

## ORGAN SOUNDS ITS LAST NOTE AT KARRINYUP

The Wurlitzer Theatre Organ at the Karrinyup Community Centre had its last concert on the 2<sup>nd</sup> April, after 42 years. The owners of the organ, John Furhmann and Ray Clements say that, because of shopping centre traffic, it has become difficult for audience members to find parking when concerts were on. The Wurlitzer was originally installed in the Hoyts Regent Theatre, William Street Perth in 1927. The Regent Theatre became the Metro in 1938. The Metro closed in 1973 and the organ was purchased by John and Ray and installed in the Karrinyup Centre. The organ will undergo a refurbishment for the next 12 months and will eventually be installed in the Cygnet Theatre Como where patrons will have not only substantial parking but also comfortable cushioned raked cinema seating. It will be a new beginning for the historic and iconic organ.



## CLASSICS OF THE SILVER SCREEN

Pictures In Motion will be having a fund raising screening of 'The Sea Wolves' on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> June, commencing 1:00pm, at the R.S.L Hall, Fred Bell Parade, East Victoria Park.



Gregory Peck, Roger Moore, David Niven and Trevor Howard head the top-notch cast of this retelling of true wartime exploits hidden until 1978 when the British Official Secrets Act lifted security restrictions.

In 1943, German merchant vessels off neutral Goa (a Portuguese colony on India's western coast) transmit information about Allied ships to a predatory U-boat. Unable to launch a raid in neutral waters, the British draft some "unofficial" commandoes. The Sea Wolves is a grand all-star adventure.

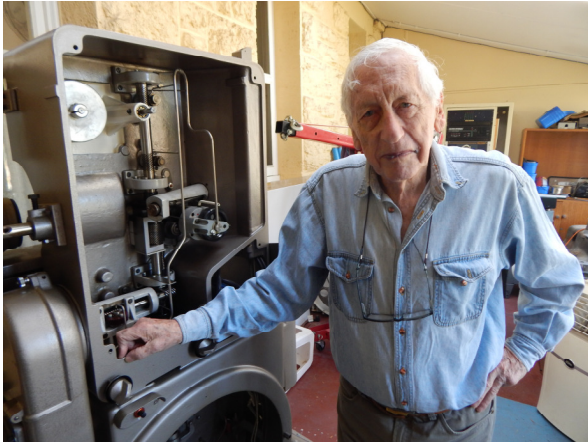
Doors open at 12:30pm. Ticket sales cash only.

Adults \$15.00 Seniors \$12.00 Children and AMMPT Members \$10.00 Enquires 94305959



## MEMBERS AT WORK

Member Graham Kahn joined the New Zealand Air Force as a radio technician after leaving school and served for five years. After leaving the air force Graham re-opened the Taukau Town Hall cinema and in the 1960s started to accumulate cinemas in Auckland, The State, Rialto and the Victory. Graham also found time to show 16mm films at two beach resorts during the summer. After relinquishing the cinemas, a mobile cinema business "Village Theatres Ltd" was established screening movies every night up and down the east coast of the North Island.



Eventually a move to Wellington saw Graham managing the Paramount Theatre for fifteen years followed by six years for Hoyts NZ and subsequently Reading Cinemas. After attending a wedding in Perth in early 2000 Graham and wife Lynne decided this was the place to retire which, it turned out, was not for long as he took over running the Cygnet Theatre Como. Graham finally earned his retirement in 2015.

## FILMS SCREENING IN PERTH, SATURDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> April 1949

### PLAZA



"The Foxes of Harrow"

### PICCADILLY



"Saigon"

### THEATRE ROYAL

"David Copperfield"



### AMBASSADORS

"Call Northside 777"



### GRAND

"Salute To The Marines"



### CAPITOL

"The Merry Widow"



### METRO

"The Great Waltz"

