



# StageWrite

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LATROBE THEATRE COMPANY INC.

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## Ceiri's Capers

As the end of the year draws near it is good to reflect on what we as a company have achieved over the last twelve months. Some that come to mind are: increase in youth memberships, change of venue for large musicals, lobbying for a quality Performing Arts and Convention Centre in Latrobe City, increase in number of sponsors and the introduction of a LTC Performing Group.

Keep up the good work everyone. Any ideas or comments that you feel will improve the service we offer will be welcomed by myself, **Kate Dougan** or can be e-mailed to *StageWrite* at [stagewite@latrobetheatrecompany.org](mailto:stagewite@latrobetheatrecompany.org).

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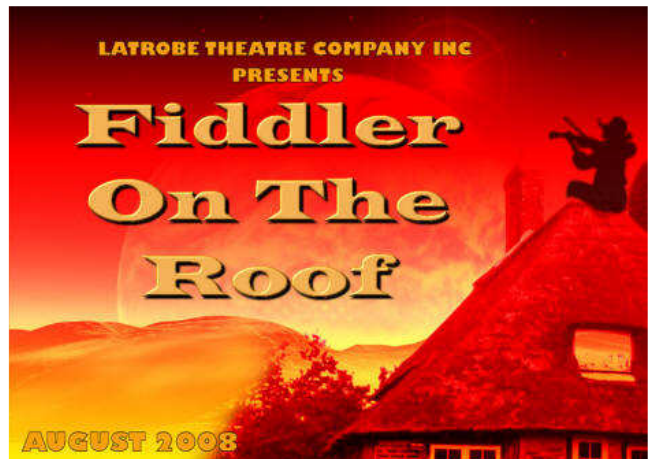
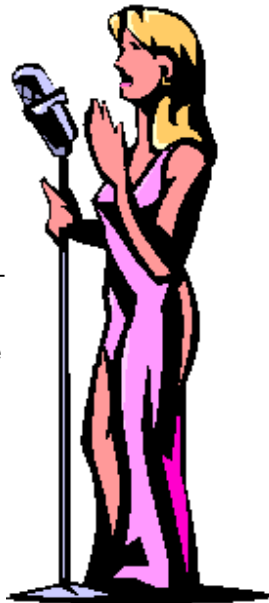
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## Our Best Bits

Information Day for *Our Best Bits* was on Sunday 28th at 2.00pm at "The Wings", Ronald Reserve Hall, Morwell.

Auditions will be held on Saturday 3/11 between 10.00am - 4.00pm & Sunday 4/11 between 11.00am - 6.00pm. Please contact **Christine Skicko** on 0411047759 if there are any queries or still wish to book an audition time.

The Production Team have decided on a Theatre Restaurant style show which will be held at a number of venues in Latrobe City and these will be confirmed in the near future.



Individual applications addressing the selection criteria are called for the following positions:

- *Production Manager*
- *Director*
- *Musical Director*
- *Choreographer*

Contact **Kate Dougan** 5126 1063 b/h; 0407544939 or [cdougan@sale.catholic.org.au](mailto:cdougan@sale.catholic.org.au) for selection criteria. Applications must be received no later than 5pm on Friday 9th November 2007.

This show will be performed at the Warragul Arts Centre from Friday 22/08 - Saturday 30/08. Ticket prices are: Adults - \$30, Concession - \$28, Groups of 10 or more - \$27, Family (2 adults, 2 conc or 1 adult, 3 conc) - \$95, Friends of WGAC - \$25. Tickets are available by calling the Box Office on 5624 2456.

## The Hills Are Aliiiiiive...

Come along to *The Sound of Music* sing-a-long night, to be held at "The Wings" on Saturday the 17th November. Come dressed as your favourite character and sing along with the movie starring Julie Andrews. BBQ will start at 6.00pm and movie at 7.30pm. BYO meat, drinks & nibbles.

## New Performing Arts Centre

Work towards getting a new Performing Arts Centre in the Latrobe Valley is going very well so far. True, we are still very much in the early stages of this extra-important project, but the early signs are that things might just go our way. Discussions and meetings are being held with Russell Northe and others, an article recently appeared in the Traralgon Journal – you can almost see the new theatre!

Petitions have been sighted in many places around the Valley (including in the current performing arts centre at the recent eisteddfod) thanks to those members spreading them around, and we have already had several sheets returned, giving us many signatures. We still have yet to reach our target, so keep those petitions going. If you need any more copies you will find them on our website or contact **Kate Dougan** on 51277036. When forms are completed send to address at the bottom of the petition.

Things are progressing, but we still have a long way to go. Anybody wishing to offer their services and help are encouraged to contact the company. Let's make a new theatre a reality!

## GAT Awards:

Our "Night Among the Stars" is to be held at the Moe Town Hall on Saturday 8th December. It will be a "Black and Silver" theme so get out there, raid the Op shops, use your imagination with things already purchased and if that doesn't suit, accessorize, accessorize, accessorize! **Latrobe Theatre Company** will be your hosts for the evening so come to be entertained and enjoy a sophisticated evening among the stars.

## Birthdays

Annette O'Shea	Sue McLaren
Louise Cherry	Georgia Moore
Judy Degnan	Trevor Robinson
Keith Gibson-Williamson	Janne Speirs
John Hall	Jan Inglis
Les Hunt	Rebekah Symons

Hope you all had an absolutely terrific day!

## WANTED - A FUTURE SHOW!

We're still open to suggestions for what shows you think **Latrobe Theatre Company** should do for our productions when we're finished with *Our Best Bits* and *Fiddler On The Roof*. Should we do something modern, or dip into the classics? Operettas or operas? Comedy, drama, tragedy, or even Disney? We want to know what you want to do, so let us know! E-mail your suggestions to [stagewrite@latrobetheatrecompany.org](mailto:stagewrite@latrobetheatrecompany.org) and we'll make sure your suggestions get heard!



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**"The hills are aliiiiive..."**

# **The Sound of Music**

## **Sing-A-Long**

Come along dressed as your favourite characters, for a BBQ and sing along with the movie starring Julie Andrews! Prizes will be given out for the best costumes, and it's a great chance to catch up with old friends!

**DATE: Saturday November 17th**

**PLACE: The Wings**

**TIME: BBQ starting at 6:00 PM**

**Movie and singing at 7:30**

**BYO: BBQ food, Drinks and Nibbles**

**ALL AGES WELCOME**