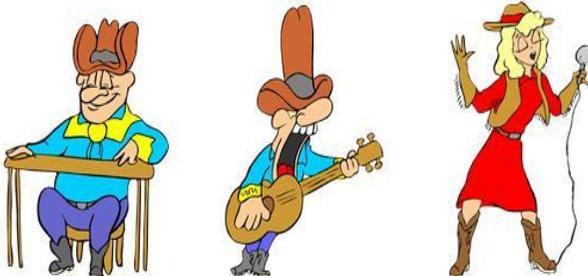




*Logan Beaudesert Country
Music Club
Newsletter January 2014*



*Monthly socials 4th Sunday of each
month*

From 12pm till 5pm

Beenleigh RSL

Bardyn Halliday Drive

Mt Warren Park

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MEMBERSHIP FEES

Single: \$12:00

Pensioner: \$ 6:00

Family: \$16:00

Pensioner Family: \$8:00

Club Diary 2014

<i>19th January</i>	<i>First social of the year.</i>
<i>26th January</i>	<i>“Australia Day” celebrations - Club Band “Lobeau” will be providing live music at Beenleigh RSL</i>
<i>22nd February</i>	<i>Monthly social</i>
<i>22nd March</i>	<i>Monthly social</i>
<i>26th April</i>	<i>Monthly social. Visit from Mullumbimby CMC</i>
<i>24th May</i>	<i>Monthly social</i>
<i>28th June</i>	<i>Monthly social</i>
<i>26th July</i>	<i>Monthly social</i>
<i>23rd August</i>	<i>Monthly social</i>
<i>27th September</i>	<i>Monthly social</i>
<i>25th October</i>	<i>Monthly social</i>
<i>22nd November</i>	<i>Monthly social</i>

No social December

President's Message

Happy New Year to all our members and friends, I hope you all had a great Christmas and are looking forward to 2014. We had a busy 2013 with our monthly socials, sausage sizzles, Woodhill State School events, House With No Steps, Crowson Lane Riders for the Disabled, Opal Gardens and of course our annual Roundup.

This year looks to be just as busy so keep your ears to the ground. As you will already know January sees our social being a week early on the 19th as the RSL is having an Australia day Event with the club band "Lobeau" being booked for the day.

"Lobeau" evolved during 2013 as a result of practice and performances throughout the year resulting in a band that can put on a good show and back other members and artists if required. Our intention is to keep our "Sunday Sessions" friendly and enjoyable helping everyone to put on their best performance. At our general meeting we decided to try and encourage our members to practice together in smaller groups by offering 30 minute slots throughout the year for any "Band/Group" that have practiced and are able to put on a "professional" show.

Let's all have great 2014 and see you there.

Mick Wood

President

Secretary's Message

Hi Members,

Well here we go, the first Newsletter and the first social for 2014. It seems just like yesterday that I was writing the last Newsletter of the year. I do hope you all had a good time with family and friends over the festive period and didn't eat or drink to excess.

On 7th December the Club played at Crowson Park RDA Xmas Party.. Many thanks to those that volunteered for this event.

Then on 16th December the club's Xmas party was held at Mick & Les's property near Jimboomba.

Many thanks guys for being wonderful hosts. It was a great night of music, song and food. Unfortunately the evening didn't end too well for Robyn as she tripped in the drive way and broke her foot so she ended the evening in the emergency ward of QE2

On 21st December the Club Band was asked to play at Opal Gardens over 50's resort at Logan Village "Betty." One of the residents celebrated her 90th year.

We are in the process of contacting other music clubs in the area inviting them to be our guests at one of this year's socials. We were contacted by the Mullumbimby CMC who expressed an interest in visiting us for the April social. They won't be playing but will bring 20+ in their bus who just wish to come along and listen to the performers and have an outing.

Unfortunately Billie Tadros is unable to be with us this Sunday but we do hope to have her visit us sometime soon. However, we are pleased to advise that we have been able to organise the NBL Country Music group to entertain us on the day. (Neville, Bill and Laurie). Thanks guys.

First social this year 19th January 2014

AS Mick has mentioned, we couldn't have our normal date(4th Sunday) for our social as the RSL has their own Australia Day celebration on the 26th January which would have been our normal date. Rather than cancel the January social we've decided to hold it on the previous week for this month only. We'll be back to the normal date of the 4th Sunday from February onwards.

Australia Day celebrations 26th January 2014

The Club Band LOBEAU has been booked to play at the Beenleigh RSL's Australia Day celebrations commencing at 11.00am. Members are welcome to come along to enjoy the day. Repeat NO SOCIAL or walkups ON THIS DATE

Our thoughts go out to Linda Hart who has recently undergone more surgery. We wish you well Linda and hope to see you back on the stage real soon. Also we send our best wishes for a speedy recovery to all our friends and members who are having health problems at the moment. (Hope to see Robyn jumping around too also once she gets the BOOT" off.

David Elsdon

Secretary

Gallery - November social





Member profile – Laurie Chamberland



- 1/ *When did you first play/sing in public?* Catholic Church hall, Nth Bondi 1969, 'House of the rising sun'
Played Bass.
- 2/ *Which singers/musicians were an influence on you.* Cliff Richard, Shadows, Buddy Holly, Eddie Cochrane, and all those other old rockers
- 3/ *If you could go back in time for one day, when and where would that be?* .April 2. 1961 The day the ship got to Sydney, from UK. 6 weeks, glad to see dry land.
- 4/ *If you could invite 3 people to have dinner with, who would they be?* Sister (UK), Brother (Tasmania) Cousin (Spain).
- 5/ *Have you met anyone famous.?* Billy Thorpe, Delltones, Chubby Checker, Del Shannon, Dawn Fraser, Shane Gould (Olympic swimmers), Marlene Matthews (Olympic Runner) and many more
- 6/ *If you could be granted 3 wishes, what would they be.?* Be healthy, be happy and have a dollar more than I can spend.

- 7/ *If you could go to any musical concert who would you like to hear.?* Eric Clapton, Albert Lee and the stars of Crossroads.
- 8/ *Where is your favourite place you have travelled to.?* Besides the UK.....Australia.
- 9/ *Did you have a nickname as a kid.?* Lolly, little friends couldn't pronounce Laurie, and a few unprintable ones.
- 10/ *When and where were you born.?* London, 1945 at a very early age.
- 11/ *What was your first job?* Apprentice Bricklayer
- 12/ *What is your most significant achievement as a performer?* After a 40 year break, playing at Tamworth 2013
- 13/ *What is your happiest memory.?* Getting Married
- 14/ *What is your proudest moment?* Have my two sons.
- 15/ *What are the main lessons you've learned in life.?* Don't upset the wife. Experience is something you get, the day after you need it.

Country Tracks Top 10 Saturday, 18 January 14

POS	LW	TI	HP	Track Title	Artist
1. *	2	10	1	IT'S ONLY COUNTRY	Lee Kernaghan
2. *	3	13	2	BEYOND THESE CITY LIGHTS	Jayne Denham/Shannon Noll
3. *	1	18	1x5	THERAPY	Dianna Corcoran
4. *	6	14	4	GIVE THE GIRL A SPANNER	Kate Cook
5. *	5	15	5x2	THE NEXT THING THAT YOU HEAR	Allan Caswell
6. *	7	10	6	FOOLISH THINGS	Amber Joy Poulton
7. *	9	12	7	DRINKS AFTER WORK	Toby Keith
8. *	8	12	8x2	BELIEVE	Aleyce Simmonds
9. *	10	9	9	WE WERE US	Keith Urban/Miranda Lambert
10.	4	15	2	HARDER TO TAME	McAlister Kemp

Monthly Funnies

An elderly man was stopped by the police around 2 AM and asked where he was going at that time of night. The man replied, "I'm on my way to a lecture about alcohol abuse and the effects it has on the human body, as well as smoking, and staying out late." The officer then asked, "Really? Who's giving that lecture at this time of night?" The man replied, "That would be my wife."



Scotsman Visits Canada A Scotsman moves to Canada and attends his first baseball game. The first batter approaches home plate, takes a few swings and then hits a double. Everyone is on their feet screaming "Run!" The next batter hits a single. The Scotsman listens as the crowd again cheers "RUN RUN!" The Scotsman is enjoying the game and begins screaming with the fans. The fifth batter comes up and four balls go by. The Umpire calls "Walk." The batter starts his slow trot to first base. The Scot stands up and screams, "Run ye lazy bastard, RUN!" The people around him begin laughing. Embarrassed, the Scot sits back down. A friendly fan notes the man's embarrassment, leans over and explains, "He can't run -- he's got four balls." The Scot stands up and screams, "Walk with pride, Laddie!"

DONT MESS WITH LITTLE OLD LADIES.

Peeing on the Flowers.

A little old lady was walking down the street dragging two large plastic garbage bags behind her. One of the bags was ripped and every once in a while a \$20 bill fell out onto the sidewalk. Noticing this, a policeman stopped her and said, "Ma'am, there are \$20 bills falling out of that bag." "Oh, really? Darn it!" said the little old lady. "I'd better go back and see if I can find them. Thanks for telling me, officer." "Well, now, not so fast," said the cop. "Where did you get all that money? You didn't steal it, did you?" "Oh, no, no", said the old lady. "You see, my backyard is next to a golf course. A lot of golfers come and pee through a knothole in my fence, right into my flower garden. It used to really tick me off... kills the flowers, you know. Then I thought, 'Why not make the best of it?' So, now, I stand behind the fence by the knothole, real quiet, with my hedge clippers and every time some guy sticks his thing through my fence, I grab hold of it and

say, 'OK, buddy! Give me \$20 or off it comes.' "That seems only fair," said the cop, laughing. "OK. Good luck! Oh, by the way, what's in the other bag?"

"Not everybody pays."

Only in Britain - Complaints to North Lanarkshire District Council

Extracts from letters written by council tenants:

1. It's the dogs mess that I find hard to swallow.
2. I want some repairs done to my cooker as it has backfired and burnt my knob off.
- 3.. I wish to complain that my father twisted his ankle very badly when he put his foot in the hole in his back passage.
4. Their 18 year old son is continually banging his balls against my fence.
5. I wish to report that tiles are missing from the outside toilet roof. I think it was bad wind the other day that blew them off.
- 6.. My lavatory seat is cracked, where do I stand?
7. I am writing on behalf of my sink, which is coming away from the wall.
8. Will you please send someone to mend the garden path. My wife tripped and fell on it yesterday and now she is pregnant.
9. I request permission to remove my drawers in the kitchen...
10. 50% of the walls are damp, 50% have crumbling plaster, and 50% are just plain filthy.
11. The next door neighbour has got this huge tool that vibrates the whole house and I just can't take it anymore.
12. The toilet is blocked and we cannot bath the children until it is cleared.
13. Will you please send a man to look at my water, it is a funny colour and not fit to drink.
14. Our lavatory seat is broken in half and now is in three pieces.
15. I want to complain about the farmer across the road. Every morning at 6am his cock wakes me up and it's now getting too much for me.
16. The man next door has a large erection in the back garden, which is unsightly and dangerous.
17. Our kitchen floor is damp. We have two children and would like a third, so please send someone round to do something about it.
18. I am a single woman living in a downstairs flat and would you please do something about the noise made by the man on top of me every night.
19. Please send a man with the right tool to finish the job and satisfy my wife..
20. I have had the clerk of works down on the floor six times but I still have no satisfaction.
21. This is to let you know that our lavatory seat is broke and we can't get BBC2.
22. My bush is really overgrown round the front and my back passage has fungus growing in it.

Guy feeling terrible and goes to the doctor. The doctor checks him over and says, 'Sorry, I have some bad news, you have Yellow 24, a really nasty virus.

It's called Yellow 24 because it turns your blood yellow and you usually only have 24 hours to live. There's no known cure so just go home and enjoy your final precious moments on earth... 'So he trudges home to his wife and breaks the news.

Distraught, she asks him to go to the bingo with her that evening as he's never been there with her before. They arrive at the bingo and with his first card he gets four corners and wins \$35. Then, with the same card, he gets a line and wins \$320. Then he gets the full house and wins \$5000.

Then the National Game comes up and he wins that too getting \$780,000.

The bingo caller gets him up on stage and says,

'Son, I've been here 20 years and I've never seen anyone win four corners, a line, the full-house and the national game on the same card.

You must be the luckiest bastard on Earth!

'Lucky?' he screamed. 'Lucky? I'll have you know I've got Yellow 24'.

'Bugger me,' says the bingo caller. 'You've won the meat raffle as well !!!

CMAA Country Music Awards of Australia

1986

APRA Song of the year: - The Garden – Allan Caswell

Male Artist of the Year: - You And My Guitar – John Williamson

Female Artist of the Year: - You Remind Me Of A Love Song – Patsy Riggier

Vocal Group or Duo: - Diamond Creek – The Flying Emus

Best New Talent: - Landed On My Feet – Great Drive

Top Selling Single: - Yodelling Man – Roger Tibbs

Album of the Year: - Road Through The Heart – John Williamson

Instrumental Track of the Year: - Look Out Below – The Flying Emus

CLUB DATES

1st Saturday

Redlands – 6pm Pinklands Sports Reserve Cleveland - Redland Bay Road

Thornlands Dehelia Brown 3829 2759 0409 430 211

1st Sunday

Gold Coast Mudgeeraba Showgrounds Cnr Mudgeeraba Rd & Worongary 11.00am – 6pm Tony 5552 4200
0423 770 298

2nd Saturday and 4th Sunday

Blue Denim CMC Progress Hall Cornelius St Clontarf. Saturday 7.00pm. Sunday 1.30pm 07 3284 1083

2nd Sunday and 3rd Saturday

Twin Rivers – Oliver Sports Complex Logan Street Eagleby. Sunday 12.00pm to 6pm. Saturday 7.00pm till late

3rd Friday

West Moreton CMA Ipswich Showgrounds 7.00pm. Laurie Burrows 07 3201 0295

3rd Sunday and 4th Friday

Redcliffe CMC Sunday 1.00pm Friday 7.00pm Redcliff Showgrounds. Trudi Brewer 07 3284 7609

3rd Sunday

Guanaba The Fire Station Heritage Park 193, Rifle Range Rd Pimpama 12.00pm to 6.00pm Dave
Mazzer 5597 5470

4th Sunday

Smokehouse Coolangatta Tweed Golf Club 1.00pm to 5.00pm 5590 4465

New Members:- None

Birthdays – January/February 2014

January 2 Taare Wallace

February 7 Lorraine Hartley

February 2 Irene Wilson

February 24 Marilyn Sergeant

Guidelines For on Stage Performers/Band Members

In order to ensure a smooth and enjoyable day, the following guidelines must be followed.

Club's Monthly Social

- *If you wish to sing (perform) you need to supply 3 copies of chord charts to the band. You also need to register on the day with the stage co-ordinator.*
- *The stage co-ordinator will arrange the order of appearance. This usually corresponds to order of arrival/registration.*
 - *Stage co-ordinator to arrange backing band / bands.*
- *Backing band to be financial members. This can be varied to include members of other clubs if there are no club members available. This must be with the approval of the stage co-ordinator .*
 - *Visitors/members are welcome to request to play as a group.*
- *The Band :- give the band every opportunity to learn your music, so that they can do their best on performance day. Have your music ready, in the right key and written out clearly with no errors.*

Performances at other clubs or outside events

- *When representing the club as guests at other clubs or at special functions the following also applies.*
- *Preference will be given to financial members who have nominated our club as their primary or only club*
- *Potential band members wishing to perform as part of the club, will need to consult with the stage co-ordinator before being accepted.*
- *Practice with other band members will be arranged from time to time on an as needs basis*

In all instances the stage co-ordinator has the final decision regarding those performing on stage.

