

# Playford Country Music Club Inc.



‘Keep it Country’

## Club Newsletter

November / December 2025 Issue 52



**Playford Country Music Club Inc**

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**Playford Country  
Music Club Inc**

Proudly Presents  
on

**Sunday 18 Jan 2026**

**12 - 4pm**

# Key Country plus Christine Clifford



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**Playford Country Music Club**

Uley Road Hall, Elizabeth Downs

(Entry via Forrestall Road)

Entry: Members - \$10.00, Non Members - \$12.00

Tea and Coffee - \$1.00 Food and drinks available

Walkups Welcome

Contact Keith Warren for enquiries 0413 872 425

# **Presidents Report**

for November and December 2025

Hello Members and Friends,

Well, our November show with the Jukebox Boys was a great day. Great numbers through the door ready to party.

The Jukebox Boys didn't let them down with great music all afternoon.

We also had our largest ever show of line dancers on the floor, I counted 45 line dancers doing what they do best. It was a great day. Well done to the Jukebox Boys.

Moving onto our December show.

Attendance was down considerably due to so much going on that weekend, but the entertainment was excellent. Tru Country played great music all afternoon and were supported by guest artist Murray Mac who was also well received. Well done to both Tru Country and Murray Mac. We had a great day.

Newsletters:

If you have requested to pick up your newsletter at our monthly club show, Please, make the effort to do so. Postage is not an option if you nominated to pick it up. Beth does a great job in producing it, so at least pick it up to read.

Moving onto 2026, our January show will be with Key Country supported by guest artist Christine Clifford which promises to be another great day in the making.

On behalf of your committee we would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous 2026.

So until we see you at our January show. Keep it Country!

Kind Regards,  
Keith Warren  
President / Entertainment Officer

# Disclaimer

The Playford Country Music Club Inc. Newsletter is a Bi-monthly publication on the activities of the club and other functions.

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# Happy New Year To all of our Members!



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All members who attend our monthly show go into the draw  
for a \$25 voucher which can be used at ANY KFC outlet.

## **November Winners are Grinners**

### **KFC Members Draw**

Steve McVie #107

### **Door Prize**

Patricia

### **Monte Carlo Winners**

Gloria & Bob Neindorf

## **November Lucky Square Winners**

Lyn A, Paul B, Vicki R, Allan S, Jodie, Ashley.

## **November Raffle Winners**

Judy, Barbara, Kellie, Polly, Annie, Jim, Peter, Don, Deane, Charmine, Bron, Dawn, James.

## **November Foodland Meat Tray Winners**

Kath, Matt, Kevin, Min.

## **January Birthdays**

Janice C, Carol L, Bernie J, Brenda B, Josie W, Helen W, Brian M, Vicki S, Maurice F, Margaret McD, Teresita M, Marlene W, Pauline B, Linda F, Joan S.

## **December Winners are Grinners**

### **KFC Members Draw**

Pam Gotch #64

### **Door Prize**

Barbara

### **Monte Carlo Winners**

Tina C & Chelsea C

## **December Lucky Square Winners**

Salina, Kelvin W. Jan Clarkin, Sue M, Judy F, Teresita M.

## **December Raffle Winners**

Kelvin W, Barbara, Mary, Vicki, Joan, Rofwena, Deane, Sandra, Kath, Ian J, Judy, Vickie, Ros, Kelvin W. Catherine, Barbara.

## **December Foodland Meat Tray Winners**

Min C, Beth H, Ian J, D Rankin.

## **February Birthdays**

Lorraine H, Rhonda W, Holger P, Barbara Bakkel, Kevin P, Rosemary S, Margaret K, Joan G, Fred H, Graeme H, Janet P, Joe K, Robert B.

# Spotlight on Life Member

## Fred Hugo

Fred Hugo was born in Whyalla Norrie where he lived until the age of 16. Fred left home to travel around Australia for approximately 1 year, during which time he visited most of the capital areas.

It was during this time he discovered his lifelong love of Country Music. Fred says he loves country music because it tells a story.

Due to a medical condition from birth, Fred was unable to participate in full time employment, although he did for a couple of years work in the paint shop at Holdens factory, Elizabeth.

Fred has lived in the Elizabeth area since about the age of 17 years.

He has been a member of both the Adelaide County Music Club and the Original Gawler Country Music Club, continuing his membership when it became Playford Country Music Club.

Fred served on the Committee of Playford Country Music club until he unfortunately lost a leg due to medical reasons. He does however attend each month and looks forward to the day he can once again become a serving committee member.

I asked Fred if he had ever met any noteworthy Country Music artists, he is a cousin to Graham Hugo, a relationship of which he is very proud.

He has also had the pleasure of meeting up with Adam Bran, Adam Harvey, Beccy Cole, Troy Cassar-Daley, plus others whose names at the time of speaking he couldn't recall.

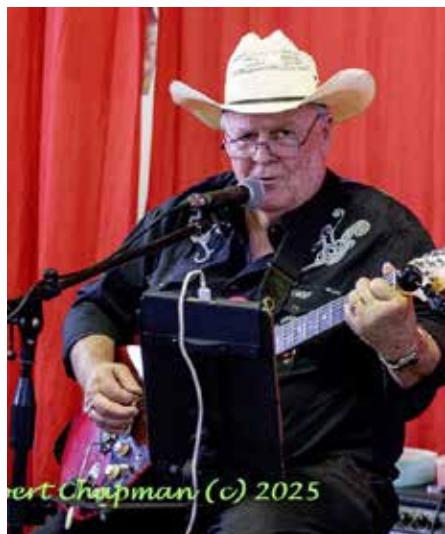
One of Freds passions in life is selling the badges for Anzac and Remembrance Day, raising funds for the RSL. From what I've heard, he is very successful at his badge selling endeavours thus raising much needed funds.

Fred is very proud of his lifetime membership of Playford Country Music Club Inc. and plans on remaining a devoted lover of Country Music for the rest of his life.



November Show Photo's  
Courtesy of Robert Chapman

# Jukebox Boys



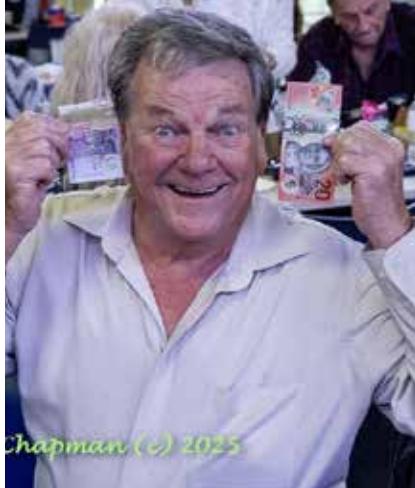
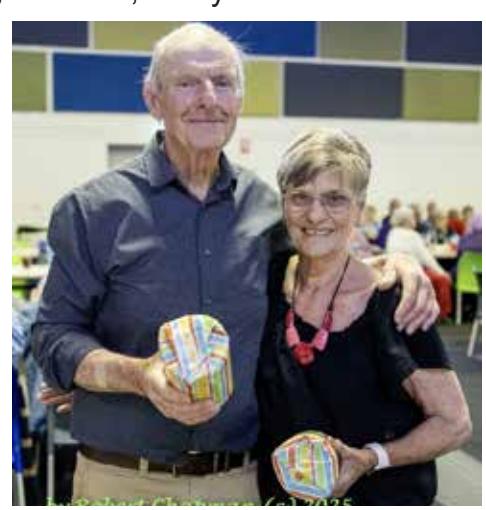
A whole heap of lovely line dancers all set to go.



## November Show Photo's Courtesy of Robert Chapman

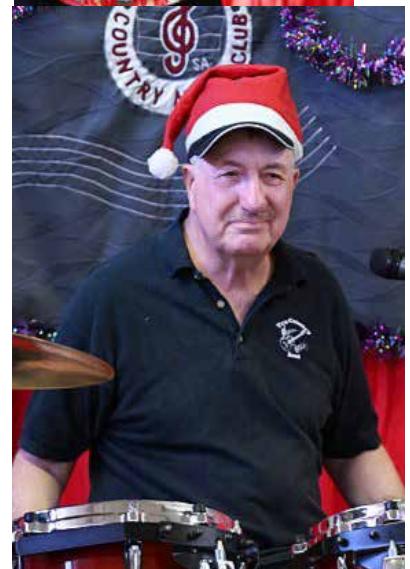
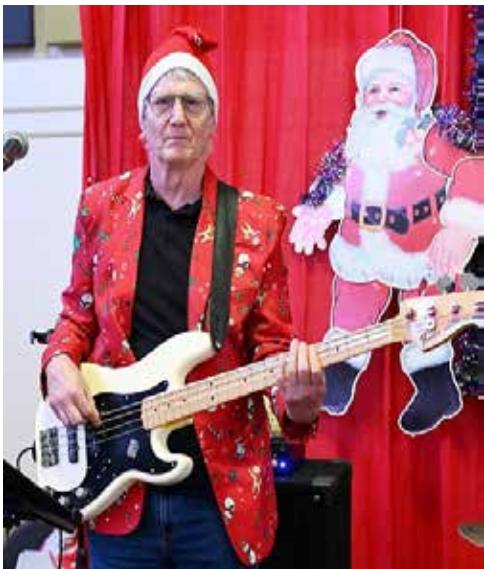


Winners, Winners, and yet more Winners!



December Show  
Photo's Coursey of Ian Fisk

# Tru Country & Murray Mac



Step up Singer



Monte Carlo Winners

December Show  
Photo's Coursey of Ian Fisk



Some more lucky winners!



# FIONA'S TUCKERBOX

## NOVEMBER SHOW.

G'day friends, I can't believe we are in November and the weather is still cold. Hopefully warmer weather is around the corner. The kitchen at the club is always warm because the oven is on cooking all your delicious foods. The quiche was a hit this month! I used a whopping 8 and a half dozen eggs for this month's menu. I have included my recipe for the Blueberry pancake casserole in this newsletter,. I hope you enjoy it.

## DECEMBER SHOW.

Well, by the time you read this, Christmas would have been and gone! So, I hope you all had a fantastic time, with whatever you did to celebrate. My Christmas day revolves around more cooking. My family, friends and neighbours all come to my place and we cook up a feast. It is quite apparent that I simply love cooking for people.

I really enjoyed giving out our little Christmas gifts to you all this month and loved the converstions I had with some of you. I know I am usually confined to the kitchen but I wanted to thank you all for your continued support this year by giving you a small treat. Thank you, for all our christmas cards, gifts and well wishes we received this month. It is really lovely knowing we are in your thoughts.

Onto 2026! We will be back in January to start another year again. So until then, I hope you stay happy and healthy.

Regards Fiona (Matthew, Michael, Anthony and Victoria)

## BLUEBERRY PANCAKE CASSEROLE

This one was made out of pure desperation of not wanting to waste so much food. I was given a heap of pancakes from a local bakery and after giving over half away to family and friends I was still left with about 100 pancakes. I hate wasting food, so I popped them in the freezer with the intentions of making a dessert for the catering thing I do for Playford Country Music club. It was surprisingly delightful and well received. Here's what I came up with.

20 (10cm) pancakes (approximately) homemade or store bought

7 eggs

3 cups milk

1 tbsp vanilla essence

½ cup brown sugar

½ teaspoon cinnamon

2 cups of blueberries (I used frozen ones)

½ cup maple syrup

Icing sugar to sprinkle

Grease a 30cm x 22cm casserole dish. I used spray oil. Cut all the pancakes in half and put your first layer on the base of the dish.

Cut the blueberries in half (I do this to make the berries stretch further but this step is optional) put a half a cup of berries over the pancakes and drizzle with a portion of the maple syrup. Add another layer of pancakes, blueberries and maple syrup (Try to cover any gaps with each layer you do. Repeat this until all the pancakes and berries are used (or you've run out of space 😊😊) I managed 4 layers but it will depend on how deep your dish is)

In a large bowl, whisk the eggs. Now add the milk, sugar, vanilla and cinnamon and combine with the whisk.

Carefully pour this mixture over the pancakes, and allow it to soak through. Add the remaining blueberries to the top and cover with foil. Place in the fridge for at least 4 hours. When you're ready to cook the dessert, heat the oven to 180°C. Cook for 25 minutes with the foil on. Then remove the foil and cook for another 25 minutes or until its crisp and slightly browned. Sprinkle with icing sugar.

I served this with icecream but it can also be served with custard or whipped cream.



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# FIONA'S MENUS

## JANUARY 2026 MENU

**ASSORTED SANDWICHES \$6  
each**

**Ham or Chicken with Cheese,  
Salad & Mayonnaise.**

**\*Egg/Lettuce/Mayo (Subject to  
availability)**

**MAIN MEALS \$12 each  
(12-12.30pm)**

**\* Beef Sausages with Potato bake  
and Salad**

**OR**

**\* Fish with Chips and Salad**

**DESSERT \$4 each  
(1pm until sold)**

**\*Home made  
Chocolate Mousse**

**OR**

**\*Jelly, Fruit  
and Icecream**

**ASSORTED SLICED  
CAKES AND  
BISCUITS \$2 each**

# FIONA'S MENUS

## FEBRUARY 2026 MENU

### ASSORTED SANDWICHES

\$6 each

**Ham or Chicken with Cheese,  
Salad & Mayonnaise**

**\*Egg/Lettuce/Mayo (Subject to  
availability)**

**MAIN MEALS \$12 each  
(12-12.30pm)**

**\* Fish, Chips and Salad  
OR**

**\* Chicken Schnitzel  
with Chips and Salad**

**DESSERT \$4 each (1pm until sold)**

**\*Home made  
Lemon Cheesecake  
OR**

**\*Jelly, Fruit  
and Icecream**

**ASSORTED SLICED CAKES AND  
BISCUITS \$2 each**

# Gig Guide January 2026

Every Mon 8-9pm	ThreeD Hillbilly Hoot live or listen on air or on line! Facebook Page	Linde Reserve, Nelson Street, Stepney
1st, 3rd and 5th Sat 7pm to 10:30pm	Live Music and Dance 50s to 70s Music flyer	Kilburn Community Centre, 59 Gladstone Ave, Kilburn \$7pp
Every 2nd and 4th Sat 7:30 - 11pm	Adelaide Dance & Social Club, Country & 60/40 Music for Dancing - Various bands	Kilburn R.S.L., Way Street, Kilburn
Sat before club day 11am to 4:30pm	Playford CM Club Open Mike Everyone's welcome! We look forward to seeing you on Saturday prior to the Club day. - Entry \$4.00 per person for all attending Tea, Coffee provided.	Playford CM Club, Uley Road Hall, Elizabeth Downs entry off Forrestall Rd

**Note the January 17, 2026 open mike will be the last one.**

Thur 1 10am	Bluegrass Pick in the Park	Bonython Park, Adelaide
Sun 4 12:30 - 4:30pm	Synergy (formerly known as Heartland) flyer note Ivy's Kitchen catering will not be available, but Toasties and nibbles will be available at the bar!	Adelaide CM Club Inc., The Brit Entertainment Centre, 11-15 Davis St,
Sun 4 11:30 - 4:30pm	Justin Standley with Highway One	Willaston CM Club, Gawler River Rd, Willaston
Sun 11 11am - 4pm	Buddies Four	Barossa CM Club, Nuriootpa Town Hall, Nuriootpa
Sun 11 12:30 - 5pm	Eddie Edwards and Friends with guest artist Cactus	Southern CM Club, Marion RSL, 31-39 Norfolk Rd, Marion
Sun 11 1:30 - 4:30pm	Justin Standley	NCMA Clubrooms, 28 Afford Road, Port Pirie @20pp
Mon 12 7pm	Justin Standley	Moonta Town Hall, Moonta
Sat 17 5 - 8pm	Megan Laurie	Coorong Cafe
Sun 18 12 Noon to 4pm	Key Country plus Christine Clifford	Playford CM Club, Uley Road Hall, Elizabeth Downs
Sat 24 7 - 10pm	Palomino Deluxe	McLaren Vale & Fleurieu Coast Visitors Centre \$20pp bookings essential
Sun 25	Graeme Hugo & Workin' Overtime	Murray Bridge CM Club, Murray Bridge Imperial Football Club, Murray Bridge

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Sun 1 11:30am to 4:30pm	Graeme Hugo with Workin' Overtime	Willaston CM Club, Gawler River Rd, Willaston
Sun 1 12:30 - 4:30pm	Tracey Rains and Claypan	Adelaide CM Club Inc., The Brit Entertainment Centre, 11-15 Davis St,
Sat 7 1pm	Brian Letton & Dianne Coombes	Butter Factory, Milang
Sun 8 11am - 4pm	Polaris 71 Club's 35th Birthday	Barossa CM Club, Nuriootpa Town Hall, Nuriootpa
Sun 8 13:30 - 5pm	Mystic Blue	Southern CM Club, Marion RSL, 31-39 Norfolk Rd, Marion
Sun 8 2pm	Brian Letton & Dianne Coombes	NCMA Clubrooms, Port Pirie
Mon 9 7pm	Brian Letton & Dianne Coombes	Moonta Town Hall, Moonta
Fri 13 7:30pm	Brian Letton & Dianne Coombes	Bowling Club, Port Lincoln
Sun 15 12 Noon to 4pm	Eddie Edwards & Friends plus Chooka Williams	Playford CM Club, Uley Road Hall, Elizabeth Downs
Sun 15 1 - 4pm	Megan Laurie	Milang Butter Factory
Sun 15 2pm	Brian Letton & Dianne Coombes	Foreshore Hotel, Ceduna
Fri 20th - Sun 22nd	The Wolfe Brothers, Sandra Humphries, Don Costa, The Austins, Graeme Hugo, Peter Coad & The Coad Sisters, Rodney Vincent, Gavin Chandler, Heartland, Oz Quo, Runaway Dixie and The Jim Hermel Band	Lake Charlegrark Country Music Marathon, Lake Charlegrark, Vic
Sun 22 11am - 4pm	Polaris 71	Murray Bridge CM Club, Murray Bridge Imperial Football Club, Murray Bridge
Sun 22 1 - 5pm	Farinheight 451	Kilburn RSL, 2 Way St, Kilburn
Fri 27 7:30pm to 10:30pm	Palomino Deluxe Duo (Tim and Megan)	Down South Distillery

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**General Committee Members**

Karol Goodridge, Bernie James, Bob Huggins, Kevin Perry and Chris Scotland

Membership fees are due in May each year.

Annual Membership is \$10

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