

Probus Club of Burnside Inc.



Newsletter ⁽⁵⁰⁵⁾

October 2025

Tuesday 21st October 2025

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PRESIDENT	David Frazer
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PAST PRESIDENT	Craig Hall
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PUBLIC OFFICER	Jon Harmer
NEWSLETTER	Leigh Hall

COORDINATORS - 2025/26

HOSPITALITY	Robert Fleetwood
MEMBERSHIP	Michael Heuzenroeder (0429 093 520)
GUEST SPEAKERS	Bruce Clark
WELFARE	Kevin Foreman
CARAVANS & CABINS	Vacant
WEBMASTER	Jon Harmer
SOCIAL GROUPS	John Farmer
TRIPS & TOURS	John Scali

Next Meeting

TUESDAY 18th November at **10 am**. Kensington Gardens Bowling & Tennis Club, East Terrace.

Members Meeting Highlights-October

- Upcoming Guest Speakers:
 - 18/11/25 Dr. Bill Runciman (gyrocopter around Oz)
 - 16/12/25 Lynton Huxley (Friends of Victoria Desert)
- Nominations for MANCOM 2026 are open, in particular Vice President, and Caravans and Cabins
- Talkies and Tea- Wednesday 29th October Movie "The Travellers"
Wednesday 26th November Movie, "TBA"
- Hospitality roster for 2026 is being compiled by Robert Fleetwood and he is seeking confirmation of existing and new helpers please.
- Membership 42, non-active 6, present 26, guest 2, apologies 3, accountability 88%.
- Closing Balance of members funds on 31st September was \$5375.
- Anniversary lunch date 28/10/2025 booked at the Kensi Hotel, 41 acceptances
- Next Picnic on Tuesday 11 November, 12 for 12.30pm at Tusmore Park
- Next Mancom meeting Tuesday 8th December at Kensi Hotel at 9.30am

Guest Speaker

Robert Davis was introduced by Bruce Clark, with Robert talking about the Clipper ship "City of Adelaide."

Robert started with the history of the "City of Adelaide", built 1864 and its role in transporting up to 300 settlers each trip to SA. The ship made 23 such trips and then became a cargo transport vessel. It was also nearly scrapped but became a hospital. Then in the Royal Navy, as HMS Carrick (1923-89). She was salvaged in the late 80s, to be restored as a museum. Ultimately recovered by a group in SA and is being set up as a museum in Port Adelaide. Robert described some of the details of the ship with some of the noted people in SA who were immigrants via her.

Vote of thanks from Bruce Clark to Robert Davis



Member 10 Minute Spot

Trevor Dick spoke about his origins in Rural SA at Yudnapinna Station which is 80KM NW of Port Augusta.

Future planned 10-minute Spot

November

TBA

Diary Dates & Social Group Updates

Every Friday– Brisk Walking Group. (Leigh Hall 0417 016 135) Enjoyable 1 hour walk (2-4 Kilometres) followed by coffee at a suitable venue. Meet 9:30 at the start point nominated by Leigh Hall or delegate. There is a weekly SMS sent to all regular walkers (6-8) to advise of the starting point for each walk.

During September/October the group walked in the vicinity of the following areas: SE Parklands, Walkerville Shopping Centre East Torrens River, Botanic Gardens, Morialta Falls, Victoria Park Wetlands.

Please contact Leigh to be added to the weekly SMS.

1st Monday of each month– Wine Appreciation Group – (Jon Harmer 0408 672 426)

Results from October meeting:

Wine	Av	SD
Taylors Limestone Coast/Clare Shiraz 2016	16.3	1.21
Penfolds Max's Shiraz Barossa 2022	15.9	1.36
Taylors One Giant Leap Shiraz Limestone Coast/ Clare 2021	15.7	1.20
Greasy Fingers Shiraz Multi Region Blend 2021	15.6	0.82
Primo Estate Shale Stone Shiraz CLaren Vale 2022	15.4	1.21
Mount Pleasant Shiraz Hunter Valley 2021	15.3	0.96
Av	15.6	1.13

Lovely meeting at David and Pru's home, thanks for the hospitality

We missed John F, who had other arrangements.

Nice to see Ken looking fit and well after his adventures with the medical fraternity

The P & Ps were well received. Thanks Heuz

We received the glasses from John

The Taylors Shiraz was beauty showing the benefit of bottle age,

Close behind a shiraz from Penfolds, labelled Max's.

A second Taylors close behind. Their Limestone Coast /Clare blends are amazing.

Greasy fingers was one of those multi source entrepreneurial mixes, and would go well at a BBQ

The Primo and the Hunter brought up the rear as FAQ

Lovely afternoon with plenty of chat amongst the members

Next Month Monday November 3rd at Ken's. Thanks so much

David will remember the glasses

I will bring cheese and biscuits

Richard will bring a mystery

The theme is GSM with a selection from the SA regions

Heuz, Barossa: Trevor, Adelaide Hills: Ken, Langhorne Creek: David, McLaren Vale: John B, Clare: J on H

Blewitt Springs: John F one of the above but negotiate to avoid clash.

2nd Tuesday alternate even months at 9.30 – MANCOM – venue Kensi Hotel. Apologies/Reports to Jon Harmer.

2nd Wednesday each month 2:00pm – Book Group meets at "On Statenborough". (Trevor Dick.)

Books for this month were:

THE HUSBAND HUNTERS by Anne De Courtney - Rich American young females for English Nobility

THE SEVEN by Chris Hamma - Water rights -murder mystery set in NSW

SELECTED STORIES by John Morrison - amusing Australian short stories

CHAOS by James Cleick - water flowing and mathematics surrounding it

3rd Tuesday each month at 10.00am—**General Meeting** at the Kensington Bowling Club.

3rd Thursday each month **Dinner at the Kensi** at 6.30 pm. Booking required
Contact TBA at the monthly meeting. Looking for a new coordinator please?

At the Regal Theatre

When: Wednesday 29th October

Time: 9:45 am for 10:30am

Cost: \$9.50 includes tea/coffee and biscuits

If you intend attending Lunch after the movie, please contact John Farmer Mob. 0412 026 588 no later than Monday 27th October.



The cost is \$9.50 per ticket, and this includes tea/coffee and biscuits.

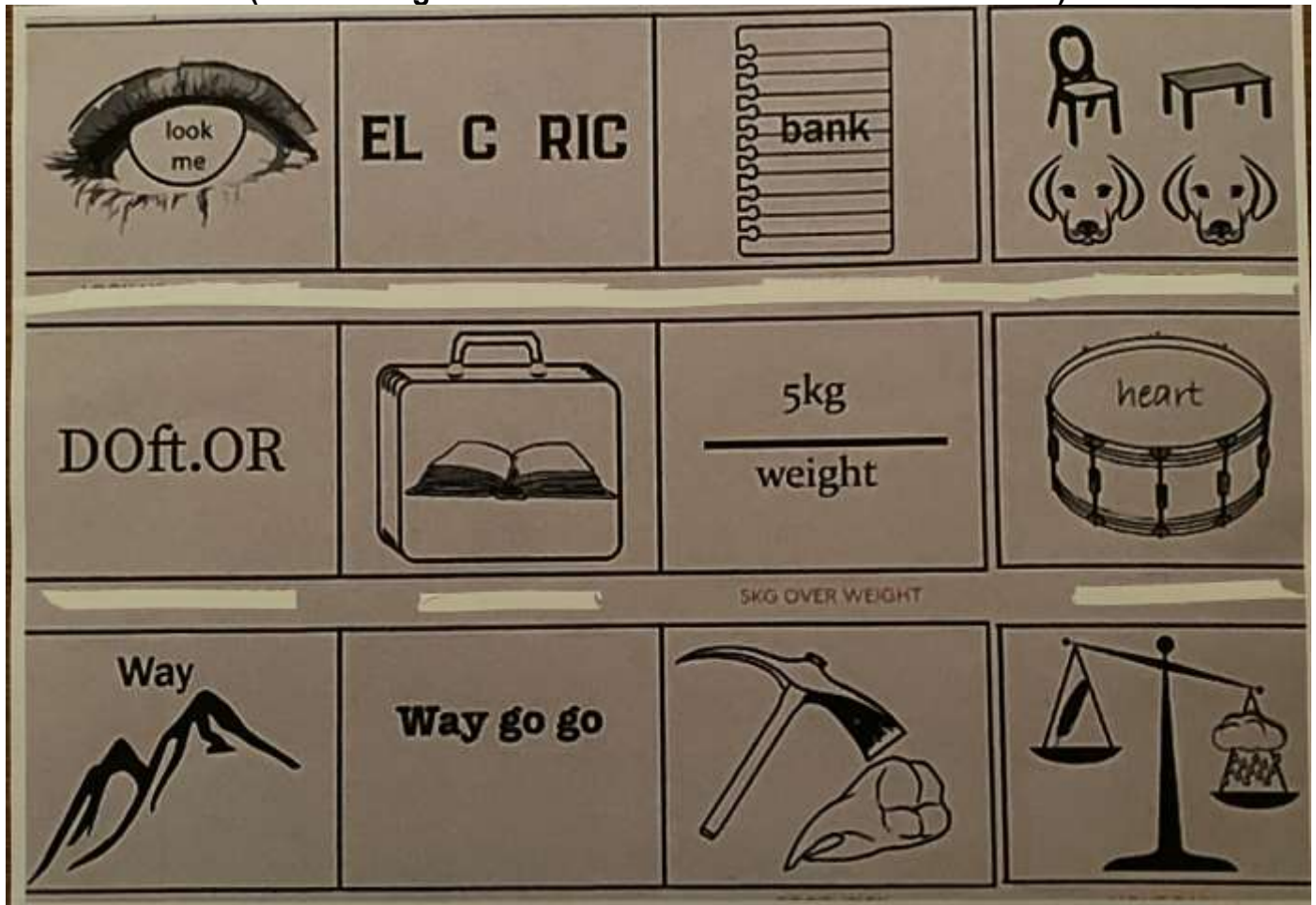
Doors will open at 9.45am to allow for guests to have their morning tea and mingle

29 OCTOBER – [The Travellers \(M\)](#)

Puzzle

Please see below some discrete puzzles with the answers blocked out, except for an easy one (5kg over weight), to give you an idea of what to do.

Please try and solve the remaining 11 puzzle squares.
(the non-negotiable answers will be revealed next month)



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