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Hello to all fellow community choirs and choristers,

The Maryborough Choral Society invites choirs and individual choristers to join us for a weekend of singing, fun and networking at the ANCA Big Sing 2018, to be held at the Brolga Theatre from Friday 28th September to Sunday 30th September 2018.

We have prepared a promotional PowerPoint to provide information about what exciting things will be on offer throughout the weekend. It details information about activities, costs, registration and includes our contact details.

The weekend is mainly dedicated to singing, however there will be time for relaxation. Saturday night’s dinner will be a night of good food and fellowship. It is an optional extra, but we’d highly recommend that all participants avail themselves of this opportunity to network with other choristers.

The weekend culminates in a concert on Sunday afternoon, which is open to the public. Participating choirs will be invited to perform, then the massed choir will present the choral pieces they will have learnt and refined during their Big Sing adventure. What a joy and privilege it is to anticipate being part of that massed choir!

Some of you may like to stay an extra day as Monday 1st October is a public holiday. We are blessed to live in the beautiful Fraser Coast Area. Maryborough is widely recognised as the heritage city and the home of Mary Poppins, while nearby Hervey Bay and Fraser Island are renowned for their stunning beaches. The Big Sing falls during the whale watching season, which is an experience not to be missed. As the Big Sing falls during the height of the local tourist season, it would be wise to book accommodation early! The cheapest deals on accommodation can be obtained by contacting venues directly.

We look forward to welcoming you in September.

Yours in singing,

Lana Ballin

*President*

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