



PENINSULA FOLK CLUB

OCTOBER 2026 NEWSLETTER

1st NOVEMBER..HAT BAND NIGHT

By now you are probably familiar with the HAT BAND CONCEPT. FIVE Groups have been formed randomly by drawing names out of a hat, (each with a group leader/facilitator). This happened at the October Club Night. The groups have been getting together to decide on songs to be played and practice during the month prior to performing on the night. It is an opportunity for less experienced singers/musicians to get to perform on stage as part of a group !! Come and support the performers



JAM SESSION.. *Come along early and join in the ever-popular Jam Session which kicks off in the bar area at about 5.30... Bring an instrument or just your voice and join in the fun !!*

FIDDLE JAM SESSION.. *There is now a separate Jam Session for Fiddlers and other instrumentalists who want to play tunes from 5.00 to 6.15 in the Board Room*

SPOT ACTS Call TONY COFFEY on 0483 017 572 to discuss getting a spot on a future Club Night bill

SURVEYS... *So far we have had FORTY responses to the Survey seeking your input into how the club is tracking and suggestions to be considered.. That's a fantastic response...but it's not too late . All opinions are important !!*

We meet on the 1st Sunday each Month 5.30 - 9.30pm

@ Frankston Bowls Club, Cnr Yuille & William Sts Frankston

Informal Jam Session 5.30 - 6.30 pm,

then "Concert" 6.30- 9.30pm

WHAT'S COMING UP AT PFC ?



6th DEC .. A REGULAR CLUB NIGHT with Spot Acts

OUR GUEST ACT WILL BE ERIC VAN CUYLENBERG
The Spot Acts will be asked to perform something
“Christmassy” on the night..

During the night the Man in the Red Suit will appear
There will be a BIG RAFFLE in support of the Christmas
Lunch for the Disadvantaged in Frankston

As usual, there will not be a PFC Club Night in January

However, many of our folk are regular attenders at the GIRGARRE Moosic Muster... It will be on from 6-10 January 2027

The Girgarre Moosic Muster is a family-friendly music festival based on a combination of Bluegrass, Irish, Gospel, Country, Bush and Folk music ~ a little for everybody.

It is a festival with a very strong emphasis placed on participation, whether that be as a performer, a teacher or a learner. More than 30 workshops and jams will be held around the town. These workshops are tiered to be inclusive, from the novice to the gifted musician.

Each muster features free public concerts in the park. The Friday evening concert will feature invited guests and Out-of-a-Hat Band winners. The Saturday evening concert offers a different musical experience.

Sunday morning concerts are continued at the hugely popular Farmers' Market and a gospel session. The Festival concludes with the wind-down concert on Sunday evening. Continuous jamming is encouraged throughout the event and you can even borrow an instrument for free, courtesy of our sponsors.