


WOLLONGONG CITY LADIES PROBUS CLUB

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FUTURE MEETINGS 10:30am at Fraternity Club, Fairy Meadow.	
General Meetings: 13 October, 10 November (Birthday Luncheon), 8 December	
Committee Meetings: 20 October, 17 November, 15 December	
PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE	
<p>October is fast approaching - hasn't the year flown by!</p> <p>Forty one of our club members are just back from the Sunshine Coast. A very busy but enjoyable time was had by all. Check out lots of great photos on our facebook page. We definitely had lots of fun with friends.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Remember - Have fun with friends</i> <i>President Anne McLean</i></p>	
<p>Monday 10 November - 11:30am for 12 Noon</p> <p>34th Birthday Luncheon - Theme: Fun & Friendship - Bright Spring colours</p> <p>\$50 per person - Payment by October</p> <p><i>If you won't be at the next meeting - phone Colleen 0492 984 775 and she will add your name.</i></p>	
MEMBERSHIP (Val, Mary and Denise)	
<p>At the September General meeting there were 90 members and 2 visitors present. One new member, Carmo, was inducted and warmly welcomed. Please give the names of any members needing a get-well card or cheerio call to Denise, also let her know of anyone who has a bereavement in their family or needs a helping hand. Apologies for the meeting or requests for Leave of Absence can be emailed to wclpc@outlook.com</p>	
GUEST SPEAKERS Sue and Anne L	13 October - Ian Clifford - Lighthouses of Australia 10 November - 34th Birthday Luncheon 8 December - Christmas Surprise
WALKING GROUP Jan S – 0468 924 974	Monday 6 October & 3 November - 9:00am - Meet at Lagoon car park Friday 24 October & 14 November - 9:00am - Meet at Lagoon car park
COFFEE 'N' CHAT	Fraternity Club at 10:00am . Held on the 4th Monday of each month, and plus if a 5th Monday - the next will be 22 & 29 September, 27 October
LUNCHEON GROUP Margaret L - 0481 095 560 Janelle B - 0438 070 894 Meet at 12 Noon	Thursday 25 September - Woolshed Kitchen, 601 Princes Highway Yallah. Thursday 23 October - Balgownie Hotel, 141 Balgownie Road Balgownie. Thursday 18 December - Christmas Lunch, Corrimall RSL. \$35. Pay Dec. <i>Please advise Janelle B or Margaret if you are not able to attend and please don't arrive on the day without booking beforehand.</i>



SHOWS, TOURS AND TRIPS



Please note: Refunds will not be given after final payment date stated. Payments by cash/cheque must be in an envelope listing each person and show/outing separately. Payments by EFTPOS at meetings will attract \$1 charge per transaction. Payment must be made by due date or booking will be cancelled.

OUTINGS (Janelle B)

Port Kembla Steelworks Friday 17 October	Cost: \$42 per person - Three hour private tour. We will be picked up from Coniston Hotel/Railway at 9:30am in their bus to the Steelworks for our tour commencing at 10:00am . Return to Coniston Hotel for lunch own expense. Please see attached document for details re this visit.
Tour QVB Sydney Thursday 20 Nov.	Cost: \$25 - Tour of Queen Victoria Building and Christmas shopping day. Tour times 12 Noon & 2pm . (15 people per tour). Train departs Dapto 8:23am , Wollongong 8:37am , Thirroul 8:48am , arrives Central, L2/ L3 light rail to QVB. Payment October
Manly Ferry Ride to Manly Corso Friday 5 December	Wander along the Corso Pedestrian Mall which connects to the Manly Ferry Wharf. Lunch at own cost. Opportunity for Christmas shopping. Train departs Dapto 8:23am , Wollongong 8:37am , Thirroul 8:48am . Arrives Central, change to light rail to Circular Quay for Manly and return to Wollongong in your own time.
Wollongong Botanic Gardens Wed. 7 January '26	Garden Discovery Buggy Tour - Join a free guided tour to discover the history of the Gardens. Departure time 10am and 11am. Duration 45 minutes. Meeting point next to the pond. Optional bring a picnic lunch. No booking and spaces are limited.



EXTENDED TOURS (Sandra)



Proposed Tours for 2026 Sandra 0414 838 545	Tour 1 - Broken Hill - Friday May 22 to 29 - \$2385/\$2985. \$200 deposit due by end of October 2025 . Tour 2 - South West Rocks and Macleay Valley - Sunday October 18 to 23 - \$1535/\$1990. \$100 deposit due by end of March 2026.
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PERFORMING ARTS (Carole and Lynn)



Back to the Future	Wednesday 8 October	Lyric Theatre	Time: 1:00pm	Cost: \$70	Finalised
Into the Woods	Saturday 8 November	Arcadian's Theatre	Time: 1:30pm	Cost: \$45	Names & Money October
The Lovers	Wednesday 12 November	Theatre Royal	Time: 1:00pm	Cost: \$90	Finalised
Pretty Woman	Wednesday 4 February '26	Theatre Royal	Time: 1:00pm	Cost: \$95	Payment by December
Anastasia	Wednesday 15 April 2026	Lyric Theatre	Time: 1:00pm	Cost: \$70	Payment by January 2026

Save the Date - Premier's Seniors' Concert - ICC Sydney - Wednesday 11 March 2026. Details next Bulletin.

Train times for Back to the Future - 2nd carriage - Dapto **9:23am**, Wollongong **9:37am**, Thirroul **9:48am**, Central **11:02am**, light rail to Lyric Theatre.

Our website address is: - www.probusouthpacific.org/microsites/wollongongcityladies

For our Facebook page search **Wollongong City Ladies Probus** to catch up on the latest happenings.

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