

TRIGLAV PANTHERS AWARDS 2007

NSW SLOVENIAN OF THE YEAR AWARDS FOR WINNERS OF 2006

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MEETING SUMMARY AND AGREED ACTION

MEETING DESCRIPTION:		BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT	
DATE OF MEETING:	25.04.07	Purpose of Meeting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1.0 Purpose of the meeting 2.0 Criteria for the awards 3.0 Invitations 4.0 Advertising of the event 5.0 SBS radio interview 6.0 Entertainment for the function 7.0 Tickets / prices for the event 8.0 Booklet 9.0 Letter to Slovenian Clubs 10.0 Choir performance 11.0 Promotional Video from last years event 12.0 Martha's Email address 13.0 Function reservations 	
MEETING PLACE:	St John Park		
MEETING NUMBER:	2		
NEXT MEETING:	TBA		
PRESENT:	REPRESENTING:		
Ivan Rudolf	Club Planica		
Martha Magajan	Triglav		
Perina Keen	Drama Group		
Maria Grosman	Club Tivoli and HASA		
Ivan Geric	Drustvo		
Cilka Princic	Club Tivoli		
Walter Suber	Triglav		
Apologies:			
Peter Krobe	Triglav	<p>ANZAC DAY meeting thankyou to all of you to take the time for the meeting and would like to acknowledge the Ivan and his wife coming up from Wollongong and Maria and her husband coming down from Newcastle.</p> <p>A special welcome to Mr Ivan Geric and Mrs Cilka Princic to the Judging panel.</p>	

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ITEM	SUBJECT & COMMENTS	ACTION AGREED	BY WHOM	WHEN
1	Purpose of the meeting	The purpose of the meeting was to go over the previous minutes and identify any outstanding actions.	ALL	
2	Criteria for the awards	Additional copies of the criteria have been sent out to the various Slovenian organisations.	WAS	ASAP
3	Invitations	Martha reported that all the invitations had been mailed via express mail. This was a little confusing because this was a function the Perina and Peter were planning. It was clarified that the individuals VIP invitations still needed to be sent out. Walter to discuss this with Peter.	PK / PK	ASAP
4	Advertising of the event	Martha reported back that she needed additional posters advertising the event for wider distribution. Martha / Walter to discuss with Vu.	MM/WAS	ASAP
5	SBS radio interview	Walter reported that he had done the first interview on SBS radio to promote the Slovenian Awards for 2007 with Tanja Smrdel. He went to say that another interview would need to be done at least 2 weeks out from the closing date reminding people to nominate, Outstanding Slovenians in their community. Peter to discuss this with the SBS radio co coordinator.	PK	
6	Entertainment for the function	All agreed that a magician be a part of the entertainment for this function Peter to discuss this with Vu and get a quote.	PK / VH	Complete
7	Tickets / prices for the event	Peter suggested that he wanted to get greater value to the members and suggested that the prices should be \$15 for members and \$25 for non-members, all agreed, Martha to draft up. Tickets are ready for sale.	MM	Complete
8	Booklet	Martha tabled a draft copy of the booklet and the committee	ALL	15 th of May

		<p>members went through each page.</p> <p>A photo was taken of this years judging panel for the booklet.</p> <p>All agreed that the various categories for the Awards would be entered into the second page, not calling it winners but nominations, so the booklet can be printed without delay.</p> <p>Florijan mentioned that the booklet must be complete and ready for printing no later than the 15th of May.</p> <p>Perina to do all the proof reading before printing.</p>		
9	Letter to Slovenian Clubs	Martha to draft up a letter to all Slovenian Clubs and organisations explaining the awards and asking them to nominate their people that they think should be a part of this program.	MM	Complete
10	Choir performance	All agreed that the choir had to perform the anthems and also agreed that they should perform 2 additional songs. Perina to follow up with Uros.	PK	Complete
11	Promotional Video from last years event	Martha had a few DVD's for sale from last year's event that had all the highlights; Florijan mentioned that the DVD he had made for last years event on Slovenia could be revamped for next year. Walter to discuss with Peter.	WAS/PK	ASAP
12	Martha's Email address	Vu to follow up with the correct email address for Martha using the Panthers site. Walter also mentioned that he would not like his personal / family email sent out.	VU/MM	Still outstanding
13	Function reservations	Martha is going to Slovenia on the 22 nd of may and will not be attending the awards event, Martha mentioned that we must find a suitable person to take up reservations for the function, Martha, Walter and Peter to discuss and come up wit a solution.	WAS/MM/PK	ASAP
14	Two new judges	Walter welcomed the new Judges for this years awards Mrs Cilka Princic and Mr Ivan Geric.	ALL	
15	Awards for life's work	Maria asked if the committee could consider creating an award	ALL	

		that covers people that have consistently contributed to the Slovenian community but have retired from public life, and is there a way of recognising there past achievements, this would be something that the judges could award as the “judges choice”. All agreed that this was an excellent initiative and it would be adopted in the year’s awards.		
16	Preznanje iz Slovenije	Florijan mention that to give the awards more credibility an office Preznanje that came direct from Slovenia would assist with potentially expanding the awards Nationally. Walter to write a letter to Suzana Martinez in Slovenia asking for her assistance.	WAS	ASAP
17	Allen’s Calendars. Locked Bag 326 Kingsgrove 2208 02 – 9740 9644	Ivan Rudolf highlighted a very interesting point on the Allen’s Calendar, the Slovenian National Day on the calendar is reported to be Slovenian Independence Day which is incorrect, Walter to follow up and see what is need to get this corrected.	WAS	
18	Nominations	Martha reminded everyone that the most important thing for everyone was to make sure that all the Slovenian organisation nominates someone and to advertise the Awards function at every opportunity.	ALL	

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Ivan Truden			Volunteer	Joze Nemes SDS	Ivan Geric , : proteus@bigpond.net.au
Marija Ovijac	3/90 Dutton Str Yagoona NSW 2199	9793 8280	Sen Citizen	Ivan Geric SDS & Versko Sredisce	
Vinko Ovijac	3/90 Dutton Str Yagoona NSW 2199		Life Work	SDS	
Marta Tomsic	11 Hereford PL South Wentworthville 2145	9631 0576	Volunt.	SDS	
Stane Tomsic		9631 0576	volunteer	SDS	
Sasa Lajovic	63 Hilly str Mortlake NSW 2137	9736 3226 FAX 9604 0096	Sen.cit.	Versko sredisce	
Peter Krobe	18 St Kilda Str St Johns Park NSW 2176	9610 1370 FAX 9753 1947 MOB 0412 986 377	volunteer	Panthers Triglav	
Loren Druzinec (mati Erika Druzinec)	4 Parkwood cl Castle Hill NSW 2154	ERIKA MOB .0412-963-188	Secondary student (year 8)	Martha Magajna Triglav	
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PRESENTED IN THE THE WINNERS FOR 2006



KATELIN KOPRIVEC

Primary Student of the Year

LOREN DRUŽINEC

Secondary Student of the year

ROBERT GROZNIK

Slovenian Entrepreneur

MARIJA OVIJAC

Slovenian Outstanding Senior Citizen

ALEKSANDRA LAJOVIC

Slovenian Outstanding Senior Citizen

BARICA BRODNIK

Slovenian Outstanding Volunteer

ALBINA MAVRIČ

Slovenian Volunteer of the year

STANE TOMŠIČ and MARTA TOMŠIČ

Slovenian Volunteer Highly Commended

PETER KROPE

Slovenian Outstanding Volunteer

ALFRED BREŽNIK

Australian Slovenian Achievements Award In Slovenia

VINKO OVIJAC

Achievement Award For The Life Work In The Slovenian Community

NSW – SLOVENIAN OF THE YEAR AWARDS 2007 PRESENTATIONS

	AWARD	NAME	ANNOUNCER	PRESENTER
1	Primary Student	Katelin KOPRIVEC	PETERINA KEEN	PETER KROPE. CHAIRMAN OF THE
2	Secondary Student	Loren DRUZINEC	PETERINA KEEN	ADVISORY COMMITTEE PANTHERS TRIGLAV ST JOHN'S PARK.
3	Entrepreneur of the Year	Robert GROZNIK	PETERINA KEEN	MR BARRY WALSH CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS PANTHERS
4	Volunteer of the Year Highly Commended	Stane & Marta TOMSIC	HELENA GERIC	MR HUY VU OPERATIONS MANAGER PANTHERS TRIGLAV
5	Volunteer of the Year	Albina MAVRIC	CLUSA PRANCIC	MR IVAN KLOPIC PRESIDENT OF SLOVENIAN SOCIETY TIVOLI NEWCASTL
6	Volunteer of the Year	Barica BRODNIK	MR IVAN RUDOLF	MR WALTER SUBER CHAIRMAN OF NSW AWARD COMMITTEE.
7	Volunteer of the Year	Peter KROPE	IVAN RUDOLF	MR ANDREW GARDINER GENERAL MANAGER PANTHERS TRIGLAV
8	Senior Citizen of the Year	Marija OVIJAC	MARIA GROSMAN	MR ALFRED BREZNIK HONORARY CONSUL GEN. OF REP. OF SLOVENIA
9	Senior Citizen of the Year	Sasa LAJOVIC	MARIA GROSMAN	"
10	Life Achievement Award	Vinko OVIJAC	MARIA GROSMAN	MR DANNY MUNK CHIEF OPERATIONS OFFICE PANTHERS GROUP
11	Australian Slovenian Achievement Award	Alfred BREZNIK	PETER KROPE	MR GREGOR KOZOVINC CHARGE D'AFFAIRS REP. OF SLOVENIA.

Can I ask Katelin Kopriviec
to come up.

We have a little treat for
you all. Katelin ~~Kopriviec~~
will do a solo.

Thanks Katelin.

NSW - SLOVENIAN

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KATELIN KOPRIVEC – Primary Student of the Year 2006 – draft 2

Perina Keen
Peter Krofe

Katelin was born 3rd February 1997 to Robert and Suzie Koprivec. She is currently a year 5 student at St Therese West Wollongong Primary School where she is a conscientious student amongst the top 5 in her year. Her interests include Singing, Dancing, Swimming and Reading.

She has been dancing since she was 4 yrs old and so has been performing and competing for about 6 years including Shopping mall performances and in the Wollongong, Sydney and Illawarra Eisteddfods.

She has also been successful in swimming and has been in the water since she was six months old. Singing though seems to be her passion and in the last three years she has achieved many 1st places in various Eisteddfods and festivals. Most recently she has come 1st twice, both in the Under 12's Championships and Scholarship at the Illawarra regional Eisteddfod 2007 even though she is still only 10.

Last year she performed for the Starlight Foundation at the Wollongong Entertainment Centre in a performance bringing pleasure to handicapped children and their families. She also has performed at Carols by Candlelight at Wollongong and the Australia Day Celebrations. There seems to be lots in the pipeline for you, Katelin, keep up the good work and Congratulations.

Katelin, hčerka Roberta in Suzie Koprivec, je med prvimi petimi najboljšimi učenci 5. razreda osnovne šole Svete Terezije, West Wollongong. Rada poje, pleše, plava in čita. V zadnjih šestih letih je že žela v plesanju in petju velike uspehe na raznih prireditvah v Wollongongu in Sydneyu. Letos je že dvakrat dosegla prvi nagradi v plesanju v kategoriji izpod dvanajst let, čeprav je stara samo deset let. Čestitamo

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SECONDARY PERINA

PETER
KROPE

**LOREN DRUZINEC – NSW – SLOVENIAN ~~PRIMARY~~
STUDENT OF THE YEAR 2006**

Loren was born in Australia on 2nd of Nov 1993 to Drago and Erika Druzinec. He is currently in Year 8 at Gilroy College in Baulkham Hills, where he is currently attaining results in the top 10% of his classes. He began his gymnastics career in Oct 2001 just as he was turning 8, where it was quickly evident that he possessed a natural talent for gymnastics. He was invited to begin serious gymnastics training at the start of 2002 at level 3. Over the next few years he progressed to the point where he attained an overall 1st place in level 6 at the State Championships at Homebush in May this year.

Since that competition Loren has begun training at level 7 where he will be able to qualify for the Australian National team. His aim is to represent Australia at the 2016 Olympics and he trains 21 hrs each week, his favourite apparatus is the Rings.

To top everything off he has also recently taken up Karate for which he trains up to two hours each Tuesday. Well done Loren and keep up the good work.

LOREN DRUZINEC je učenec 8. razreda v Gilroy College v Baulkham Hills. V šoli je priden, saj spada med prvih 10% najboljših študentov v njegovem razredu. Pred pet in pol leti se je posvetil telovadbi, kjer se je kmalu izkazalo, da ima veliko talenta v tej športni panogi. Kmalu je dobil vabilo, da začne trenirati za višjo kategorijo. Hitro je napredoval in dosegel veliko odličnih rezultatov v različnih kategorijah gimnastike. Danes že trenira in upa, da se bo naslednje leto kvalificiral v Avstralsko državno moštvo. Njegov cilj je, da tekmuje na olimpijskih igrah leta 2016. Letos je začel trenirati tudi karati. Na teden trenira skupno 23 ur. Loren je mlad, pogumen fant, kateremu želimo veliko uspehov. Kar pogumno naprej, Loren!

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PERINA

**ROBERT GROZNIK – NSW – SLOVENIAN ENTREPRENEUR OF THE
YEAR 2006**

MR. BARRY
WALSH
CHAIRMAN OF THE
BOARD
OF DIRECTORS
PANTHERS

ROBERT GROZNIK has a business called Set4Life Financial Solutions Pty. Ltd, which has been going since 1985.

Robert and his team provide financial services in areas such as tax effective wealth accumulation and retirement planning together with taxation and accounting advice. All clients come from referrals from existing clients only.

Due to the growth, Robert has expended his business and now has 2 offices and a total of 8 staff members. The expansion was needed so they could maintain a quality level of service for their existing and new clients.

The business services provided by Robert's firm are:

Retirement Planning

Superannuation

Small Business planning - Salary packaging

Investment – Wealth Creation

Insurance – Life Insurance – Disability, Trauma in Income Protection

Retrenchment and Redundancy – Social Security/CentreLink Considerations

Business Succession Planning

His web site is www.set4life.com.au

Congratulation and a prosperous future, Robert!

ROBERT GROZNIK – je podjetnik, ki se ukvarja z raznimi finančnimi panogami, kot na primer: davčne obveznosti, razna zavarovanja, finančno planiranje upokojencev, investicije, in drugo. Ima 2 pisarni in zaposluje 8 ljudi.

V imenu Odbora NSW – Slovenian of the Year Awards Robertu iskreno čestitamo in želimo veliko uspeha v bodoče.

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CILKA
PRINCE

ALBINA MAVRIČ – VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR FOR 2006 – draft 1

MR. JOHN KLOPEČ

PRESIDENT

OF AUSTRAL

SLOVENIAN

SOCIETY

TIVOLI

NEWCASTLE

ALBINA MAVRIČ, rojena v vasici Rute na Primorskem, je leta 1952 na ladji “Oceania” kot dvaset let staro dekle prispela v Avstralijo. V cerkvi Sv. Srca Jezusovega v Hamiltonu, se je kmalu po prihodu poročila z izvoljencem Andrejem Mavrič, s katerim sta se spoznala in zaljubila že v Sloveniji. Dom in družino sta si ustvarila v Waratah, predmestju Newcastla.

Ko je p. Bernard v Newcastlu septembra 1957 organiziral prvo slovensko mašo, je bila prisotna tudi Albina in njena družina. Albina je danes edina, poleg Marte Kodela, ki je še med nami, da nas živo spominja na ta dogodek. Od tega dne se je redno udeleževala slovenskih služb božjih in vedno skrbela za čajanke, saj se po maši že vsa leta zberemo v sosednji dvorani na prijeten klepet in dober prigrizek. Skrbela je, da je bilo dovolj prtov, lončkov, mleka, kave in čaja, in s pomočjo drugih dobrih gospodinj tudi dobrega prigrizka. Čeprav ji zdravje tega danes ne dovoljuje, skrbi, da z delom nadaljuje njena hčerka Helen.

Albina je bila vedno vključena v delovanje slovenske skupnosti v sklopu Slovenskega društva “Tivoli”. Udeleževala se je plesnih veselic, piknikov in drugih srečanj ter pomagala, kjer koli je bilo treba pomoči. Ko je pred leti izgubila življenjskega sopotnika, je prevzela njegovo delo kot odbornica društva.

Albina! Čestitamo in hvala ti za vse delo in skrb! Ostani z nami še v naprej.

ALBINA MAVRIČ, came to Australia in 1952 to marry her sweetheart, whom she had previously met in Slovenia. They made their home at Waratah /Newcastle. When in 1957 the first Slovenian Mass was read in Newcastle, her family was present, and today she is a living witness reminding us of that event. She is a member of the Slovenian Society “Tivoli”, Newcastle, and has been involved in all forms of the church and social activities. Since her husband passed away, she is also a committee member of “Tivoli”. Thank you, Albina, and congratulations.

Mr. Ivan
Rudolf, please

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IVAN RUDOLF
VALTER SUBER

~~BARICA BRODNIK~~ – NSW – SLOVENIAN OUTSTANDING VOLUNTEER
FOR YEAR 2006

CHAIRMAN OF
THE NSW
AWARDS
COMMITTEE

BARICA BRODNIK je prišla v Avstralijo 1966. leta in si ustvarila dom v Wollongongu. Hitro je našla stike s takratnim Slovenskim društvom Danica, ki je delovalo v Wollongongu že od 1960. leta naprej.

Barica je zelo navdušena pevka z lepim glasom, zato ni čudno, da se je hitro po prihodu v Wollongong posvetila cerkvenemu pevskeму zboru, katerega še danes vodi. Ko je današnje Slovensko društvo »Planica« pridobilo lasten dom in prijetno cerkvico Vseh Svetnikov, se je Barica še bolj zavzela za petje.

Po njeni zaslugi je bil ustanovljen mladinski zbor »Zlati glas«, katerega je vodila 3 leta. Poskrbela je vsako leto, da je nastopal cerkveni pevski zbor na slovenskih koncertih, sama pa je rada nastopala po raznih mestnih nastopih, ko se je ponosno oblekla v slovensko narodno nošo.

Skrbela je za slovenske duhovnike, ki prihajajo redno v Wollongong, jih velikokrat pogostila doma ali pa jim pripravila večerjo v klubskih prostorih. Rada pomaga v klubski kuhinji, pri čiščenju dvorane po raznih prireditvah, peče pecivo in velikokrat počisti slovensko cerkvico v Wollongongu. V vsako delo vloži 100 procentov truda in dobre volje. Nekaj časa je bila tudi odbornica Slovenskega društva Planica.

BARICA BRODNIK, lives in Wollongong since 1966 and has been part of the slovenian community there ever since. For almost 40 years she has been coordinating music for the Slovenian Masses in Wollongong and now at Figtree, where the Slovenian Club Planica has a beautiful small church. She leads the church choir and has a beautiful singing voice herself. She had also established youth choir »Golden Voice«. Willing to lend a hand, she looks after slovenian preists, who visit Wollongong, she helps in the kitchen and in the church. She always gives 100 percent effort. Thank you, Barica, and congratulations.

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IVAN RUDOLF
MR. ANDREW GARDNER
GENERAL MANAGER
PANTHER
TRIGLAV

~~PETER KROPE~~ – NSW – SLOVENIAN OUTSTANDING VOLUNTEER
FOR THE YEAR 2006

PETER KROPE – je prispel v Avstralijo z družino leta 1971. Zaposlil se je kot kot orodjar v tovarni Utilux, kjer se je povzpel na mesto nadzornika. V delo s slovenskimi organizacijami se je vključil takoj po prihodu in postal odbornik novo ustanovljenega društva Triglav. V 35 letih delovanja pri Triglavu je bil skoraj vsa leta odbornik kluba, pogosto predsednik, vmes pa kot referent za prireditve in stike z javnostjo organiziral družabna srečanja, plese, kulturne prireditve in gostovanja skupin iz domovine. Bil je član prve folklorne skupine kluba Triglav, ter aktiven sodelovalec Triglavske šole in član medklubskega Šolskega odbora za NSW. Sodeloval je pri slovenskem radiju kot napovedovalec in občasno tudi kot urednik. Vedno se je trudil ustvariti primerne pogoje za sodelovanje in morebitno združitev vseh slovenskih organizacij v Sydneyu. Ko je klub Triglav zašel v finančne težave, je bil Peter instrumentalen pri iskanju najboljše rešitve: finačno sigurnost kluba, spoštovanje slovenske dediščine in direktno podporo slovenskih kulturnih in športnih dejavnosti vse dokler bo kaj aktivnih slovenskih članov. Združitev z največjim športnim klubom Panthers Group Penrith zagotavlja večinski odbor, ki mu je Peter že 5 let predsednik. Petrovo pridno delo in pozitivni odnos do delovne skupnosti je pridobil spoštovanje in sloves, ki se v krogu avstralskega velikana Panthers zelo pozitivno odraža na vse, kar je slovenskega. Petru se zahvaljujemo za njegovo dolgoletno delo in mu čestitamo za njegove uspehe, ki jih žanje na polju slovenske skupnosti. Hvala, Peter, in pogumno naprej.

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MARIA GROSMAN
MR. A. BREZNIK
HONORARY CONSUL
GENERAL
OF RS

~~MARIJA OVIJAC~~ – NSW – SLOVENIAN OUTSTANDING SENIOR CITIZEN
OF THE YEAR 2006

MARIJA OVIJAČ, rojena v Kranju, je 1958. leta po 13 letih povojnega bivanja v Venezueli prišla z družino v Avstralijo. Skupaj z možem Vinkom se je hitro vključila v slovensko skupnost in pomagala kjer koli in kdaj koli je bilo potrebno. Na pobudo p. Valerijana je velikokrat nudila dom mladim dekletom, ki so nujno potrebovale pomoč.. Pomagala je možu Vinkotu pri pionirskem delu, ko se je Slovensko društvo Sydney začelo postavljati na solidna tla. Šivala je narodne noše in sodelovala pri raznih društvenih, kulturnih in cerkvenih prireditvah. Že 40 let redno sodeluje pri cerkvenem pevskem zboru, kjer nikoli ne zgreši pevske vaje. Še danes, čeprav priletna in ji noge zelo pešajo, zapoje tudi drugod. Pred kratkim je presenetila rojake v Newcastleu in čudovito zapela pri tamkajšnji sveti maši. Pela je tudi rojakom v Brisbanu in Wollongongu. Več kot 40 krat je prostovoljno zapela solo na gostijah ali pogrebih. Ob nedeljah vodi ljudsko petje pri mašah v Merrylandsu. Danes rada deli njene kuharske izkušnje z drugimi in še vedno sodeluje v slovenski skupnosti.

Marija je v vsako delo vložila 110 procentov truda. Hvala in čestitamo.

MARIJA OVIJAČ came to Australia in 1950 after living in Venezuela for 13 years. Together with her husband Vinko, she became involved in the Slovenian community in many different ways. She offered her home to young girls, sown national costumes, joined drama group, and participated in other social, cultural and religious activities. She has been a member of the church choir for over 40 years. She had sung solo over 40 times at weddings and funerals, and had visited Slovenians in Newcastle, Brisbane and Wollongong. With her beautiful voice, although never formally trained, she had often brought tears into listener's eyes. She had always put 110 per cent effort into her work.

Congratulations, and thank you.

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M. GROSMAN

Mr. Alfred Brühm

Honorary Consul

General of Rep. of
Slovenija

~~ALEKSANDRA LAJOVIC~~ – NSW – SLOVENIAN OUTSTANDING SENIOR
CITIZEN OF THE YEAR 2006

ALEKSANDRA LAJOVIC, znana med prijatelji in rojaki kot SAŠA, je bila rojena v Trstu kot hčerka slovenskih staršev. V Trstu se je poročila z Dušanom Lajovicem. V Avstralijo sta prišla 11. junija 1950 z ladjo »Oxford Shire«. Oba sta se hitro pridružila slovenski skupnosti. Bila sta ustanovna člana prvega Slovenskega društva v Wollahri 1957. Saša se je pridružila in sodelovala tudi pri takratni novo ustanovljeni dramski skupini »Soča«.

Približno 1970. leta je delala kot tajnica pri Slovnskem društvu na Ferrers Road, Horsley Park. Ko se je ustanovilo Slovensko narodno društvo, je Saša pridno prijela za delo tam in delovala naprej. Poznje je ponovno postala član Slovenskega društva Sydney in kasneje še društva Triglav, kar je še danes.

Saša je bila vedno zelo aktivna pri slovenski cerkvi. Osebnostno je tedensko delovala v pisarni verskega centra od 1981 do pred kratkim, ko je zaradi zdravja to funkcijo opustila. Urejala je finančne zadeve, poleg tega pa tudi pomagala pri drugih delih. Poleg njenega dela je podprla številne akcije in nabirke za razne socialne in druge humane namene.

Saša Lajovic je zelo skromna in privatna oseba, ki izda zelo malo o sebi, vendar njeno delo samo po sebi zapušča trajen pečat v prid vse slovenske skupnosti.

Gospa Saša, prisrčna hvala in čestitamo.

ALEKSANDRA LAJOVIC, known as Saša, came to Australia with her husband Dusan in 1950. She was involved in many facets of the slovenian community, such as: being the Foundation Member of the Slovenian Association Sydney; being involved in the formation of the Slovenian National Association, worked with the Drama group Soča, and her biggest, helping at the St. Raphael Mission, where she helped in the office from 1981 till last year. Financially she had contributed to many good and humanitarian causes. Congratulation and thank you.

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MARIA

GROSMAN

MR. DANNY MUNK

Chief Operation Officer

Panther Group

~~VINKO OVIJAC~~ – ACHIEVEMENT AWARD FOR THE LIFE WORK IN THE
SLOVENIAN COMMUNITY

VINKO OVIJAC je 1958. leta po trinajstih letih povojnega begunstva v Venezueli z družino prispel v Avstralijo. Dom so si ustvarili v Yagooni, Sydney.

Že v Venezueli je občutil kulturno praznino in isto je občutil, ko je prispel v Avstralijo. Izvedel je, da se je želja Slovenskega društva Sydney, da bi ustanovili svoj dom, izblinila v nič, in da je med rojaki prevladovala velika malodušnost.

V razočaranju je napisal pismo »Javni poziv Slovincem«, kar je februarja 1964 poslal za objavo v mesečnik Misli in kar je rodilo dolgoročne sadove.

Zbrala se je skupina ljudi, ki je, navdušena, da Slovenci dobijo svoj dom, ustanovila odbor »Akcija za dom«. Naloga »Akcije za dom« je bila zbirati denar za nakup zemljišča, na katerem se ustanovi slovenski dom. Prvih 50 funtov v novi sklad je daroval Vinko.

»Seme njegove besede je sicer pocasi poganjalo, vendar so se le prikazale iz ne preveč rodovitne zemlje prve zelene bilke,« je takrat v Mislih zapisal sodelavec, Rudi Brežnik. Vinko je hodil prosit denarja od ene slovenske družine do druge in v naslednjih 5 letih ga je družina, ki ga je vedno podpirala, videla zelo malo doma. 1969. leta je bilo kupljeno zemljišče v Horsley Parku, kjer je na »slovenskem gričku« zrastel slovenski dom za rojake v Sydneyu in okolici.

Vinko je poleg predsedniškega, tajniškega in zaupniškega dela opravljal tudi druga dela: tedensko čistil stranišča, pomival okna, urejal vrt, nadzoroval gradbena dela, poleg tega pa vodil pisarniška dela – brez računalnika.

Vinko Ovijac je pionir, ki mu je še danes, kljub visokim letom in slabemu zdravju, slovenska skupnost globoko pri srcu. Njegovo 20 letno neumorno in nesebično delo za skupnost vsekakor zapušča izreden pečat v zgodovini kluba in slovenske skupnosti nasploh. Gospod Vinko, hvala za delo, hvala za vztrajnost. Kot tak boste za vedno ostal kot žareča luč Slovincem v Sydneyu in v Avstraliji. Bog vas živi.

Mr. Peter
Krope

WINKO OVIJAC - ACHIEVEMENT AWARD FOR THE LIFE WORK IN THE SLOVENIAN COMMUNITY

VINKO OVIJAC – came to Australia with his family in 1958 after spending 13 years in Venezuela. They made their home at Yagoona.

Being very homesick for his beloved Slovenia, he felt a cultural void in Venezuela and again in his new adopted country, Australia. Learning that an attempt by the Slovene Association Sydney to own its own premises had failed left him very frustrated. In February 1964 he wrote an open letter to the periodical MISLI, which had a long-term effect in the history of the Slovenian community in Sydney.

As a result, a small group of dedicated Slovenians set up a new forum, “Akcijski dom – Action for Home”. Its purpose was to collect money to buy suitable premises and to establish a Slovenian home – club. The first 50 pounds in the fund came from Vinko.

In the next five years, Vinko went from one Slovenian home to another begging for money. In 1969 the premises were bought at Horsley Park, where in the years that followed, the first Slovenian club was built. Apart from being a treasurer, a president or a trustee, he has also cleaned the toilets and windows, maintained gardens, oversaw the building of the club, and did the club's book-keeping – without the computer! His ceaseless and selfless work for the community for 20 years had a significant impact on the history of the club and the community generally. Today, in his 86th year and dwindling health, he is still a regular visitor and a strong supporter of the activities in the community. His work has never been recognised officially before. Dear Vinko, thank you for many years of unselfish and hard work. As such, you will always remain a bright light in the history of the Slovenians in Sydney and Australia. God bless you!

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PETER KROPE
MR. GREGOR KOZOVINC
CHARGE D'AFFAIRS
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SLOVENIA

ALFRED BREŽNIK – NSW AUSTRALIAN SLOVENIAN ACHIEVEMENTS

AWARD IN SLOVENIA 2006

Spoštovani gostje , povedati nekaj o Alfredu Brezniku , v skrajšani obliki ni lahka naloga . Če bi se hoteli ustaviti ob vseh zaslugah in njegovem nesebičnem delu za Slovensko skupnost v naši novi domovini Avstraliji, potem bi nam danes verjetno zmanjkalo časa.

Fredi se je iz rojstnega Šentjurja pri Celju , kjer se je rodil 17. maja 1937 preselil v Avstralijo leta 1959 . Po približno dveh letih se mu je iz Slovenije pridružila žena Jeni . V družini sta se jima rodila sinova Fredi in Marko . Oba sta poročena , vsi skupaj pa so zaposleni v družinskem podjetju Emona, katerega sta Fredi in Jeni registrirala leta 1972.

Klic pripadnosti in neomajana ljubezen do vsega kar je Slovensko je botrovala, da se je zelo zgodaj priključil naprednemu gibanju dobro mislečih rojakov. Leta 1964 je stekla akcija za dom, ki je pozneje postala temelj SDS, v katerem je vrsto let deloval kot tajnik, nekaj časa tudi kot urednik društvenih novic in na splošno pomagal pri rasti Društva.

Kot zanesljiv in dober tajnik je 12 let opravljal tajniška dela pri Slovenskem šolskem odboru, ki je povezal vse Slovenske organizacije v Sydneyu in Wollongongu neglede na različno politično pripadnost.

Delo tajnika je več let opravljal tudi pri Slovenskem narodnem svetu .

Ob Slovenski pomladi najdemo Fredija angažiranega pri Slovenski avstralski konferenci, kjer sta skupaj s Stanko Gregorič ustanovila Slovensko Pismo, kasnejši list "Glas Slovenije".

Ob obisku zunanjega ministra Dimitrija Rupla, pa je bil, kot sam pravi, kot strela iz jasnega neba, vprašan, če bi sprejel vlogo Častnega konzula za NSW in VIC. To odgovorno in brez dvoma naporno vlogo je po daljšem razmišljanju in soglasju vseh družinskih članov sprejel. Leta 1998, ob obisku bivšega predsednika vlade, zdaj

predsednika RS, pa je bil povišan v castnega generalnega konzula. Letos mineva 15 let delovanja na tem področju. Po 10 letih je zaradi preobremenjenosti prenehal delovati kot Castni generalni konzul za VIC.

Leta 2000, v času olimpijskih iger, je bil imenovan za atašeja obeh, olimpijske in para olimpijske reprezentance, imenovanje, ki mu je dalo veliko skrbi, dela in tudi veselja. Za več kot četrto stoletja nesebičnega dela za razvoj Slovenske skupnosti v tujini in povezovanjem z matično domovino je Fredi prejel številna republiška in olimpijska priznanja in nedavno tudi priznanje papeža Benedikta 16.

Spoštovani Fredi Breznik, danes se ti za tvoje delo z skromnim priznanjem slovenske skupnosti zahvaljujemo tudi mi, tvoji sorojaki, s katerimi že toliko let delič dobro in slabo.

Pregovor pravi, da za vsakim uspešnim članom družine stoji trdna in uspešna družina, zato je to priznanje namenjeno tudi njim.

Born in Sentjuri near Celje in 1937, Alfred arrived in Australia in 1959. Within 2 years his wife arrived and they were then blessed with 2 sons. To really do justice to Alfreds work would cause today to be very long indeed. Briefly though, the sense of belonging and the unlimited love of all that is Slovenian soon saw him involved with like minded progressive compatriots.

As secretary, he was involved with the creation and growth of many committees over the years. For example, the Slovenian Association Sydney, the paper "Glas Slovenia", the Slovenian Schools Committee, where he forged links between the various Slovenian organisations. He was later invited to be the Honorary Consul for NSW and VIC, then Honorary Consul General. His involvement stretched far and wide including representation at the 2000 Olympics as the Olympic attache.

Having received much recognition from the Republic of Slovenia as well as from Pope Benedict 16th, we today simply acknowledge and thank you for all your efforts.



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v kategorijah:

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- *NSW in ACT študent leta (univerze ali dodatne izobrazbe)
- *NSW in ACT podjetnik leta
- *NSW in ACT starejši Slovenec leta
- *NSW in ACT prostovoljni delavec leta vsake sodelujoče organizacije
- *NSW in ACT oseba z največjo zaslugom za sodelovanje med Australijo in Slovenijo.

Priznanja bodo podeljena na proslavi, 17. junija 2007.

Pozivamo vse slovenske organizacije v NSW in Canberri in tudi vse posamezne Slovence, ki poznajo koga, ki je vreden takega priznanja med svojimi člani, prijatelji ali sorodniki, da pošljejo predlog z imenom in naslovom te osebe ODBORU ZA SLOVENIAN OF THE YEAR AWARDS pri klubu Panthers Triglav, 80-84 Brisbane Rd, ST Johns Park NSW 2176, lahko pa tudi po elektronski pošti na Email naslov kluba: huy.vu@panthers.com.au

Za informacije se lahko obrnete na predsednika odbora Walterja Šuberja, tel. 0418-322-700, Martho Magajna, Public Relations Officerja Kluba tel 9609 6057 ali na upravo kluba.

Čeprav Klub Panthers Triglav pokriva vse stroške tega projekta je projekt sam namenjen vse Slovincem iz NSW in Canberre ne glede na to, kateri organizaciji pripadajo (lahko tudi nobeni!) Vsaka sodelujoča organizacija pa lahko izbere po enega PROSTOVOLJNEGA DELAVCA ki zaluži priznanje za delo v njihovi organizaciji.

Prosimo, če lahko imenujete tudi vsaj enega (lahko tudi dva) zastopnika vaše organizacije za sodelovanje pri komisiji za zbiranje letošnjih nagrajencev v vseh kategorijah. Ker se junij že hitro približuje, bi želeli vaš odgovor do srede meseca aprila 2007.

Lep pozdrav

ZA ODBOR SLOVENIAN OF THE YEAR AWARDS
PRI PANTHERS ST JOHNS PARK- TRIGLAV
WALTER SUBER

From: Perina Keen
Date: 12/06/2007 12:20:33 AM
To: emgrozman@aanet.com.au
Cc: Suber, Walter
Subject: FW: Late entry

Hello Maria,

Yes in speaking with Walter earlier they were nominated but in the first conversation with Walter turned down the award, and obviously then changed their minds. Who knows????? I really don't mind. I have said to Walter I have no problems with whatever the group decides, just trying to do the right thing by all. We must always be careful though to let shining lights shine. Excellence must always be acknowledged.

Perina

-----Original Message-----

From: Maria [mailto:emgrozman@aanet.com.au]
Sent: Monday, 11 June 2007 11:22 PM
To: Walter Suber; Perina Keen
Cc: Cilka Princic; Ivan Rudolf; Ivan Geric
Subject: Late entry

Hi everyone,

Maybe Perina is right and the award should be given as highly commended award, although I see no reason why it couldn't be given line they must have been nominated, because they are on the list of nomination that Martha had sent me on 16th May. Please forw:
 Maria

From: Cilka Princic
Date: 11/06/2007 6:58:17 PM
To: Maria
Subject: Late entry

Glede Stane in Marta Tomsic, jaz nimam nic proti, da dobita priznanje
 Moj odgovor je JA
 Pozdrav Cilka

From: Perina Keen
Date: 11/06/2007 9:49:01 PM
To: emgrozman@aanet.com.au; Suber, Walter
Cc: CILKA PRINCIC; Ivan Geric \"proteus\"; Ivan Rudolf; Peter Kroppe
Subject: FW: Late entry

Hello everyone,

I agree it is a little problem, but truly we should be drawing a line as the cut off date had been mid May (15th /1. award is really appropriate as they are each individuals. Maybe they should each be given a highly commended same league as the others. I agree the clubs cannot function without volunteers such as these and we need to

I am very happy to go with the flow but I do think the above questions need to be asked. I do not wish to sound

Have a good evening everyone

Perina

-----Original Message-----

From: Maria [mailto:emgrozman@aanet.com.au]
Sent: Monday, 11 June 2007 4:59 PM
To: Walter Suber
Cc: Perina Keen; Cilka Princic; Ivan Geric; Ivan Rudolf
Subject: Late entry

Dear friends!

We have a little problem. Apparently Stane and Marta TOMSIC (Slovenian Association Sydney) did put in their particulars, howe

So, what do we do? What do you think? Please, time is running out, we have to decide quickly.

Would it be possible to make a joint award - Slovenian of the year Volunteer for 2006 - Mr. & Mrs. Tomsic. We have volunteers 1

Please send your reply **NOW** to all judges.

Regards to all
Maria

From: Peter
Date: 11/06/2007 3:26:56 PM
To: emgrozman@aanet.com.au
Subject: FW: Slovenian of the Year Awards

-----Original Message-----

From: Huy Vu
Date: 06/11/07 14:47:27
To: Suber, Walter; Peter Krope
Subject: FW: Slovenian of the Year Awards

Hi Walter,
Have you got this letter yet?

Huy Vu
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-----Original Message-----

From: Nina Robinson [<mailto:nina.rob@hotmail.com>]
Sent: Saturday, 2 June 2007 7:42 PM
To: Huy Vu
Subject: Slovenian of the Year Awards

Dear Committee,

Please find attach our response to your letter indicating our nomination for these awards.

Best regards,

Stane & Marta Tomsic

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NSW Slovenian Award Committee
Panthers Triglav Club
80-84 Brisbane Road
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2nd June, 2007-06

Dear Committee Members,

SLOVENIAN OF THE YEAR NOMINATION FOR STANE & MARTA TOMSIC

Life work with Slovenian community

- Arrived in Australia 19th November, 1959
- Marta & Stane married in Melbourne in December 1960 and moved to Sydney
- Became actively involved in Sydney Slovenian community when Slovenian Association started
- Voluntary work included:

regularly making and selling cakes to raise money to contribute towards building fund for new club
assisting with any labour required to make improvements to facilities eg. building fences
loyal members – visited every weekend

- Loyal support towards building/establishment of new

helped with bricklaying for new building

continued voluntary work in kitchen – cooking, making cakes, serving at functions

joined Slovenian Club Committee in 1998 – 2002 then due to health reasons both Stane & Marta

This involved being at the club 2-3 times per week to water, tidy, plant and maintain gardens

During the time on the committee, Stane was also taking care of all general maintenance of the Club

Although not officially part of the Slovenian Club committee anymore, Stan and Marta are always here
Stan and Marta continue to be regular visitors to the club on Sundays and represent the club in many ways

Best regards,

Stane & Marta Tomsic

From: Martha Magajna

Date: 16/05/2007 8:39:41 PM

To: MARIA GROSMAN; PETER KROPE; Perina Keen; Ivan Geric "proteus"; Ivan Rudolf; Walter Suber

Subject: nominees

25/06/2007

Did I miss someone?

Where is Wollongong ?

Where are Tertiary students or Bussines people ?

regards

MArtha

NOMINATED SO FAR:

NAME
Alfred Breznik
Ivan Truden
Marija Ovijac
Vinko Ovijac
Marta Tomsic
Stane Tomsic
Sasa Lajovic
Peter Kropac
Loren Druzinec (mati Erika Druzinec)
ALBINA MAVRIC

From: Suber, Walter

Date: 14/06/2007 7:37:55 PM

To: Mick McLoughlin

Cc: Ivan Rudolf \E-mail\; Cilka Princic \E-mail\; ovenia@optusnet.com.au; Peter Krobe \E-mail\; Perina Keen \E-mail\; Ivan Geric \E-mail\; emgrozman@aanet.com.au

Subject: RE: FW: Plaques

Hi Mick.

Sorry for the delay.

We have 8 plaques with spelling problems

ALBINA MAVRIČ - change "C" on the end of Mavric to "Č" ("C" with a little cap on top)

VINKO OVIJAČ - change last letter from "C" to "Č"

MARIJA OVIJAČ - change surname as above and add "J" in Marija

MARTA TOMŠIČ - change surname "S" to "Š" and "C" to "Č"

STANE TOMŠIČ - same as for Marta Tomšič

SAŠA LAJOVIC - change third letter "S" in SASA to Š

ALFRED BREZNIK - the "Z" should be a Ž.

LOREN DRUZINEC - the "Z" should be a Ž.

We have 4 correct ones. Peter's, Katelin's, Barica's and Robert's.

We are getting there.

I hope I have not missed out on anything.









Mick I will call you later tomorrow to see how you are going with pick up.

Many thanks.

Walter

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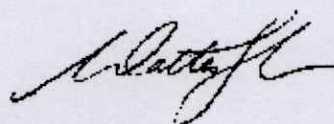
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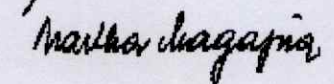
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MARIA GROSMAN

MARTHA MAGAJNA

IGOR POCH



ST. JC
CHAI

>> required, at this stage we are judging on the evening of the 6th of June
with
>> the event on the week end, Sunday the 17th of June.
>> So I will be able to tell you who is on our list on the morning on the
7th, we would
>> need to pick them up on Friday the 15th.
>> Is this still o.k.
>>
>> All the best.
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From: Mick McLoughlin

Date: 14/06/2007 5:03:36 PM

To: Suber, Walter

Cc: Ivan Rudolf \(\E-mail\); Cilka Princic \(\E-mail\); ovenia@optusnet.com.au; Peter Krope \(\E-mail\); Perina Keen \(\E-mail\); Ivan Geric \(\E-mail\); Suber, Walter; emgrozman@aanet.com.au

Subject: Re: FW: Plaques

Hello Walter,

The attached files show the proposed layouts, please get back to me this evening if possible with the o.k. or further changes, I am going to have to start engraving them at the crack of dawn tomorrow in order to have them ready in time.

regards,

Mick

----- Original Message -----

From: Suber, Walter

To: mick@ryansignage.com.au

Cc: Ivan Rudolf (E-mail); Cilka Princic (E-mail); ovenia@optusnet.com.au; Peter Krope (E-mail); Perina Keen (E-mail); Ivan Geric (E-mail); Suber, Walter; emgrozman@aanet.com.au

Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2007 11:44 AM

Subject: FW: FW: Plaques

Hi Mick

I hope you are keeping up with the changes.....could you re submit with corrections direct to all the committee as I am going home with the flu.....Sorry....

Hello everyone do a quick check to see if we have found all corrections????

Many thanks.

WAS

-----Original Message-----

From: Maria [mailto:emgrozman@aanet.com.au]

Sent: Tuesday, 12 June 2007 11:29 AM

To: Ivan Rudolf (E-mail); Cilka Princic (E-mail); ovenia@optusnet.com.au; Peter Krope (E-mail); Perina Keen (E-mail); Ivan Geric (E-mail); Suber, Walter

Subject: Re: FW: Plaques

Hi, Walter

Could you please change names as follows (I understand from conversation with you the names are always written by slovenian spelling);

ALBINA MAVRIČ - change "C" on the end of Mavric to "Č" ("C" with a little cap on top) [Suber, Walter] **Also Volunteer not Senior citizen**

BARICA BRODNIK - change last letter from "C" to "K"[Suber, Walter] **Also Volunteer not Senior citizen**

VINKO OVIJAČ - change last letter from "C" to "Č" **OK**

MARIJA OVIJAČ - change surname as above and add "J" in Marija **OK**

MARTA TOMŠIČ - change surname "S" to "Š" and "C" to "Č"[Suber, Walter] **OK - Volunteer Highly commended**

STANE TOMŠIČ - same as for Marta Tomšič[Suber, Walter] **OK - Volunteer Highly commended**

SAŠA LAJOVIC - change third letter "S" in SASA to Š[Suber, Walter] **OK**

Peter Krope **should also be a Volunteer not Senior Citizen.**

25/06/2007

Walter, I am not sure about Fredi Breznik. He, too, is sick at home. I rang his office on another matter and he is not there. Could you find out, please? Others, I cross my fingers, should be OK.

Lp

Maria

-----Original Message-----

From: Suber, Walter

Date: 12/06/2007 9:04:48 AM

To: emgrozman@aanet.com.au; Ivan Rudolf \ (E-mail); Cilka Princic \ (E-mail); ovenia@optusnet.com.au; Peter Krope \ (E-mail); Perina Keen \ (E-mail); Ivan Geric \ (E-mail)

Subject: FW: Plaques

Hi All

Please check and correct. I have received Cilka's and Ivan Geric's signature.

All the best.

Walter

-----Original Message-----

From: Mick McLoughlin [<mailto:mick@ryansignage.com.au>]

Sent: Saturday, 9 June 2007 4:19 PM

To: Suber, Walter

Subject: Re: Plaques

Hi Walter,

The attached file shows the proposed layouts for your plaques. Please get back to me a.s.a.p. with approval to proceed or any changes. I will fax you a hard copy as well.

regards,

Mick

----- Original Message -----

From: "Suber, Walter" <SuberW@OneSteel.com>

To: <mick@ryansignage.com.au>

Sent: Thursday, June 07, 2007 12:21 PM

Subject: FW: Plaques

> Hi Mick.

>

> Just confirming that the list is as attached.

> Please call to discuss. Could you mock them up

> so I can send them out for any corrections.

> We may have to add a few new signatures from the

> committee to the data base.

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> Many thanks.

>

> Walter

>

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From: Suber, Walter
Date: 13/06/2007 6:40:18 PM
To: Maria
Subject: RE: sLOVENSKO PRIZNANJE

Hi Maria.

Suzana came back with a reply about the books apparently they are on there way, I think via snail post.....so if they get here all well and good if not we will not mention the books on the day.
With the Slovensko Priznanje we will try for that next year, Suzana wanted more time.

We can only grow strong from these challenges.

Maria I am not well and am at home until Friday to get better, so I will look at my emails in the evening.

Many thanks

Walter

-----Original Message-----

From: Maria [mailto:emgrozman@aanet.com.au]
Sent: Tuesday, 12 June 2007 12:00 PM
To: Suber, Walter
Subject: sLOVENSKO PRIZNANJE

Walter si dobil kaj od Suzane Martinez glede posebnega priznanje iz Slovenije? Pravkar sem se spomnila Maria

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MEETING SUMMARY AND AGREED ACTION

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MEETING DESCRIPTION:		BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT		
ITEM	SUBJECT & COMMENTS	ACTION AGREED	BY WHOM	WHEN
1	Introduction	The purpose of the meeting was to go the event and discuss any points of improvement and see if change is required. Peter Kroppe mentioned that he had excellent feed back from various sectors of the Slovenian community, "Well done".	ALL	
2	Nominations	All agreed that the Slovenian organisation should make one nomination in the areas of volunteer, Senior Citizen, and the Primary, Secondary and Entrepreneur of the year will remain open for all to nominate. The committee will award to special categories, Life achievement award and the Memorial Award.		
3	Getting more involvement	Once again all agreed to invite a person from Act and Aubrey Wodonga to join the committee. Martha to follow up both organisation and invite them to join.	MM	ASAP
4	The independence of the awards	The committee acknowledged the importance of the independence of the awards, and it should reflect the Slovenian community, not one organisation, but all.	ALL	Ongoing
5	Committee for 2008 Awards	Walter congratulated all the committee members for their involvement and dedication, he reminded that all positions are vacant for the 2008 committee and asked if they would be interested in being a part of the awards for 2008, all agreed that they would.	ALL	Ongoing
6	Regional awards	Ivan suggested that the committee consider introducing the regional award, e.g. Volunteer of the Year for Wollongong or ACT or Newcastle etc.... The committee was in favour with this and will be adopted for next year awards.	ALL	
7	Presentations at the awards	Walter suggested that the committee consider creating a PowerPoint presentation on all the Slovenian organisations and their activities, once again to continue with the community flavour. The committee agreed. Walter to discuss this with Martha.	WAS/MM	
8	Reading of the presentations	Walter asked if the length of each presentation should be shortened or compressed? The committee members strongly supported no change, because as a matter of courtesy and respect, one page per person is fair.	ALL	Ongoing
9	Any Changes to the Program	All agreed to start the function at 12.00 o'clock, a welcome at 12.15 And start the choir at 2 o'clock.	ALL	

10	Microphone technic	Peter Kroppe mentioned that some presentation on the day was a little hard to hear and the presenter must be aware of that.	ALL	
11	Cut off for nominations	All agreed that the cut off for nomination must be adhered to For 2008 the nomination must be in by the 18 th of May. All nominations are to go to a central location and Martha Magagna Public Relations Officer will be collating them and keep track of their progress. A tentative date was set of the 15 th of June as a possible date for the Awards.	ALL	
12	Drafts of nominations	All nominations once Martha has collected them will go to Maria Grosman and Perina Keen to be Drafted up for presentations.	MS/PK	Ongoing
13	Photos of the awards.	Peter to discuss the photos with Mr Igor Poc. Maria requested that she need a number of photos for HASA.	PK	ASAP
14	Hosting of the awards	All agreed that the awards, because of Triglav's hosting and sponsorship should remain at St John Panther Triglav.	ALL	
15	In Memory	Walter to draft up a plaque for the Memory award so gets comment and approval from the committee.	WAS	ASAP
16	Misli	Martha mentioned she would do a write up with the Primary and Secondary Students of the Year for the next issue of Misli. All agreed to go down the list as the awards were given out.	MM	Ongoing
17	Booklet	Martha and Perina to start the drafting of the booklet when possible.	PK/MM	
18	Follow-up letter	Is was suggested to send a letter to last years winners with a copy of the booklet. Only two people need to be follow up Loze Magagna and Mihela..... The issue is to find a few more booklets, everyone to have a look and advise.	ALL	

HASA NSW

From: "Martha Magajna" <marthamagajna@bigpond.com>
To: "HASA" <hasansw@optusnet.com.au>
Sent: Tuesday, 15 May 2007 9:53 AM
Subject: Fw: Re: Nominations

Marija, dear,

Jaz ne morem priti danes, imam prevec dela s pripravami, sedaj grem na banko in k zdravniku po potrdila o zdravilih za potovanje

vcera smo imeli kar cel dan pogreb
 jutri imamo balinanje
 v cetrtek imamo penzionersko kosilo

ostane mi samo se petek in sobota in ce Walter organizira v soboto Judges meeting, je sla se sobota,

v nedeljo imamo balinanje , je Lojze sponsor , ker ima rojstni dan
 Lep pozdrav
 Martha

Za ponoret

-----Original Message-----

From: Martha Magajna
Date: 15/05/2007 9:49:34 AM
To: Suber Walter; PETER KROPE
Subject: Re: Nominations

Dear WAlter,

There are nominations, but they need work, because people are not in a hurry. Last year I worked personally with each candidate (except Natalie) to get together all the information ant put it in acceptable form. This year somebody will have to do the same . Who? I don't know .

I have a lot to do before I go, because I have to plan my regular work, sent out invitations to the all slovenian clubs for Independence Bocce Cup , which takes place the first weekend in July, also program to Carolina for one month all articles for Misli and Glaslovenije, not to mention heaps of my personal preparations for traveling.

My proposal is:

- get in touch with all judging panel members and organise a meeting, maybe on

23/05/2007

saturday at triglav, 9some of them are busy on Sundays)

- Remind them they are representing their organisation and they are supposed to make sure THEIR organisation puts in a proposal
- ask them to bring information in writing, like addresess of nominated persons and cathegories

All that if you want my help before I go,
it is up to you.

I am leaving on Thurdsday 24 th of may .I don't know anybody to tak my place. if I did I would put them to work already

Regards

MArtha

-----Original Message-----

From: Suber, Walter

Date: 15/05/2007 9:27:35 AM

To: Martha Magajna \E-mail\; Peter Krobe \E-mail\

Subject: Nominations

Goodmorning Martha and Peter.

I hope everyone had a fantastic weekend, and I hope all went well for the presentation at Triglav with you on Sunday, I am sorry I could not attend.

To my knowledge we have only one nomination from Newcastle.

Technically the nomination are to be closed this week and we have to write to everyone nominated, informing them.

Martha can you tell me if we have any other nomination?

Have we got another person looking after the bookings, to take your place?

Please advise.

Many thanks.

Walter

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HASA NSW

From: "Maria" <emgrosman@aanet.com.au>
To: "p. Valerian" <valerian@pacific.net.au>
Cc: "Martha Magajna" <marthamagajna@bigpond.com.au>; "HASA NSW" <hasansw@optusnet.com.au>
Sent: Wednesday, 16 May 2007 2:13 PM
Attach: SLOVENIAN OF THE YEAR AWARDS NSW - Application Form.doc
Subject: Emailing: SLOVENIAN OF THE YEAR AWARDS NSW - Application Form

Pozdravljeni pater!

Ker Martha Magajna odhaja drugi teden v Slovenijo, sve se danes v telefonskem pogovoru zmenile, da Vam jaz posljem uraden obrazec preko elektronske poste za nominiranje gospe Sase Lajovic, jutri pa, ko bo Martha v Merrylandsu, pa bosta obrazec izpolnila in ga poslala na Triglav. Opis delovanja gospe Sase med slovensko skupnostjo lahko daste meni naslednjo sredo, ko bom spet v Merrylandsu.

Prijeten dan in vse dobro Vam zeli
Maria Grosman

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | NSW/ACT – Australia | Slovenian Achievements in Slovenia |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | NSW/ACT – Slovenian | Outstanding NSW Slovenian Volunteer |

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Please specify the Category you are entering.

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Business/Organization/Individual: _____

Address: _____ **Mobile No:** _____

Tel: _____ **Fax:** _____ **Email:** _____

Contact Name: _____ **Position:** _____

Type of Business: _____ **Date business Commenced:** _____

Name of person nominating: _____

DECLARATION

I certify that the information submitted is true.

Signature..... Date.....

Name (printed)..... Position.....

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6.6.2007

Mr Walter Suber
Chairman
Committee for the NSW Slovenian of the year Awards
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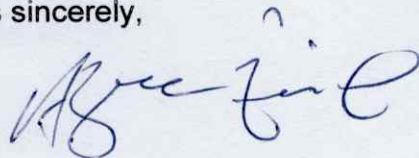
Dear Walter,

Thank you for your letter in which you are advising me of my nomination for the Slovenian Award.

It is a great honour to be nominated for this prestigious Slovenian Community's Annual Award and am indeed humbled by it. It has always been my belief that a recognition received from one's own community is something special, close to one's heart and is to be highly treasured.

I do most sincerely thank the Awards Committee and everyone involved with the event. My wife and I take great pleasure in accepting your invitation to celebrate the Awards presentation and also commemorate Slovenian National Day with you.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Alfred Brežnik', with a stylized flourish at the end.

To the members of the 'Slovenian of the Year' Awards Committee:

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for the awards you made to my parents, Maria and Vinko Ovijač. Unfortunately, I was not present at the presentation because I was in hospital. However, I am overwhelmed by how much these awards meant to them. They brought the awards into hospital to show me and were beaming with pride and happiness. Although I was affected personally this year, I am objective when I congratulate the committee on the work it is doing in the community. I don't know if you fully realize what such an award can mean to an individual. It is often not only an honour, but therapeutic. It builds positive spirit and unites all Slovenians in the community. Congratulations and great success in the future!

Olga Lah
24.6.07

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To the members of the 'Slovenian of the Year' Awards Committee:

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<input type="checkbox"/>	NSW/ACT – Australia	Slovenian Achievements in Slovenia
<input type="checkbox"/>	NSW/ACT – Slovenian	Outstanding NSW Slovenian Volunteer

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2. ENTRANT DETAILS (please fill in as required)

Business/Organization/Individual: Katelin Kopivec.
Address: 60 Brindabella Dr Shell Cove **Mobile No:** 0439 957803
Tel: 42 957803 **Fax:** _____ **Email:** robkopivec@dada.com.au
Contact Name: Rob/Suzie **Position:** Parents
Type of Business: _____ **Date business Commenced:** _____
Name of person nominating: Dragica Brunic

DECLARATION

I certify that the information submitted is true.

Signature.....Dragica Brunic..... Date.....9/5/07.....

Name (printed).Dragica Brunic..... Position.....

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Draft for Katelin Koprivec – Primary Student of the Year 2006

Katelin, hčerka Roberta in Suzie Koprivec, se je rodila 3. Februarja 1997. Je v 5. letu osnovne šole Svete Therese West Wollongong, in je ena med 5. najboljših v letu. Rada poje, pleše, plava in cita. Pleše že šest let in je že plesala v velikih različnih razstavah v Wollongongu in Sydneyu. Najraje pa poje in v zadnjih treh letih je dosegla veliko prvih nagrad v različnih festivalih in tekmovanju. Najpomembnejše je letos ko je dvakrat dosegla prvo nagrado spod dvanajst let. Čestitke Katelin in kar dobro naprej.

Katelin was born 3rd February 1997 to Robert and Suzie Koprivec. She is currently a year 5 student at St Therese West Wollongong Primary School where she is a conscientious student amongst the top 5 in her year. Her interests include Singing Dancing, Swimming and Reading.

She has been dancing since she was 4 yrs old and so has been performing and competing for about 6 years including Shopping mall performances and in the Wollongong, Sydney and Illawarra Eisteddfods.

She has also been successful in swimming and has been in the water since she was six months old. Singing though seems to be her passion and in the last three years she has achieved many 1st places in various Eisteddfods and festivals. Most recently she has come 1st twice, both in the Under 12's Championships and Scholarship at the Illawarra regional Eisteddfod 2007 even though she is still only 10.

Last year she performed for the Starlight Foundation at the Wollongong Entertainment Centre in a performance bringing pleasure to handicapped children and their families. She also has performed at Carols by Candlelight at Wollongong and the Australia Day Celebrations. There seems to be lots in the pipeline for you Katelin, keep up the good work and Congratulations.

RESUME

Name: Katelin Victoria Koprivec

Date of Birth: 3rd February, 2007 (She is currently 10 yrs of age)

Katelin, is currently a year 5 student at St. Therese West Wollongong Primary School. She is a conscientious, hard working student and is excelling in all her subjects. Her drive and passion to succeed in everything she does has shown as she is in one of the top 5 students in her year. Her interests include Singing, Dancing, Swimming & Reading.

Dancing

She has been dancing since she was 4 years old, so she has been performing and competing for about 6 years, including Shopping Mall Performances and competing in both the Wollongong, Sydney & Illawarra Eisteddfods.

Swimming

She has also been successful in her swimming and has been in the water since she was 6 months old and progressed thru lessons to then compete in point scores and school swimming carnivals.

Singing & Performing

Singing would have to be her favourite and in the results she has achieved in the past 3 years it has shown this to be her passion. As can be seen by the attached certificates and the comments and by her 30 trophies she is definitely a great performer and singer.

Wollongong Eisteddfod 2005

In her second year of singing she competed in the Wollongong Eisteddfod and at just 8 years of age she placed a Highly Commended.

Spring Festival 2005

Later that year she competed in the Spring Festival placed as follows ..

1st Place in the Uptempo Section

1st Place Musical Theatre Section

3rd in the Ballad Section

Woonona Talent Quest 2006

When she was 9 years of age she entered a Talent Quest and placed 3rd.

Wollongong Eisteddfod 2006

That same year she placed as follows ..

3rd in the Wollongong Eisteddfod for Musical Theatre

3rd in her Vocal Solo.

Spring Festival 2006

Again in the Spring Festival she placed as follows ..

1st in her Uptempo

1st in Musical Theatre

1st in her Ballad

1st in the Junior Championship

Illawarra Regional Eisteddfod 2007

This year she entered the Illawarra Regional Eisteddfod she placed as follows ..

1st in her Uptempo

Highly Commended in her Musical Theatre

2nd in her Ballad

1st in the **Under 12 yrs** Championship (she did this and was only 10yrs of age)

1st in the **Under 12 yrs** Scholarship (she did this and was only 10yrs of age)

For the past 2 years in a row she has also received Distinction Trophies from her Singing Studio for best in the whole Juniors section.

She is a happy girl and just loves to be up on stage performing.

She would love to attend and be involved in any Slovenian functions and participate in the activities. Her father was involved as a young boy in the Slovenian Cultural Dancing Group and also the Youth Choir and performed at many functions and locations, being Melbourne, Adelaide, Sydney and Wollongong.

Perina Keen

From: Suber, Walter [SuberW@OneSteel.com]
Sent: Thursday, 7 June 2007 8:43 AM
To: emgrozman@aanet.com.au; Ivan Rudolf (E-mail); Cilka Princic (E-mail);
ovenia@optusnet.com.au; Peter Kroke (E-mail); Perina Keen (E-mail); Ivan Geric (E-mail)
Subject: FW: Katelin Koprivec - she has been nominated for Junior Slovenian of the Year.

Good morning All.

Additional information for Katelin.

regards

WAS

-----Original Message-----

From: Huy Vu [mailto:huy.vu@panthers.com.au]
Sent: Wednesday, 6 June 2007 3:47 PM
To: Suber, Walter
Cc: Peter Kroke
Subject: FW: Katelin Koprivec - she has been nominated for Junior Slovenian of the Year.

For Your Info

Huy Vu

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-----Original Message-----

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Sent: Wednesday, 6 June 2007 2:56 PM
To: Huy Vu
Subject: Katelin Koprivec - she has been nominated for Junior Slovenian of the Year.

To Whom It May Concern,

I Robert Koprivec like to add a little more about Katelin Koprivec . We were surprised to find out that Katelin was nominated by Dragica Bruncic as Junior Slovenian of the year. Katelin is a happy hard working never say no attitude to all she does . Her passions include dancing ,swimming ,soccer and her biggest passion being singing and entertaining. Her schooling is great and her attitude is the same, where she is in the top 5 students in her year. She excels in all areas . Her nomination would most probably be for what she has and is going to do for other people in the community. She loved to sing at the age of 6 and we knew we had to enrol here in a singing school . By the age of 7 she was singing on stage in a group with other children but you could say by her determination and because she loved it, out shone all of her other friends. By the age of 8 she was asked to do private lessons as there was a sign that she had

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some sort of talent. She started her private lessons and also sang in her first Eisteddford in Wollongong and placed a fourth, for her first attempt.

She was then also asked to join an elite show group that would start her off in the community. By the age of nine she was now singing at shopping malls and Westfield promotions and her biggest gig till now singing with the VIENNA BOYS CHOIR as they did a tour of Wollongong.

This was exciting for Katelin and she enjoyed the crowds, applause, and smiles. This certainly gave her a larger drive to succeed and to strive to be better.

In the Year 2006 she won many first places in Wollongong and Spring Eisteddfords and the biggest to date the Championship, this was a proud moment for us. There was more to come. she had to do a show at the Wollongong Entertainment Centre for the Starlight Foundation that help kids with serious illnesses like cancer and leukemia and handycap kids. Now this is what shaped Katelin i hope for years to come as she entertained the children and their parents. As I looked around you could see the smiles of kids and parents and i knew that they would forget for a moment there problems as the kids laughed and smiled at Christmas. I now knew what Katelin could do with here voice and dance was to help people forget. This was a special time for Katelin as she enjoyed what she did. Also in that year she would sing at Carols By Candlelight in Wollongong and also at the Australia Day celebrations.

2007 for Katelin looks to be another big year as she strives to better herself and has started off well with winning the Championship and Scholarship, under 12 yrs for Illawarra Summer Eisteddford and is looking forward to a Dream World Tour at the Gold Coast. Later this year and once again she will sing for the children with illnesses in our community. Katelin and i would love to thank the people who have organised this night and awards for the Slovenian men women and juniors who strive to show what they can do and accomplish in our communities. To us Katelin is a golden voice who can change your thoughts for a few minutes and make you forget were you are, and one day she hopes to be an Australian Idol, and also a Slovenian Idol and if she continues to head in this direction make her mum, brother and i very proud of our culture for all of us.

thank you

rob koprivec

p.s katelin would love to sing for us if given the chance as it is her passion and love.

also just to confirm we have booked a table for 8 people for this on the 17th June, 2007 (we spoke to Eddie on Telephone No. 9610 1627).

as we live in Wollongong he advised it would be ok to pay for our tickets on the day.

if there is any queries regarding the booking please ring Rob on 0439 957803.

thanking you kindly.

regards

rob.

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Illawarra Region Eisteddfod



Adjudicators Report

Section Number and Name: 240 10/11 Up tempo

Competitor Number: 2

Blame it on the Bogey

Excellent start to the performance
What a brilliant performer you are
You were perfect pitch

Excellent movement

Try to use more expression in your face

Try to hold the microphone at the bottom towards
the head

Try to use the dynamics in your voice - we need
to hear your tones and soft - This would
add to your whole performance

When singing in your higher register is the more
challenging parts of the song, use your posture
to help you produce the note easily.

You looked and sounded like a real superstar

Mark: 87

1st

Adjudicator: M Henniker

Date: 24/3/07



Illawarra Region Eisteddfod



Adjudicators Report

Section Number and Name:

192 12/U Singing Abolish A

Competitor Number:

3

Reflection

This song suits your vocal register.
You have a beautiful wide open mouth
when you sing.

You bring the stage to life with your
and captivate the audience with the song.

You should be very proud of your effort.
You have a beautiful talent and voice.



Mark:

1st

Adjudicator:

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Date:

2/10/11

Section No. 153-2

Competitor No. 2

Report 2006



Your outfit looks sensational. You really
look like a showstopper.

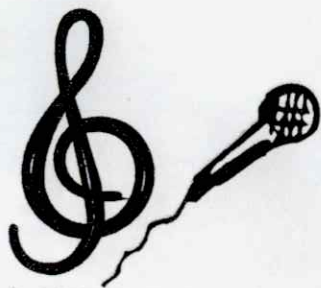
Excellent focus & strong selling skills.

Very good diction.

Very secure pitch and breath support throughout.

Work on holding some of your end notes a little longer.

A very impressive performance.



Result 1st - 92

Adjudicator [Signature]





Illawarra Region Eisteddfod



Adjudicators Report

Section Number and Name: 244 10/V Ballab

Competitor Number: 4

Reflection

Again, you have an amazing voice.
Be careful of notes, in the lower register.
This is a difficult way to sing and it is
that you have good control of your voice.
Be careful you can be pitchy.
Don't raise your neck on the higher notes.
You are a great performer - you have
your voice.
You are a delight to listen to.

Mark: 2nd

Adjudicator: M Henniker

Date: 24.3.07



Illawarra Region Eisteddfod



Adjudicators Report

Section Number and Name:

184 a 10/U Junior Championship

Competitor Number:

2

Turn The Beat Around

You have great energy on stage

Your use of stage space is excellent

You are a real performer - you delivered
this song to your audience

Your expression and movement are perfect

There has been a big thing for you, but the
quality of your voice was not the best

You acknowledged the audience and engaged
us in your performance

Lovely higher notes



You should be very proud of yourself
"Amazing!"

Mark: 1st

Adjudicator: M Henniker

Date: 24/3/07

Section No. 561-1

Competitor No. 2

Report

2006



Beautiful Green

Confident introduction

Handled microphone problems like
a professional

Great facial expression

Watch your pronunciation on the 'a'

Sound in down beat to make

AR Band

well executed moves and gesture

A difficult Song which you
handled well

Beautiful costume

You use your face

to tell the story

Good strong vocal throughout

Open the back of the throat

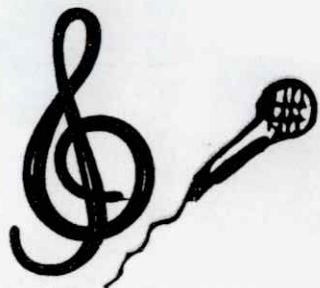
to help you with the

Good use of jaw to sustain
notes

Keep up the good

you have had

of potential



Result 184 1st

Adjudicator AKM



Section No. 152-2

Competitor No. 14

Report 2006



- Great Opening!
- What a GREAT face for stage.
- Outfit looks fantastic.
- Good movements and gesture.
- Secure pitch & good vocal strength.
- Good Girl to keep going when things were a bit wrong.
- A very impressive performance
- WELL DONE.



Result 1st - 94 

Adjudicator all R

