CLUB



NEWS

August 2011



German Australian Association Inc. 30 Bowden Street, Glenorchy, Tas 7010 Ph: 03 6272 9445



Birthdays

Happy Birthday and best wishes to



Joachim Fenger	2 July
Hans Kramer	17
Marga Pausa	4 August
Annemarie Becker	6
Hanns Otte, Ulli Kuhn	8
Martin Palacek	10
Athol Lehner	22
Birgit Pohl	24
Helmut Klein	25
Karl Heinz Jakubec	28
Peter Stitz, Libby Rime	29
Denis Cooper	30



Wedding Anniversary congratulations to

Horts and Inge Maass & Horst & Hildegard Andree



Sunday 18th

September 2.00pm

PLEASE NOTE:

Only financial members are eligible to be nominated and vote at the AGM. All positions are declared vacant at the beginning of the AGM. In order to be nominated to an Executive position, a person must have served on the Committee of the Association for at least one year, within the last five years.

Vacancies exist for the Executive Officers of the Association: President, 2 Vice presidents, Treasurer and Secretary/Public Officer, as well as 12 Committee members.

SUPPORT YOUR CLUB

Upcoming events

Potato Cakes (\$2.00 each) - 18.00 start

(every 4th Friday of the month)

Friday 26 August, 23 September, 28 October
Please pre-book by phoning the Club the Wednesday prior.

Schnitzelessen - 11.30 start

(every 2nd Sunday of the month)

Sunday 14 August, 11 September, 9 October \$15.00 includes a glass of red or white wine & tea or coffee Please note: There has been an increase of \$1.00. Please pre-book by phoning the Club the Thursday prior.

Hand Craft Group Afternoon Tea - 14.00

(last Sunday of each month)

Sunday 28 August, 25 September, 30 October
Visitors are always welcome.
Contact Edith Bauermeister on 62437243.

German Radio Program

FM 96.1 and 92. 1 **Every Sunday 8am - 10am**

G.A.S.T. lunches for seniors

Generally every **Wednesday** at 10.00 am
To book please contact the
Migrant Resource Centre on 6221 0999.

Committee Meetings

1st Sunday of each month at 5.00pm **7 August, 4 September**

Annual General Meeting Sunday 18th September 2.00pm

WHAT'S ON IN HOBART IN AUGUST?

John Williamson: In Symphony with TSO

Friday 5 August 2011 at Wrest Point Entertainment Centre
DShow starts at 8.00pm

\$33 - \$87

Bookings & Enquiries: http://tixtas.com.au/Home.aspx
Australian icon, singer and songwriter JOHN WILLIAMSON will perform a very special concert accompanied by the Tasmanian Symphony Orchestra. Having just released his latest live CD and DVD offering 'JOHN WILLIAMSON: IN SYMPHONY' which was recorded in late 2010 before a capacity audience at the Sydney Opera House, the multi-award winning artist is looking forward to returning to sharing the stage with one of the country's most celebrated orchestra's.

Source: http://my247.com.au/hobart

THE TEN TENORS

Thursday 4 August 2011 8pm Bookings & Enquiries: http://www.derwent.com.au/

The TEN Tenors are returning to the Derwent Entertainment Centre to thrill audiences with their latest offering; DOUBLE PLATINUM; a brand new show alongside a double album of the same name, marking the tenth studio album for the group.

During ground-breaking achievements in 2010, not only were 'The TEN' gaining new audiences all over the world but also some famous new friends, leading to an appearance on Oprah's Ultimate Australian Adventure and through the roaring success of the show The Power of Ten, they fused rock and classical music together, kicking and screaming; creating a sound that is uniquely theirs.

Audiences can expect some surprises and added treats to enhance this live show experience!

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What's On at MONA Museum of Old and New Art <u>EXHIBITIONS</u>

(MONANISM (EXTENDED)

Free entry

MONA IS OPEN WEDNESDAY TO MONDAY 10AM - 6PM (CLOSED TUESDAY)

Museum of Old and New Art, 655 Main Road Berriedale, Hobart Tasmania 7011, Australia Tel: 03 6277 9900 Email: info@mona.net.au



The Choir is running a raffle and books are available from Edith Bauemeister, choir members and from the bar at the German Club. The choir is raising money to travel to South Australia. The first prize is a European trip and the other prizes are also fabulous.

Please support the choir by selling tickets.

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

Members are reminded that the yearly membership fee of \$22.00 is now OVERDUE.

To continue receiving the Newsletter as well as all other club benefits and if you wish to be eligible to vote in the upcoming Annual General Meeting please pay now!

PLEASE NOTE: The price of schnitzels has risen by \$1 to \$15.00.

Groups and Communities

The German Choir The Choir needs people who love singing songs in both English and German. Practice is every Monday at 15:30. Contact Renate Gehlhaar on 6272 2757 for further details.

Skat Players: The Skat Players meet every Friday at 18:00 and Sundays at 13:30. There are experienced players as well as those who merely see it as a game. So, anyone can fit in. If you are interested, please contact the Club.

Canasta Players: The Canasta Players love a good game of cards with lots of social interaction and they meet on Thursdays at **3.30**. Please call Margot Meier on 6249 3420 if you would like to participate.

Austrian Community: Our Austrian Club Members have a table especially booked for them on Thursdays. Check with Harry at the German Club if you would like to join.

Lithuanian and Latvian Community members meet at the Club. Phone the Club to find out when they will next join us.

Eggs for sale



Denis Cooper is looking after the eggs until Hans Lenz returns shortly.

The eggs are generally delivered to the Club on the 2nd and 4th Friday of each month.

If there are any order changes please phone Denis on 62725884.

GERMAN AU\$TRALIAN CLUB

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Opening Times

Monday, Tuesday	4-6 pm
Wednesday	Closed
Thursday	3-7 pm
Friday	4-9 pm
Saturday	2-6 pm
Sunday	1-6 pm

Club Executive:

President	Hans Lenz
Vice-Presidents	Erich Lenz
	Horst Andree

Secretary Margaret Hewett

Treasurer Sandra Laird

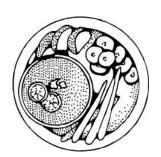
ANY ADVERTISEMENTS OR ITEMS FOR THE NEWSLETTER?

Please contact:

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September "Schnitzelessen"



The team for September will be trialling a new menu for the 11th September.

This will be published in the September newsletter.

Please support the team and come along to try this culinary delight.

Bookings are essential.

RÜCKBLICK UND NEUIGKEITEN ~ PAST AND PRESENT NEWS

55th Anniversary of the Death of Bertolt Brecht, 14 August 1956



Eugen Bertolt Friedrich Brecht, one of the most influential 20th century German dramatists and poets, developed the artistic concept of epic or "dialectical" theatre. Most of his nearly fifty plays tend towards social criticism. Brecht was forced to leave Germany when the National Socialists seized power in 1933. He wrote some of his best-known works while living in exile: "Mutter Courage und ihre Kinder" (Mother Courage and Her Children), "Der gute

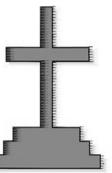
Mensch von Sezuan" (The Good Person of Sezuan) and "Der kaukasische Kreidekreis" (The Caucasian Chalk Circle). The 55th anniversary of Bertolt Brecht's death is being commemorated on 14 August.

SOURCE: www.whoswho.de

George Skinner

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George passed away peacefully in the presence of his loving family on 23rd July. He had been a well respected and loved member of the German Club for many years. Last year he celebrated two significant, happy events in his life: firstly his 45th Wedding Anniversary in August to his loving wife Kaye. She is also a very active German Club committee member. Their relationship spanned 50 years and produced three daughters who were the apple of his eye. In November last year, George celebrated his 70th birthday in fine style at the German Club. Even before his retirement, George had always helped with odd jobs at the Club and



since his retirement from Tilford's in 2008, he took an even more active role, especially with his paint brush. It is testament to George's popularity and charm that so many people from so many different walks of life attended his funeral and his wake at the German Club. Even at the end in the Hobart Private Hospital, George was still quick witted and coming out with his famous one-liners. Everyone will miss George very much. He is irreplaceable. Our deepest sympathies and loving thoughts go to Kaye and family at this sad time.