



PROBUS CLUB OF COORPAROO INC

NEWSLETTER JUNE 2023 (v3.2)

Postal Address.

Meets at the Holland Park Sports Club
49 Abbotsleigh St, Holland Park
10.00am Second Wednesday of the month

39 Hector Road
Holland Park. Qld 4121

Welcome to the June 2023 Newsletter.

Just a subtle reminder that Christmas is just over six months away! How time flies.

Speaking of Christmas, the Newnham Hotel (Upper Mount Gravatt) has again been reserved for our Christmas Party Celebrations. The Newman will undergo renovations at some stage, the Hotel is unable to provide an accurate time frame on the renos. However, I am confident our club will be able to attend the Hotel once again in 2023 for our Christmas function. The past Christmas luncheons there has been excellent, therefore the Management Committee is not keen to change what works well! We will look for suitable entertainment for the event as well.

Pop this date: Wednesday 13th December, in your calendar NOW!

Before we get to this point there is lots happening in the Club. Apart from fantastic guest speakers that have been lined up (see the web site for more details:) <https://www.probuscoorparoo.com.au>, we have 'Christmas in July', again at Birches, Mount Mee. Members will be able to sign up at the next monthly meeting (14 June 2023). ALL members and partners are welcome. Arrangements for a comfortable bus have been made.

I wanted to raise the following matter club members. In August, the meeting will include Professor Nicholas Aroney, a Constitutional Lawyer from a local Law firm to speak about 'Constitutional matters' concerning the upcoming referendum (known as 'THE VOICE'). Professor Aroney is not attending to change peoples' thinking or guide what people should do, he is offering his services to help people make an informed decision about the referendum. I trust our members will support this speaker.

I am delighted that five new members will be inducted at the next meeting, plus additional new visitors will be in attendance. The web page has been a great catalyst to engage new people with the intent to encourage them to join our wonderful club.

I wanted to mention the recent Toowoomba trip very briefly. A fantastic day out, superb weather and a great tour of the Historical Empire Theatre, followed by lunch. Thanks to Chis Petersen and Roslyn Murray for their organisation.

I look forward to seeing you on 14 June 2023

Murray Excell ASM

President

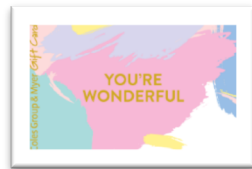
GENERAL MEETING

The June General Meeting will be held on **WEDNESDAY 14th June 2023** at the Holland Park Sports Club commencing at 10 am. We request 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 8th June 2023**. Any changes such as cancellations or attendance, to be advised by **Sunday 11th June 2023** prior to 7pm.

Secretary, Cathy Lutvey, has sent all members an email. Please respond either YES or NO

THE RAFFLE - GIFT VOUCHERS



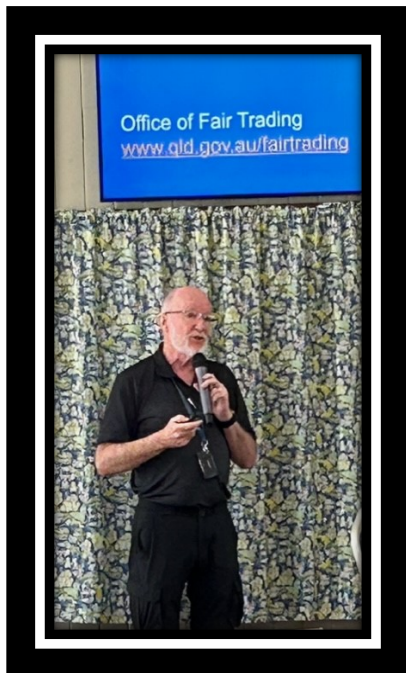
We encourage you, the members, to support your club by purchasing some raffle tickets, for your chance to win one of 2 draws.

1st prize \$30.00 Coles Myer voucher.

2nd prize \$20.00 Coles Myer voucher

Congratulations to the Raffle Winners last month: Gelta & Judy





MAY GUEST SPEAKER

Mr Bob Walker from the Office of Fair-Trading topic was 'Consumer rights/purchase warranties and on-line purchases/returns'.

It was an extremely interesting, informative and entertaining presentation and we look forward to Bob returning to the June meeting.

JUNE GUEST SPEAKER

Mr Bob Walker's presentation will be on 'Frauds and Scams'. Bob has presented at many Probus clubs, and he is passionate about working with seniors, to assist them in identifying scams and fraudulent activities and what to do when these are encountered.

MAY DINE OUT

HIGH TEA MOTHER'S DAY CELEBRATION

A wonderful celebration was enjoyed at "Room with Roses"





JUNE DINEOUT
WEDNESDAY 7TH JUNE



The June Dine Out

152 Oxford, Bulimba
 11.45am for 12noon lunch.

There is a carpark at the rear which is free
 (with ticket validation from the Hotel).
*Please call Bron if you would like
 to attend.*

JULY DINE OUT

Wednesday 5th July



'Adonis By The Corso',
19 Orontes Road,
Yeronga

11.45am for 12noon
lunch.

Street parking available.

Sign on Sheet at the June Meeting

MAHJONG & CANASTA

Probus Coorparoo has Mahjong & Canasta classes for beginners and experienced players. Margo Excell and Jude Wingfield are your hosts and guides on the day.

Date: *2nd & 4th Thursdays of the Month. 8th June & 22nd June 2023.* Time: 10am to 1pm

Venue: Fielders Club Address: 35 Bognor Street, Tingalpa. QLD 4179

NEWS FROM THE TRIPS & FUNCTIONS COMMITTEE

May Trip to Toowoomba

Morning Tea at Picnic Point on a beautiful sunny autumn day.





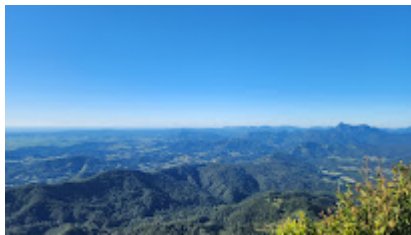
A wonderful tour of the Empire theatre. Members are looking forward to a return trip to a show in the future.





Wednesday 28th June 2023

Tour of the Numinbah Valley and Kingscliff



The Lonely Planet calls the Numinbah Valley the 'world's most beautiful place'.

Undeveloped, with spectacular green and landscapes, the tour follows the Nerang River, taking in views of Mt Warning, the distant Macpherson Ranges, descending into the Tweed and Rous River Valley, before winding back to scenic Kingscliff, where we will enjoy lunch at the Kingscliff Ocean View Bistro in the Bowls club.

Morning tea is served at a destination chosen by the bus driver.

Cost, including lunch and morning tea, is \$60. per person. Payment to be made by the June meeting.

The bus will depart the Village (Goring St) at 8.30 and Scott Park (Holland Park) at 8.45.

Bank Deposit Details

Probus Club of Coorparoo, BSB 484799, A/C No 601405292 include your name and trip.

Please note day and date below

Thursday 27th July 2023
Christmas in July



By popular request we have decided again to hold our Christmas in July celebrations at Birches Mt Mee. Unfortunately, they could not accommodate us on our usual day of a Wednesday, but we have made a booking for the following day which is a **Thursday**.

It would be great if you could again join us and experience the ambience of this location.

This event is heavily subsidised by Probus. Cost for members is \$55 and non- members \$70. ALL members are welcome to attend!

The bus departs the Coorparoo Village at 9.45 and Scotts Park, Holland Park at 10.00am. There will be no morning tea provided on this trip. Payment due by our July meeting 12th July.

Please sign on at the June General Meeting

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Christmas in July 2022

John & Lori with Guests Mike, Kerri & John who will be inducted at the June General Meeting



EVENT	LOCATION	DATE	TIME	DEPARTURE	COST/PAYMENT
DINE OUT	152 OXFORD ST BULIMBA	WED 7 TH JUNE	11.45 AM FOR 12 NOON	OWN TRANSPORT	INDIVIDUAL
GENERAL MEETING REGISTER ATTENDANCE/ APOLOGY NON - ATTENDANCE	RESPOND TO THE SECRETARY'S EMAIL	THURS 8 TH JUNE			
GENERAL MEETING	HOLLAND PARK SPORTS CLUB	WED 14 TH JUNE	10.00 AM		\$7.00 PLUS RAFFLE
MAHJONG & CANASTA	FIELDER'S TINGALPA	THURS 8 TH JUNE	10.00 AM – 1.00 PM		INDIVIDUAL
BUS TRIP	NUMINBAH	WED 28 TH JUNE	8.30 AM	THE VILLAGE	PAYMENT DUE 14 TH JUNE
			8.45 AM	SCOTT PARK	\$60.00
MAHJONG & CANASTA	FIELDER'S TINGALPA	THURS 22 JUNE	10.00 AM – 1.00 PM		INDIVIDUAL
DINE OUT	ADONIS YERONGA	WED 5 TH JULY	11.45 AM FOR 12 NOON	OWN TRANSPORT	INDIVIDUAL
BUS TRIP	CHRISTMAS IN JULY	THURSDAY 27 TH JULY	9.45 AM	THE VILLAGE	PAYMENT DUE 12 TH JULY
			10.00 AM	SCOTT PARK	MEMBERS 55.00 NON-MEMBERS 70.00