

SCUNA Committee Meeting Minutes – 23/10/05

Present:

Lizzie Voss (President)
Stuart Szigeti (Treasurer)
Freya Ashman (Conman)
Caroline Woolias (OCM)
Jonathan Powles (Conductor)
Claudia (AssocRep)
Dom (IPP)

Meeting Opened: 2:08 pm 23/10/05 – Lizzie’s House, Torrens

1. Christmas

1.1. Events

Oxfam, OPH, Hospitals?

- St. Philip’s Church O’Connor, 1st or 2nd week of December.
- 2nd week better
- University related, Spanish requiem music with the ANU. 28th November. 8 People. Vittoria Requiem.
- “non-standard” sacred stuff from songbook? ‘Rejoice in the Lamb’. 16th Century.
- Contact Pro-Vice Chancellor Penny Oakes, use University House. Do we want to use ANU?
- Cantorion does some stuff for staff etc.
- Decision: St Phillip’s 10/11th December.
- Bring Songbooks next week.
- Print some stuff off CPDL.
- Bring copies of some Carols. Carol of the Bells?
- Payment of Musical Personnel
- Advertise Concert.

1.2. Songbook

- List Attached
- Make a versatile, adjustable book. Alphabetical order, comb binding, insert new pieces as needed.
- Somewhat ready for Wednesday week, 2nd
- Printing, CPP?

Motion: Approve cost of Printing of Christmas Books, LV, s SS, una.

2. Concert Debrief

2.1. Conman

- Recording, remove piano, audience, talking. Use encore +applause. We get Masters, and Listening copy. Will copy our own.

- Quality has been improving, however, this concert was almost cancelled. Why?
Difficult music, words/language, reduced numbers
- Solutions: Rehearsal CDs out very early, 1st rehearsal, hear the piece. Realistic music choice with numbers, but keep trying. Camp too early. More sectionals? Schedule piece for practice for next rehearsal. Rehearsal Policy – Who is singing?
- Rehearsal Policy: More thought. Mathematical formula?

2.2. Treasury

- little under 200 audience.
- No invoices yet.

2.3. Library

- Missing Scores.
- Dominic has the latest copy of the library database.

Task: Dominic, collect music, reconcile database, contact choristers with missing music.

2.4. Publicity

- no reviewer.
- No assistant
- \$1,500. too much.
- ANU events etc.
- Posters too late.
- Need flyering of concert.
- Program a little early
- Soloists confirmed later.
- **TIMELINE**

3. Recruitment '06

3.1. Sub-committee

- Héléne, etc.
- Announcements next week.

3.2. O-Week

- Posters+ Flyers, Resies, Student diary, O-week Program, Woroni, Stall,
- Caroline will compile a list

3.3. Fees

- Lizzie would like to change 'concession' rate.
- Change to ANU: \$10/\$20, other Students: \$40, adults: \$60
- Other concessions may apply for reduced rate on a personal basis.

4. Concert 1 '06

4.1. Music

- Orchestral Certain.
- Big crowd puller, or more risky less expensive stuff. Handel's 'Messiah' in St Christopher's. Smallish Orchestra. Can do less than the whole thing.
- Haydon 'Creation'.
- Percolaisie 'Stabat Mater'
- Stabat Mater. Dvorak. More money. More Time. More Choristers. Albert Hall
- Musical/Opera.
- Jonathans idea: Opera choruses. Publicity is easy. Copyright is a big problem. Orchestra music is very hard too.
- Fauré 'Cantique de Jean Racine', Fauré 'Pavanne', beautiful music. (Vivaldi 'Gloria') Arvo Part (is in copyright). Mozart 'Ave Verum', Mozart Soprano Solo (Catrina). Bach (Jesu joy of man's desiring)?
- **Decision:** Orchestral Choral Greats: Mozart, Fauré, Vivaldi

4.2. Conman/ Asst. Conman

- Find an Assistant!! (OCMs) Orchestra
- Contact St Christophers, St. Andrews, Albert Hall, Arts Centre, Wesley Uniting Church. About May/September/October.

5. New Committee Members

5.1. Librarian

Altos: Christina, Elenor.

5.2. Asst. Conman

Start of next year.

5.3. Asst. Publicity

Start of next year.

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6.1. Payment of Arts Centre

Task: Stuart Need to chase up Arts Centre to check absurd payment.

6.2. Next Meeting

- In two weeks. Lizzie will email.

Meeting Closed: 3:56pm

