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Dear Members and Friends

“Miei Amici” brought together international performers Rosemarie Arthars, Andrew Collis and Kerri Eaton with the support by Ludy Sigrist and David Muller, on August 1, and gave us a wonderful feast of classical songs and opera arias. On August 6, Classics went Baroque in a great night of early music while the Young at Heart concert on August 16, featuring the QYO Big Band had us tapping our feet all afternoon.

Don't miss **REDFEST** (Redland Spring Festival) September 4, 5 & 6 where the Arts Council will bring you the **BA-LONN JAZZ TENT**, featuring Peter Cupples, Paris Dreaming, Musical Chairs, The Cat's Whiskers and more.

Australia's hottest tap dance sensation, **RAWDANCE**, will present RedFest fans with a combination of explosive rhythms, pure comical genius, acrobatics and good old fashioned fun.

The next **CLASSICS CLOSE UP!** on Sunday, September 13 will feature “**6 HANDS ON A GRAND**”. Leanne Swanson and June Butcher will perform some fabulous duets and Linda Muller joins them for a thirty finger version of Beethoven's 5th Symphony.

And a reminder that on October 17, the Mayor, the Redlands Eisteddfod and the Redlands Arts Council will bring you **REDLANDS ON STAGE** at the Redland Performing Arts Centre. This will be a spectacular musical evening and should not to be missed.

John Muller
President

Beneath the Southern Cross

As a special treat, Theatre Genesis will be performing 4 concerts of a montage of Australian verse and more at the Redland Museum, 60 Smith Street, Cleveland, in our beautiful (and soon to be upgraded) performance space “under the gums”.

10 – 13 September

3 evening (Thursday, Friday, Saturday) and one Sunday matinee

The Museum is purchasing wireless microphones and amplifiers so all concerts will be loud and clear! Tickets are \$20 which includes supper.

Book early, tickets selling fast.

(BYO pillow, for added comfort!)

Date Claimers

September 5 & 6 – REDFEST (Redlands Spring Festival) with Redlands Arts Council Jazz Tent and RAW DANCE workshops and concerts.

October 17 "REDLANDS ON STAGE" at RPAC – Collaboration between Mayor of Redland City, Melva Hobson, Redlands Eisteddfod and Redlands Arts Council.

Classics Close Up!

Final events in our 2009 Program

Sunday September 13th at 2pm at Cleveland High performance space
Leanne presents "6 hands on a Grand" June Butcher

Performance Space, Cleveland District State High School at 2pm.

Featuring well known Brisbane Pianist June Butcher, Leanne Swanson and Linda Muller. Two bottoms at one piano is bad enough, but when you try to squeeze three onto one piano stool then the problems begin! That will be the tone of the evening for this Classics concert. Leanne and well known Brisbane pianist and examiner, June Butcher join forces for an evening of piano duets. Popular and classics flow from 20 fingers on the grand *but* that's not all. Throw in an extra 10 fingers onto that grand and there's bound to be trouble. Linda Muller will join them for Beethoven 5th symphony presented on one piano!! Yes its true, and twill be a sight to see and hear. You will also hear Liszts 2nd Rhapsody, Grieg's Peer Gynt, Faure's Dolly Suite and more.



Friday October 2nd at Cleveland High 7pm Redlands Arts Council Presents
Savoyards Singers Musicals on Parade

Friday October 9th Redlands Arts Council and Redlands Art Gallery present
A Woodwind Ensemble
At the Redland Art Gallery at 7pm. Limited seating

Friday November 13th
Redlands Arts Council and Redlands Museum present
An Early Music 'Consort'
With Leanne Swanson and guests artists at the Redland Museum at 7pm Limited seating

Sunday December 6th at 2pm at Cleveland High Performance Space
"A Chamber Music Spectacular"
with Leanne Swanson and guest artists

The Redland Museum proudly presents

Australian Chamber Musicians

a very special concert to celebrate Spring!

Sunday 6 September at 4pm.

Make your bookings now by phoning the Redland Museum **3286 3494** or calling at the Museum at 60 Smith Street, Cleveland for your tickets

Tickets \$20.00 includes Wine and Cheese

A very special concert with ***FOUR FINE MUSICIANS***

Shelli Hulcombe – Soprano, Rianne Wilschut – Clarinet

Paul Kopetz – Bass Clarinet, Dave Mibus – Piano

*Featuring Bach, Mozart, Schubert, Cossetto, Gershwin,
Bruch, Piazzolla and Arlen/Koehler*