



# KEW BAPTIST CHURCH EXPANDS YOUTH MINISTRY

Kew Baptist Church recently expanded its youth ministry with the appointment of Mr. Laurie Barton as Youth Minister. An ex school teacher, Laurie is in his third year of theological studies at Whitley College, the Baptist College of Victoria.

Kew Baptist has always been a church which places a great emphasis on its young people, and it is hoped that this tradition will continue to be upheld in the future. The church has four groups catering for young people -

**THE "CLUB"**: for secondary school age kids, meeting at the church hall every second Friday night. Anyone who fits into this category is most welcome. **Contact Laurie Barton 861 5316.**

**THE "YOUNG PEOPLE" GROUP**: this large group is for late teens and twenties people which meets for social and study activities and at coffee nights after the Sunday evening service. **Contact Glen Berchwell - 80 1143.**

**THE "YOUNG ADULTS GROUP"**: caters for generally slightly older young people (20's and 30's) and is involved in a wide range of activities and studies. **Contact Rosemary Ransom 836 0713.**

**THE "SINGLES AND MARRIEDS" GROUP**: includes young married couples as well as older single people

and meets for fellowship, study and social activities. **Contact Greg and Libby White 299 2940.**

## PREACHING PROGRAMME

**Morning Service - 10.30 a.m.** Crucial Moments in the Life of Christ.

4.4.82 - Into Jerusalem. 11.4.82 He is Risen! 18.4.82 - Lifted Up! 25.4.82 - Rev. Ian Paxton.

**Evening Service - 7 p.m.** Studies in Colossians. 4.4.82 - The Reconciliation. 11.4.82 - The Message of Easter. 18.4.82 - Paul's Ministry to the Church. 25.4.82 - What Paul Strives for.

# FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES PROGRAM

The local F.A.C.S. Committee works so that groups are able to contribute and plan for their area.

Volunteer and self-help groups are encouraged to apply for funding through the programmes provided by the Department of Community Welfare Services.

Members of the community and the wide range of organisations in Kew are invited to participate by attending the Annual General Meeting of the Kew Local Consultative Committee (F.A.C.S.) at the Kew Elder Citizens' Club, High Street, Kew, on Monday 5th. April, 1982 at 7.45 p.m.

The meeting will be chaired by the Mayor of Kew, Cr. Martin Solomons.

## KEW LIONESSES CLUB

The Club celebrated its Fourth Birthday last month and on the 4th. April will take part in a Seminar at Heathcote with other Victorian Lioness Clubs. The next Kew function will be a basket lunch at Banyule Gallery on Thursday 22nd. April, following a tour of the Gallery at 10.30. Charge \$5.00.

# Easter Day Sunrise Service

For the fourth year in succession the E.K.I.C.C. is planning to hold an Easter Day Sunrise Service in Victoria Park in East Kew, to be held this year at 7.00 a.m. on Sunday 11th. April.

This Service will include lively music, Readings, Prayer, a short Address and opportunity for Christian Fellowship. All six Christian Congregations in East Kew are supporting this Service. Worshippers are encouraged to wear Name Tags as well as to bring chairs or rugs and ground sheets.

One of the traditions building up with this Service is that hospitality for breakfast is expressed to new Christian Friends which are made during this Service.

## KEW PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA

This year the orchestra will be once again performing a season of three subscription concerts for the people of Kew.

Our programme for 1982 will be - **First Concert** - June 2nd. Reinzi Overture by Wagner; A Viola Concerto with soloist Nicolette Fraillon; Symphony No. 1 by Brahms.

**Second Concert** - August 4th. An all Dvorak programme, Carnival Overture; A Cello Concerto with soloist Andrew Zreczycki, New World Symphony.

**Third Concert** - November 24th. Rosamunde Overture by Schubert; Violin Concerto No. 1 by Paganini with soloist Spiros Rantos; Weber Bassoon Concerto with soloist John Pankridge.

Subscribers will receive further details of the concerts and two tickets to each of the concerts. The cost of each of seasons concerts to the subscriber amounts to half of the normal door charge of \$2.50.

If you would like to subscribe to the 1982 season of the Kew Philharmonic Orchestra please send a cheque/postal order for \$7.50 to the Secretary - Miss Mavis Washfold, 59 Radnor Street, Camberwell, 3124.

# What's doing in Kew for APRIL

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| Thurs. | 1  |  |
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| Sun.   | 4  | OPEN MAYORS ROOM - 10.30 a.m.<br>Baptist Church East Kew - Morning Worship 10.30 a.m., followed by Adult Discussion Groups and Sunday School. 7 p.m. Witness Service (less-formal-talkback).   |
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|        | 6  | Kew Community Aid Abroad Meeting - 8 p.m. 13 Byron Street, Kew. Enquiries 818 1098, 861 5692.  |
|        | 7  | Mid-week Bible Discussion & Prayer - All ages at 8 p.m. in Church Vestry, East Kew Baptist.<br>Uniting Church East Kew - Afternoon Missionary Fellowship meet at 1.30 p.m. - Mrs. Mary Donovan will tell about Travel.   |
|        | 8  | Save the Children Fund Meeting - 10.15 a.m. Auxiliary Room, Kew Civic Centre.<br>Kew Garden Club - 'Show & Tell' - Elder Citizens' Hall East Kew - 8 p.m.<br>Uniting Church East Kew - Maundy Thursday Fellowship meal in meeting room at 6.30 p.m. - All welcome. Please bring food to share. |
|        | 9  | Uniting Church East Kew - Good Friday Service - 9 a.m.<br>Baptist Church East Kew - Special Good Friday Service - 9.30 a.m. - Everyone Welcome.  |
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| Sun.   | 11 | Easter Sunday - Baptist Church East Kew - 10.30 a.m. Worship. 7.00 p.m. Talk-back Service.   |
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|        | 14 | Uniting Church East Kew - Evening Missionary Fellowship will visit Epworth Hospital. For information contact 861 8764 or 889 1220.   |
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| Sun.   | 18 | East Kew Baptist Church - Worship at 10.30 a.m. Adult Discussion Group 11.45 a.m. Informal Evening Service 7 p.m. "Walk Against Want" arranged by Community Aid Abroad - Enquiries - 419 7044 or 818 1098.   |
|        | 19 | Lioness' Club of Kew Dinner Meeting 7.00 - 7.30 p.m. at "Angelucci's" Walpole Street, Kew - \$6 per person - Enquiries 859 8593.<br>Uniting Church East Kew - The Fellowship meet at 8 p.m. Speaker - Gwen Dodgshun "South America, Land of Extremes" All Welcome.                             |
|        | 20 | OPEN COUNCIL - 8 p.m.  |
|        | 21 | Native Plant Group Inaugural Meeting - Guest Speaker - Dr. Ross Macdonald - 8 p.m. - Elder Citizens Hall, Corner of High and Childers Street, Kew.<br>Uniting Church East Kew - The Guild meet at 1.30 p.m. - "Cooking for Compliments" - For information contact 859 3082 or 857 9711.        |
|        | 22 | Save the Children Fund - Fund Raising Morning - Auxiliary Room - 10.45 a.m. - Donation \$1 including morning coffee. "Slides on China" by Mrs. Lade.   |
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- Sun. 25 Baptist Church East Kew – Worship 10.30 a.m. – Sunday School 11.45 a.m. – “Youth Night with a Difference” at 7 p.m. led by Graham Jones, Bible College of Victoria undergraduate.
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- 27 Rheumatism & Arthritis Association (Kew Self Help Group) meet in Auxiliary Room, Kew Civic Centre at 10.30 a.m. Guest – Janet McDonald, Occupational Therapist. Visitors Welcome. Uniting Church East Kew – Rowan Club meet at 8 p.m. for discussion – For information contact 859 3475 or 859 3788.
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- 30 Night Flight – Fascinating tour in colour of Scotland, Holland, Germany and Sound of Music country – Musical Items and supper. Special Guest Rev. Bill Brice – Director of Public Relations of the Baptist Social Service Department – Offering will be given in support of Baptist Caring Homes for the Aged. Uniting Church East Kew – Annual Dinner with Music in the Church Building. – For details contact 859 3473, 859 3788 or 859 5477.
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# Ballroom Dancing in KEW Cha-Cha- Cha

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Contact: Thea Sartori – 80 3657 or Joy Stewart – 859 9267.

## SCRABBLE

Scrabble with us on Friday nights in the Auxiliary Room, Kew Civic Centre at 7.45 p.m. All Welcome.

The benefits of Ballroom Dancing are many and varied. It is an enjoyable method of exercising. It is beneficial to any form of sport one may be engaged in, as it improves your balance and rhythm. You widen your circle of friends, and therefore develop self confidence.

Throughout your life there will be many occasions when you are invited to functions where dancing will be part of the entertainment, and it will be to your advantage to be able to participate. Contrary to some misconceptions, Ballroom Dancing is still very much the in thing and will always remain so.

Many new fads come along – they quickly disappear, but Ballroom remains. It has withstood the test of these many crazes and also the test of time. People of all ages enjoy the various types of Ballroom Dancing such as – PRIDE OF ERIN, EVENING THREE STEP, BARN DANCE, MODERN WALTZ, CHA CHA CHA, ROCK AND ROLL, to name a few.

There is something in Ballroom to suit all tastes. Ballroom Dancing has through all the years remained the most inexpensive form of entertainment – so be part of this friendly activity by attending THE ADULT BALLROOM BEGINNER AND SOCIAL CLASSES CONDUCTED AT THE UNITING CHURCH HALL Highbury Grove, Kew, every Tuesday from 8 p.m. to 10.15 p.m. Admission \$3.50 Supper Included. The Class is under the supervision of Miss Lucy Bernardo of Bernardo's Dance Studio 859 1917.

MAKE IT A HABIT TO BE THERE EVERY TUESDAY. ALL WELCOME.

# HYDE PARK FELLOWSHIP

The Fellowship will meet on Wednesday 7th. April at 2 p.m. in the Hyde Park Uniting Church, Pakington Street, Kew.

An open invitation is given to anyone who would like to join us in viewing a short film of the famous 'OBERAMMERGAU PASSION PLAY'. The people of Oberammergau made a vow in the 17th. century that they would perform this play every 10 years in gratitude for the end of a plague epidemic. Except for the years 1870–1920 and 1940 (when war or unstable conditions prevailed) the play has been performed every ten years. All actors belong to the village and the day long performances are held in the open air. The drama depicts the suffering, death and resurrection of Christ.

All are welcome, so please come along and join us – you are assured of a warm welcome. Afternoon tea will be served at the conclusion of the meeting.

Next meeting 5th. May – Speaker from Overseas Missionary Fellowship.

# KEW GARDEN CLUB

Audience participation will be the Order of the Day at the monthly meeting to be held at 8.00 p.m. on Thursday 8th. April in the Elder Citizens' Hall, Corner High and Childers Streets, East Kew. A change of plans has meant that the previously advertised subject, Rock Gardens, has had to be postponed and Show and Tell will take its place.

Members and visitors are asked to bring something of interest from their garden, or pertaining to gardens, and be prepared to say a few words about it. The “something” may be a thing of beauty or it might be bizarre; it may call for applause or demand sympathy! Don't be daunted! This is your chance to brag – or bleat – or just to share a little information on your favourite subject.

One thing is certain. SHOW & TELL NIGHT IS NEVER DULL!

# Very Ancient History

by Barbara Gile - Kew Historical Society

A country friend, helping me garden, said, 'I've never seen such soil, just like sea sand.'

My friend was right. The geological map shows sand and gravel from river or sea shore, where a very ancient ancestor of the Yarra once met the sea, in the higher parts of Kew.

In time the land rose; the surface of the earth is never at rest; and the river cut deep into the sands which cap our hills, and that part of Hawthorn near St. James' Park. A bank of pebbles at the Wood Street end of the park shows river or sea shore in far off times.

Some day weather will strip all the sand from our hills, leaving the ancient Silurian rock, hundreds of millions years old, exposed as it is in the slopes going down to the Yarra in the north part of Kew.

The ancient Yarra cut itself a broad valley, and then, a mere instant in time, less than 60,000,000 years ago, volcanoes to the north and northwest of us erupted, and filled part of this valley with lava. What a hissing and steaming there must have been as the Yarra met lava pouring down the old valleys of the Darebin and Merri creeks.

The river ran along the eastern edge of this lava flow, hard up against the heights of Kew, Hawthorn and Toorak, as far as Melbourne city. Falls used to mark the furthest point, near Queen Street, they were blasted

away to allow boats to go up the Yarra. Dight's Falls marks the end of a further flow.

No one can say now exactly where the volcanoes that invaded the Yarra were, there is basalt right across the western suburbs, and some small volcanoes can be recognised NW of Melbourne, like Mount Fraser.

Kew's golf courses are in a part of the river valley that was above the lava flow.

The hilliness of Kew ensured that it remained a residential suburb. In the days when hills were a problem for horse drawn vehicles, industry looked for level ground to build on.

Not many people in Kew have a river view today. But if you live in the high parts of Kew you can be sure you are situated on river or sea shore of over 60,000,000 years ago, and it doesn't add anything to the rates.

One thing more. I was told by a man of 85, who worked for the S.E.C. when power was being put on in the area south of FitzWilliam St., that the holes they dug filled up with water. In the old says, last century that is, there were springs on the slope down to Barkers Road. Rain falling on the porous sandy hill top seeped down to the hard Silurian, and formed a reservoir for these springs, which haven't quite disappeared yet, but bubble up in lanes, in spite of drainage, in the winter.

# NATIVE PLANT GROUP

A new group is to be formed for those with an interest in growing Australian plants. If you are planning a native garden or merely wish to introduce a few natives among your long established exotics, there could be something here for you.

In fact, whether you are an expert or an amateur, you can ensure that the group answers your needs by coming to the inaugural meeting at 8.00 p.m. on Wednesday 21st. April at the Elder Citizens' Hall, Corner Childers and High Streets, East Kew. Your views will be welcomed and you will have the opportunity to participate in ongoing planning.

Guest speaker for this meeting will be Dr. Ross Macdonald of the Maroondah Branch of the Society for Growing Australian Plants. Dr. Macdonald has a considerable reputation as a grower of native plants and is also a very fine photographer. He will give a slide presentation and discussion of plants suitable for Kew, Hawthorn, and Camberwell gardens and will also comment on plants indigenous to this locality.

Further details may be obtained by phoning 861 9198 or 80 2255.

# THEY HELP THEIR FELLOW CITIZENS

For the past 10 years, volunteers of the Kew and Hawthorn Citizens' Advice Bureau have been giving free help and advice on everyday problems to people of the two areas.

In fact, the service has just celebrated its 10th. birthday.

Naturally there was a party with a band and balloons, and a birthday cake cut by the Mayor of Kew, Cr. Martin Solomons.

But as well, the Bureau marked the occasion with the announcement of expanded services.

Already it operates at two addresses, Kew City Hall in Cotham Road, and the RSL Hall, 605 Glenferrie Road, Hawthorn. Now it has also opened a branch office at the Copy Shop in Walpole Street, Kew, on a trial basis.

Hours of operation are: Kew - Monday to Friday 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Tuesday 7.30 p.m. to 9 p.m.; Hawthorn - Monday to Thursday 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Wednesday 7.30 p.m. to 9 p.m. Free legal advice is available on both evenings.

The Copy Shop will be open on Fridays from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturdays 9.30 a.m. to noon.

To publicise the services, CAB workers manned the Community Caravan in High Street Kew, talking to passers by.

# Kew CHESS CLUB

The Chess Club meets every Friday in the Auxiliary Room at the Kew Civic Centre, between 6 p.m. - 11.30 p.m. All visitors and new members most welcome.