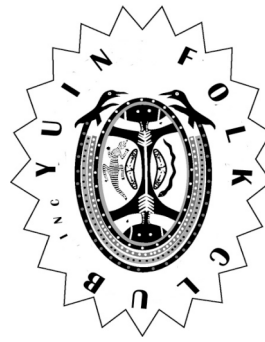


YUIN FOLK CLUB INC
13th Annual Cobargo Folk Festival
22nd, 23rd, 24th February, 2008



Yuin Folk Club Inc

The Yuin Folk Club was expressly founded to promote and encourage all aspects of folk culture in our community. As a performer you are an important element in this local cultural *event*.

We need your help to ensure the Yuin Folk Club can carry out our aims and objectives.

If you haven't already joined The Yuin Folk Club, would you please consider becoming a member as well as a participant in our activities. Membership forms can be downloaded from our website www.cobargofolkfestival.com.

Cobargo Folk Festival 2008
Performer Application

Applications close 31 August 2007.

Performer Enquiries to:

Festival Director

Post Office Box 5126

Cobargo NSW 2550

Tel: (02) 6493 6758 Mobile (0427) 215 118, Fax: (02) 6493 6758,

Email: cobargofolkfestival@bigpond.com www.cobargofolkfestival.com

The information you provide should be as comprehensive as possible to help our volunteers to assess your application and to contact you if necessary and for information for our program book.

► If possible please send bios and photos in a digital format (eg Word doc for bios, photos as jpegs). (No pdfs please). Please forward a cd or a dvd so we can hear what you sound like (preferably from a live performance). Please note that your promotional material will not be returned to you unless you include a postage paid envelope/package.

The 13th Annual Cobargo Folk Festival will be held on the site of the Cobargo Showground 1 km east of the Cobargo village. Cobargo is between Narooma and Bega on the South Coast of NSW .

The Festival is a not for profit, community arts event organised entirely by volunteers from the Yuin Folk Club inc.

There are seven venues operating simultaneously with continuous concerts, performances, dance displays, choirs, workshops and instrument forums. There are intimate blackboard concerts and sessions and a separate program and venue for the kids including craft workshops,

Some elements of traditional, blues, bluegrass, country, acapella, theatre, bush poetry and the spoken word, cabaret and jazz will be included in the Festival program.

Performers should bear in mind this years' theme – 'The Year Of The Laugh ' - Australian and world humour in music?

The successful 'The Crossing Youth Music Expo' venue is run by and totally dedicated to youth talent. We are interested in performers who could contribute to this segment

There is a strong emphasis on participatory events such as sessions, workshops and themed concerts. Blackboard Concerts are scheduled over the three days and any performer is welcome to come to the Festival and to sell their CDs through our Festival Shop.

Name of Performer or Group:

Contact Person:

Contact Address: *(Please include postcode)*

Performers: *(Please provide the names of all the performers in your group and what instruments they play)*

Crossovers *(Are you or any of your group applying with another Act.)*

Contact Telephone: *(please provide area code)*

Home:

Mobile:

Work:

Fax:

Email:

Website:

Description of your performance *(15-20 words)*

Biography: *(for our program book – about 50 words)*

If possible please send bios and photos in a digital format (eg Word doc for bios, photos as jpegs). (No pdfs please).

What workshops, instrumental forums, dance demonstration (if any) would you or the members of your group present?

Do you have a performance suitable for the kid's program?

Will you or one of your members MC a concert? Yes No

Festival Days Availability: (Festival starts Friday afternoon with the Opening Concert and finishes Sunday evening.) Please specify when you are available each day

Friday 10am – 12 noon.) Pre festival school performances.

Friday 2 pm – 6 pm

Friday 6 pm – 12 pm

Saturday 9 am – 12 noon

Saturday 12 noon – 12 pm

Sunday 9 am – 12 noon

Sunday 12 noon – 6 pm

Sunday from 6pm Festival farewell and muso's celebration, BBQ

Accommodation:

Accommodation in Cobargo is very limited. Some billets are possible but we are able to offer complimentary camping with all amenities (including some powered sites..

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Billet (single) Billet (double)

- Festival cannot guarantee that groups be billeted together
- Please list names and gender who would require billeting.

What is your fee? (include GST) (Please bear in mind we are a small, self funded festival run by volunteers)

Ticket Allocation: (tickets for partners may be purchased at earlybird prices unless otherwise negotiated). Please include all names of performers in your group for tickets.

Promotion:

Would you permit a recorded track for inclusion on a Festival CD for promotional radio station use. Yes

No

Would you permit a recorded track considered for inclusion on a Festival CD to be sold at the Festival Shop to assist the Festival fundraising effort. Yes

Yes

No