L.V COUNTRY LINE DANCERS

Well, the first three months were fairly hectic....and the last three months haven't slowed down much.

Our new Beginners Course for this year is now 5 months in and have settled into their course beautifully. They are doing so well and have just had their first big social "Beginners/Improvers Mid Year Ball" and boy...they owned it. It was such a wonderful day:)

Our other themed social these last few months was our "Op Shop All Colour Social. Check out the photos and see what a great day this was. There certainly were some beautiful coloured fashion statements:)

This social was probably the most chaotic social I had ever run, with the rough start we had regarding our starting times and the floor and also getting the huge amount of plants/books/clothes ready for the fundraiser. But all that chaos created a really mad fun day and boy....did we raise some money.

Last night, nearly 30 of us mosied down to the Victorian Line Dance Association 27th Annual Gala Ball. This ball is always held on the last Saturday of June and for the past few years, it has been held at Springers, Keysborough. This is a huge event and brings Line Dancers from all over Victoria and Interstate together to do what we do best, Dance, Socialise and have fun. I believe last night was around the 650 dancers and to see them all on the floor together is lovely. This year we had Ashleigh Dallas from Tamworth singing for us again and Maddison Glover doing the Line Dance workshop before the social commencing. This is a wonderful event so pop the date in the diary for next year if you would like to join us:)

We have been working continuously throughout the year towards our Lifeline Gippsland Fundraiser but over the next few months, we will be stepping it up towards our next two big events. The first is our Mad Camp at Wootton Lodge Coongulla, August 28th - 31st. This will be an absolutely fun-filled few days of campfires, a variety of dance styles, singing, hoedown and lots more. See Leanne Wangman or myself to book as numbers are limited. Leanne is currently working on the program and it will gradually come out as more entertainment is confirmed.

Tickets for our 2-Day Event will be available soon and this is a prepaid/prebooking event as numbers are limited on both days. Check out our ad in this newsletter for all the details. This is a wonderful weekend and we finalise our tally for the year. Lifeline Gippsland has become very close to our hearts and we can be very proud of ourselves that our money raised is going to a very worthwhile cause.

Well, we certainly have done quite a bit already this year, but still lots more to come:) Check out our diary for all our upcoming events and we will see you all in class next week.

OP SHOP ALL COLOURS SOCIAL MAY 5TH

Our Op Shop All Colours Social...Well what can I say. This social was one of our craziest socials right from the get-go. With our late start, crazy colours, massive amount of plants and a full floor...it was alot of fun. We raised....Raffle \$651 / Donations \$25 / Plant Sale \$460 / Books & Clothes \$39 and Karen Fenech's beautiful rugs \$300.....What a day \$1475:)

Check out our facebook page for more photos



HOLIDAYS

No Class

Monday 25th

August

through to

September 2nd



Sunday Newborough Socials July 14th / August 11th / September 8th

Newborough Public Hall \$15

Beginners/Improvers 11.00 a.m. - 1.45 p.m.

Split Floors commence at 11.30 a.m - 1.45 p.m.

1.45 - 2.15 Supper and Raffles

Easy Intermediate - Intermediate 2.15 p.m. - 4.30 p.m

Come along for a great afternoon of dancing and fun

Coffee and Tea Supplied / Please bring a plate to share

Please bring a pressie for our raffle table - Lifeline Gippsland

Fundraiser



BEGINNERS/IMPROVERS MID YEAR BALL

What an amazing day Our Mid Year Beginners/Improvers Mid Year Ball turned out to be. The whole day was just buzzing with fun. Thank you to everyone for coming along to this day and making it such a huge success. This day was put on not only to introduce our beginners to the Social side of line dancing but also to add some more funds to our Lifeline Gippsland Fundraiser. And boy did that happen:)

Door and Paffle \$1585 / Gift Boy \$142 / Lucky Number \$97 / Donations \$33



BEGINNERS/IMPROVERS MID YEAR BALL





Proposed Diary for 2024.

Changes may occur due to unforeseen circumstances

Some themes still to be decided

Classes resume week commencing 9th January

All Class Australia P Get-Together Inform Spannam. – 1 p.m.

February

2024 Raw Beginners Class Commence Thursday 1st Heyfield Friday 2nd Newborough

11th Newborough Commined Classes Social There: Value Les Re

23rd/24 Stephen Paterson / Heather Barton @ Mitcham

March

2nd Damian Mullin @ The Italian Australian Sporting Club Fundraiser for Gippsland Lifeline

3rd Newborough Combined Classes Theme: Mad Hatters Togarty

8th – 10th Portagon on Weekend

24th Hey. eg/Imp/Easy

29th VLDA Good Friday Appeal

NO CLASSES FROM THE 29TH MARCH TO THE 8TH APRIL

April

CLASS RESUMES TUESDAY 9TH

14th Newborough Commed Classes Social

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25th NO THURSDAY CLASS ANZAC DAY

May

5TH Newborough Combined Classes Social



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9th Newborough Combined Classes Social

23rd Newborough Beginny (Improvers Ball VENUE OF Fund is respectively a significant of the control of the con

29th VLDA Ball – Tickets booked Through Linda – Theme – Black, White, Grey

July

14th Newborough Combined Classes Social

August

11th Newborough Combined Classes Social

NO CLASSES FROM 25TH
AUGUST TO THE 2ND
SEPTEMBER

September

CLASS RESUMES TUESDAY 3RD

8TH Newborough Combined Classes Social

21st / 22nd LIFELINE FUNDBAISER

October

13TH Newborough Combined Classes Social

19th Bendigo Weekend

November (

3rd Newborough Combined Classes Social (Note change of Date) **Belated Halloweer**

24th Heyfield Beg/Imp/Easy



December

1st Newborough Comp...ed Classes Social

5th Heyfield Christmas Breakup

6th Beginners/Improvers Christmas Breakup

11th Wednesday Combined Classes Christmas Breakup





Gippsland Lifeline Fundraiser Huge 2 Day Line Dance Event

SEPTEMBER 21ST AND 22ND NEWBOROUGH PUBLIC HALL THEME: BLUE AND

RAFFLES

Saturday 21st **Beginner - Easy Social** Midday - 4 p.m

Sunday 22nd Easy - Intermediate Social 11 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Numbers are capped so bookings are essential and tickets prepaid \$15 (Tickets on sale for students til Sept then open to outside classes)

Please bring a pressie for the raffle table and plate for shared supper

ATCH WORK QUILT LUCKY NUMBERS

Photo booth will be set up in the foyer

Let's get behind Gippsland Lifeline and help them do what they do best

Contact Linda Pink 0438275327 Idpink@bigpond.net.au



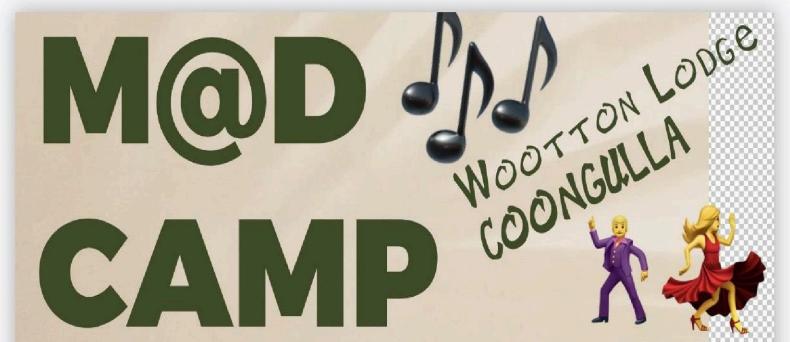
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VLDA ANNUAL 27TH GALA BALL



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AUGUST 28 - 31, 2024

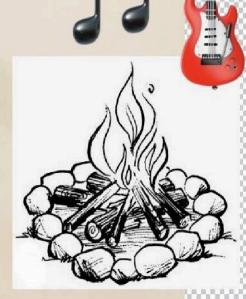
LV Country Line Dancers fundraiser for



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Bookings - Leanne 0422 916 463 Dietary - Heather 0429 451 332

Event - Linda 0438 275 327 LV Country Line Dancers



Arrive from 5pm Wednesday 28th to settle in and be ready for 4 nights, with 3 full on days of fun and activities from 7pm, continuing through to Saturday evening... departing at you leisure Sunday 1st morning

Whole camp stay - \$360 .. bottom bunk \$340 .. top bunk
Each cabin sleeps 8 (4 x single bunk beds) .. being all male / all female cabins
\$340 .. caravans, mobile homes, tents (no power/water hook up)
\$285 .. for 2nd person

Not staying on grounds .. \$85 full day visit, \$25 first evening ALL WHO ATTEND CAMP AT ANY TIME MUST BOOK BY 12th AUGUST

Costs cover all accommodation, activities, breakfast, m/tea, lunch, a/tea, dinner and supper



Dances Taught

RAW BEGINNERS

Hey Hoalina Won't You Dance With Me All Over The World Just Close Your Eyes Some Kind Of Wonderful Oh Girl **Good Feelings** The Morning After **Lucky Lips** Lucky To Be Loving You Always Will Who needs to know Slow Boat That Honky Tonk Highway Raise a Glass Stand By Me Berlin At 5 Blame It On The Disco Woolshed Waltz Stroll Along Cha Cha I Need To Be Loved Cheap Cologne Hey Senorita Geronimo Easy Riding Shotgun I Know I'll Smile Again Heave Away Come A Little Bit Closer Venus Everyday (It's A Getting Closer Who's been sleepin in my bed



EASY IMPROVERS

My Heart Knows
A Bar Song
Good to Be
Homecoming
R/Down To The Island
R/Lemon Tree
Cross My Heart
Tippin It Up
Dance Like No One Is Watching Baby
2 More Lonely People
Sweet Feelin's
Stand by Me
Sexy Lady
Paint me the picture
Sure I'll Survive

HARDER IMPROVERS

Never Drinking Again Hands On Me No More Sailor Worlds Smallest Violin

EASY

Hold Me Now
She Wants A Ring
Space in my Heart
R/Neon Vegas Lights
I Tried A Ring On
My Spicy Margarita
Wake up Dreaming
Un Poquito
Oh Hot Damn
Bringing it Back
Body Language
Scootin Bootin
Country Nights

EASY INTERMEDIATE

Sin City Lights
Broken Soul
Johnnie Walker Blues
Useless Excuses
Straight Line
All about now
A Story told
The card you gamble
Marakaibo
Ghosted

INTERMEDIATE

R/That's Nice
Don't Slip Away
Said and Done
Breathe
We All Grow Up
I feel the love
We're Country Proud
I showed you the door
Beautiful Hurrican
Forever Together
Triples
The way I love you
Around the fire



APRIL MAY JUNE 2024





TO ALL MY STUDENTS ESPECIALLY THOSE WHO TRAVEL A DISTANCE

If you feel the weather is against you or feel it is too unsafe to travel.. Then please.... don't come to class

If the weather is really bad more than likely I will cancel the class. But please..those who have quite a distance to travel...stay home if the weather is bad. As much as we love our dancing your safety is more important...just send me a quick text so I know you are not stranded on the side of the road but please...don't risk your safety



Our Facebook page contains events coming up and wonderful photos of our socials and good times. If you don't have Facebook, then don't worry. You can still hop on and check it out. On the front of our Website, you can double click on the Facebook Icon This will take you onto my Facebook page, if a pop up comes up with a "Log In or Create New Account" click on the "Not Now" down the bottom. You will now be able to check out our facebook page.



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