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ADELAIDE & METROPOLITAN MALAYALEE ASSOCIATION
(A Caring, Collaborative & Culturally rich Indian Community)

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From The President

Dear AMMA members,



Season's Greetings to all,
It's almost 11 months since the current management committee has been leading AMMA. The last 11 month period was the busiest and challenging for the entire management committee. We had a very exiting period of various indoor and outdoor events for all ages and the most exhilarating Sports and Games competition is in progress.

The most awaited event Adelaide Kalamela the bandwagon of AMMA was on 17th May 2014 and was a huge success. A big team of more than 200 dedicated AMMA members worked very hard for the past 8 months to make this show a big success. I would like to take this opportunity to thank each and every one associated with Adelaide Kalamela for their dedication, effort and time given. I am sure this event has made us proud of being

AMMA members.

Since our Vice President Mr Ram Menon relocated to Sydney, management committee had to request Mr Mohan Nambiar to take the charge as Acting Vice President till the AGM to which he kindly agreed. On behalf of all AMMA members I would like to thank Mohan for accepting the additional responsibilities. While looking forward I am pleased to inform that proper planning and with the united support from AMMA Community members we can achieve goals and take AMMA to new heights.

I take this opportunity to invite you all to our 16th Annual General Body meeting to be held at Goodwood community Centre on 19th July 2014. Looking forward to meet you there.

With Best Regards
Vimaldas Kottarapat
President , AMMA

AGM 2014 Invitation

AMMA Community members are cordially invited to the 16th Annual General Meeting of the association to be held at **Goodwood Community Centre, 32-34 Rosa Street, Goodwood SA 5034** on **Saturday, 19th July 2014, 4.30pm for 5.00pm start.**

The AGM programme also includes Karaoke evening, Prize distribution for the winners of AMMA sports competitions and acknowledge toppers of year 12 students of 2013 SACE within AMMA members. Complimentary light dinner will also be served.

AMMA Community members (of all ages), who are interested to participate in Karaoke evening are requested to forward the name either by email to amma@adelaidemalayalee.org or by phone to Deepthi Jain (Mob. 0412 142 923) by 16th July 2014.

For catering purposes RSVP is essential. Please contact Mohan Nambiar (Mob 0402 539 261) by 14th July 2014.

AMMA Management Committee.

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS 2014

Christmas was celebrated by the Adelaide & Metropolitan Malayalee Association (AMMA) on Saturday, 7th December 2009 at Croation Club Hall. It was a spectacular event attended by over 500 people. Santa paid a visit to all the young and the young at heart. The event had a variety of programs. The event was finished off with a sumptuous meal prepared by the volunteers.



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Nomination Form 2014

Conditions:

1. The Candidate, the Proposer and the Seconder must be a Financial Member and their membership must be valid at the time of application.
2. Completed nomination form addressed to the Returning Officer must be received at the following address, latest by Friday, 11th July 2014, 5.00 pm:

Mr. James Kappamankal, 9 Walter Street, Kidman Park, SA 5025.

Nominated Position

Vice-President

Name of the Candidate:

Family Code:

Address:

Telephone Number: (H).....(Mob).....

Signature & Date:

Name of the Proposer:

Family Code:

Address:

Telephone Number: (H).....(Mob).....

Signature & Date:

Name of the Seconder:

Family Code:

Address:

Telephone Number: (H).....(Mob).....

Signature & Date:

ANNOUNCEMENT

Adelaide & Metropolitan Malayalee Association

Annual General Meeting 2014

Notice is hereby given that the 16th Annual General Meeting of the association will be held at the Goodwood Community Centre, 32-34 Rosa Street, Goodwood SA 5034 on Saturday, 19th July 2014 at 5.00pm.

The agenda for the AGM includes, election of office bearer to the below mentioned position in the Management Committee falling vacant at the meeting:

1. Vice – President

Nominations are hereby invited from the interested community members for the above position.

Fill in the enclosed nomination form and either mail it or hand it over to the returning officer at the following address:

Mr. James Kappamankal, 9 Walter Street, Kidman Park, SA – 5025 Tel. Ph. 8356 2271

Nomination forms must be received at the above address not later than Friday 11th July 2014, 5.00 pm. Nominations received after this date and time will not be considered.

Eligibility

The Nominee, the Proposer and the Seconded persons must be a financial member of the association and their membership must be valid at the time of application.

The AGM will be followed by complimentary light dinner.

For catering purposes RSVP is essential for which contact Mohan Nambiar on

(0402 539 261) by 14th July 2014.

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FAMILY FUN DAY 2014

Adelaide & Metropolitan Malayalee Association (AMMA) had this years family fun day on Saturday 1st March 2014 at Regency Park Reserve. The day started off with lots of entertainment for kids, ladies, gents and couples, which included sweet picking, water balloon throwing, face painting, lemon spoon race, tug of war etc. Followed by this a BBQ lunch was arranged. The days program ended with the prize distribution for winners.



Sijo Cherian Padayattil & Lincy Sijo on the birth of their daughter Hilda.
 Rafeek Mohammed & Parveen Rafeek on the birth of their daughter Fayha
 Suresh Thankamala & Reena Suresh on the birth of their son Ethan.
 James Lukose & Melbamol James on the birth of their son Johan.

Congratulations

To Rajeev George for scoring **208** not out and beating the 40 years old club record for Flinders university cricket club and for being the best batsman & highest scorer of 2013-2014 in B grade cricket tournament.



EDITORS DESK

Helloooooo !

Winter has set in and it's back to that time of the year when we have to keep ourselves warm. The memories of summer are a distant afterglow now. Time flies quickly indeed, and we are already half way through this year. All the sports enthusiasts are getting their dose of sports by waking up early mornings to catch the world cup matches. We still have plenty of events coming up. Starting with the AGM next month, I invite you all to come to the AGM and have your say in the administration of AMMA. Hope to see you there. Any suggestions and comments please feel free to let us know.

Regards
 Jesly Ann John

Mr Paul Zacharia In Adelaide

AMMA management committee organised an interaction with the distinguished speaker Mr. Paul Zacharia in Cheltenham Community Centre on Sunday 20th April 2014. Mr. Paul Zacharia is a Malayalam short story writer, novelist and essayist. A recipient of Sahitya Academy Award, recognized as heterodox in style. Mr. Paul Zacharia's short stories and novels are similarly radical in theme

