Combined Probus Club of Belrose Inc.



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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Members and Friends of the Combined Probus Club of Belrose Inc

The committee held a zoom meeting, however, at this stage we do not have anything to add to the current situation, other than "hang in there". When we know we will let you know How, When and Where the club can once again return to normal activities.

Again, I trust this newsletter finds you all in good health. Please contact a club member and keep in touch.

The committee has taken the decision to refund monies from cancelled events. This was deemed to be better than transferring monies on to other events.

Once again, I note the positions of Treasurer and Vice President are of a temporary nature and we still require those positions to be filled.

Looking forward to seeing you at the next meeting or activity, whenever that may be, hopefully sooner rather than later.

Terry Stewart

President - Combined Probus Club of Belrose Inc.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS 2021/2022

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PAYMENT REMINDERS

Preferred method of payment is EFT. Please ensure that you include your surname and event name in the description section of your EFT payment. Print the "transaction receipt" and give one copy of it to the event organiser.

Bank Details:

Combined Probus Club of Belrose

BSB: 032123

Account No: 325864

If you need to pay in cash or by cheque please place in an envelope for each event with your name on the front and give it to the event organiser. Separate cheques in separate envelopes please.

CASUAL COFFEE MORNINGS

Jenny Jones 0405 310 537

When Covid restrictions ease our casual coffee mornings will be held on the first Tuesday morning of each month from 10.am.

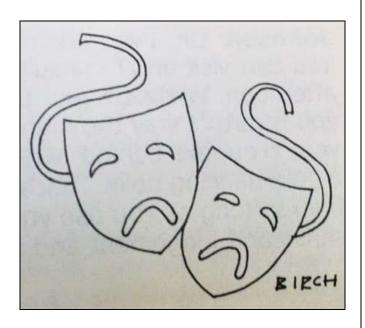
If permitted, our next coffee morning will be on Tuesday 5th October 2021.

Jenny Jones



ENTERTAINMENT

Warwick Brady (0418 793 684)



Well, here we are at the end of another month and not much is happening as far as the theatre is concerned.

Looking first at the shows at Glen Street Theatre. It's hard to believe that I can't get a definite answer about the show Todd McKenney sings Peter Allan and More which was booked for on Saturday 4th September. I am certain that this date will not be available. More information to follow.

Music of the Night which was originally booked for the 31st July and then moved to the 8th October has now had a further change of date. This morning I received confirmation from Glen Street that the show will now be staged on Saturday 19th March 2022 at 8.00om. All tickets have been transferred and I will be asking for confirmation that this new date is acceptable to all members.

There has been a change of dates also for The Everly Brothers & the Rock N Roll Legends of the 50's and 60's.

All of our members have confirmed that they are available to change their tickets to **Friday 22nd April 2022** at 8.00pm. It may be possible to get a few more tickets if any other members would like to join us. Please give me a call.

As yet we do not have information about A Morning with Karen Knowles due to be performed on Monday 11th October at 11.00am. According to Glen Street Karen, who lives in Melbourne, is very keen to keep this appointment, but we will wait and see. So, as I have further information I will let you know.

Also Celebrate it's Christmas with lan Stenlake due on Wednesday 15th December at 11.00am. There is some hope that this show will be able to go ahead. But nothing definite.

Our main concern is Come From Away at the Capital Theatre on Wednesday 20th October at 1.00pm. The last information received from Ticketmaster did indicate the show would be going ahead but things have changed since then. I am keeping in touch with Ticketmaster and as soon as I have any definite information I will let you know.

Thanks so much for all your support I do appreciate the many kind reports I have received. Hopefully 2022 will be a much easier year for us all.

Best Wishes,
Warwick Brady
Entertainment Officer

GUEST SPEAKERS

Jan Staniland (0409 455 652)

ACCC's book of scams: These have been delivered to most members in the Forest area. Please give me a call if you have not found one in your letter box and would like a copy. (0409 455 652)

We will endeavour to deliver to other areas when it is possible or, if you are in the Forest area, I can leave one in my letterbox for you to collect. Alternatively, in the August newsletter there is a link to the presentation by the team at Westpac.

Unfortunately, due to continuing lockdowns it is unlikely that we will have a full meeting before Christmas, so in all probability our guest speakers will be caried over to 2022.

It is disappointing that we have had to cancel:

- October guest speaker Nigel Hubbard talking about Agatha Christie's life and her many books
- November a presentation by Tony Abbott
- December Kieran Kelly whom many of you know from his ABC broadcasts, talking about his final, just completed trek through Utah's Uintas Mountains).

Keep safe everyone and hopefully it won't be too long before we can again enjoy some time together.

Jan Staniland– Guest Speaker Coordinator

SOCIAL

Margaret Lovett (0414 872 189)

Well, here we are making bookings, cancelling bookings, etc etc. Let's all hold our collective breaths and hope we will be able to end the year on a high with the Xmas Lunch!! (which is still ON at this stage).

Souths Junior Lunch - The Mystery Lunch (which really wasn't a "mystery" as I told you all where it was going to be) is now **cancelled**!!!

Anniversary Lunch - Unfortunately, due to the current restrictions the revised date for the Anniversary Lunch on 23rd September will be cancelled. A full refund will be made to all members who had booked and paid.

Christmas Lunch - The 2nd December is the date to look forward to at this stage! The Lunch will be on (hopefully) at the Terrey Hills Golf Club as previously advertised. We will have to make it a double celebration this year!! Further information will be made available re the lunch at a later date.

Should restrictions change to allow us to get together in the next couple of months I will send out a notice re any casual gathering which could be organized.

Stay safe and healthy and maintain an upright position at all times if possible!!!

Cheers

Margaret Lovett Social Coordinator

TOURS AND OUTINGS

John Robinson (0438 456 808)

It would appear most, if not all, scheduled outings will not proceed this year,

The Hunter Valley Gardens are currently closed and they are still awaiting a decision from the State Government regarding future openings. A full refund of deposit will be made should the event not proceed.

Let's be optimistic and look forward to double the outings and double the fun in a happier New Year.'

Regards,
John Robinson
Tours and Outings Coordinator

WALKING GROUP

Helen Miles (0407 078 963)

Due to the continuing COVID-19 restrictions, sadly our September walk has to be cancelled. It was to have been a bush walk in Davidson on Friday 24th September to enjoy the Spring flowering wildflowers and led by Ted Morton. Should the current restrictions be eased closer to the date, enabling a group, or small groups to walk, we will send out an email with full details.

Please all keep safe and well.

Helen Miles

WELFARE

Robyn Wood (0424 243 457)

We are feeling at home in the centre of Belrose in Wingara Grove. We did choose well - good area.

Having the lock down has just thrown us all - shame when everyone had so many things planned and all the dinners and theatre visits cancelled.

I have rung a lot of singles as it is a lonely time of year for people living on their own. Do hope that everyone's family is keeping well and are in touch with you all. Have seen a lot of Probians walking around. If we see you, please talk at a distance. It will be lovely to have drinks together in the future - what a memory!

Be careful and stay safe,

Robyn Wood Welfare Officer

WRAPS WITH LOVE

Margaret Hobson (0416 090 140)

A further 6 Wraps have been added to our overall total of 1024 to now total 1030. Of course this number will increase when lockdown has ended and Probus meetings resume.

Some of our latest wraps.

Margaret Hobson









September Birthdays



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Q th	Judy Morton	

11 th David Tom	linson
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18 th W	arren Needs
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25 th	Cherry	Robinson
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27th Elaine Peck

28th Chris Wood

NEWSLETTER

Jenny Jones (0405 310 537)

If you have anything of interest for the October newsletter please email it to me at:

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My thanks go to those who submitted photos/cartoons/articles for this newsletter.

Jenny Jones Newsletter Editor

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