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Thanks and Congratulations

"This last Anzac Day was the usual emotional affair for me. Early in the day, I had the honour to lead the march down Murchison Street and conduct the commemoration service; and then at night there was La Boheme in Gallipoli Park.

I have seen this particular opera many times, but I have never enjoyed it half so much as I did on the night of Anzac Day. Those who were there will recall that musical moment towards the end of the first act, when the lovers are about to descend from their freezing garret high above the streets of Paris. That moment, when the music swells and brings the acts to a close, always brings me close to tears. And on Sunday night I allowed myself to succumb.

How could one do otherwise? It was such a poignant occasion. A wonderful cultural event, brought to us by the members of our community and enjoyed in the company of so many of the Marysville-Triangle clan -- a clan that has become very special to me, as I'm sure it has to many others in our district.

Our community emerged from the trials of Black Saturday a more cohesive group of people, like sisters and brothers as well as neighbours and friends; it is similar to the feeling in a tightly knit regiment that has just weathered a significant storm.

Whatever happens to this little town that we love, let us make sure that we never lose that feeling of fellowship and kinship.

My heartiest congratulations to all members of the company and the supporting crew. You did a wonderful job. The singing was first class, the acting was puckish, the design and staging were simple yet effective, and the mix of English and Italian was just right.

My five year old granddaughter was there that night, and we fully expected that she would need to be taken home after the end of the second act. Not a bit of it. She was rapt throughout, another reason why the evening was special for me.

Well done and thanks. I look forward to seeing more of your productions.

My heartiest congratulations and thanks to those Lions who conceived, organised and served at the event on Sunday night.

God bless the Lions Club, God bless the Marysville-Triangle, and God bless good fellowship.

Cheers, Nick"

'Compliments to the Lions for the Opera- it was great!!'

Vicki



Many more people congratulated the Lions after they enjoyed the show, perhaps more than they had expected.

Even the cast said they thought the atmosphere was great with the extra touches of table sashes, candelabra etc.

Thanks to Kerry for the wonderful flowers, (b & w printing doesn't do justice to the wonderful colours of red gerbera, the blue of the delphiniums and the purples of the irises and orchids, they deserve).

A very special thankyou to Graham Taylor from Rochford for all his help.

Thanks to all for attending, we are so glad you enjoyed it so much.

