



## *Liz's Lines*



Sorry to have missed the first Probus meeting for the Probus New Year but I'm glad to report that my time in Northern Beaches Hospital and followed by rehab at Arcadia Pittwater, has definitely been worth it and I now have two new knees behaving very well.

From all reports, Vice President Ros did a brilliant job running the meeting in my absence and was ably assisted by the committee and all the other helpers. I thank you Ros. Jane White and her Morning Tea team, really excelled in providing individual Easter treats (which I enjoyed in Hospital) as well as making a special Simnel Easter Cake to share at morning tea. Thank you Jane and team!

I look forward being able to join in with the many Probus activities on offer and catching up with my Probus friends.

Many, many thanks for the beautiful pink cyclamen from Probus which greeted me when I arrived home on Saturday (23rd). Hastings and I both appreciated the regular phone calls from Welfare Officer Robyn with words of encouragement and best wishes. We certainly belong to a very caring and loving Probus Club.

Looking forward to seeing you all at the next meeting.

Love

*President Liz*

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## *Vice President's Report*

Hello members and friends connected with Combined Probus Club of Belrose.

At our last meeting I filled in as Vice President as Liz was having her knees operated on, as mentioned, in the last newsletter. I was very pleased to read a message from Liz conveying her thanks and support for her recent successful operation.

It was an honour to welcome and introduce five new prospective members, and several more will also attend our next meeting. This is a first for sometime.

Our events calendar looks varied and exciting for the coming year, catering for all interests. Something for everyone, whether it be lunches,

outings and tours, theatre entertainment, walking groups, knitting etc.

I would like to thank Diana Noyce for being the guest speaker at our meeting. She enlightened us on the origins of the food we especially enjoy at Easter, including customs of other countries around the world.

We were also treated to seminal cake and Easter treats for morning tea. Thank you Jane White and team.

I wish to thank the Management Committee and Members for their support and encouragement for the meeting. It was greatly appreciated.

We look forward to welcoming President Liz back with her new knees for our May meeting.

Love,

*Vice President Ros*

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### 2022 MEETING DATES

#### General Meetings - Thursdays 10am

12 May  
09 June  
14 July  
11 August  
08 September  
13 October  
10 November  
08 December

#### Committee Meetings - Thursday 9.30am

26 May  
23 June  
28 July  
25 August  
22 September  
27 October  
24 November  
No meeting in December

### COMMITTEE MEMBERS 2022/2023

President	Liz Pawsey
Past President	Terry Stewart
Vice President	Ros Thompson
Secretary	Lesley Walker
Treasurer	Colin Fordred
Assist Treasurer/ Assist Secretary	Mike Staniland
Entertainment	Warwick Brady
Guest Speakers	Jan Staniland
Membership	Tony Lovett
Newsletter	Jenny Jones
Social	Margaret Lovett
Tours/Outings	Margaret Ayre
Welfare	Robyn Wood

### CLUB SUPPORT 2022/2023

Art Appreciation/ Historic Walks	John Robinson
Auditor	Bill Hardman
Hospitality	Jane White Barbara Moxham
Movie Group	Gloria Attwooll
Reception	Warren Needs
Room Set-up	Malcolm McLean
Walking Group	Helen Miles
Website Admin.	Ross Swadling
Wine Apprec,	Mike Staniland
Wraps with Love	Margaret Hobson

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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 are:

**Combined Probus Club of Belrose  
BSB: 032123  
Account No: 325864**

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

**Preferably no cheques please.**

## MORNING TEA

Jane White (9453 3114)

Barbara Moxham (0407 992 476)

Please note, a sheet for morning tea helpers to assist from July to December will be placed near the sign on sheet at our next meeting. Please add your name if you would like to help with the teas and coffees.

### Morning Tea Roster

12<sup>th</sup> May 2022

Barley Stewart  
Carol Worboys  
Judy Morton

9<sup>th</sup> June 2022

Barley Stewart  
Lyn Cameron  
Dulcie Hermann

## ENTERTAINMENT

Warwick Brady (0418 793 684)

- **Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> April**

59 members thoroughly enjoyed the production at Glen Street of the **Everly Brothers and the Rock & Roll Legends of the 50's and 60'**.

What a great show performed by the internationally renowned Williams Brothers supported by the multi-award winning band The Shy Guys. Almost all of our members were on their feet for the finale. Glen Street has certainly provided a number of terrific shows this year.

- **Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> May**

Moving on, another show we have been waiting to see for two years, the internationally acclaimed **9 - 5 Dolly Parton's smash hit musical**. We have 36 tickets for this show. The Australian production features Marina Prior, Casey Donovan, Eddie Perfect and Caroline O'Connor.

- **Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> May**

We return to Glen Street to see **Black Cockatoo** on Thursday 12th May a play inspired by the true story of legendary first nations cricketer Johnny Mullagh and Australia's first international sporting team. A story not just about cricket but a story of strength, resistance, hope and possibility.

- **Wednesday 8th June**

On 8 June we have a reservation for "**An American in Paris**" 39 seats at the Theatre Royal in King Street Sydney. This theatre has been recently modernised. All tickets for this show have been reserved and paid for.

- **Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> July**

On Saturday 16th July back at Glen Street a large theatre party has been ordered for Mark Vincent - **The Impossible Dream**. I still have 7 tickets available for this show. @ \$69.90 each. Payment for all tickets is required by 28th May at the latest. Fans can expect an intimate performance with Mark performing a rich repertoire of classical music songs as well as hits from London and Broadway Musicals including Memory, This is the Moment, Nessun Dorma, You'll Never Walk Alone, My Way and many more.

- **Friday 12<sup>th</sup> August**

Bookings are now open for "**The Sapphires**" a multiple award winning play full of unbeatable soul music, raw energy, comedy and romance, Our booking is for Friday 12th August at 7.30pm and ticket price is \$67.50.

Thanks again for all your support. Other new productions will follow next month.

Kind regards,  
**Warwick Brady**  
**Entertainment Officer**

## GUEST SPEAKERS

Jan Staniland (0409 455 652)

### MAY MEETING

Our Guest Speaker for May 12 is Kez Hasanic from the Maritime Museum who is talking about the amazing luxury liner for the rich and famous. launched by the Cunard Line in 1906. On it's 202nd voyage across the Atlantic it was sunk by a German submarine in WW1. This is a real detective story that throws light on the truth and reason why the ship sank in only 18 minutes, taking over 1200 men, women and children with her.

### APRIL MEETING



Guest Speaker Diana Noyce  
and Mike Staniland

At our meeting just before Easter, food historian Diane gave a very interesting presentation on how people around the world celebrate at Easter time and the foods they eat.

**Jan Staniland**  
**Guest Speaker Coordinator**



## SOCIAL

Margaret Lovett (0414 872 189)

Social calendar for the next few months:

- **April 21st Mooney Mooney Lunch**

Unfortunately due to lack of interest the Lunch at Mooney Mooney was cancelled.

- **May 19th Lunch at Franky`s Restaurant at Flower Power Terrey Hills - 12.30pm**

Thursday lunch at Frankie's Restaurant at Flower Power at Terrey Hills is booked for 12:30pm. Final numbers are required by 10th May so management are able to arrange their staff and for catering purposes. The menu is quite varied, and people will have the opportunity to order and pay for their own meals. There will be no set menu and I will not be collecting any money prior to the event. BUT PLEASE let me know if you are coming via the website. **Bring a jacket if the weather is cool.**

- **June 2<sup>nd</sup> Lunch at Sydney Zoo**

Lunch will be available at the restaurant/café at the Sydney Zoo

- **July 28th Anniversary Lunch at Royal Motor Yacht Club Newport – 12 noon**

The Anniversary Lunch at Royal Motor Yacht Club at Newport is at 12 o'clock. Further details re the menu and the price will be in next month's newsletter.

- **December 13th (TUESDAY) Christmas Lunch at Terrey Hills Golf Club**

My monthly reminder of the date and day for the Xmas Lunch at Terrey Hills Golf Club - TUESDAY 13th DECEMBER

### **Silk Chinese Restaurant – 31 March**

A very pleasant dinner at Silk Dining at St Ives was enjoyed by 35 people. There was much chatter and laughter and an abundance of lovely food. Thanks to all who attended. Here are some photos taken on the day.

### **Marg Lovett Social Coordinator**



## TOURS AND OUTINGS

Margaret Ayre (0423 302 069)

### BARE ISLAND, LA PEROUSE & SOUTHERN BEACHES TOUR

16 MAY 2022



Our tour commences with morning tea at La Perouse before our guided tour of Bare Island. Located within the Botany Bay National Park, Bare Island Fort is situated at the mouth of Botany Bay. The fort was built in 1885 to protect the 'back door' of Sydney from attack by sea. Cross the wooden bridge (approximately 50 meters) and enter a world of military pride, fire engineering and great deception. Our guided tour will last approximately 1.5 hours.

Our two-course lunch is at the Coogee Legion Club. We will tour the coastline from La Perouse on the northern entrance of Botany Bay, passing Little Bay, Malabar and Maroubra before reaching our destination at the Legion Club in Coogee. Here you will have a choice of main courses, dessert and tea or barista coffee while enjoying the water views from our reserved seating.





Following lunch we will continue with our tour of the Southern Beaches to Watsons Bay. We will travel through Coogee, Bronte, Tamarama and Bondi beaches and finish up through Vaucluse, Rose Bay, Double Bay and Woollahra.

Cost per person is \$82.00 and includes morning tea, two course lunch with tea or barista coffee, guided tour and coach touring.

Departs at 8.30am from Hews Parade and returns at approx. 4.30pm.  
**Payment due by 30th April 2022**

FULL DAY BUS TRIP TO  
SYDNEY ZOO  
BUNGARRIBEE  
NSW 2767

2 JUNE 2022



Full day bus trip leaving from Hews Parade at 9am Returning at 4pm The pricing for groups of 15 or more paid tickets is as follows: \$28pp for concession. When booking please let

me know if you are planning to use your D & D voucher. If you are using your Dine and Discover for the zoo you will either need to redeem them online or in person at Sydney Zoo. Please know that the online and gate rate rates are different prices. With D&D \$29.99 online or \$36 at the gate

The coach is a 48 seater, the more going the cheaper the fare. Fare for 40 persons = \$30.pp Fare for 30 persons = \$40 pp. Lunch at our own expense

YULEFEST  
CARRINGTON HOTEL  
15-47 Katoomba St, Katoomba

8 AUGUST 2022



1 Night's accommodation package includes:

- 4 course Yulefest Dinner, Christmas Music, Centrepieces and Bonbons plus a complimentary glass of Gluwein
- Group Accommodation
- Continental Breakfast

Cost: Twin \$319.00, Single \$257.00  
Prices are per room

There are 8 rooms still available

### **Margaret Ayre Tours and Outings**

#### **WALKING GROUP**

Helen Miles (0407 078 963)

### MAY WALK

Our May walk is on **Friday 27th May** at Middle Head lead by Helen.

We will meet at the George's Heights carpark at 9.15 am for a 9.30 am start. Turn right off Middle Head Road into Suakin Drive (large George's Heights sign) and proceed down to turn right into Commonwealth Avenue, just before the boom gate, then left into the car park. This is the car park above Gunners Barracks.

We will explore the headland then walk down to the Middle Head Fortifications, weather permitting. Coffee should be available at cafes.

### APRIL WALK



Our April walk in Narrabeen was led by Ted and enjoyed by 12 walkers and Molly.

How lucky were we to have a lovely sunny day after all the rain. We started along the ocean side before crossing over to the lake. A leisurely coffee was really enjoyed at H2O before continuing on around the lake for cheese and biscuits in the shade and a return to the cars. Thank you Ted for a great morning out after all the wet weather.

### PROPOSED WALKS FOR 2022

- **May.** 27/05/22. Middle Head. Led by Helen. 9.15 for 9.30am
- **June.** 24/06/22. Barangaroo. Led by Lyn & Jock
- **July.** 29/07/22. Coogee to Maroubra. Led by Helen
- **August.** 26/08/22. Bush walk. Davidson. Led by Ted. 9.15 for 9.30am



- **September.** 30/09/22.  
Lysgard Garden Led by Helen
- **October.** 28/10/22.  
Centennial Park. Led by Helen & Dennis
- **November.** 25/11/22.  
Watson's Bay. Lunch. Led by Helen

Locations and times for the above walks may alter due to weather conditions and Covid restrictions.

**Helen Miles**  
**Walks Coordinator**

#### WELFARE

Robyn Wood (0424 243 457)

Had a lovely talk with Hastings. The rehab for Liz is going really well - even now doing the hospital stairs. As an outpatient having a double knee operation is a big operation. She has surprised herself. The physios do a great job.

Jill McDonald - it is nearly 3 months since her fall at Warriewood Shopping Centre. Still having rehab at Arcadia. Still unable to drive but getting there soon.

Rob Murphy is looking really well after his hip operation. Still having physio.

Anyone who has been unwell please share your story, look after each other. Winter is on the way so stay well.

**Robyn Wood,**  
**Welfare Officer**

#### WRAPS WITH LOVE

Margaret Hobson (0416 090 140)

A big thank you to all or Probus members and their friends who continually knit and crochet squares to be made into wraps and to those who donate wool to be used by the knitters.

Since our wraps group was started in 2012 we have achieved a total of 1170 wraps. Thanks everyone for your contribution.

Below are some of our latest wraps.

**Magaret Hobson**  
**Wraps Coordinator**





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## May Birthdays

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Judy Hardman	2nd
Anne Hutchinson	2nd
Keith Hutchinson	13th
Vicki Johnston	16th
Mike Gibbs	19th
Miriam Brownlee	20th
Lyn Loveday	20th
Helen Miles	26th
Ross Kempshall	29th

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