

Goulbourn Male Chorus – Newsletter #3/17

Welcome Back!!!

Well it might not have been much of a summer, but it's going to be a cracker of a Fall, and we hope you are going to make the GMC part of your Fall program. And a big "welcome" to our new Music Director, Scott Auchinleck! We are looking forward to Scott "shaping" the chorus, and we hope we will all make great music together.

First Rehearsal:

Tuesday September 12th at 7pm SHARP at Trinity Presbyterian. We are going to try to start all rehearsals sharp at 7pm and so aim to arrive by 6.45pm to get caught up socially!!!

Board: Your new board is

President:	Gary Palmer	Vice- president:	Peter Fischer
Secretary:	John Hunter	Treasurer:	Doug Hall
Publicity:	Ian Glen	Past President:	Rory MacDiarmid (no vote)

Peter will also be responsible for recruiting and fund raising.

Rory is our Event Co-ordinator.

The Music Director is invited to any of the board meetings.

We have one vacancy on the board. Please consider stepping up to help run this organisation.

Artistic Committee: The Board and Scott have agreed that there is a role for an AC, and so this committee will be in place this session. The board will be approaching possible candidates for this committee.

Membership Fees: The Board has agreed to hold the membership fee for the 2017/8 session at \$200. This is payable *in full* before 10th October, if for no other reason than we have to purchase music at the beginning of the session. As those of you who attended the AGM are aware, the chorus is in need of fund raising to avoid a fee increase, and all members are invited to put some thought into revenue generating ideas as well as making an effort to sell tickets for our concerts.

Sing outs: Rory has already arranged sing outs for Tuesday November 14th and Nov 28th at places to be confirmed.

Xmas Concert: Please put these dates in your calendar now and avoid conflicting events:

Dress Rehearsal: Friday December 8th Xmas Concert Saturday December 9th.

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