



PENINSULA FOLK CLUB

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Advancing Acoustic Music on the Peninsula

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3rd APRIL CLUB NIGHT

GUEST ARTIST SUZETTE HERFT

Finally we are really looking forward to a “normal” Club Night !!!

You need to be double vaxxed of course.!!

Suzette Herft is a contemporary troubadour with a sublime voice, heartfelt, soulful, original songs, a joyful, sunny countenance with a natural charm and grace that engages her audience. She shines! And her music is medicine for the soul. She’s been a friend of this Club for ages.. She was one of our Song-writers Contest judges.. We have had to postpone Suzette three times now due to the lockdown so we are really looking forward to actually hearing her live and in concert!!

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

JAM SESSION Our ever-popular regular Jam Session will commence from 5.30 in the Bar Area Come early and join in the fun!!

ORDER A MEAL We have arranged for the pizza order and delivery again !!

You can order a single serve pizza and a small dessert for \$10. If you require a gluten free pizza, the cost will be \$17 . Just make an order and pay when you arrive at the club, and we will arrange delivery.

CASHLESS ENTRY.. We now have facility to take payments from your debit/credit cards on Club Nights ... (Cash is still fine of course!!) At this stage payment by card will be limited to Entry and Membership renewals only



PENINSULA FOLK CLUB meet on the First Sunday each Month

5.30 - 9.30pm (FEB TO NOV)

@ Frankston Bowling Clubrooms, Cnr Yuille & William Sts Frankston
Informal Jam Session 5.30 – 6.30 pm, then “Concert” 6.30– 9.30pm

Members \$5.00 Visitors \$8.00

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WHAT'S COMING UP AT PFC

1st MAY GUEST ARTISTS "GREEN FIELDZ"

Green Fieldz is our own Keith Rea and Sally Carter creating a storm of high end energy with blazing fiddle, wild guitar work and melodic ukulele. Soaring vocal harmonies add to their unique sound which blends the many musical genres they play into a journey of fun.

Based on the Mornington Peninsula, Green Fieldz have wowed the crowds at the Irish and Celtic Music Festival in Yass, turned heads at the Celtic Festival in Beechworth and made a real name for themselves at the Girgarre Moosic Muster. They also perform at the Yarra Junction Fiddler's Convention, Frankston Music Festival, Mornington Winter Festival, as well as the Mornington Main Street Festival

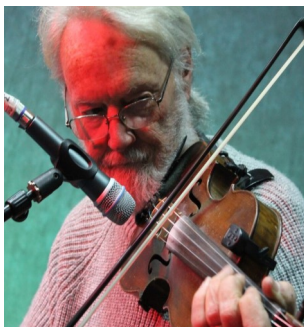


Well done to the brave souls who ignored the inclement weather forecast and joined us for a Jam Session in the Park on 6th March
A pleasant, enjoyable time was had by all (and we kept dry!!)



ZOOM INSTRUMENTAL WORKSHOPS

Barry Larkin hosts a Violin Group on a Tuesday Night.
Please contact Barry on 0418 363 056 or at [b_larkin@ aapt.net.au](mailto:b_larkin@aapt.net.au) for details.



Max Amos has a Beginner Mandolin Group on a Monday Night . Please ring Max on 0428306687 if interested.

Great credit to Max and Barry for their commitment to these groups



Peninsula Folk Club

invite you, your family & your friends to their annual

“Junction Jam”

which will be held at Yarra Junction's historic Camp Eureka
from Friday March 25th to Sunday March 27th.

Camp in your tent, caravan, car, swag, or in one of the many huts scattered around the grounds (**you'll need to call Max on 0428 306 687, if want a hut**). Camp on your own or in a group with your mates, but do make sure to comply with Covid restrictions regarding spacing, group size, etc.

With the minimum of formality you can participate in as much or as little as you like in jam sessions, workshops, there's even going to be an Open Mic.

You will need to be fully vaxed, and self-cater as far as food is concerned (kitchen use is limited) - if cooking is not your thing there are some wonderfull eateries just minutes away.

Shower and toilet facilities are on-site, be aware though that this is a “Bush” camp setting!

Don't forget to take your rubbish home with you!

Come for the weekend, or just come for the day -there's no advance booking required (except for huts), just turn up and pay on arrival.

Fees:

**Member - \$50 per adult, or \$20 per child for the weekend
\$20 per person for day-trippers.**

**Non-Member - \$65 per adult, or \$20 per child for the weekend
\$35 per person for day-trippers.**

More Info - Contact Alan - 0418 544 467, or Max 0428 306 687



Victorian Folk Music Club

at Ringwood

Pleasant and Delightful

Support Act Frank and Janet

Tuesday 12th April



Sometimes quirky, often lively and humorous, at times sublimely moving, Pleasant and Delightful perform folk music in the traditional style - a cappella, carols, old timey, and instrumentals.

**Ringwood Uniting Church Hall, also Online via Zoom
7.45 - 10.00pm Admission \$14 to \$8, kids no charge**

No door sales. Pre-purchase all tickets at:

<https://events.humanitix.com/vfmc-april2022-concert>

Spot acts PRE-BOOK at concerts@vfmc.org.au

www.vfmc.org.au / Facebook - Victorian Folk Music Club / 0411.750.462

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Next concert 10th May - Play It Martha

The poster features a light blue background with various folk-themed illustrations. At the top, there are white daisies, a yellow daisy, and colorful streamers in red, orange, yellow, and blue. On the right, there are dark green leaves and red, fringed tassels. A single musical note is positioned to the right of the main title. On the left, a red-headed black cockatoo is shown in profile. At the bottom left are several yellow daisies, and at the bottom center is a large white daisy. On the bottom right is a dark brown acoustic guitar with a pink soundhole and blue flowers on its neck. A red, spiky flower is at the bottom right corner.

NATIONAL FOLK FESTIVAL

**14-18
APRIL 2022**

EXHIBITION PARK
CANBERRA
NGUNNAWAL
COUNTRY

EDITOR'S SONG OF THE MONTH

Vincent (Starry Starry Night)

Written and recorded by Don Mclean c1971

*Starry starry night paint your palette blue and grey
Look out on a summer's day with eyes that
know the darkness in my soul
Shadows on the hills sketch the trees and the
daffodils
Catch the breeze and the winter chills
In colors on the snowy linen land*

*Now I understand what you tried to say to me
How you suffered for your sanity
how you tried to set them free
They would not listen they did not know how
Perhaps they'll listen now*



*Starry starry night flaming flowers that brightly blaze
Swirling clouds in violet haze reflect in Vincent's eyes of china blue
Colors changing hue morning fields of amber grain
Weathered faces lined in pain are soothed beneath the artists loving hand*

*Now I understand what you tried to say to me
How you suffered for your sanity how you tried to set them free
They would not listen they did not know how
Perhaps they'll listen now*

*For they could not love you but still your love was true
And when no hope was left in sight on that starry starry nite
You took you life as lovers often do but I could of told you Vincent
This world was never meant for one as beautiful as you*

*Starry starry night portraits hung in empty halls
Frameless heads on nameless walls
With eyes that watch the world and can't forget
Like the strangers that you've met the ragged men in ragged clothes
The silver thorn the bloody rose lie crushed and broken on the virgin snow*

*And now I think I know what you tried to say to me
How you suffered for your sanity how you tried to set them free
They would not listen they're not listening still
Perhaps they never will*

EDITOR SAYS.....50 YEARS ON AND IT'S STILL BRILLIANT

MOUNTAIN PICKERS ASSOCIATION

Last Tuesday. at 7.45. . Club night held at the Ferntree Gully Bowling Club (2A Glenfern Rd , Ferntree Gully) Entry Members - \$10 .Non Members - \$15 Conc \$12

CLUB NIGHT Tuesday 29th March...
No Guest Act but 4 bands booked to play a 15-20 minute set!!

Fathers in The Chapel

Unplugged Music Venue
2nd Friday of each month
7.30pm Start
St. John's Anglican Church
27 Childers St. Cranbourne
Enquiries: Mick Tinetti
Mob. 0419 562 992

OPEN MIC' AT THE GREEN

at Yamala Bowling Club Rooms Dunstan St Frankston South. The night is held the 3rd Thursday of each month , unless otherwise notified. Because of the number of people wanting to perform, the nights now kick off at 6.40, with open mic beginning at 7.00 ..You need to book a spot on 0407 063 223 if you want to play!! Entry is via a gold coin donation

CRANBOURNE FUN (FOLK UNITING NIGHT) NIGHT

3rd Sat from 7.30 at 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



MONDAY MUSOS AT HASTINGS

Meets every Monday 1.15—4.00pm

At the Community Centre, 185 High Street, Hastings.

Great variety of Genres covered in books supplied.

Jam along in the round

\$5 includes afternoon tea and great company



BERWICK FOLK CLUB.. 3rd Friday of month

Doors open 7:30 – Music starts 8pm @ Old Cheese Factory

34 Homestead Rd., Berwick concerts have resumed with a fine line up of talent.

CHECK THEIR WEBSITE FOR DETAILS

**If undeliverable return to:
Peninsula Folk Club
c/o 410 McClelland Dr
Langwarrin 3910**



**Dates to Remember
Peninsula Folk Club:-Club Nights
April 3rd, May 1st, June 5th**

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