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## Pearl Beach Singers - Glee Club Concert Postponed

Due to the current Government regulations relating to the Covid 19 Pandemic plus social distancing requirements regarding group singing and the possible spread of the virus the Pearl Beach Singers have had to postpone their annual Glee Club concerts scheduled for 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> August.

The original Pearl Beach Glee Club was formed in the nineteen fifties to raise funds to complete the Pearl Beach Memorial Hall and they put on a number of "Grand Concerts". The Glee Club Singers was re-formed in 2010 by a group of local music lovers to celebrate the 60th anniversary of the original Glee Club. The success of the anniversary concert encouraged the tradition to continue and each year members have maintained the pleasure of regular meetings around the piano.

Pauline Toohey, a member of the organising group says "we have had a small meeting to discuss the possibility of setting up regular Zoom sessions to overcome our disappointment at not being able to meet weekly to sing and socialise over a cup of tea". She continues, "we are hoping we may be able to hold the annual Pearl Beach Community Carols prior to Christmas and have started sourcing suitable carols so that locals, visitors and families can participate and enjoy".

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## 2019 Singers having fun

