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## **SUNDAY 17 AUGUST 2025**

**CALOUNDRA POWER BOAT CLUB**  
**Sun 17th AUG**  
**Doors Open 12:00pm**

Jazz Club Mem \$22.50. Sen \$25. Non Mem \$27.50  
 Bookings/Pre-Payment. Richard 0427 782 960

**WELL SWUNG DADDIES  
DOORS OPEN 12 NOON - JAZZ 1PM - 3.30PM**



## PRESIDENT JULIE'S REPORT - *Hi There Jazz Friends*

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> June, saw a FULL HOUSE, with a fabulous band to entertain us – Jindalee Jazz Orchestra Big Band (19 Piece), with the lovely Victoria Luppi (very brave to come, suffering from a chest infection) - her deep Italian voice vocalising with the band was memorable of the days of these Big Bands. Following up in July, the return of Paul Hendon and his Benny Goodman Tribute. This year we were treated to the addition of Glenn Henrich (Sydney) - Glenn started playing music professionally almost 60 years ago in New York and moved to Sydney in 1982. A gifted multi-instrumentalist performing on vibes, keyboards, flutes, clarinets and saxes. He was a member of several bands led by Tom Baker, Judy Bailey, and James Morrison. Glenn recorded his first album, Glenn Henrich-Vibes, released in 2000. Also joining the band from Sydney was Alex Compton – Double Bass & Vocals – another well-respected Sydney artist – what A fabulous afternoon it was.

In August, we will welcome THE WELLSWUNG DADDIES - How do these bands come up with such names? They are no longer a 'new band to us', having entertained us around this time last year - I am sure you will recognize names of the musicians. Looking at the line up and remembering their appearance here last year, I am sure we are in for a really great and fun day so don't miss it! (This band is no slouch as is 9 piece!!) Then another BIG BAND – Project Swing – in September.

The appearance of new bands is proving very popular – all with their own style – while old favorites are sprinkled in as well. It is great to see a number of 'savvy jazzers' already have their bookings in place for coming shows, to ensure their favorite table – some right up to the end of the year – no wonder, with such bands as BIG KITTY in November and the 'infamous' GALAPAGOS DUCK to close the year – don't forget that JAZZ is the second Sunday in December, to keep it away from other busy Christmas parties and commitments.

BOOKINGS for future events ARE OPEN and we are especially excited to be bringing some very sought after and well-known names – entertainers who perform not only throughout Australia but across Europe.



A big 'shout out' for the coming BUDERIM 'JAZZ IN THE PARK' in September – I know a number of our members love to attend and this year we have donated 2 tickets to our October show as a prize for their big raffle, raising funds to support this free event. October will be special as we have the well-known RUSSELL BAYNE and his SESSION BAND featuring LEENA SALIM – now residing at the Coast, but previously Singapore where she had her own TV show and as a special treat, JOSH LINNETT will make a cameo appearance – Josh was the winner of our School Bursary before being accepted to attend Brisbane Conservatorium of Music where he has completed a 5 year degree and now out doing gigs in Brisbane and The Coast – he featured at the Brisbane Lord Mayor's Christmas Concert last year and we are looking forward to having him appear. Sadly, as announced at the June show, we had 2 of our staunch supporters and volunteers –

Stan Gooch & Ellinor Simmons, resign due to health issues and I have put out a call for volunteers. Please if you feel you could assist, please contact Richard – it entails coming early on the day to help set up the tables and room then staying back to help with the 'pack down' – with everyone pitching in, it doesn't really take all that long – a chance to make new friends. A BIG THANKS & WELCOME TO HONI DEN-BAKKER as a new volunteer - my sincere thanks to Stan and Elinor for their service and friendship to the club and members. A big "thank you" to Caloundra Power Boat Club Staff and Management – especially Priscilla, Suzy and Michael, for their ongoing support of our members and club and I look forward to seeing you at future shows. I look forward to seeing you soon.

Julie Walker (President)



## **VICE PRESIDENT JOHN'S REPORT**

**To our members, new members and guests.**

Time seems to just slip away as we age or is it just me? Half a year has passed, and we have been privileged to experience some fantastic live Jazz music performances equal to any in Australia. I say thank you again for your patronage of Our (Your) Club, Supporting Live Jazz musicians in the Sunshine Coast and those Bands we introduce from outside the coast. It is great to see so many happy faces, as depicted in the April and May newsletter "Happy Snaps", when the recipients of the Raffles, Lucky Door and Members draw prizes pose with their prizes.

Last Month there were some flyers on the tables confirming Julie's announcement regarding the proposed Bus trip in December 2026, (18 Months away), for the 80th Australian Jazz Convention to be held in Dubbo NSW. This event is held between 26/12/2026 and 31/12/2026. We will be away from 23 December 2026 until 5 January 2027 - (13 Days). We are looking at costings for a total of 40 or so members travelling by Coach on an adventure to this milestone event departing Sunshine Coast on 23/12/26. This is about an 8-hour drive stopping off at Moree NSW overnight and arriving in Dubbo on the 24/12/26. Enjoying Dubbo or resting up before the following 6 days of Jazz held at the One Venue (Dubbo RSL). This Venue has several individual rooms/areas where there will be different Genres of Jazz with varying musicians playing from mid-morning until latish evening every day with the grand finale on New Years Eve. There is usually an unofficial wind down BBQ or gathering on the 1/1/27 and then we envisage a day or two to wind down & site see. Departing Dubbo on the 4/1/27, stopping off on the return trip TBA as it is roughly a 10-hour drive back. If you are interested, please give me your Email address so I can keep you posted. More information will be available in the new year. We have about 8 people at this time.

**Johnny Jazz**



## ***FRONT of HOUSE REPORT***

***"Yours in Jazz" Richard***

Following our call for volunteers I am pleased to report that we had four offers of assistance with Honi Den-Bakker joining us for the July show. Thankyou everyone.

As previously reported our attendances are continually on the increase, which is great to see. This is obviously a reflection on the bands that we are bringing to our monthly outings and there are more great shows planned through to March 2026.

With Spring in the air get those dancing shoes on and let us see some great toe tapping. Your management Committee is continually looking at ways to improve your membership including member prizes, Check-in procedures plus future opportunities to attend local and National Jazz events.

***YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT IS VALUED AND GIVES US THE CONFIDENCE AND GRATITUDE IN KNOWING THAT BOTH MEMBERS AND GUEST ARE HELPING US GAIN GREATER RECOGNITION AS A PROVIDER OF GREAT MUSIC AND ENTERTAINMENT ON THE SUNSHINE COAST.***

***"Yours in Jazz Richard"***



## REVIEW Brian Fane [Life Member]

### JUNE 2025 – JINDALEE JAZZ ORCHESTRA

On Sunday 15th June the Caloundra Power Boat Club jumped for joy when THE JINDALEE JAZZ ORCHESTRA (17 piece plus vocalist) settled into an afternoon of great big band music. Ellington/Strayhorn's "Take the A Train" led into the Basie classic "April in Paris". Ed on trumpet was featured on a lovely solo of Garner's "Misty". Victoria serenaded with a bracket of songs including Etta James' "At Last" and Peggy Lee's "Fever". The famous "Sugar Plum Fairy" was arranged and presented as a jazz waltz.

A big round of applause! Ellington's "Satin Doll" brought Victoria back with a nice version of "The Look of Love" and a swinging "All of Me". The musicians were given time for solos as the engine room (the rhythm section) kept immaculate time all afternoon. Another Ellington song "Caravan" and "Perdido" finished a set. An audience member was played a "Happy Birthday" then "Puttin' on the Ritz". Victoria entertained with "Sway" and "Bewitched". Victoria gives every song due respect. Another ballad "The Man I Love" led into a Neil Hefti Basie arrangement of "Spanky". There were many other musical treats, but time does run out. So, a final "Bye Bye Blackbird" brought the afternoon to a finish. Our sound man Ben as always kept the sound balanced for the group and the dancers. Thank you, JINDALEE JAZZ ORCHESTRA and Victoria.

### JULY 2025 – PAUL HENDON SEXTET's – Benny Goodman Tribute

The Sunshine Coast Jazz Club audience on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> July at the Caloundra Power Boat Club were taken back to the 30's/40's when the PAUL HENDON SEXTET played their 'BENNY GOODMAN TRIBUTE'. The Sextet introduced two visiting and outstanding musicians GLENN HENRICH [vibraphone/saxophone] and ALEX COMPTON [bass/vocals]. "Don't Be That Way" was a Goodman standard, "Limehouse Blues" led into a Glenn and Paul big band sound with "Jersey Bounce".

Alex showed his talent with a sterling "Ain't Misbehavin" vocal and "Stompin at the Savoy" had our tootsies stomp'n' as well. Jazz Classic "How High the Moon" segued into Hampton's "Flying Home" giving Dave on guitar and Glenn on sax to really fly. Rod on drums not to be outdone sang in his inimitable style 'Bye Bye Blackbird". As the famous LOUIS once said, "This is Le Jazz Hot".

Set two after our raffles and the winners happy, the Sextet continued to entertain with wonderful jazz solos. A Gerry Mulligan "Lullaby of the Leaves" was a joy then Alex serenaded us with "How About You". A nice applause from the audience. A fast, hot "Undecided" segued into a slow sexy version from Rod of the glorious song "Moon Glow" Phew!! Our guest Glenn explained how the Vibraphone has different sounds and Glenn all afternoon showed what a master he is of this instrument. I haven't given credit yet to Leader Paul on Clarinet/sax the wonderful Jo Bloomfield on keyboards, Dave on guitar and Rod on drums who keep the music flowing allowing soloists to show their talents. Rod was warming up to tell us that there are "Pennies from Heaven". Afternoons always have to finish and the final "After You've Gone" was a nice finale. We will remember the PAUL HENDON SEXTET and the Tribute to Benny long after, as we do now remember the famous Benny Goodman Trios, Quartets, Sextets and that great swinging Orchestra.

Our thanks to the PAUL HENDON SEXTET for an afternoon of musical memories, fun and enjoyment.



## Alan Horsfield - old H Fern (alias)

### Jazz Jottings from Alan

Jazz is the 'butt' of many jokes.

Which jazzy songs do these graphics suggest? (Think food or drink)



### Tap dancing and jazz.



Tap dance originated in the United States in the early 19th century at the crossroads of African and Irish American dance forms. When slave owners took away traditional African percussion instruments, slaves turned to percussive dancing to express themselves and retain their cultural identities. These styles of dance connected with clog dancing from the British Isles, creating a unique form of movement and rhythm.

Early tap shoes had wooden soles, sometimes with pennies attached to the heel and toe. Tap gained popularity after the Civil War as a part of traveling minstrel shows, where white and black performers wore blackface and belittled black people by portraying them as lazy, dumb, and comical.

Tap dancers began collaborating with jazz musicians, incorporating improvisation and complex syncopated rhythms into their movement. The modern tap shoe, featuring metal plates ("taps") on the heel and toe, also came into widespread use at this time. Although Vaudeville and Broadway brought performance opportunities to African American dancers, racism was still pervasive.

Tap dancing in movies has been featured since the golden age of film, and in recent years, even more incredible dancing has been captured for audiences to enjoy.

### Some top tap dance films

Happy feet (2006), Billy Elliot (2000), Singin' in the rain (1952), Swing time (1936), Tap (1989), Thoroughly modern Millie (1967), 42nd Street (1933), Stepping out (1991), Born to dance (1936), Stormy weather (1943)

**Some top tappers:** Bill 'Bojangles' Robinson, The Nicholas Brothers, Ginger Rogers, Gene Kelly, Fred Astaire, Anne Miller, Gregory Hines.

**Solutions** (possibly more than one answer)

**Top line:** Cocktails for two, Rum and Coca Cola, Tea for two, The peanut vendor

**Middle line:** Shrimp boats, yes, we have no bananas, Beer barrel polka, Black coffee.

**Bottom line:** Cool water, Watermelon man, Gone fishing, All that meat and no potatoes.



We appreciate and thank our proud supporters Caloundra Power Boat Club and their wonderful staff – please give them your support, CALOUNDRA POWER BOAT CLUB MEMBERSHIP is only \$11.00 for 3 Years. The BISTRO will OPEN AT 11.30am FOR YOUR LUNCH ORDERS, The staff will have a list of names and table numbers so you can order Your lunch prior to going upstairs.



**JAZZ ON 3rd SUNDAY EACH MONTH  
CALOUNDRA POWER BOAT CLUB**

**DOORS OPEN 12 NOON - JAZZ 1PM - 3.30PM**  
**Cost: Members \$22.50: Seniors \$ 25.00 Non-Members \$27.50**



**MEMBERSHIP - New members are welcomed -  
Join now for \$25 to 31 December 2025.  
Renewal of membership is due in December - \$25  
for 12 months.**

**HAVE YOU CHANGED YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS?**

If you have change of email address, please send an email to Ros so she can update your details. Send it to Ros - [scjazzclubmembers@gmail.com](mailto:scjazzclubmembers@gmail.com)

Please be VERY CLEAR when writing your email address.

**2025/2026 LINE UP**

<b>21 SEPTEMBER 2025</b>	<b>PROJECT SWING BIG BAND</b>
<b>19 OCTOBER 2025</b>	<b>RUSSELL BAYNE SESSION BAND Featuring LEENA SALIM &amp; GUEST CAMEO JOSH LINNETT</b>
<b>16 NOVEMBER 2025</b>	<b>BIG KITTY</b>
<b>14 DECEMBER 2025</b>	<b>GALAPAGOS DUCK</b>
<b>18 JANUARY 2026</b>	<b>THE BOWERY HOT FIVE</b>

## 15<sup>th</sup> June: Happy Prize Winners



## 20<sup>th</sup> July: Happy Prize Winners



## **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

**SUNDAY 21 SEPTEMBER 2025  
PROJECT SWING BIG BAND**



**SUNDAY 19 OCTOBER 2025  
RUSSELL BAYNE SESSION BAND Featuring  
LEENA SALIM & GUEST CAMEO JOSH  
LINETT**



**SUNDAY 16 NOVEMBER 2025  
BIG KITTY**



**SUNDAY 14 DECEMBER 2025  
GALAPAGOS DUCK**