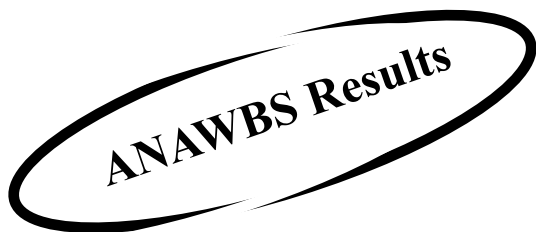




# BWBC

news

October 2011



Blackwood Winemakers and Brewers Club Inc.

## Special Meeting



At the October meeting there will be a Special General Meeting prior to our regular meeting to deal with some wording changes to the BWBC constitution. Attached to the newsletter is a copy of the old constitution with the proposed changes

in red and a copy of the new constitution incorporating all the changes.

Please could you read this before the special meeting and bring the copies with you especially if you would like to discuss some of the proposed changes.

## October Meeting

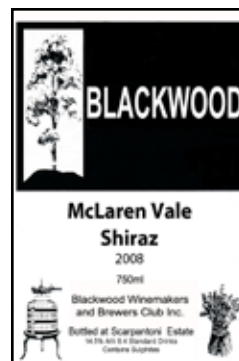
Following on from the excellent presentation we had last year from winners at the 2010 ANAWBS competition the committee has decided to make this an annual feature.

The speakers on Wednesday will be drawn from the first place-getters at this year's ANAWBS.



They will present their wines for tasting and will briefly discuss their winemaking processes. There were many BWBC members who successfully exhibited at ANAWBS 2011. A list of club members results is on page 2. Congratulations to all.

## Wine Sales



The Scarpantoni Shiraz that was bottled on the 9th September is still available at \$85.00 per dozen. The club still has 149 doz to sell, this is only 2 doz per member. Please promote this excellent wine to all your friends and colleagues.

## Trophies

Return of Competition trophies  
These should be returned at this month's meeting to allow time for engraving. Presentation function is at the Blackwood Football Club on Sunday 4th December.



## Next Meeting Wednesday October 19th 7.30pm

### Speaker

Discussion and tasting of trophy winning wines from ANAWBS

### Competition

There is no competition for this month. November is the Current Vintage Red and White Competition

# ANAWBS 2011

## Chairman's report

It is my pleasure to give the 2011 ANAWBS committee/chairman's report.

We had an excellent Show this year with 180 beer entries, 368 wine entries and 12 label entries – about the same number as last year.

Congratulations to all the brewers and winemakers who received awards, particularly the Most successful Brewer, Most successful Winemaker, the Mash Paddle recipient, and the Best Wine of the Show.

My thanks go to all the judges, stewards and other hardworking volunteers who helped out this year.

Some were not even members of the sponsoring clubs, Amateur Winemakers and Brewers Club of Adelaide, and Blackwood Amateur Winemakers and Brewers Club, but responded to publicity on ABC radio or registered via the website.

In particular, I would like to thank my committee,

who began working towards this Show straight after the last one, and who for the most part devote two weeks of their life each October to work behind the scenes for this event .

I would also like to acknowledge the sponsors of our Show, particularly our platinum sponsors, the University of Adelaide, SAMBA, Dymocks and Winequip, as well as all the gold, silver and bronze level sponsors who are listed elsewhere in the results book.

Finally, I may be speaking to the converted, but please consider entering in the Show, encouraging other amateur winemakers or brewers to enter , or volunteering your time to help next year! It can be a lot of fun.

Cheers,

Jane Boroky

ANAWBS Committee 2011

## MAJOR TROPHY WINNERS

|              |                             |
|--------------|-----------------------------|
| Glen Snook   | Best Wine of the Show       |
| Wattiparinga | Best Table Wine of the Show |
| Wattiparinga | Most Successful Winemaker   |

## TROPHY WINNERS\* (class winners)

|                   |       |   |
|-------------------|-------|---|
| Antonio Iaccarino | First | W23 - Dry, Sweet or Sparkling Cider                       |
| Art Ingram        | First | W13 - 2010 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Cabernet Shiraz Blend |
| Garry Bettison    | First | W02 - Current Vintage - Shiraz                            |
| Glenn Snook       | First | W15 - 2007 or Older - Any Varietal or Blended Red Wine    |
| Glenn Snook       | First | W24 - Grape or Non-Grape Fortified or Dessert Style Wines |
| Henry Clarke      | First | W09 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Shiraz                       |
| Henry Clarke      | First | W20 - Any Vintage - Varietal Dry White Wine - Other       |
| Philip Hicks      | First | W18 - Any Vintage - Sauvignon Blanc                       |
| Wattiparinga      | First | W06 - Current Vintage - Blended Red Wine                  |
| Wattiparinga      | First | W22 - Any Vintage - Sparkling Grape or Non-Grape Wine     |

## OTHER TROPHY WINNERS\* (class placegetters)

|                                       |        |   |
|---------------------------------------|--------|---|
| David Lewis                           | Second | W08 - 2010 Vintage - Shiraz                                   |
| David Lewis                           | Second | W13 - 2010 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Cabernet Shiraz Blend     |
| David Lewis                           | Third  | W13 - 2010 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Cabernet Shiraz Blend     |
| Glenn Snook                           | Third  | W09 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Shiraz                           |
| Mario Micarone                        | Second | W04 - Current Vintage - Varietal Red Wine Group 1             |
| Mario Micarone                        | Second | W21 - Any Vintage - Rose                                      |
| Mario Micarone                        | Second | W22 - Any Vintage - Sparkling Grape or Non-Grape Wine         |
| Mario Nocita                          | Third  | W11 - 2010 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Varietal Red Wine Group 1 |
| The Secret Society of the Dalai Lager | Second | EUR3 - Pilsner - Bohemian, German and American Lager          |
| Michael Lineage                       | Third  | W22 - Any Vintage - Sparkling Grape or Non-Grape Wine         |
| Plate Harvey Syndicate                | Third  | W01 - Current Vintage - Cabernet Sauvignon                    |
| Wattiparinga                          | Second | W12 - 2010 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Varietal Red Wine Group 2 |

Wattiparinga Third W21 - Any Vintage - Rose

\* Trophies awarded to medal quality wines only

### MEDAL WINNERS

|                                       |        |  |
|---------------------------------------|--------|--|
| Antonio Iaccarino                     | Bronze | W14 - 2010 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Other Blended Red Wine                                 |
| Antonio Iaccarino                     | Bronze | W23 - Dry, Sweet or Sparkling Cider  |
| Art Ingram                            | Silver | W13 - 2010 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Cabernet Shiraz Blend                                  |
| Art Ingram                            | Bronze | W15 - 2007 or Older - Any Varietal or Blended Red Wine                                     |
| Bempton Group                         | Bronze | W09 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Shiraz  |
| Bempton Group                         | Bronze | W15 - 2007 or Older - Any Varietal or Blended Red Wine                                     |
| David Lewis                           | Bronze | W02 - Current Vintage - Shiraz   |
| David Lewis                           | Silver | W08 - 2010 Vintage - Shiraz  |
| David Lewis                           | Bronze | W13 - 2010 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Cabernet Shiraz Blend                                  |
| David Lewis                           | Bronze | W13 - 2010 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Cabernet Shiraz Blend                                  |
| Garry Bettison                        | Silver | W02 - Current Vintage - Shiraz   |
| Glenn Snook                           | Bronze | W09 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Shiraz  |
| Glenn Snook                           | Silver | W09 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Shiraz  |
| Glenn Snook                           | Bronze | W15 - 2007 or Older - Any Varietal or Blended Red Wine                                     |
| Glenn Snook                           | Gold   | W24 - Grape or Non-Grape Fortified or Dessert Style Wines                                  |
| Henry Clarke                          | Bronze | W08 - 2010 Vintage - Shiraz  |
| Henry Clarke                          | Silver | W09 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Shiraz  |
| Henry Clarke                          | Silver | W20 - Any Vintage - Varietal Dry White Wine - Other  |
| Jim Hay                               | Bronze | EUR10 - Classic Dry, Oatmeal, Foreign Extra and Russian Imperial<br>Stouts                 |
| Mario Micarone                        | Bronze | W04 - Current Vintage - Varietal Red Wine Group 1  |
| Mario Micarone                        | Bronze | W21 - Any Vintage - Rose   |
| Mario Micarone                        | Bronze | W22 - Any Vintage - Sparkling Grape or Non-Grape Wine                                      |
| Mario Nocita                          | Bronze | W11 - 2010 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Varietal Red Wine Grou                                 |
| Michael Lineage                       | Bronze | UK1 - English Pale Ale - Ordinary Bitter, Special Bitter, Pale Ale<br>Extra Special Bitter |
| Michael Lineage                       | Bronze | UK1 - English Pale Ale - Ordinary Bitter, Special Bitter, Pale Ale<br>Extra Special Bitter |
| Michael Lineage                       | Bronze | W18 - Any Vintage - Sauvignon Blanc  |
| Michael Lineage                       | Bronze | W01 - Current Vintage - Cabernet Sauvignon   |
| Michael Lineage                       | Bronze | W01 - Current Vintage - Cabernet Sauvignon   |
| Philip Hicks                          | Bronze | W06 - Current Vintage - Blended Red Wine   |
| Plate Harvey Syndicate                | Bronze | W06 - Current Vintage - Blended Red Wine   |
| The Secret Society of the Dalai Lager | Bronze | EUR3 - Pilsner - Bohemian, German and American Lager                                       |
| Wattiparinga                          | Bronze | W01 - Current Vintage - Cabernet Sauvignon   |
| Wattiparinga                          | Bronze | W06 - Current Vintage - Blended Red Wine   |
| Wattiparinga                          | Silver | W06 - Current Vintage - Blended Red Wine   |
| Wattiparinga                          | Bronze | W12 - 2010 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Varietal Red Wine Group 2                              |
| Wattiparinga                          | Bronze | W12 - 2010 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Varietal Red Wine Group 2                              |
| Wattiparinga                          | Bronze | W21 - Any Vintage - Rose   |
| Wattiparinga                          | Silver | W22 - Any Vintage - Sparkling Grape or Non-Grape Wine                                      |
| Vandborg Winkworth Zivkovic Syndicate | Bronze | W07 - 2010 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Cabernet Sauvignon                                     |
| Vandborg Winkworth Zivkovic Syndicate | Bronze | W07 - 2010 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Cabernet Sauvignon                                     |
| Vandborg Winkworth Zivkovic Syndicate | Bronze | W07 - 2010 - 2009 - 2008 Vintages - Cabernet Sauvignon                                     |



## Member profile

Ian Maxfield



Ian and his wife Chris have been members of the BWBC for a number of years. Ian has served on the committee for the last 3 years and is responsible for membership and assisting with finances. He is also the chief bottle counter at our bottlings.

### **Where do you work, or where did you used to work?**

*TransAdelaide and now retired.*

### **What are your interests/hobbies?**

*Holidaying, gardening wine and beer making and appreciation*

### **How did you come to join the BWBC?**

*My wife read the article about BWBC placed in Blackwood Times, phoned up Bob and came to a meeting and Steve P & Bob made us feel very welcomed. Came to the next meeting and joined up.*

### **If you are a newer member, what do you hope to gain from your membership of the BWBC? If you have been in the Club for some time what have you gained from your membership of the BWBC?**

*Socialising with people who are also passionate about wine and expanding my wine knowledge and experiences and in particular gaining knowledge and experience to start making wine myself.*

### **How did you become interested in wine/beer?**

*My grandfather introduced me to sherry at about 6 years of age and I went on from there – have never been a big beer drinker, but make up for it in wine, especially red wine.*

### **What are your favourite wine/beer styles, and why?**

*Prefer a red such as a bold Coonawarra or Limestone Coast Cabernet or a McLaren Vale shiraz or cabernet – prefer a straight grape variety to a blend. We are spoilt for choice here in Adelaide surrounded by all our great wine regions so very close to Adelaide.*

### **Do you have a favourite wine region within SA, Australia or the world, and if so why?**

*In order of preference my top 4 are Coonawarra, (makes the best cabernet in the world). Tuscany, (all dry grown, not allowed to irrigate and minimal sulphites added to the wine and you can drink as much Chianti as you like and not suffer a hangover/headache the next morning). McLaren Vale, (very close to where we live and you can get the best value good wines). Limestone Coast (make great wines and still a secret for most people).*

### **What is your most memorable wine/beer related experience?**

*Attending the Grieve in Chianti Wine Festival in Tuscany in 2008.*

### **Are you part of a group or do you make your own wine and/or beer and if so how much do you normally make? If part of a group, which group is it.**

*Currently not part of a group, but I am looking to join/form a group. I was involved with the Beginners group run by Greg Jackson and found this a great experience in making white wine this year. I am also involved with Greg making a Sangiovese which next year may take out “wine of the show” at ANAWBS. My wife bought me a home brew kit last year and I have brewed some beers with mixed results.*

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## November Meeting

**Competition** - current vintage red and white wines  
**Speaker** - Michael Lineage on making sparkling wines (including some tastings)

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## BWBC Photo Exhibition

As part of the November meeting there will be a photographic display of pictures of club activities during 2011 or any other wine or brewing related images. These can be prints, digital images for projection or slides. Please can you let David Tulloch know if you are entering any photos. Prints can be brought along on the night, digital images or slides need to be sent to David Tulloch by 30th October. Contact Details David Tulloch Ph 8270 1907 email davidt@internode.on.net

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## Quiz Night

The BWBC will hold a quiz night on 24th February, starting at 7.30 at the Blackwood Football Club. Gather together your friends and book a table (8-10 person) and start reading all the trivia books you can find. Please bring basket supper and BYO drinks.

More detail in later newsletter



## We're off again

The October 30 bus trip will be centred around Woodside and Lobethal in the Adelaide Hills. The bus will leave from the usual spot, on the corner of Shepards Hill Road and Gladstone Road (next to Woolworths) at 8.45am.

### Stop 1



Melba's famous chocolate factory is housed in an historic cheese factory and visitors are able to view through the different production areas where a variety of confectioneries are made.



Woodside Cheese Wrights has produced a range of high quality award winning cheeses

since 1994. Our sophisticated range of cow and goat milk cheese, are made by directly sourcing milk from small local dairies providing us with excellent control of milk quality.

### Stop 2



The Barristers Block label was created in 2004 by Jan Siemelink-Allen together with her two sons James and Lachlan, and her husband Evert.

Jan has spent 20 years in the wine industry, starting in the Coonawarra managing Cellar Door outlets, then moving on to eventually spend 5 years managing South Australian sales for two major Australian wine companies, before leaving in September, 2004, to create and market her own label.

To enable us to maintain our standard of excellence, we ensure we obtain fruit from those regions which are known for providing the best fruit in a particular varietal. As well as sourcing quality fruit from

regions, such as the Barossa, the family farm in the Wrattobully region has a 25-acre vineyard, growing Shiraz and Cabernet Sauvignon, and we have recently expanded and purchased a 20-acre vineyard at Woodside in the Adelaide Hills. Notably, the Wrattobully vineyard provided the fruit for the winning Jimmy Watson wine in 2004 under contract, whilst we are able to obtain quality Sauvignon Blanc fruit, so typical and admired of the Adelaide Hills region, from Woodside.

Jan opened the new Barristers Block Cellar Door early in 2008. She firmly believes that all who visit will embrace the wines in the natural setting of the vineyard and see where her passion comes from that enables Barristers Block to produce such high quality wines.

### Stop 3

Lunch \_ Woodside hotel

### Stop 4



The family vineyard was established by Darren Gold-

ing, together with his parents, Connie and Greg, in 1995. In 2002, Darren and wife Lucy launched the first Golding Wines vintage.

The Lenswood region is traditionally known for its top grade apple orchards. A local fruit merchant, Greg was well acquainted with the area and realised the potential of the region for growing premium quality grapes - free draining soils, mild summer days, cool crisp nights and plenty of rainfall.

The family property now includes over 50 acres of vines, including Sauvignon Blanc, Chardonnay, Pinot Gris, Pinot Noir and Savagnin varieties.

Over the years, we have supplied fruit to some of Australia's most recognised wine brands - Hardy's, Tatchilla, Petaluma and Yalumba.

Today, their passion is the creation of premium cool climate wines that genuinely break new ground.

The majority of our range is made with only the most outstanding hand selected fruit from our own vineyards, providing a captivating reflection of our region's unique character.

Return to Blackwood 5 - 5.30pm  
The bus is fully booked out.

## Missing

The Club's Zork press has gone missing. If you have borrowed it or know of any one who may have used it recently please contact our property.

## Property Officer

If you need to borrow club equipment or gain access to the club storage room please contact Bob Morton. The committee is looking for a new property officer. If you live near the hall and would like to volunteer please contact Bob Morton Ph 8278 5916

## Members' Duty Roster 2011

Those rostered for duty are asked to arrive a little bit earlier to help set up for the meeting and clean up afterwards. **All members are asked to wash and dry their own tasting glass.**

| Oct            | Nov              |
|----------------|------------------|
| David Clarke   | Brian Cloudesley |
| David Hamilton | Jim Hay          |
| Manfred Kurmis | Roger Pounder    |
| Steve Potiuch  | Dean & Maeve     |
| Mark Stueve    | Swinden          |
| Des Williams   | Andrew Williams  |

### 2011/12 Committee

|           |               |           |
|-----------|---------------|-----------|
| President | Bob Morton    | 8278 5916 |
| Secretary | Chris Bills   | 8370 6279 |
| Treasurer | Steve Potiuch | 8278 5718 |

### Members

|               |                                |           |
|---------------|--------------------------------|-----------|
| Brian Ferris  | Deputy Chairman/<br>Wine Sales | 8278 6227 |
| David Tulloch | Newsletter                     | 8270 1907 |
| Glenn Snook   | Competitions                   | 8370 3390 |
| David Lewis   | Technical Officer              | 8277 5053 |
| Ian Maxfield  | Membership                     | 8370 5400 |

|                  |            |           |
|------------------|------------|-----------|
| Property Officer | Bob Morton | 8370 3390 |
| Library          | Ron Holmes | 8278 8056 |

## Life Members

**Chris Bills, Bill Ekins, Ron Head, Bob Morton, Steve Potiuch, Glenn Snook.**



Adelaide Restoration Centre features an extensive gallery of house fittings and fixtures from Victorian through to Art Deco and into the 21st century. Whether you wish to create the stylish charm of a modern design or re-create the classic beauty of the old world.

Adelaide Restoration Centre 32 Magill Road Norwood SA  
8363 0708 [www.oldadelaide.com.au](http://www.oldadelaide.com.au)

# 2011 Social Events



## Oct Bus Trip - 30th October 8.45am

Adelaide Hills

The bus will leave from the usual spot, on the corner of Shepards Hill Road and Gladstone Road (next to Woolworths) at 8.45am.

## End of year Lunch - Dec 4th

Blackwood Football Club

Full information will be published in later newsletters.

## Yeast available

In addition to the yeast advertised in the last newsletter we have about 400g of 2226 yeast available through David Lewis. This has been donated to the Club by Harry Van Borg. It is particularly for Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot.

## BWBC Photographers

To add interest to our 2011 current vintage night it has been suggested that we have a current vintage photography exhibition. This is open to all members of the club to show their pictures of club activities during 2011 or any other wine or brewing related images. The pictures can either be submitted as prints, jpeg files for projection or slides (if you still shoot film). See page 4 for more details.



## Blackwood Winemakers and Brewers Club Inc.

**Postal Address** PO Box 755 Blackwood SA 5051

**Web site** [www.bwbc.org.au](http://www.bwbc.org.au)

**Meetings** 3rd Wednesday of each month  
except December

**Venue** Blackwood Memorial Hall  
21 Coromandel Pde., Blackwood  
7.30pm.

### Newsletter Deadline

2nd Wednesday of each month.

Contact David Tulloch

[davidt@internode.on.net](mailto:davidt@internode.on.net)



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# Blackwood Winemakers and Brewers Club Inc

## WINE ORDER FORM

Please return this form, with payment, to;

Steve Potiuch  
14 Woodworth Street  
Blackwood SA 5051

|                                 | No. of doz. | Cost |
|---------------------------------|-------------|------|
| 2008 Shiraz @ \$85.00 per dozen |             |      |

Payment must be made at the time of ordering and can be made by cheque or Direct Transfer to the BWBC Bank Account

Please make cheques payable to:

“Blackwood Winemakers and Brewers Club Inc.”

Electronic Transfer to the BWBC bank Account

BSB 105-900 A/c No. 137298740 Please include your name in the details and let Steve know you have paid by electronic transfer.

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_