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NEWSLETTER

*News from the Gawler Country Music Club Inc.*

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#### EDITORS NOTES !!!

The Festival is over for another year. It was a lot of hard work but the 'Feed Back' we received proved it was a great success.

Our visitors from Mildura were full of praise for the way they were received and for their accommodation. Thanks to all concerned for looking after that part of the festival.

A special thanks to Julie and Margaret for taking care of the refreshments at the talent show and also the supper after the Saturday night Concert. Our club stall on the racecourse was Manned (or should I say Womaned) by four eager volunteers. who not only sold the cakes, etc. but also made them, for the benefit of the Gawler Country Music Club. So Thank you to

BERYL DEAN

IRENE, VICTOR JORDAN

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Under command of Girl Guide Leader Marion Northcott.

Interest is already being shown in next years Festival with a number of businesses wanting to become involved. After Christmas your committee will sit down and start planning the coming year. If any of our members have comments to make regarding not only our last festival but also the next one, please put it in writing and pass it on at our next show or early in the new year.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank our Main Sponser for the last 2 years. Brenton and Debbie Dennis of FOODTOWN 45 Peachey Rd Davoren Park

Without their support these last two Festivals would not have been possible.

Next year their support will be given to The Country Music Federation so we wish the C.M.F. all the best for the New year. This will certainly give the club a boost.

Also to Neil Dennis for all the work he did in the early stage towards the organising of our Festival, he was a tireless worker who gives more than a 100% to the task at hand. Neil has moved on to the Country Music Federation and is helping to promote their shows.

Borrowed from "the Stock  
Journal"  
With Thanks to Wally Sparrow.

## Gawler Festival

**I** MUST congratulate the folk at the Gawler Country Music Club for having run a good tight little festival. I really enjoyed it!

The thing I liked about it was that it featured a lot of young local talent who certainly held their own against the professionals. I was invited to help judge the talent quest and I must say I was surprised at the amount of exciting new talent that turned up there, which is good as I was starting to worry about the lack of depth in our younger ranks.

Major guests Mitchell Shadlow, Dwayne Elix, JR Williams and Katherine Pitt all turned in superb performances, but the real surprise package was Norm Koch. Norm was the faithful stalwart on the TV series Country and Western Hour which went off air before a lot of younger artists were born.

Norm is getting a little old and battle scarred now but he put in the performance of his life and was certainly one of the most popular acts on the festival. Well done Normie!!

The big winner once again was Alison Hams from Whyalla, who will now retire from the talent quest circuit and concentrate on her professional career. Alison won the song-writing, female vocal, senior gospel and came second with Tammi Paterson in the duet. Well done Alison!

CJ Jocomas won the male vocal, came second in the golden oldies and third in the senior gospel. Lisa Redpath put in a very credible performance to win the 12 years and under; Jodie Thomas won the 13 to 16 years; and Angela Easson won the Junior Gospel.

Lisa, Jodi and Angela are three young ladies who will go a long way.

I heard a young lady called Lisa Janda who has the most amazing voice I have heard for years. Lisa won the Encouragement Award, good considering it was the first time she had sung a country song on stage.

Mark Lisa's name down! Don't

Some of the bands being booked for next year:  
January: Heart Land.  
February: Blue Velvet.  
March: Graham Hugo and Iron Bark.  
April: The Travelling Band.  
May: Key Country.  
June: Midnight Mountain Blue.

## BITS AND PIECES !!!!

Did you notice the Guitars fixed to the posts in Murra Street?

We would like to thank MERLE ROGERS for making them and also for the two banners, one at each end of the street. The banners were from the First Gawler Country Music Festival, The banners that have been used other years have been lost and we were unable to find them, so thank you to MERLE for coming to our aid.

The Festival Caberet night Raffle winners are:

Maggie Smith,  
Jordan Stirling,  
Eddie McIntyre.

Nearest to the bottle winners.

Jeff Lind: a bottle of BRANDY,  
Brenton Fraser: a bottle of whiskey,  
Winner of the child's Mountain bike,  
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David Ahrens of 16 May Court Evanston.

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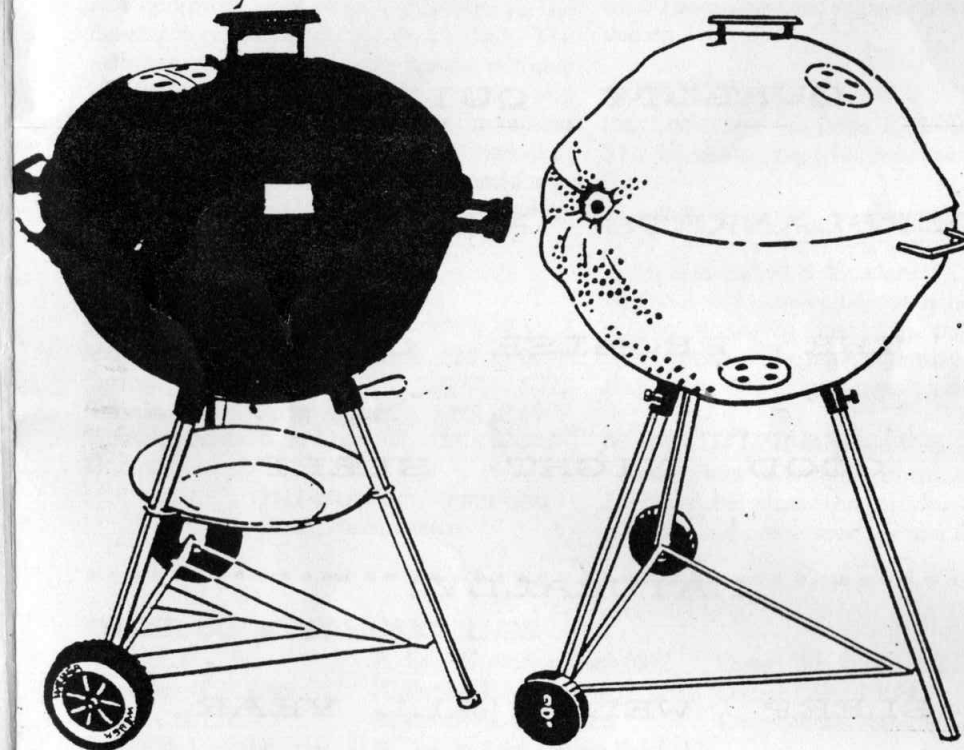
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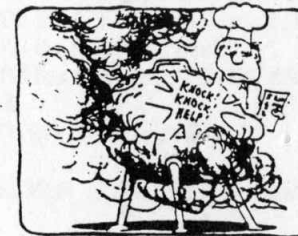


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### THE GAWLER COUNTRY MUSIC CLUB

is a non-profit organisation dedicated to the development of all types of country music. The activities of the club include regular monthly meetings/shows, providing opportunity and encouragement to amateur artists; organising annually the Gawler Country Music Festival in November; producing this newsletter and showing support for all other SA country music clubs.

Annual subscription fees are \$12.00 general, \$6.00 pensioners and students. All renewals are due on 1st April.

**ADVERTISING** is available in the newsletter. Costs are: full page \$20.00, half page \$10.00, quarter page (or business card) \$5.00.

The club newsletter is a monthly publication which keeps members informed of the activities of the club and other functions.

Opinions and views expressed in this newsletter are not necessarily those of the publishers.

Spare copies of the newsletter may be obtained at club functions or by contacting the Secretary.

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