

## Disclaimer

The club newsletter is a monthly publication designed to keep members informed on the activities of the club and other functions. Opinions and views expressed in the newsletter are not necessarily those of the publishers.

## Editors Note

### Hi Folks

The good news is... Our club membership is steadily growing; so thanks for telling your friends and neighbours about what's happening at **Gawler Country Music Club**.

Our **Newsletter** seems to be well received and our **GCMC Website** is attracting hits each day. Anyone visiting our website will notice our **Rockin' Robin Penguins**. Well I couldn't resist telling you this penguin story.

A **Gawler Country Music Club member** is driving along **King William Street** in **Adelaide** towing an open trailer containing **200 Emperor Penguins**.

A Police Patrol Driver sees this and pulls the driver over and says to him, **"You can't drive around the city with all those penguins in an open trailer, take them to the Adelaide zoo!"**

The Driver replied, **"Thank you Officer, I will do that!"**

The next day the Police Patrol Driver again sees the Gawler man driving his car towing the trailer with the 200 Emperor penguins. But this time all the penguins are wearing sunglasses.

The policeman again pulls the driver over and says to him, **"I thought I told you yesterday that you can't drive around the city with this load of penguins in your trailer. I told you to take them to the zoo!"**

**"You are quite right Officer!"** Says the driver, **"I did what you told me and I did take them to the zoo."**

**Today though, I am taking them to Glenelg beach!!!"**

*Les Parris* (Editor)

## President's Report

### April 2006

G'day Members and Friends

I would like to welcome all our new members to our club. Our membership has steadily been growing over the last few months. **Limestone Country** proved to be a good choice for our April show. With **Sugar & Spice** as our guest artists; we were in for a great day. The large audience we had for the day were all set to enjoy themselves.

Easter certainly provided us with a bigger than expected crowd.

Another great day for our club. I would like to thank all the wonderful people who brought along Easter raffle prizes.

Well moving on, our May show should be another great day, with **Alison Hams & Mark Tempany and band**. We will also have the **Senior & Junior Champion of Champions Emily Reed & Tiffney Stroh**. What a show this promises to be. So why not join us and have a great day.

**So until our next month....**

**Keep It Country**

*Keith Warren*

**Keith Warren: President**



## May Birthdays

People born in May are Marvellous!

Geoffrey Mattner	9 <sup>th</sup>
Cynthia Wasley	10 <sup>th</sup>
Ian Holt	14 <sup>th</sup>
Doug Martin	15 <sup>th</sup>
Robin Beazley	16 <sup>th</sup>
Maryke Sinkmson	23 <sup>rd</sup>
Ron Stephens	25 <sup>th</sup>
Natalie Sutton	26 <sup>th</sup>
Keith Mitton	26 <sup>th</sup>
Thelma Case	29 <sup>th</sup>
Kevin Keepence	31 <sup>st</sup>

## Prize Winners Roundup

Club Raffles:

### Raffle Prize Winners

1. Robin Wasley
2. Robin Wasley
3. Trish Nash
4. Barry Warren
5. Grace Luff
6. Barbara Martin
7. Keith Warren
8. Ann Clarke
9. Joan Tuck
10. Jean Lange
11. Sandy Keepence
12. Chris Imano

### Members Draw:

Josie

### Door Prizes:

Leanne Bridge

### Lucky Envelopes:

Diane Morsback

Jerry Durnin

### Monte Carlo:

Barbara & Doug Martin

## Walk Up Artists:

- George Dobie
- Keith Warren

Gawler Country Music Club's 13<sup>th</sup> Birthday Cake was cut by Lorraine Howard.

## Country College

### 2007 CMAA Australian College of Country Music

(7-Apr-06)

Applications for entry into the 2007 Country Music Association of Australia (CMAA) Australian College of Country Music opened Monday, 3 April, 2006.



With a limited number of positions available combined with the reputation of the College, the spots for 2007 will be hotly contested.

The success of the College experience speaks volumes with **six out of the last seven Golden Guitar New Talent of the Year winners and eight out of the last ten Star Maker winners being College graduates.**

The two-week course runs from 5 to 19 January, 2007. Particular focus will be given to **18-35 year old instrumentalists/musicians.**

Whilst the College annually attracts a healthy level of applications from talented singer/songwriters, 2007 aims to attract a cross section of students including fiddle, dobro and banjo players, drummers, guitarists, and bass players.

The College prides itself on developing and enhancing each student's own area of need.

Specialist tuition is delivered in the areas of songwriting, vocal technique and delivery, business management and marketing studies, personal and performance techniques, instrumental technique and music theory.

The College is now in its 11th year with over 210 students graduated including **Sara Storer, Jedd Hughes, Brendon Walmsley, Lyn Bowtell & Karen O'Shea from Bella, Tom Curtain, The Sunny Cowgirls, Nick Kingswell, Travis Collins & Samantha McClymont.**

Each year the students receive advice and tuition from the music industry's elite. The College is an initiative of the CMAA and leads into the **Tamworth Country Music Festival**, where many of the students remain to exercise the skills they have learnt in the preceding two weeks.

Applications for the 2007 College close at 5.00pm on 30 June, 2006.

## GAWLER COUNTRY MUSIC CLUB INC.

*Appearing Soon*

**John Turner & SaddleTramp and David Croser**

**Sunday June 18th**

**Venue: Munno Para Bowling Club**

Cnr. Curtis & Main North Roads Munno Para

**12 noon - 4pm**

**Admission: Members \$5: Non Members \$7: Children under 16 free**  
**Walk Up Artists, Live Band, Dancing & Prizes**

**Lunch & Bar Facilities:**

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