

# Sweet Sassafras Open Community Choir Inc

(A registered incorporated organisation)

## Choir Information

**Our Purpose** We sing together for pleasure, well-being and friendship – forming a community of music-makers. The choir gives us an opportunity to develop our personal and group singing skills - developing camaraderie and self confidence in the process. We enjoy singing a variety of folk, ethnic and popular music – both accompanied and *a capella*. We sing for our own enjoyment but also take pleasure in performing for the local community and other audiences.

**Our Leader** Our current leader is Susy Hull. Susy has a wide-ranging musical background as a singer, multi-instrumentalist, and leading a variety of singing groups. Her infectious enthusiasm makes every rehearsal session a pleasure.

**We Rehearse** each Monday night, during School Terms, from 7.30 to 9.30 at Tecoma Uniting Church - fire conditions permitting.

**Our Committee** is a small group of members whose role is to ensure the choir flourishes, to support our leader, and to keep members informed of choir activities.

**Joining Sweet Sassafras** We welcome singers of all ages and abilities. There are no auditions. A “try before you buy” session is free. Members pay \$10 a session – preferably by a \$100 per term advance payment by bank transfer to our Bendigo Bank account (BSB 633000 A/c 125109041)

**Code of Conduct** We expect all members to adhere to the following:

- **Commitment** - by
  - Honouring all policies and agreed standards
  - Representing the choir in a positive way
  - Striving for excellence
- **Personal Integrity** - by
  - Treating other choir members and our leader with courtesy and respect
  - Being responsible and accountable for our own behaviour and attitudes
  - Respecting individual difference and diversity
  - Being punctual.
- **Teamwork** - by
  - Giving and receiving constructive feedback when required
  - Supporting and encouraging other members of the choir, and our leader
  - Being available for rehearsals and performances whenever possible
  - Communicating with other members and keeping them informed.