

THE HISPANIC SOCIETY OF VICTORIA INC. (ESTABLISHED IN 1952)

June 2014

June Social Gathering

Saturday 14th June, 2014



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@ 7:00pm

HSV Social Gathering from 7pm to 10.30pm

With great entertainment with
Jose Antonio Rodriguez Cuban Salsa Singer
Hill Community Arts Centre
470 Station Street, Box Hill 3128
Melway reference 47D11

Admission \$10.00 children free admission

Booking

Our next get together is a Social Gathering of the Society we will not be providing supper on the night only coffee and tea. Members can bring their own food and drink. We will be providing entertainment, Jose Antonio Rodriguez from Cuba who most members are familiar with and he will perform some of your favourite songs.

Please contact -
Our Secretary Genevieve Archer on 9561 2935
and
Esther Gomez on 0437 745358

Or by email to societyhispanic@gmail.com by
Wednesday 12th June 2014.

Message from the President

Dear members and friends of HSV

Many thanks to Members of the committee for the passion demonstrated in the organising of the Carnival Party. A special thanks to all members and friends who dressed very colourfully, I was very pleased to see everyone made effort.

We have commenced the preparations for our first tertulia on 12th of July 2014, which is the presentation on Spain by Mr Miguel Gomez de Aranda from the Spanish Consulate. Following this event we have our annual celebration The Hispanic day on 18th of October 2014. The venue will be Box Hill Golf Club it will be an exciting night! We have booked the fabulous Band Banana 6, professional dancers and more entertainment. Cost is \$45.00 for members and \$55.00 non members.

For the July event the menu will be decided by the committee on the next meeting. However, I can confirm it will be authentic food from Spain.

You will need to make your reservation as soon you can to give us an idea on how many guests will be attending in order to start organising catering.

Tickets will go on sale at the end of June. Get in early as they will go quickly! To buy your tickets or pay your Membership please call our Treasurer Luis Alban. (You can pay via credit card or EFT).

If any of your details are incorrect please email or contact our secretary, Genevieve Archer to adjust your membership details.

I would like to extend a warm welcome to new member David Secomd, make yourselves known to David.

Thank you Alan Mee for sharing some precious words about your experience with HSV.

*Un Abrazo
Gloria*

May, Carnival Party

Special mentions to our winners of the best dressed on the night

1st prize Willie Quiroga, \$40 Voucher from our sponsor 345 Coffee Victoria St North Melbourne
2nd prize Victor and Irma 1 bottle of wine donated Riversdale Flowers.
3rd prize Arlette and Arnold, Latin Music from HSV

And thanks to all those who helped throughout the night.

“Alan Mee Experience in HSV

I was introduced to the Hispanic Society by long time member and former President Silvia Wright-Davies, and attended the tertulias when they were held at the Lion Club Hall in Box Hill South which is about 3km, from my house in Blackburn Sth. I started out life in Kew and lived around the corner from current President Gloria. I attended Kew State School and showed early promise in the sporting area by being a member of the under 12 tunnel ball team which come third in Victoria in 1962.

My early success was not followed up when I attended Kew High, Templestowe High and Melbourne University after.

This followed stints teaching at Rushworth Colac and Parkwood High Schools and Lilydale Heights College, otherwise known as the Tech. School. The Hispanic Society gives the opportunity to learn the culture of South and Central America and to learn the Spanish language I probably have been successfully in the first of these things, but sadly not the second. I hope the Hispanic Society can continue to prosper and grow.

Alan Mee

Membership Renewals

We are in the process of receiving payments for annual membership renewals for the period 2014 – 2015

The benefits of being a financial member include:

- Discount (\$10) for the “Hispanic Day” Party
- Reduced prices to attend monthly Tertulias
- Free entry to December event and AGM (both including lunch)

The current prices for annual membership are:

Single: **\$23**

Family: **\$29**

NB: Joining fee no longer applicable

On behalf of the HSV I would like to extend a warm welcome to the 40 former members who have already renewed their membership.

Save These Dates

Sat 14 June Social Gathering

Sat 12 July Spain

Sat 16 August Social Gathering

Sat 13 September To be confirmed

Sat 18 October “Hispanic Day” Party
Celebrating Hispanic
Culture in Victoria

Reports 2014 – 2015 AGM

Complete reports can be seen or downloaded from the website:

<http://www.hispanicsocietyinc.org>

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