



PROBUS CLUB OF COORPAROO INC NEWSLETTER FEBRUARY 2025 (vs1.1)

Meets at Holland Park Sports Club
49 Abbotsleigh St, Holland Park
10:00am Second Wednesday of the month

Postal Address: 39 Hector Road
Holland Park Qld 4121

President's Report

Welcome to the February 2025 Newsletter. I do hope everyone had a great break and are ready and rearing for 2025.

Over the next few weeks, leading up to the March meeting, all members will be notified of the March Annual General Meeting (AGM). By the time of release of this Newsletter, you may have started to receive such correspondence.

Our Secretary, Cathy Lutvey will run through the process at the February 2025 meeting as a lead up to the election of office bearing to be held 12 March 2025.

There has been interest expressed in some of the roles, however I encourage members interested in securing a role in 2025 please have your nomination form completed and returned to the Secretary by the due date (which outlined in future correspondence).

The club has been bubbling along pretty well I believe. The election of some existing members back into their current roles helps the stability of the club, however, the addition of new Committee Members brings fresh ideas and a new energy.

I urge members to consider taking a role, supporting the club and those members who have contributed significantly over the past years.

I would be shattered if the roles could not be filled in 2025, placing the club in an awkward position. I will chat more about this at the February meeting.

Thank you all for your ongoing support to the Probus Club of Coorparoo and I look forward to catching up with folk over the next few meetings and outings.

Kind regards
Murray Excell ASM

PROBUS CLUB OF COORPAROO

The first meeting in the New Year is **12 FEBRUARY 2025** at the Holland Park Sports Club commencing at 10 am. It is requested that you adhere to the following procedures for 'catering purposes' by registering your intention to attend this meeting OR registering your apology if you are unable to attend.

These registrations must be received **NO LATER THAN THURSDAY 7 FEBRUARY 2025**. Changes such as cancellations or attendance to be advised by **SUNDAY 10 FEBRUARY 2025** prior to 7pm.

Secretary Cathy Lutvey sends out emails to all members.

Please respond either **YES** or **NO**

REMINDER – FEBRUARY MEETING

Carina Men's Shed Band - The Corrugated Shedders



The Corrugated Shedders will be performing at our first meeting for 2025. This is a very popular band and will provide great entertainment. We look forward to what should be a great start to the 2025 year!

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Wednesday, 12 March 2025



The Probud Club of Coorparoo is holding its **Annual General Meeting** on **Wednesday, 12 March 2025**.

We are looking for members to join our Committee. There are many opportunities to contribute so please speak to one of our Committee members to find out about particular roles.

BOOK SWAP

Wednesday 12 February 2025

AT THE GENERAL MEETING



Thanks to the members who brought books to the last meeting. We will continue this activity.

MAHJONG, EUCHRE, CANASTA AND 500



Dates: **Thursday 13 February 2025 and Thursday 27 February 2025**

Time: 10am to 1pm

Venue: Fielders Club Address: 35 Bognor Street, Tingalpa. QLD

Margo and Jude welcome experienced and beginner mahjong players.

Canasta, 500 and Euchre card games are also being played. There is talk about cribbage starting up as well.

We are looking for a few more members to make up numbers for cards in particular. Whilst attendance is very good, if we had more people attending then additional games could be played.

Come and join in! You can enjoy a cuppa and many participants stay on for lunch afterwards.

FORTHCOMING DINE OUTS & SPECIAL EVENTS

Wednesday, 5 February 2025

Pacific Golf Club

Our first dine out for 2025 will be held at the **Pacific Golf Club** commencing at 11:45am for 12:00pm lunch.

The address is 440 Pine Mountain Road, Carindale.

We look forward to seeing you.



NEWS FROM THE TRIPS COMMITTEE

Wednesday 26 February 2025

TOUR OF BRISBANE AIRPORT

To start the year, Coorparoo Probus is heading to Brisbane Airport for a fully guided tour which includes both the Domestic and International Terminals, the freight and logistics area plus the training and education facilities.

The tour will take about 1.5 hours after which we will head to The Hamilton Hotel for lunch. The menu offers many choices, including a Seniors menu.



Cost: \$30 per person

Bus pick up: 8:30am – The Village, Goring Street, Coorparoo
8:45 am – Scott Park, Harold Street & Rita Street, Holland Park

Don't forget to reference your **NAME** and **EVENT** when making your booking.
Full payment due at our first meeting on **12 February 2025**.

COORPAROO PROBUS EVENTS 2025					
	PLACE	DATE	TIME	TRANSPORT	PAYMENT
FEBRUARY 2025 EVENTS – PLEASE NOTE YOUR CALENDAR					
Dine Out	Pacific Golf Club	Wed 5 February	11:45am	Own	Individual
General Meeting	Holland Park Sports Club	Wed 12 February	10:00am	Own	\$7 plus raffle
Mahjong/Canasta/500	Fielders Tingalpa	Thur 13 February	10:00am	Own	Individual
Brisbane Airport Trip	Brisbane Airport	Wed 26 February	8:15am	Bus pick up	\$30 pp
Mahjong/Canasta/500	Fielders Tingalpa	Thur 27 February	10:00am	Own	Individual
MARCH 2025 EVENTS					
AGM	Holland Park Sports Club	Wed 12 March	10:00am	Own	\$7 plus raffle