



The Johannesburg Bach Choir

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Dear Choir Member

Here are some points to diarise:

Christmas Concert 1

We'll be doing a series of carols and readings on Sunday, 25 November at 15:00 at St Martin's-in-the-Veld. The church is situated on the corner of Eastwood and Cradock Avenues in Dunkeld. The carols will comprise the half-dozen or so we are currently rehearsing, as well as some nice extracts from *Messiah* by Handel. If you would like to do a reading, please speak to Jane Abrahams. Owen will be accompanying us on the organ. There will be a small entrance fee (probably about R20 or so) to cover the costs of the venue, printing, car guards and Tim's and Owen's efforts. No refreshments required, but please wear the usual Choir dress.

Christmas Concert 2

On Saturday, 1 December we shall be repeating the Christmas concert at Waterfall Hills, Sunninghill (close to Eskom head office). A map and the starting time will still be made available. The latter will be late afternoon / early evening. Choir dress again, please.

End of Year Party

Like last year we'll be having a social get-together to celebrate the Choir's achievements. This will be at Tim's (and his wife Fiona's) residence at xxxx xxxx xxxx xxxx from 12:30 on Sunday, 2 December. Please bring your better halves and children, also any ex-members that you may know of, or members who have taken "sabbaticals". There's a pool for whoever feels the need, so bring cozzies too. Tim has very kindly agreed to supply the booze (much vino). If your tastes run to some bizarre form of libation, please bring your own. Also, a plate of something to share will be much appreciated. Choir dress will not be required.

Next Year – 2013

We restart rehearsals on Monday, 14 January 2013 at 19:15 at St Columba's in Parkview (as usual). The programme for next year has not been completely finalised but Tim and I should have it ready in a week or two. Our aim for 2013 is to grow the Choir's numbers, so please bring any people along who might like to join our jovial ranks.

Reiner Fossati, Chairman