfern Rd , Ferntree Gully) is a great night to see local and overseas acts perform. The night is a chalkboard concert with local working bands followed by a featured act doing a longer set. Entry Members - \$10 .Non Members - \$15 Conc \$12

Tuesday January 29th

Coolgrass







**MONDAY MUSOS—2019**  
**Every Monday 1.15pm to 3.30pm**  
 Hastings Community Centre, 185 High Street, Hastings

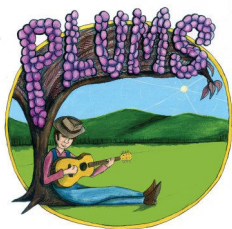
Group recommences on 21st January.. Cost is \$5.00

## Peninsula Laidback Underground Musicians Society

@ the Carrum Senior Citizens Clubrooms (38 Valetta St )

**OPEN MIC SESSIONS** are held on the 2nd Sunday of each month from 12 to 5.00pm. Sessions are open to Singers, Musicians & Poets.

**PLUMS JAM** is an acoustic, jam session, conducted " in the round".. on the 1st and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month between 7.00 & 10.00pm. Admission to the Open Mic session is \$3 & includes Tea, Coffee, Biccies.

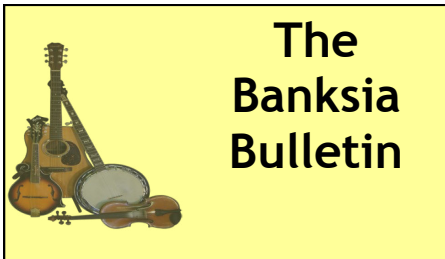


## FOR YOUR MUSIC NEEDS, PFC MEMBERSHIP GETS YOU A DISCOUNT AT THESE LOCAL BUSINESSES

Cranbourne Music Centre..NOW AT.. Lynbrook Store (Previously at 130 High St, Cranbourne) Factory5 530 Sth Gippsland Highway Lynbrook 9799 5400 10% Disc.

Nepean Music Centre...U4/1 Morn-Tyabb Rd. M'ngton. Ph: 5975 0293 10% Disc

Guitars & Things 3e 415-417 Nepean Hwy (cnr Ross Smith Av F'ton Ph 9770 1765 15% Disc



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Frankston Vic 3199

**Dates to Remember**  
**Peninsula Folk Club:-Club Nights**  
**February 3rd, March 3rd, April 7th**

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