



PROBUS CLUB OF ALGESTER AND DISTRICT INC.

Newsletter - August 2025

Meetings are currently held at the Algester Sports Club on the 1st Monday of each Month. Fellowship and Morning Tea from - 9.30 a.m.

Meetings commence at 10.30 a.m. **Apologies to Judy Aitcheson on 0423 398 819**

Future Meetings and Speakers:

Monday 4 August – Cameo by Graham Pilsworth

Monday 1 September – Trevor Hamley a Glaciologist

Monday 4 October – Valerie Rence, Laughter Therapy

Monday 3 November – Dr James Lergessner – “Snippets from a Baby Boomers Diary

Committee Members: 2025-2026

President – Kevin Merrick – 0409 278 949

Vice President & Newsletter Editor – Paul Merrick – 0409 263 392

Secretary – Lorraine Jones – 0410 581 950. Email: algesterprobussec@gmail.com

Membership – Lorraine Jones – 0410 581 950

Treasurer – Gwen Taylor – 0405 563 929

Speakers – Kay Wilkinson – 3273 1829 / 0481 765 499

Attendance – Judy Aitcheson – 0423 398 819

Welfare – Laurel Munro – 3711 6604 / 0412 929 649

Outings – Liz Dutton – 0409 472 362

Outings Assistant – Cheryl Sheehan 0413 809 045

Wanders – Karen Lear – 0401 002 687

Dine Outs – June Shaw – 0435 069 813

Theatre – David Smith – 0418 873 413

Board Games – Penelope Pilsworth – 0403 067 684

PSPL/PAQ – Brian Gilmore – 0411 260 054

Newsletter Editor – Paul Merrick – 0409 263 392

A thank you to Councillor Emily Kim and the Calamvale Ward Office for the printing of this newsletter.



Sick List: Richard Charlton

If you are aware of anyone who is sick or unwell please let Laurel know. **Contact: Laurel Munro - 3711 6604**

Birthdays for August:

1st Ted Braiuka

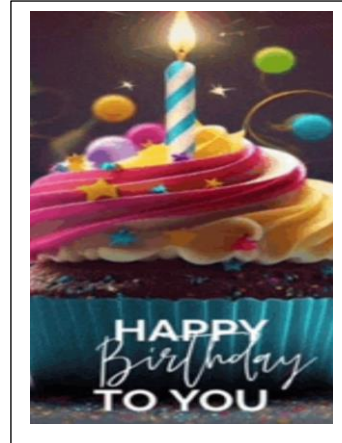
14th Graham Pilsworth

10th Pam Wood

15th Cheryl Sheehan

11th Marlene Gilmore

29th Rose Jenkins



Evening Trivia at Algester Sports Club, every second Thursday. Dinner at 6.00 p.m. Trivia Starts at 7.00 p.m. For bookings Contact Paul Merrick on 0409 263 392.

Dates: 7th and 21st August

WANDERS- Contact Karen Lear - 0401 002 687

Thursday 21st August: Maritime Museum at Southbank

Thursday 18th September: Japanese Gardens at Mt. Cootha Botanical Gardens. Carpooling

Thursday 16th October: Jacaranda Time - City Cat to New Farm Park

Thursday 20th November: Wynnum foreshore for a walk and then lunch of fish and chips. Carpool





Coffee & Chat Mornings: Come & Join

Monday 18th August at the Coffee Club Browns Plains

Behind Bunnings at 10.00 a.m.

Contact: Diane Morgan – 0419 212 156



Board Games. Monday 11th and 25th August

Alger Sports Club commencing 9.30 a.m.

Everyone is welcome

Contact: Penelope Pilsworth – 0403 067 684



Note:

Please pay by EFT or Direct Deposit if possible

Train Brisbane to Townsville, 11 to 16 August 2025. (Note Fully Booked)

Bus Trip to Hinze Dam, Monday 8 September 2025. Bus departs Alger Sports Club at 8.30am. Morning tea at David Smith Park, Canungra. Then a leisurely drive to view the beautiful Hinze Dam. Lunch will be at the Hinze Dam Café at 12.00 noon.

Picnic in Jubilee Park, Beaudesert, Friday 7 November 2025. 10.00am onwards. BBQ snags, onions and bread supplied. BYO – chairs, salads, drinks and hats.

23rd to 25th March 2026 - Tangalooma. Includes return transfers, 2 nights accommodation, dolphin feeding and sightseeing. All information on the sign sheet.

Contact: Liz Dutton 0409 472 362 or Cheryl Sheehan 0413 809 045 **Note: Payments for day Trips can now be paid by EFTPOS or direct deposit: Probus Club of Alger & Districts BSB 814 282 Account 30280965** **Please include your name and the event.**

DINING OUT - Contact June Shaw 0435 069 813



Friday 15th August – Il Castello, Unit 17/397 Hellawell Rd, Sunnybank Hills

Thursday 28th August – Calamvale BBQ Chinese, Shop 9/210 Kameruka Street, Calamvale

Friday 12th September – The Lion, Pine Road, Richlands

Friday 26th September – Forest Lake Tavern, 245 Forest Lake Blvd

THEATRE - Contact David Smith 0418 873 413

Sunnybank Theatre

Saturday 13th September: “Rumors” Tickets \$28.00pp. Tickets to be purchased in August and distributed at the September General Meeting.

Saturday 15th November: “Red Riding Hood-Hood vs Hood.Tickets. \$32.00pp. Tickets will be purchased in October.

Sunpac Theatre : Nil

Logan Entertainment Centre

Friday 12th September: “Dirty Flash Candles Club” Tickets \$20.00pp balcony tickets. Sign on sheet at 4th August General Meeting.

Friday 5th December: “The Best of Buble” Tickets \$20.00pp balcony tickets.

Payment for all events at time of booking please.

Brisbane City Council

Free concerts are regularly scheduled at various venues.

New Members inducted:

We welcome warmly these wonderful new members:

Bob Fisher Robyn Symes

Gay Gregg Greg Symes

Joyce Morrison

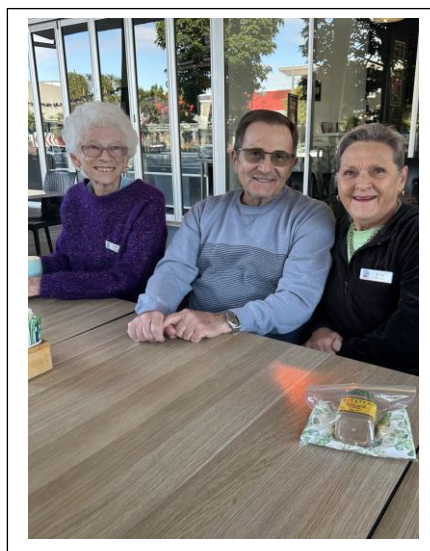
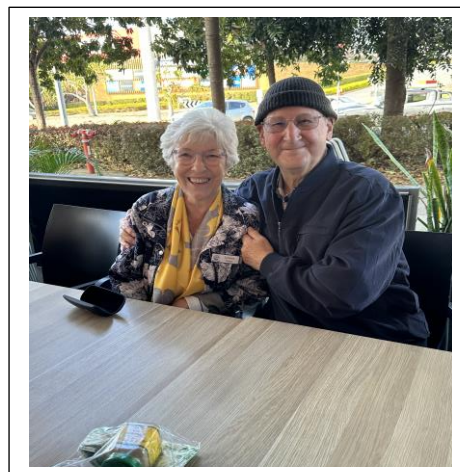
John Morrison

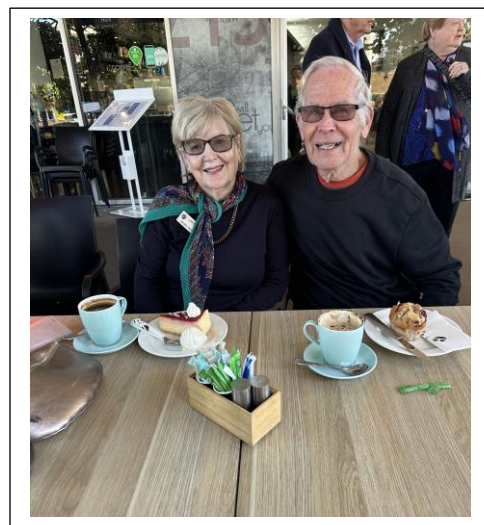
Valda Warren



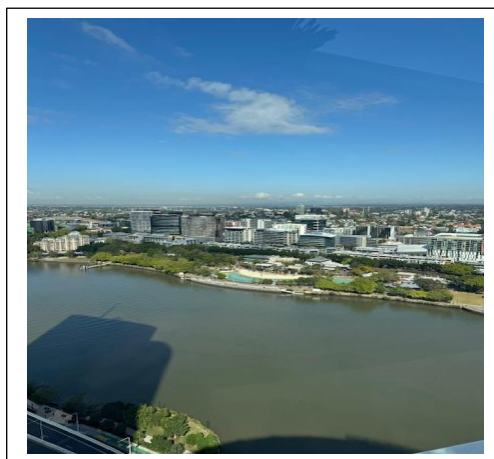
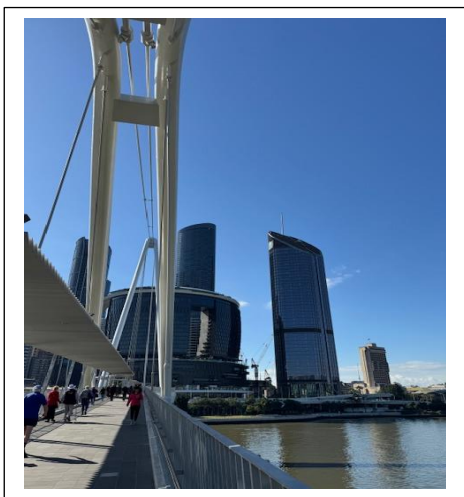
Coffee Catchup – Monday 21st July 2025

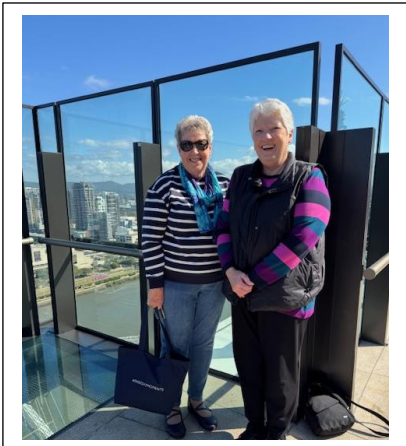
A great gathering for coffee. Numbers are increasing. Popular as ever.





*Wander at Queens Wharf, Skydeck and Pancake Manor –
Thursday 17th July 2025*





Lunch at Beach House, Wednesday 30th July 2025



ALGESTER PROBUS CLUB - COMING EVENTS

August 2025

Monday 4th August - General Meeting at Algester Sports Club

Monday 11th August – Board Games

Wednesday 13 August - Committee Meeting (to be confirmed)

Friday 15th August – Lunch at Il Castello

Monday 18th August – Coffee and Chat

Thursday 21st August – Wander – Maritime Museum at Southbank

Monday 25th August - Board Games

Thursday 28th August – Lunch at Calamvale Chinese BBQ

September 2025

Monday 1st September - General Meeting at Algester Sports Club

Monday 8th September – Board Games

Friday 12th September – lunch at The Lion, 133 Pine Road, Richlands

Friday 12th September – Logan Entertainment Centre – “Dirty Flash Candles Club” at 11.00am

Saturday 13th September – Sunnybank Theatre – “Rumors”

Monday 15th September – Coffee and Chat

Wednesday 17th September- Committee Meeting

Thursday 18th September – Wander - Japanese Gardens, Mt Cootha

Monday 22nd September - Board Games

Friday 26th September – lunch at Forest Lake Tavern, 245 Forest Lake Blvd

October 2025

Monday 6th October - General Meeting at Algester Sports Club

Monday 13th October – Board Games

Wednesday 15th October – Committee Meeting

Thursday 16th October – Wander Jacaranda Time, City Cat to New Farm Park

Monday 20th October – Coffee and Chat

Monday 27th October - Board Games