"SUNRISE" CHORAL SOCIETY

This choir grew out of a group of immigrants, who not only enjoyed one another's company, but even more so, the singalongs of their old country. So it happened that on May 25th, 1959, the choir was officially formed. At first all the songs were in Dutch, like the name, "Morgenrood", and music was ordered from the Netherlands, but little by little English and Australian songs crept into the repertoire, and

Now there are 44 singers, who proudly wear their uniforms when performing. Those uniforms with emblems were acquired with a lot of singing, fundraising, raffles and so on. It took altogether 2 years to achieve this. During the almost 25 years of singing, there have of course been many highlights and outstanding events. To name some of them: the International Concert at the opening of the Bankstown Civic Centre, Carols by Candlelight, concerts at the Bowral Tulip Festival, performing in Wollongong and recently in Melbourne, and best of all, performances with Marcia Hines and Jon English. Do not be deterred by this imposing list of achievements if you wish to join in the singalong. Just come any Monday evening to 15 Hereward Highway (Coreen Public School) in Blacktown at 8 p.m. You are welcome to join in rehearsals and eventually to sing in the choir when they perform.