



## *Macedonian Community of Adelaide and S.A. Inc.*

### MACEDONIAN COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

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#### **AMFE “Sloboda” performs successfully at the Bangladeshi Festival**

Our wonderful folk-dance ensemble “Sloboda” continued its recent series of excellent performances with its appearance, with numerous other multicultural dance groups, at the annual ‘Bangladeshi’ Festival, held at Prospect. A nice gift was presented to the Ensemble by organizers. The Minister assisting the Premier for Multicultural Affairs, **Hon. Jing Lee MLC**, was again on hand to offer her support for all performing ensembles, while the good crowd present also enjoyed a day of traditional culinary offerings and other exciting events.

The summer season promises to be a very busy one for the dancers of our Ensemble, led very capably of course by its principal choreographer, **Lisa Georgiou**. Forthcoming performances will include the end of year Xmas function at the Macedonian Community Centre, and early next year, performances are scheduled at the Ukrainian festival, and another traditional Balkan cultural event in February.

Persons interested in joining any of the age groups within the Ensemble are invited to contact Lisa via “Sloboda’s” Facebook page, or by responding through our Website.

Stay tuned also for further news about the establishment of a more casual Macedonian folk dancing group, comprised of former “Sloboda” dancers and other more ‘seasoned’ adults, who want to improve their folk dancing skills under the keen but expert eye of Lisa Georgiou!



## AGM – Sunday 12 December 2021 – MCASA members to elect a new Executive Committee

After the pandemic interruption last year, MCASA members are looking forward to the AGM to be held on 12 December next, commencing at 1.00 pm. Amongst various reports from MCASA office-bearers, and discussions emanating from an interesting agenda, elections will be held. Bear in mind, attendance at the AGM is strictly for members only! The meeting will certainly be COVID compliant!

See the **list of eligible candidates** who have nominated for the elections below :



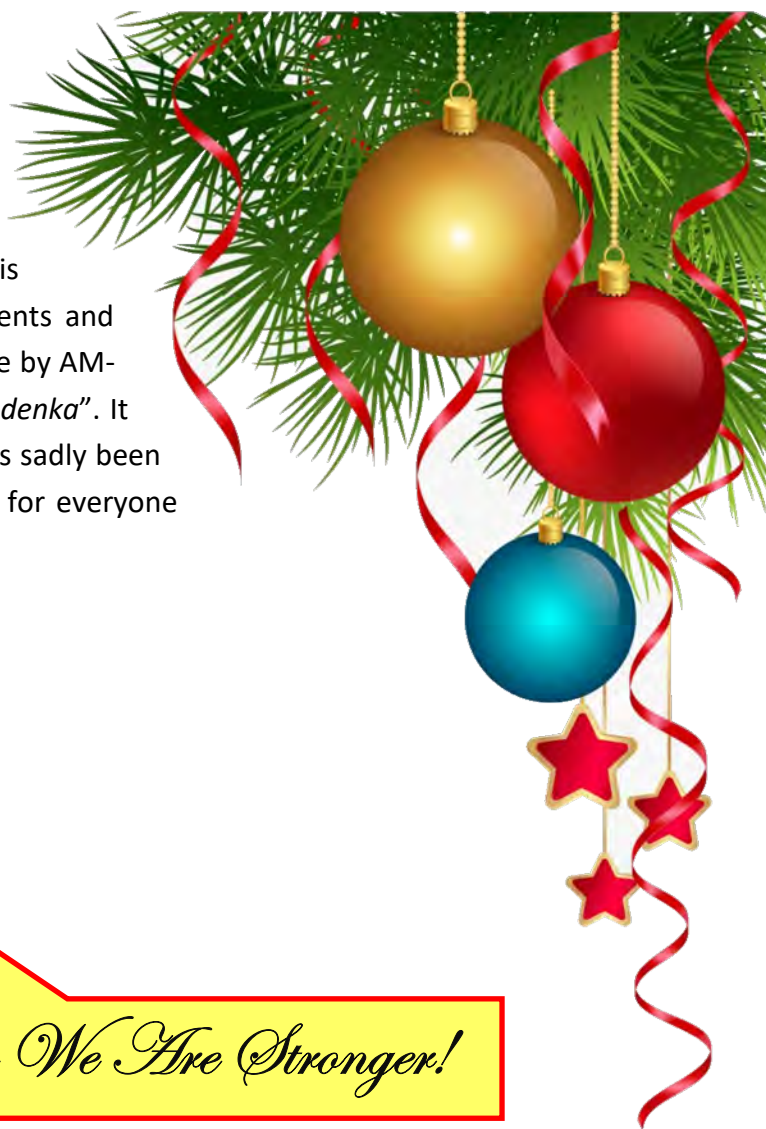
## Hall Renovations in Full Swing

The renovations of the front area of the Macedonian Community Hall have now commenced in earnest! These include the upgrading of all facilities, the building (completed) of an extended unisex block for disabled usage, foyer improvement and an external front-end façade refurbishment. Unfortunately, this will mean some temporary inconvenience caused to all Hall patrons until the end of the year.



## End of Year Xmas Celebration

Stay tuned for further information about our MCASA “Xmas Party”, to be held at the Community Centre on Saturday 18 December 2021, commencing in the late afternoon. This will be a casual event, with refreshments and entertainment, including a performance by AM-FE “Sloboda”, and our Vocal Group “Sedenka”. It will be the perfect way to end what has sadly been another difficult and challenging years for everyone in the broader community!



Best Wishes to all!

**A. Michael Radin**

**President**

*Together We Are Stronger!*

**MACEDONIAN COMMUNITY OF ADELAIDE &  
SOUTH AUSTRALIA INC.**

**LIST OF ELIGIBLE CANDIDATES FOR ELECTION TO THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

**SUNDAY 12<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER 2021, 1.00 pm**

**POSITION**

**CANDIDATES**

**PRESIDENT**

**RADIN, Michael**

**OUZOUNIS, Stella**

**VICE-PRESIDENT**

**PETRE, Jim**

**PETRE, Fay**

**SECRETARY**

**RADIN, Michael**

**ASSISTANT SECRETARY**

**PETRE, Fay**

**TREASURER**

**TRAMPEVA-RADIN, Jennie**

**OUZOUNIS, Stella**

**ASSISTANT TREASURER**

**NICHOLAS, George**

**COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

**PETRE, Jim**

**POPOVSKA, Velika**

**NICHOLAS, George**

**TRAMPEVA-RADIN, Jennie**

**UNERKOV, Peter**

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### **Macedonian Orthodox Church “St. Naum of Ohrid”**

- Macedonian Council of SA
- Association of Refugee Children from the Aegean region of Macedonia (SA)
- Board of Life Members
- Macedonian Social Club “*Ilinden*” Inc.
- “*Macedonia United*” Soccer Club
- Cultural Society “*Iskra*” \* Macedonian School “*Sts. Kiril & Metodi*”
- Macedonian Senior Citizens
- Womens’ Section \* Youth Group
- Society of Macedonian Professionals “*Vox*”
- Macedonian Heritage Movement “*Spas*”
- Folkloric Ensemble “*Sloboda*”
- Macedonian Community Media : *Radio & TV Programs*
- Human Rights Committee (SA) \* Welfare Committee
- Village Committees - “*Kotori*” “*Peshoshnitsa*” “*Visheni*”



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