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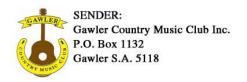
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Name: (Please Print)

DOB (Optional... Day and month only):

Address:		Suburb/Town:	Post Code:
Tel:	Mobile:	Annual Membership Fee: \$10.00	Memb. No. (For Office Use):
My Favourite Country Music Artists are:			
Do you sing or play a musical instrument?			
I agree to abide by the constitution and rules of the club: Signature			

Please send this form with your cheque or P.O. (Not Cash) to The Secretary at the above address



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Gawler Country **Music Club Inc** Newsletter

Gawler Country Music Club Inc. PO Box 1132 Gawler SA 5118

Gawler Country Music Club Inc. is a non profit organisation dedicated to the development of all styles of Country Music. The activities of the club include regular monthly meetings and shows; providing opportunity and encouragement to amateur artists; producing this newsletter and showing support for all other South Australian Country Music Clubs

Committee Members

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The Power of One!

In 1989 Australian Bryce Courtenay wrote the successful novel The Power of One! It became a world wide best seller to be followed by the movie of the same name which also achieved worldwide success.

'What does this have to do with **Country Music?**' one may ask....Well....to be honest.....absolutely nothing!

That is....apart from the fact that 'The Power of One' was written by an 'Australian' individual who shows an extraordinarily strong passion for his subject matter.

And in this month's Newsletter we pay tribute to another man of passion. An Aussie who lives locally... here in South Australia.

He has a passion for Australian Country Music; a passion for our Gawler Country Music Club and a strong passion to make our club as successful as it can be.

That man is Keith Warren, President of Gawler **Country Music Club.**

As a young child **Keith** lived in the 'country towns' of Burra and Lamaroo where he developed his liking for the music of Slim Dusty, Johnny Cash and Jim Reeves.

As a multi talented individual **Keith** would watch television with his earphones plugged into his radio to listen to **Country Music** and watch television at the same time. Not surprisingly, his lifetime music collection consists almost exclusively of Australian Country Music.

Keith joined Gawler Country Music Club in 1996 and become a committee member in 1997. Our Club President for the past 5 years, Keith coordinates all Club activities and events. He hires bands, raises funds and puts up with pressures from the clubs committee and 250 club members. No easy task.

Keith's wife Helen says 'Since our children married and left home, all of our holidays have been related to Country Music. We've been to Tamworth Festival twice, Mildura, Port Pirie, Barmara, Port Lincoln, Talem Bend, Murray Bridge and visited Kempsey **N.S.W.** to experience the environment in which Slim **Dusty** lived.

While there we met up with Slim's family, Joy McKeen and Anne Kirkpatrick.

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Keith Warren

We used to visit many other Country Music Clubs, but nowadays we don't seem to have the time.'

Club Members should know that raising funds for the club and the Slim Dusty Tribute Show has involved many hours of time and effort from Keith and his merry team of Sausage Sizzlers.

Without Keith's driving force and his ability to share and spread his enthusiasm, Gawler Country Music Club would not be as successful and dynamic as it is today.

Like many Aussie leaders, Keith has shown that he is a worthy team player and motivator. Always smiling, Always working... He keeps our club, our committee and our active club members united.

Recent achievements are without a doubt attributed to The Power of One...Our Club President Keith Warren.