

TOSA NEWS

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**Robert Wolfe in Sydney!
two exciting performances**

**ROBERT WOLFE IN CONCERT
Sun. 5th February**

**'BLACKPOOL DOWN UNDER'
Fri. 3rd February**

FURTHER DETAILS PLUS A BOOKING FORM INSIDE!!

IMPORTANT

CHANGE OF DATE CHANGE OF DATE

The member's open console evening that was to have been held at the Orion Centre, Beamish Street, Campsie on Tuesday 17 January 1988 **has now been transferred to Wednesday 18 January 1988**. This change was outside the control of the committee and we regret having to advise of it.

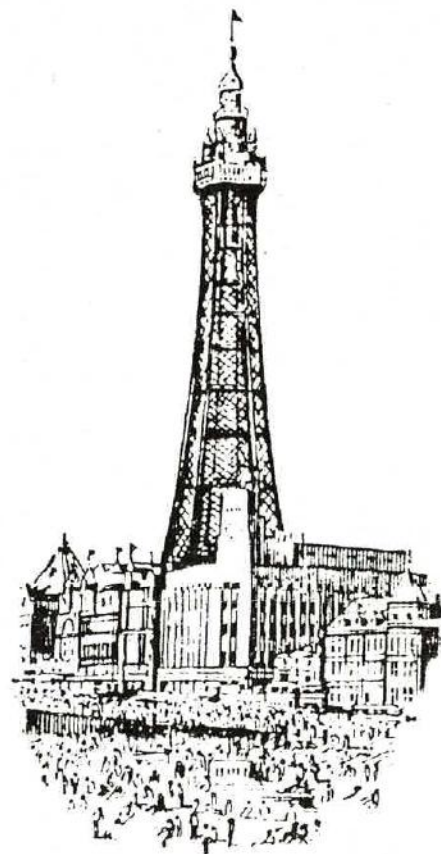
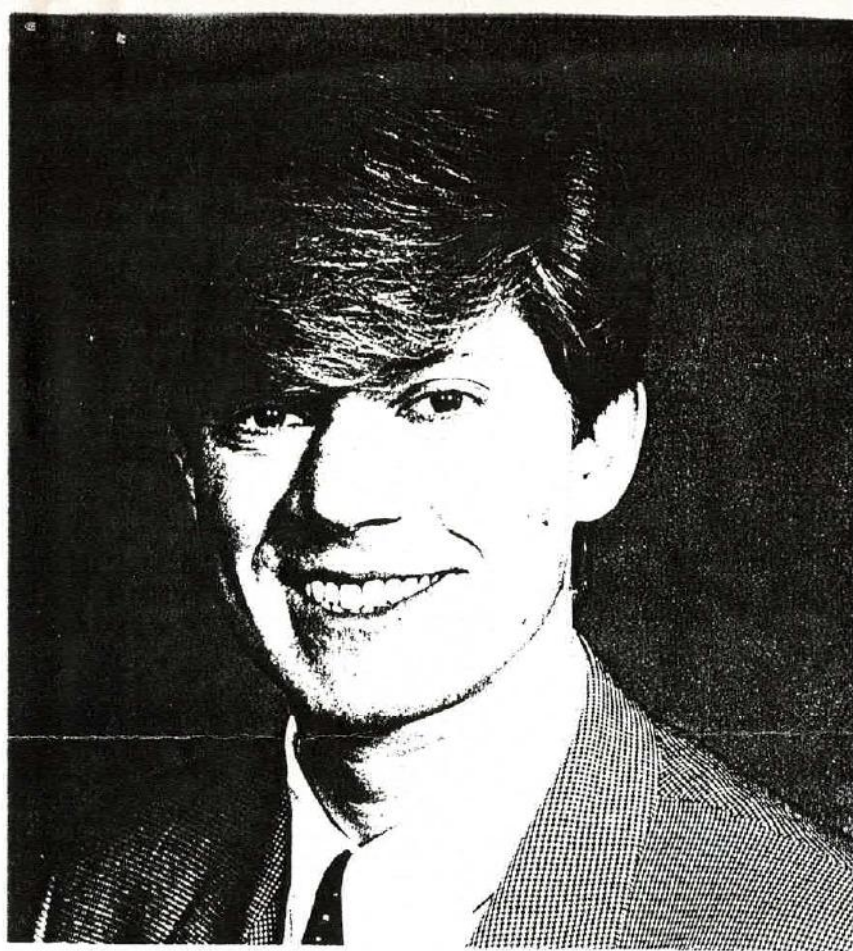
**NEW DATE: 18 January 1988
(Wednesday) 8.00pm**

**DONT FORGET TO AMMEND
YOUR DIARY!!**

ABOUT THIS ISSUE

TOSA NEWS this month was to have been a full issue. However, gremlins arrived in the printing press and, because of the holiday break, we were unable to have the press repaired in time for this issue.

An issue, however brief, was required to remind members of firstly the forthcoming members open console evening at the Orion Centre and secondly the coming Robert Wolfe Concert and 'Blackpool Down Under' Dance night in February. Booking forms for the concert and dance night are on the back page. Both of these events will be great fun and entertainment so mark the diary and let's make the first members night and concert for 1989 a winner.



ROBERT WOLFE - GUEST ORGANIST

THE ORION CENTRE IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE THEATRE ORGAN SOCIETY OF AUSTRALIA N.S.W. DIVISION IS PROUD TO PRESENT THIS EXTREMELY VERSATILE AND TALENTED PERFORMER IN ONE OF SYDNEYS NEWEST VENUES, PLAYING THE WURLITZER ORGAN.

FORMERLY A STAFF ORGANIST AT ENGLAND'S LARGEST HOLIDAY CITY - BLACKPOOL, ROBERT WOLFE HAS ENTERTAINED MILLIONS OF VISITORS AT THE "MECCA" OF DANCE "THE TOWER BALLROOM", PLAYING THE MAJESTIC WURLITZER ORGAN.

FOR SIX OF THE SEVEN DAYS A WEEK THAT THE WURLITZER ORGAN IS PLAYED, DANCE MUSIC IS THE ORDER OF THE DAY - THE TRADITION OF DANCING TO THE WURLITZER HAVING BEEN BUILT UP OVER THE YEARS BY THE FAMOUS REGINALD DIXON. THE TOWER BALLROOM, MAGNIFICENT BY ANY STANDARDS, IS ONE OF THE LARGEST BALLROOMS IN EUROPE AND PEOPLE ARE GENUINELY AMAZED WHEN THEY SEE ITS SPLENDOUR FOR THE FIRST TIME.

THE TOWER ORGANISTS HAVE REPUTATIONS AS FIRST CLASS MUSICIANS AND ENTERTAINERS. CERTAINLY IN THE WORLD OF DANCING TO WHICH THEY BRING THEIR OWN RECOGNISABLE STYLE AND PERSONALITY. BLACKPOOL IS OFTEN THOUGHT OF AS THE HOME OF BALLROOM DANCING WITH MANY OF THE NATIONAL & INTERNATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS BEING HELD THERE. AT ALL THESE EVENTS, THE ORGANIST'S FRESHNESS OF APPROACH, FINE SENSE OF RHYTHM AND PERFECT DANCE TEMPO ALL RECEIVE THE ACCOLADES THEY DESERVE.

THE CURRENT REVIVAL OF DANCING IS REFLECTED THROUGHOUT THE SEASON AT THE TOWER WHEN DANCING TO THE WURLITZER ORGAN IS BECOMING A "MUST" FOR AN INCREASING NUMBER OF PEOPLE.