

RSCM WA Branch AGM 2021

WA Branch Members and friends are invited to our **Annual General Meeting** scheduled for Saturday, **February 6th, at 11am** with a recital beforehand at 10:30am

The venue will be **St Andrews Anglican Church** in Subiaco.

A nomination form is attached below if you feel led to help us on committee in 2021.

Proxies and apologies
-please email
wa.chair@rscmaustralia.org.au

Membership 2021

A 2021 RSCM Branch membership form is attached below.

Please consider your membership for this year, as we restart as many activities as we can, particularly choir camp.



Chair Report

Pretty much every article talking about 2020 will start with some form of the words, "It's been an unprecedented year"! For the branch, it's been a year of postponements, cancellations, and the disappointments brought on by those things. However, it's also been a year of thanks that Western Australia has been largely spared of the more terrible effects of COVID-19 - we have been very fortunate to have avoided some of the measures, or the health effects that many others have suffered through.

We have tried our best to keep as many things happening as we can, but through an abundance of caution, we felt unable to run this year's choir camp, or many of our usual events. It was with some relief that we were able to schedule our recent Hymn Festival and thanks go out to Sheila Byfield for coordinating that event.

Your branch committee is working towards a 2021 schedule at this time, and we hope to see as many of you as possible at the AGM to kick off the year.

Ken Taylor - Branch Chair



Dates for your Diary

Provisional events for 2021

February 6th: AGM - 10:30 recital for 11 am meeting - St Andrews Subiaco

March 5th*: RSCM Autumn Dinner

March 21st*: 'The First Easter'

May: Small Choirs Workshop

June 13th: Fundraising Concert

July: 6-11th: Choir Camp

August 1st, Choral Festival. St Mary's Cathedral

September: Gospel Workshop

October/November: Festival of Great Hymns

TBA: Parish Musician's Meetup, St Mary's Cathedral

* Dates to be confirmed

Your Branch Committee for 2020 is:

Ken Taylor - Chair

wa.chair@rscmaustralia.org.au

Lucy Commander - Secretary

wa.secretary@rscmaustralia.org.au

Kate Sinfield - Treasurer

wa.treasurer@rscmaustralia.org.au

Louise Bell - Choir Camp Coordinator

wa.choircamp@rscmaustralia.org.au

Branch Committee Members

Sheila Byfield

Jacinta Jakovcevic

Steven Secker

Ruth Styles

Please direct all correspondence to the secretary at the address above, or to:

RSCM WA Secretary

PO Box 1313

West Leederville,

Western AUSTRALIA 6901

WestNews needs your events to publicise - please forward these to westnews@rscmaustralia.org.au

Junior Choristers Meetup and Gospel Workshop

On Saturday September 26th, we held our annual *Gospel Workshop* led by **Louise Bell** at **St Patricks Mt Lawley**



This was the first weekend of the school holidays, and we had a great crowd of choir camp participants and a few additional young-at-heart participants. Thanks again to St Patricks, to Ruth for bringing refreshments and especially to Louise for leading.

RSCM Spring Dinner

As a beginning to what we plan to be a regular event, we had a small gathering at the wonderful Parlapa restaurant in Fremantle on Friday September 18th.

Dominic Perissinotto spoke to us about his history with music, from his time in UK and work at St Patricks, Fremantle.

While we were restricted to a maximum of 16, we were nevertheless, treated to a delicious meal and it was great to catch up with many of you there.



We plan to have a similar event in March - stay tuned for more information as our 2021 plans come together.

ROYAL SCHOOL OF CHURCH MUSIC, W.A. Branch

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Annual General Meeting of the RSCM, W.A.
will be held at
St Andrews, Subiaco
Saturday, 6th February, 2021 at 11.00am

FORM OF PROXY FOR THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

I,

of (address).....

a financial member of the Royal School of Church Music, W.A. Branch and entitled to vote
hereby appoint,

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of.....

another financial member of the Society, to vote for me and on my behalf at the
Annual General Meeting

thisday of 2021

Signature

**NOMINATION FORM FOR THE
ELECTION OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS, 2021**

I,.....

of (address)

wish to nominate

Committee Member of the Royal School of Church Music, W.A. Branch

SignedDate.....

Seconded byDate

Signature of Nominee



WESTERN AUSTRALIAN BRANCH

ABN: 83 053 803 643

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM 2021

Name or Contact Person: _____

Church (if applicable): _____

Address: _____

Suburb: _____ **Postcode:** _____

Phone: _____ **E-mail:** _____

For churches/ choirs/ organisations:

<input type="checkbox"/>	RSCM Affiliate Membership	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WA branch membership & UK affiliation • 25% discount on multiple RSCM publications • <i>Church Music Quarterly</i> magazine • <i>Sunday by Sunday</i> magazine • <i>WestNews</i> newsletter 	\$145
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For individuals:

<input type="checkbox"/>	RSCM Individual Membership	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WA branch membership & UK affiliation • 12.5% discount on single RSCM publications • <i>Church Music Quarterly</i> magazine • <i>Sunday by Sunday</i> magazine • <i>WestNews</i> newsletter 	\$110
<input type="checkbox"/>	RSCM Friend	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WA branch membership & UK affiliation • <i>Church Music Quarterly</i> magazine • <i>WestNews</i> newsletter 	\$90
<input type="checkbox"/>	WA Branch Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WA branch membership (not affiliated with the UK) • <i>WestNews</i> newsletter 	\$60
<input type="checkbox"/>	RSCM Student Membership (RSCM Friend equivalent)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 18 to 25 years of age • WA branch membership & UK affiliation • <i>Church Music Quarterly</i> magazine • <i>WestNews</i> newsletter 	\$20

You will receive notices and the *WestNews* newsletter by email.

Forms to be emailed to wa.treasurer@rscmaustralia.org.au or posted to RSCM WA Branch, Membership, PO Box 1313, West Leederville WA 6901

Direct Debit: BSB: 066 001
 Account number: 0091 7766
 Account name: RSCM WA Branch

Please state your name as the transaction subject.

Please make Cheques payable to RSCM WA Branch

Credit Card: Number _____ Expiry Date ___ / ___ CVV _____