



## FEBRUARY 2022

**The aim of the club is to encourage vocalists and musicians of all ages and abilities to perform at club functions and/or on stage. Promoting country music throughout Townsville and surrounding areas will ensure that this form of music will continue to flourish while also seeing local talent recognised.**

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## **APPOINTED POSITIONS**

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## PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Hello everyone and welcome to 2022, I hope everyone has had a great Christmas and a Happy New Year. Welcome back for another year of country music. I hope everyone had a nice and well-deserved break.

Our first social gathering for this year is scheduled for the 13<sup>th</sup> of February and it will be great to see all members and friends come along for our first day of country music. Unfortunately, we have cancelled the Friday night Jam sessions for this year, which was passed at our last General Meeting in December, due to lack of interest and attendance. However, the Jam session cancellation isn't indefinite, as we are looking at other options that may suit our members.

The Bellevue Hotel social gatherings for every second month is back on again this year, with the socials starting on the 27<sup>th</sup> of March as agreed by the Club Committee and the managers of the Bellevue Hotel. I would like to thank the management of the Bellevue Hotel for giving us the opportunity to play music in their beer garden again this year.

Our Association Committee has been working hard over the Christmas break with Bunning's sausage sizzle stalls, organising our next Lifestyle weekend, which will be held in August and meeting up with new contacts for upcoming social events. Our next Bunnings sausage sizzle for the club is on the 12<sup>th</sup> of February at the Domain Central location and we are hoping to have a good return financially to help with the Association's finances.

Unfortunately, our club has had some bad news over the January period. We have lost a good friend well known to the club for her outstanding duties she gave to the club over the years gone by. Our dear friend Ruby passed away at the beginning of January having lived a long life. From the Townsville & Thuringowa Country Music Association, we would like to give Ruby's family our condolences and blessings.

As we are still in the Covid pandemic, we still need to practice the Government Regulations during social gatherings. All members and visitors need to be **double vaccinated** before entry to the social area. Please remember to use microphone socks when using the club mics during your turn singing.

Yours in country,

Jamie Davis  
(President of the Townsville & Thuringowa Country Music Association).



If anyone has celebrations, upcoming gigs, events that you think others may be interested in, items for sale, news of any kind or anything else you wish to add to the newsletter, please forward them to Fiona at [cappagirl64@me.com](mailto:cappagirl64@me.com)

**Please note – Meetings are on 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month, not 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday**

### **SAUSAGE SIZZLE**

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> February - Domain Bunnings

If you can assist in any way, please contact Julie Olufson on 0421 762 821



### **February Events**

Sausage Sizzle	12 <sup>th</sup> February
Sunday Fun-Day	13 <sup>th</sup> February
General Meeting	16 <sup>th</sup> February

### **March Events**

Sunday Fun-Day	13 <sup>th</sup> March
General Meeting	16 <sup>th</sup> March
Bellevue Hotel	27 <sup>th</sup> March

### **Sunday Fun-days – 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of month**

Starts at 1pm – St Joseph's Mundingburra Undercover area  
BYO chair as well as chord charts and instrument (if performing)  
Sausage sizzle, snacks, tea and coffee available  
Lucky door prize and raffle  
Admission is \$5.00

### **General Meetings – 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of month**

Starts at 7.30pm  
Meetings are held at rear of Aitkenvale Library – entrance near Child Care Centre.

Due to Covid requirements, there is a limit of 20 people so we ask that children not attend due to them taking the place of a voting member.  
Please RSVP to Julie Olufson on 0421 762 821 to secure your spot.

## General Meetings – Upcoming Dates

Date	Time
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> February	7.30 – 9pm
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> March	7.30 – 9pm
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> April	7.30 – 9pm
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> May	7.30 – 9pm
<b>Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> June</b>	7.30 – 9pm



## Valentine's Day

Although this day is predominantly marketed towards romantic relationships, Valentine's Day can also be a day to show your love for your parents, siblings, best friends or other people that you truly appreciate being in your life. Showing love and consideration for others however, should not only be shown on one day of the year.

Here is a quiz to test your musical knowledge of love songs.  
Different genres and decades – enjoy!

### Who performed these love songs?

- 1 'At Last'
- 2 'I Cant Help Falling In Love With You'
- 3 'My Girl'
- 4 'I Believe In You'
- 5 'You're Still The One'
- 6 'Could I Have This Dance?'
- 7 'I Keep On Loving You'
- 8 'When I Said I Do'
- 9 'I Just Called To Say I Love You'
- 10 'Crazy In Love'



Happy Valentine's Day!

- 11 'I Honestly Love You'
- 12 'Truly, Madly, Deeply'
- 13 'Just The Way You Are'
- 14 'Are You Gonna Kiss Me or Not?'
- 15 'Be My Baby'
- 16 'Can't Take My Eyes Off You'
- 17 'I Cross My Heart'
- 18 'Islands In The Stream'
- 19 'To Make You Feel My Love'
- 20 'Beautiful Crazy'

The following have been extracted from the article titled  
"30 of Our Favorite Quotes About Love" from  
Town & Country Magazine – 24/12/2021

"Love is something sent from heaven to worry the hell out of you." - *Dolly Parton*

"It is a curious thought, but it is only when you see people looking ridiculous that you realize just how much you love them." - *Agatha Christie*

"Have enough courage to trust love one more time and always one more time." - *Maya Angelou*

"When you realize you want to spend the rest of your life with somebody, you want the rest of your life to start as soon as possible." - *Nora Ephron*

"Lots of people want to ride with you in the limo, but what you want is someone who will take the bus with you when the limo breaks down." - *Oprah Winfrey*

"Love is an irresistible desire to be irresistibly desired." - *Robert Frost*

"We are most alive when we are in love." - *John Updike*





## MEMBERS' CONTRIBUTIONS & NEWS

Contributed by Glenda Albert

### ODE TO THE SPELL CHECKER

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Eye strike a key and type a word  
And weight 4 it 2 say  
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It shows me strait a weigh.  
As soon as a mist ache is maid  
It nose bee fore two long  
And eye can put the error rite  
Its rare lea ever wrong.  
Eye have run this poem threw it  
I am shore your pleased two no  
Its letter perfect awl the weigh  
My chequer tolled me sew!

It is with great sadness that I advise  
of **RUBY McNAE's** passing on  
Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> January.  
Ruby was a valued member of our  
club and will certainly be missed.

Alex Mollison was January's  
birthday winner!



4<sup>th</sup> - Vinette (Lyn) Johns  
6<sup>th</sup> - Lucy Koppe  
12<sup>th</sup> - Rebecca Davis  
13<sup>th</sup> - Glenda Albert

18<sup>th</sup> - Jeffrey Pointing  
25<sup>th</sup> - Lynda Knuth  
27<sup>th</sup> - Robert Waldon

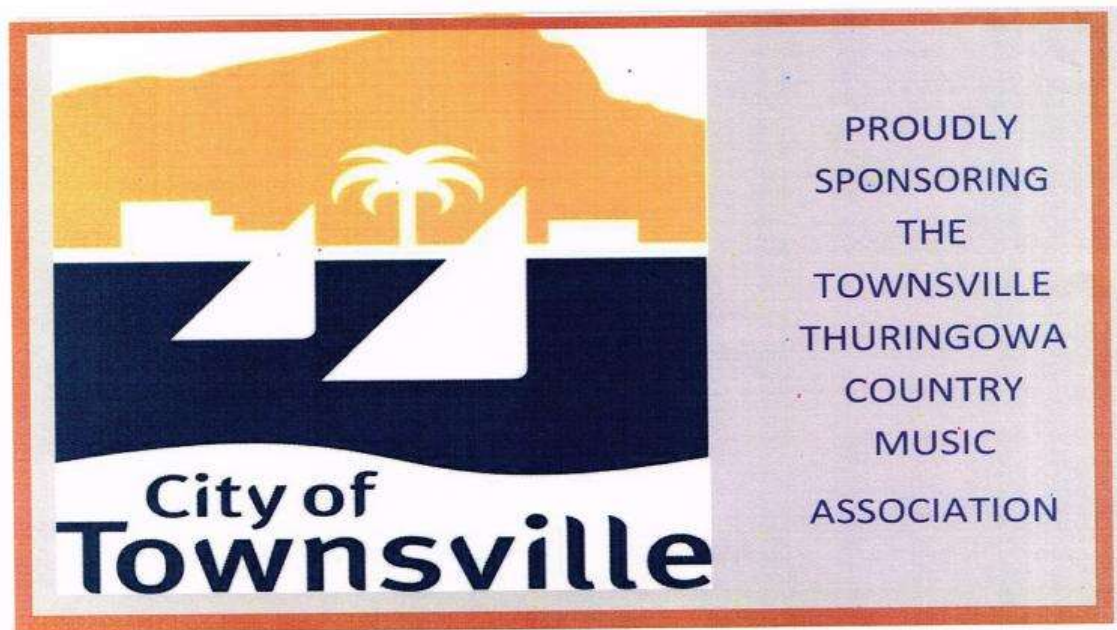
## Answers to Music Quiz

- 1 'At Last' - Etta James
- 2 'I Cant Help Falling In Love With You' - Elvis Presley & others
- 3 'My Girl' - The Temptations
- 4 'I Believe In You' - Don Williams
- 5 'You're Still The One' - Shania Twain
- 6 'Could I Have This Dance?' - Anne Murray
- 7 'I Keep On Loving You' - Reba McEntire
- 8 'When I Said I Do' - Clint Black & Lisa Hartman Black
- 9 'I Just Called To Say I Love You' - Stevie Wonder
- 10 'Crazy In Love' - Beyoncé
- 11 'I Honestly Love You' - Olivia Newton-John
- 12 'Truly, Madly, Deeply' - Savage Garden
- 13 'Just The Way You Are' - Bruno Mars
- 14 'Are You Gonna Kiss Me or Not?' - Thompson Square
- 15 'Be My Baby' - The Ronettes
- 16 'Can't Take My Eyes Off You' - Frankie Valli
- 17 'I Cross My Heart' - George Strait
- 18 'Islands In The Stream' - Dolly Parton & Kenny Rogers
- 19 'To Make You Feel My Love' - Garth Brooks & others
- 20 'Beautiful Crazy' - Luke Combs





The Townsville and Thuringowa Country Music Association Inc acknowledges the valuable support that we continue to receive from the following businesses and organisations. Without your support, the Club would not be able to provide the regular activities we hold for our members. Thankyou for your on-going generosity.



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**MEMBERSHIP DETAILS**

**APPLICANT [1]**

SURNAME ..... MR.MRS.MS.MISS  
CHRISTIAN NAMES ..... DATE OF BIRTH .....  
OCCUPATION ..... PHONE .....  
MOBILE ..... EMAIL .....  
INSTRUMENTS PLAYED .....

**APPLICANT [2]**

SURNAME ..... MR.MRS.MS.MISS  
CHRISTIAN NAMES..... DATE OF BIRTH .....  
OCCUPATION ..... PHONE .....  
MOBILE..... EMAIL .....  
INSTRUMENTS PLAYED.....

**APPLICANT [1/2] ADDRESS.....**  
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CHILDRENS NAMES DATE OF BIRTH

[1] .....  
[2] .....  
[3] .....  
[4] .....

DATE JOINED .....

PROPOSED BY ..... SECONDED BY .....

TYPE OF MEMBERSHIP .....

MEMBERSHIP NO [1] ..... [2] .....

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