PROBUS CLUB

Of Chatswood Central Inc - P.O. 1525 Chatswood 2057

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President's Message

The year 2025 is rapidly approaching its end, but we still have plenty of activities for members. First among these is our Christmas /Lunch Party on Tuesday 9th December at the North Ryde RSL Club. If you still haven't nominated your attendance or paid your money to attend, please do so as soon as possible. Further information follows in the Bulletin.

We also have many events such as the Coffee Club and the Finance Special Interest Group.

At the next meeting we will vote on the new Constitution and Standing Resolutions. The draft has been sent to all members. Please let a member of the Committee know if you have not received it.

Now is a good time to think about nominating for a place on the Committee for 2026/2027. Being a member of the Committee gives you the opportunity to make a difference to the Club. It is your Club, and this is a way to ensure that your interests are met. The elections are due in March, which is not too far away.

Geoff

OUR MEETING ON TUESDAY 11TH NOVEMBER WILL BE ON LEVEL 2, 8 THOMAS STREET, CHATSWOOD AT 9.30 AM

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS: May C, Helen C, Nazni F, Annie L, Margaret T

OCTOBER BIRTHDAY DRAW was won by Marie L

WARM UP QUIZ was won by Mary T

ATTENDANCE LAST MONTH 30

WELCOMING/WELFARE

Helen Cook is now the Welcoming/Welfare Officer. Please let Helen know if you have heard if any of our club members have been unwell.

INDUCTION

Welcome to new member Inge C

NEW CONSTITUTION & STANDING RESOLUTIONS

You should have received either by email or a paper copy of the New Constitution & Standing Resolutions. These will be voted on at our November meeting. Probus South Pacific (Head Office) commenced the current review of Club constitutions in 2023. The objective was to provide Clubs with updated, concise constitutions that reflect modern practice and current legal requirements. PSPL worked with both its lawyers and a Focus Group, made up of Probus members from across the country to develop the new Recommended Constitution and Recommended Standing Resolutions. Our Management Committee recommend that we adopt the New Constitution and Standing Resolutions.

NOVEMBER SPEAKER

The speaker is Michael Ryan from the Australian Red Cross.

FINANCE SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP

The next meeting of this group will be held from 10.00 am at Chatswood RSL on Tuesday, 18 November.

MEMBERSHIP – 54 with 2 non-active members

BANKING DETAILS

Commonwealth Bank

Account name: Probus Club of Chatswood Central Inc

BSB: 062 140 Account number: 0090 5257



The Coffee Club meets on the First Tuesday every month and the next one will meet on Tuesday, 4 November. No booking is required – just roll up at the RSL Club bistro/café from 10 am and meet up with other Probus members for a chat.

RE-SCHEDULED OUTING TO PARRAMATTA FEMALE FACTORY TOUR

Due to the weather, we have re-scheduled our visit to Parramatta.

New Date: Friday 14th November

Meet at Chatswood Station outside the barrier.

Time: 9.45 am Cost: \$15.00

Please let Sue know if you would like your name on the new list – if you haven't let her know.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH/PARTY - 9th DECEMBER

Our Christmas lunch will again be held in the excellent private facilities at North Ryde RSL Club, Pittwater Road, North Ryde where we have over 3 hours to enjoy a 2-course buffet lunch plus tea or coffee together with various activities being arranged by your committee.

The price is \$70 which is quite reasonable based on the cost of eating out these days. Bookings and payments need to be made NOW with Doug Head (Ph. 9498 1164). On-line payment is preferred if possible. We need 50 people to meet budget and so far we are short of this number so you can help by bringing family members or friends.

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