

# March Newsletter 2010 Issue 60



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## *Committee 2009/ 2010*

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*Committee Member: Les Walters*  
*Committee Member: Linda Jenkins*  
*Committee Member: Philip Dunshea*



**Dates for your Calendars:**

**Camden Valley C.M.C**

Every Monday Night 7pm – 10.00 pm  
Hope Christian School Hall  
Wilson Crescent Narellan  
Colleen 46 25 69 85

**Blacktown C.M.C**

Every Tuesday Night 7pm – 10.00pm  
Lucky Australian Tavern  
Forrester Rd St Mary's  
Further Information call 96 213 110

**Macarthur C.M.C**

Every Friday Night 7.30pm – 10.30 pm  
West Tennis Club  
Leumeah Rd Leumeah  
Further Information Contact:  
Janet 0414203997

**South Coast C.M.C**

Every Wednesday Night 6pm  
Mt Kembla Heights Hall  
Graham Drive  
Mt Kembla  
Family Days 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Month  
Further Information call 42 761 595



**Wollondilly C.M.C**

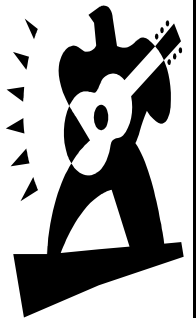
Every Thursday Night  
Picton Bowling Club  
Further Information Contact  
Glenda 46 819 903

**Greater Southern C.M. Association**

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the Month 1pm Walk up Concert  
Bomaderry R.S.L. Club  
Chris 44 212 371 Bryan 44 213 080

**March Dates for your Diary:**

- 8<sup>th</sup> March any submissions to be handed into committee
- 14<sup>th</sup> March Camden Downs Retirement Village
- 21<sup>st</sup> March Moorebank Car Show
- 22<sup>nd</sup> March Monthly B.B.Q
- 23<sup>rd</sup> March Members Night Out
- 27<sup>th</sup> March Camden Nursing Home & Camden House
- 28<sup>th</sup> March Twice as Good (Carol & Glenda)
- 29<sup>th</sup> March Extraordinary Meeting





## **President Report:** Hello to all members

On Saturday the 27th nursing homes entertainment was held at Paling Court and Mary MacKillop. I would like to thank Margaret Patrick, Les Mercer, Ross Robinson, and Lesley Heffernan for entertaining the residents at these venues. The list for the Nursing Homes is available at the desk so you can choose the dates that you would like to perform at for the rest of the year. It is a really rewarding experience for all concerned so put your names down and come along to one or more of the nursing homes.

We have also been allocated three more dates for BBQ's at Bunning's Narellan. We will be advising these dates in the future. We hope that you will be able to help as these are great fundraisers for our club.

We were so sorry to hear about your accident Colleen. We do hope that your recovery will be a speedy one and that you won't need surgery on your shoulder.

There have been a couple of letters regarding the running of the meetings and the committee has decided to conduct an extra-ordinary meeting. Further submissions will be accepted and are to be in by 8th March. The meeting will start at 7pm sharp so it would be advisable to be at the hall by 6:30pm - 7:00pm.

As you know the Vintage Car Club Show is on once again on 21st March 2010. It will start at approximately 9:30am. So if everybody can be there by 8:45am to help set up. The show will finish around 2:30pm when the judging will take place for the Vintage Car winners and awards are given out which usually takes 10 - 15 minutes after which we will be able to start packing the gear away. The vintage Car Club has requested up-tempo music for the day. Those people whose names were announced at last weeks' meeting on 22/02/2010 could you please submit your song list for the show by 8th March 2010 to avoid any duplications or inappropriate material. I would like to thank in advance Chris Schmidt of 'Clear Sound Entertainment' who will be providing and setting up his P.A. gear for us and also Glen Hosey for operating the equipment on the day.

Yours in Country;  
Michael Heffernan  
President

## **Secretary's Report:**

Firstly I would like to thank everyone who has wished me a fast recovery I will be out of action for 6 weeks or maybe a bit longer (poor George).

Well this month we have quite a few things on, with the car show, nursing homes, extra ordinary meetings, b.b.q & a much needed night out. Thanks to all members who have offered their time.

If any member wants to submit any issue for the extra ordinary meeting please make sure it is handed into me, Michael or Katrina by the 8<sup>th</sup> March. Some of the issue we will be discussing will be; sound, musician on stage, performance list. Please make sure that if you will be attending that you need to be at the hall by 6.30pm so we can start at 7.00 pm.

From my Desk Colleen

**New Club E-Mail Address:** the club has a new e-mail address so if you need to send anything to me please use this one. [cvcmc04@hotmail.com](mailto:cvcmc04@hotmail.com) Thanks Colleen



**Valentine Raffle:** Was won by member Nadia Mercer, well done. Hope you & Les enjoy your prize. Thank you to members who donate items for the other prizes.



**Night out Report:** Another great night out was held on the 26<sup>th</sup> February, 2010, at the Blissful Garden Malaysian Restaurant, in Narellan.

We were entertained on the night by our very own Les Mercer and Harry Koster. Thanks gentlemen, it was great.

We packed the little restaurant with a large turnout of diners. A couple of new faces, and a lot of the old faces, with a couple of the regulars unable to attend, made for a lovely evening. The food in that place is yummy, especially the Roti Canai, and if you like Malaysian food, definitely a 'must do' on your dining list. Thank you to the staff for helping to squeeze us all in, very much appreciated.

Our next port of call will be at the Hogs Breath Café, Camden Valley Way, Narellan, on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March, at 6.30pm. A form will be available at the desk so you can register your name. I will need to know numbers so I can book. There is a bit more room at that venue, so shouldn't be so squishy.

Don't forget if you have any ideas for venues, let me know and I will check them out.

Sandy K



### **Camden Downs Retirement Village Dates:**

Once more we will be performing at the retirement village on a Sunday from 1.30pm to 3.00pm, please see dates below for the next few months, Linda will be asking members to perform so if you are interested in doing any please talk to Linda.

**March 14<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> April, 2<sup>nd</sup> May & 6<sup>th</sup> June**

### **Nursing Homes for March:**

We need members to perform at the following homes, if could you help please see Linda so she can place your name down.

**Carrington Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> 10.30am – 12.00 pm**

**Camden Nursing Home Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> 10.30 am – 12.00pm**

**Camden House Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> 1.30pm – 3.00pm**

## **Birthday Wishes to all our members for this month**

3<sup>rd</sup> Ross Robinson, 14<sup>th</sup> Maria Hurtado, 15<sup>th</sup> Margaret Koster, 16<sup>th</sup> Nadia Mercer

**Birthstone:** Aquamarine

**Flower:** Daffodil, Jonquil or Violets



If you would like to have your birthday, anniversary or anything other happy event mentioned in the newsletter please see a committee member.

## **Weekly Members Winner:**

1<sup>st</sup> February Nadia Mercer \$10

8<sup>th</sup> February Katrina Dunshea \$5 Donated back to club (Thanks)

15<sup>th</sup> February Sandy Chambers (not at meeting)

22<sup>nd</sup> February

**Members Help:** On a Monday night if **ALL** members could help at the end of the night with cleaning the kitchen, packing up etc it would make everyone's job a lot easier, don't leave it to the same members to do each week.

Could all members when you finish your cuppa please wash, dry & put them back in the box, as it is not fair on other members to do it for you.

Thanks from the Committee

**Monthly BBQ:** Well ladies we can have a night off from cooking, as we will be having our monthly B.B.Q's again the next one will be on the 22nd March cost will be:

Sausage \$2, Sausage & egg \$2.50, Bacon & Egg \$3.00, Sausage, bacon & egg \$3.50 you can have either bread or a roll.

**Wanted:** A Yamaha DD6 Drum Machine if anyone or you know someone who has one for sale could you contact Joan Ingram on 0412902619

## **Notice from the Sound Desk :**

If any member is interested in learning the sound desk please let us know, it is good to have a back up person just in case our regular soundman is away

Could all performers do a sound check before they sing, so the sound person can do a check at the desk, also if the band members could do one as well?

Please note that no member is to interfere with the sound desk or the fold back speakers on stage, the sound person will do any adjustments from the desk. Thanks Michael

## **Musicians:**

To all musicians who play on a meeting nights, at all times there must be **ONLY** one of the same instruments on stage at any one time. If there are other members who play the same instrument please work out something with them so everyone has an equal time on stage, please also remember that performers can request musicians to play for them.

From the Committee

## **REMINDER to All Members:**

If any members have any issues on how the club is run, you need to put your concern in a letter which **MUST** be signed & handed to the secretary, so your concerns can be table at a committee meeting, this also includes if any members have an issue with another club member, remember if the committee is not aware of your issues they can't fix them.



### **Reminder:**

That all members & guest must pay the entry fee on a meeting night:

Members: \$2 per member, Non Member: \$3, 16yrs to 18yrs \$1, under 16yrs free

**Membership:** Family \$15, Single: \$10, Concession \$6

## **Committee Meetings:**

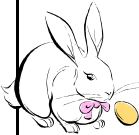
If any member would like to attend our meeting you must send a letter to the secretary 7 days prior to meeting stating the reason why you would like to attend, then the committee will respond to advise you if you can attend. Our meetings are held the 2nd Tuesday of the month.



### **Donations:**

We are looking for some items for our weekly raffles, so if you have any unwanted good items at home could you bring them, as it helps to save cost on your club.

Please see Colleen, Linda or Katrina



### **Easter Eggs Donations:**

Well Easter is just around the corner, yes that's right, so if any members could help by donating some eggs etc so we can put together a raffle for Easter, please leave with Colleen, Katrina or Linda. Thanks



**Start Time Monday Night:** Setting up!! We need to start on time so if everyone could help set up before you have a chat it will mean that more members can have a second go.

We also need members to stay back & help pack the equipment away or ladies we need helpers to do the kitchen, if we all get in to help it would make it a lot easier on everyone, thanks to all members who help to set up each week. All performers to have their names down on board & be ready with your charts when it is your turn, this way we can get more members up to perform, could all members not step over the speakers at the front of stage but use the bridges that we now have. Thanks

## **Club Jacket, Shirts, and Hats & Key Rings:**

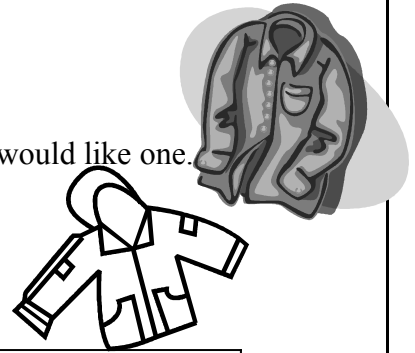
I am taking orders for our club jackets & shirts please come & see me if you would like one.

Jackets Adults: \$48.95 Kids \$40.00

Shirts: Men's L/S \$ 40.00 S/L \$34.00 Ladies: \$34.00

We now have club hats & key rings for sale:

Hats \$15 Key rings \$10 Polo Shirts \$25.00 on Sale \$15



## **What's On!!!**

### **CMC Rocks The Snowys - NSW**

Date: 5-Mar-10 to 6-Mar-10 Venue: Friday Flat, Thredbo, NSW

Contact: Rob Potts Entertainment Edge

P: 02 9712 8668

E: [info@entertainmentedge.com.au](mailto:info@entertainmentedge.com.au)

W: [www.entertainmentedge.com.au](http://www.entertainmentedge.com.au)

### **Twice as Good Glenda & Carol:**

Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> March

Picton Bowling Club

2.00pm to 6.00pm

Free Entry

Great raffles after the show, tickets on sale from 6.00pm



**Members Profiles:** We would like to update our web page, so if any member would like to have their profile added to the page please see Colleen, we now have forms available

**Web Site:** Don't forget to check our web site, there is heaps of photos' to look at, if anyone would like to order any of the photo's please let Colleen know & she will have them printed for you.

[www.camdenvalleycountrymusicclub.com](http://www.camdenvalleycountrymusicclub.com)

**Newsletter:** Don't forget if you would like to advertise anything in our newsletter please let me know or drop me an e-mail at: [cvcmc04@hotmail.com](mailto:cvcmc04@hotmail.com) Thanks Colleen

We would like to acknowledge the assistance of the office of Pat Farmer MP Federal Member for Macarthur, in printing this newsletter. Pat's office is at 47 Argyle St, Camden



## *Blissful Garden*

Malaysian Restaurant

Lunch and Dinner Take Away Menu

**Ph: (02) 4648 3833**

Fax: (02) 4648 4546

Camden Valley Way Narellan

Trading Hours: Open 7 days

Lunch: Monday – Sunday 12:00pm – 2:30pm

Lunch Special: Monday – Friday 12:00pm – 2:30pm

Dinner: Monday – Thursday & Sunday 5:00pm – 9:00pm

Friday & Saturday 5:00pm – 9:30pm

THANKS for your support!!!!!!!!!!