



The Canberra Swiss Club Inc.

# Newsletter



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## Upcoming Club Events

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<b>Date (2018)</b>	<b>Event</b>
Sat & Sun 13-14th October	<b>Corin Forest family weekend</b>
Sunday, 21st October	<b>Jass Tournament</b>
Friday, 23 <sup>rd</sup> November	<b>AGM</b>
Sunday, date tba, December	<b>Santa Picnic</b>

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## Your Swiss Club Committee

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## Jass Practice Evenings

If you need a little more practice before the tournament, why not come along for a Wednesday practice session? Currently the venue is tba so please contact Gaby Hoffmann on 6257 3885 to confirm or for further information. Practice Sessions occur every second Wednesday from 7:30pm. All experience levels welcome.



## Canberra Swiss Choir

<http://www.swiss.org.au/page.php?ID=686>

If you like to sing, why not join the Canberra Swiss Club's "Crèmeschnitte-Chörli"? The choir mostly sings Swiss songs and currently has between 15



and 20 active singers. There are no auditions and we'll make you feel very welcome. We always have fun, and usually we have a drink or a bite to eat after our rehearsals.



We are guided by our enthusiastic conductor Geoff Roberts and accompanied by our pianist Sarah Selvaratnam and guitarist David Hall. Several times a year we perform at functions.

When: SECOND and FOURTH Tuesday of every month, 6pm-7.30pm

Where: Keller of the HARMONIE GERMAN CLUB, Jerrabomberra Avenue, Narrabundah

Cost: \$5 a session

Contact: Regula at [r.neilson@netspeed.com.au](mailto:r.neilson@netspeed.com.au) or ph. 6161 4740; or just come to a rehearsal and check us out!

## President's Message

Dear members and friends

The President went on holidays, but she'll be back soon...

## Corin Forest Family Weekend



When: Sat 13 & Sun 14 October

Where: Corin Forest

Entry Cost: National Park fee

Alpine Slide Cost: \$10 for 1 slide, \$15 for 2 slides or \$35 for 6 slides

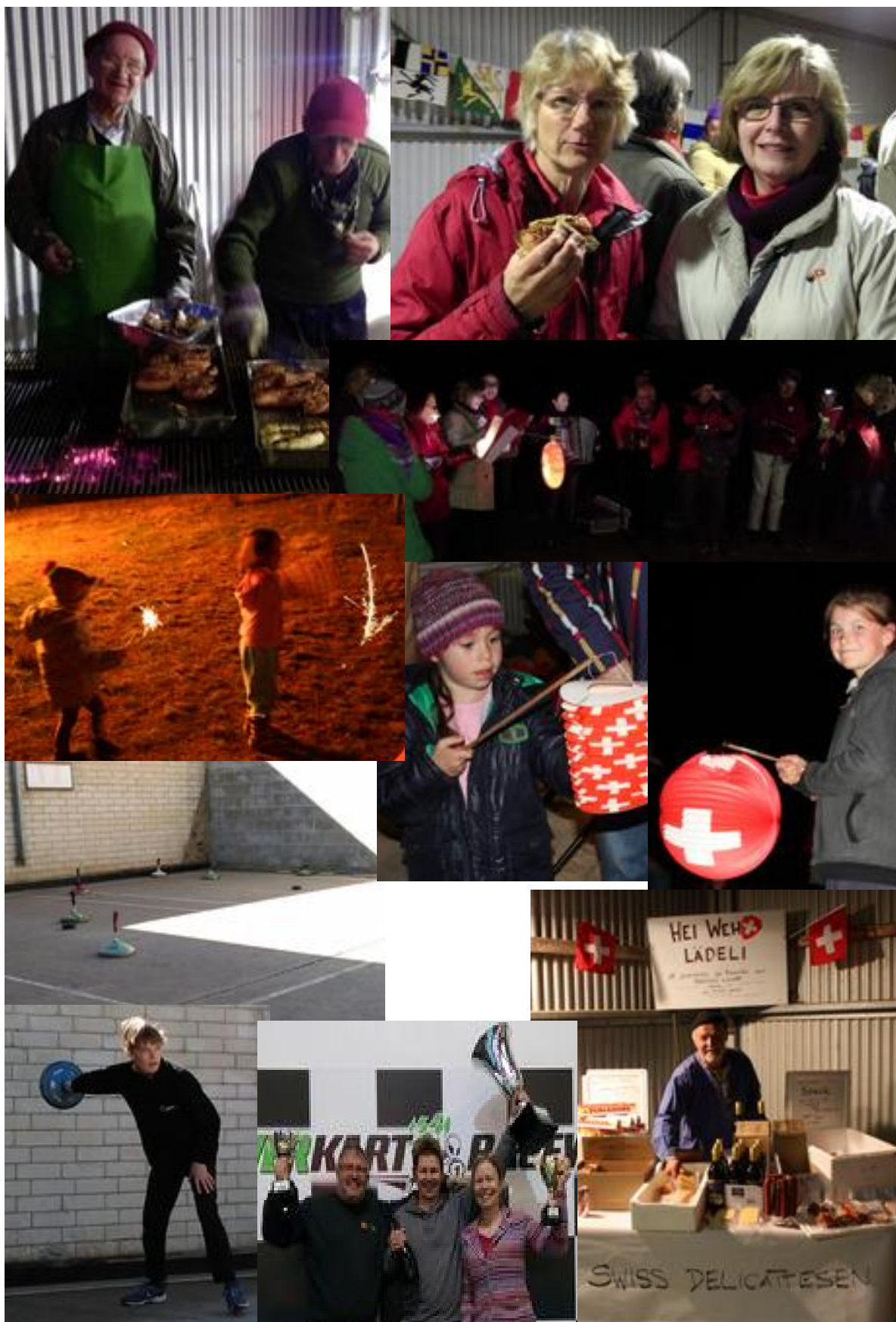
Join us for a fun weekend for the whole family at Corin Forest. There is camping at Woods Reserve with showers and toilets. On Sunday there will be bobsledding at the Corin Forrest Resorts. Other activities at Corin Forest include Alpine Slide, hiking and other fun outdoor activities. Slide minimum age 8.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to call Chris Heiniger on 0409907196.

Directions from Canberra: Take Point Hut Road in Gordon (Tuggeranong Valley) and turn right onto Tidbinbilla Road and drive for 6.5km. Turn left (uphill) onto Corin Road and follow for 12km. Please drive carefully as there are lots of kangaroos. Approx 50mins distance.

Photos and further info from: <http://www.corin.com.au/slide/>

## Photos from Past Events



## Annual Canberra Jass Tournament



When: 12:30 for 1pm start, Sunday 21st October

Where: Gaby Hoffmann's house, 7 Robinson Street, O'Connor ACT

Cost: \$10

What to bring: a dessert and your best Jass hand

Everyone is welcome, whether experienced or not, if you enjoy a game of Jass please join us for a fun afternoon of good company & tasty sausages. Here's your chance to claim the glory of being dubbed 'the jass king or queen'! If you would like to come to the competition, either to participate or spectate please let Gaby Hoffmann know by calling 6257 3885 before the event. This will ensure there are enough sausages.



## Annual General Meeting



**When:** Friday 23rd November, 6.30pm arrival for dinner from 7pm with AGM after dinner (about 8pm)

**Where:** Harmonie German Club, 49 Jerrabomberra Ave, Narrabundah

**Cost for dinner:** \$50 per person for a delicious german style buffet dinner including Bratwurst, Double Smoked Kransky, Vienna Sausage, Pork Schnitzel, Leberkaese and Pulled pork. Accompanied by some nice wine plus apple strudel and black forest cake for dessert. Vegetarian alternative available on request.

**RSVP:** <https://goo.gl/forms/FJG66JuvqhvMXFtF3> for emailed newsletter or paper booking form enclosed for paper newsletters.

**Please ensure that we receive your completed booking form and payment no later than Friday 9th of November.**

The Annual General meeting is a great reason to enjoy a delicious meal with great company. It's also a great opportunity to provide the committee with feedback and suggestions for the coming year.

Nominations for the committee will also take place at the AGM (see enclosed or attached nomination form). If you wish to attend but don't want to come for dinner you are more than welcome to do this, however you will still need to fill in the booking form so we know how many people to expect for seating.

## Committee Vacancies

A few of our lovely committee members are looking to leave the committee after having served on the committee for many years. If you are interested in joining the committee in the following capacity or as a general committee member please complete a nomination form and bring it to the AGM or email [canbswissclub@gmail.com](mailto:canbswissclub@gmail.com).

- Secretary
- Newsletter Editor

## Swiss Radio CMS FM 91.1



[www.cmsradio.org.au](http://www.cmsradio.org.au)

Do you want to keep up with news from Switzerland, hear a bit of Swiss German, or just groove along to some good music? Then tune in to Gaby, Mirjam and Werner on **Mondays 6pm-8pm on 91.1FM**.

Call in during the program on 6287 4347 if you have anything to add to the day's discussions or just to say hello. Gaby, Werner and Mirjam are always looking for people to interview or to talk about their life experiences, if you are interested please contact them at home on 6291 4160. Other german-speaking programs on CMS include:  
*Treffpunkt Tuesdays 8pm-10pm.*

## Samiclaus Picnic



**Where:** Weston Park, between Mini-train parking and the lake (same spot as in the last couple of years; watch out for our flag-decoration)

**When:** 11am onwards, Sunday date tba December (Santa arrives at around 1pm)

**Cost:** Free to all

**Bring:** a picnic rug, BBQ things, sunscreen, sunglasses, hats and games, such as a frisbee or soccer ball.

Goodie bags will be handed out to all the good children and adults. If you would like Santa to read a message for your child/ren such as what good things they've done during the year and what they could improve on then, please make sure to email this to us at [secretary.canbswissclub@gmail.com](mailto:secretary.canbswissclub@gmail.com) before the event. No messages will be accepted on the day. Sometimes Schmutzli even finds some naughty adults to hit with his broom! We hope to see you all there.