

The Singing Snippets

Reflecting on 2025

Our August concert

'Songs from Elton, Billy and Friends' featured a lively celebration of all-time favourites such as *Circle of Life*, *River of Dreams* and *Piano Man*. Despite clashes with the nearby footy match, we had a full house and the audience were delighted with our performance and the scrumptious afternoon tea. It was the last concert with accompanist Amanda before her move to Melbourne.

Community Singing

Carols

We were invited to sing carols at different street venues in the city throughout December. We nominated to sing on Saturdays so that our working members could participate. It's fun seeing the public enjoying our song and gratefully taking a break from their hectic Christmas shopping.

We also sang at the Lenah Valley Carols with hundreds of excited children joining in.



Anzac Dawn Service 26

Our singing enhanced the significance of the commemoration as we sang *Advance Australia Fair* and *Abide With Me* at the Dawn Service in Woodbridge. Later we tucked in to some enormous pancakes in the school hall.



Social

We discover many hidden talents of choir members and exciting life experiences over regular counter tea.

Bunnings Barbeque continues to be our only fundraiser and another chance to chat with our fellow members and the public.

We had rehearsal for Carols as well as Karaoke on our final 2025 night !



The joy of singing

New Accompanist

At our next concert you will meet our new extraordinary accompanist Di Jones. She has more than 45 years' experience as an accompanist, répétiteur, musical director and associate artist, performing with soloists, theatre groups, choirs and ensembles in both professional and community settings.

Following her early studies at the Newcastle Conservatorium, Di has since achieved her LMusA in Piano, further strengthening her lifelong commitment to musical excellence.

After relocating from NSW to Hobart five years ago, she continues to share her passion for collaborative music-making with new audiences and musical communities, and is very much enjoying her time with the Tasmanian Song Company.

We are so privileged to have Di who fits in with our crazy humour but guides us to sing with accuracy! No small feat!



Di and Suze make a good team.

Our Next Concert in July

'Australian Made'

We are flying the flag for Australian composers and writers Tim Minchin, Paul Kelly and Peter Allen and Neil Murray. You'll hear some songs from **Matilda The Musical** and favourites such as **You're The Voice**, **Tenterfield Saddler** and **My Island Home**.

July 19th 2.30- 4.30pm
Clarence Uniting Church,

Cnr. York St and Cambridge Road, Bellerive

Adults \$25 – includes scrumptious afternoon tea

Children \$10

Children Under 5 – free

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For your Diary

Come and enjoy a succulent sausage at our next Bunnings Sausage Sizzle fundraiser in Glenorchy on Sunday 13th September.

Concert- Sunday 15th November
Clarence Uniting Church