



PROBUS CLUB NEWSLETTER August 2025

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What have Members been up to?

PLEASE SEND YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS to:

Kim Oborn – koborn22@gmail.com or

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Christmas in July

65 members enjoyed a fun Christmas in July...fabulous view, prizes, decorations, food and great company....thanks to Helen Waterhouse for organising!!





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Members enjoying a visit to the Art Gallery of New South Wales to see the Archibald, Wynne and Sulman Exhibitions.





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... and the winner is....!!

The detail in the dress is amazing.



Albert
Namatjira's
grandson's
artwork entitled
King Dingo





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Viewing

Kim Oborn and Carole Parsons have a number of suggestions for your entertainment:

The Bank of Dave 2 – The Loan Ranger

Netflix

The sequel tells another story from Dave Fishwick's real life, the self-made millionaire who fought to set up a community bank to help the people of Burnley, a story that was told in Netflix's British hit Bank of Dave.

This time around, Dave (played by Rory Kinnear in both movies) battles against payday loan companies. He recruits American journalist Jessica and local Citizen's Advice counsellor Oliver to fight to get the UK government to regulate the payday loan industry.

Thanks to Kim Oborn for this recommendation.

Thanks to Carole Parsons for these recommendations:

Carole would like to recommend the following series that are currently on Apple TV:

Ted Lasso An American football coach is hired to manage a British soccer team; what he lacks in knowledge, he makes up for in optimism, determination and his compassionate approach to coaching.

Morning Wars.

A behind the scenes look at the lives of the people who help America wake up in the morning exploring the unique challenges they face.





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On **iView**, the ***Little Disasters*** Series

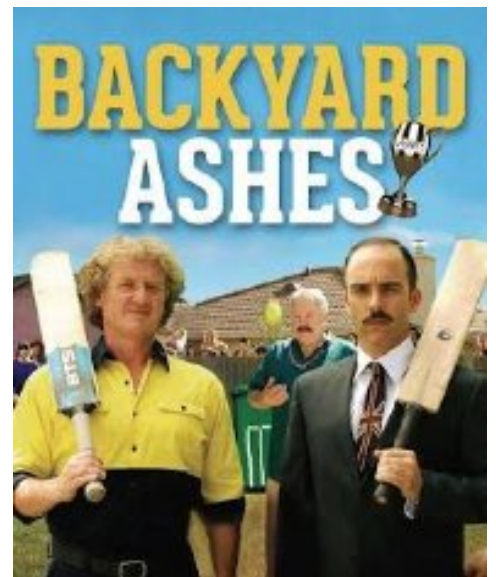
When Jess takes her baby to hospital with an unexplained head injury, her close friend, A&E doctor Liz, makes the excruciating decision to call social services, igniting an explosive chain of events.



and the movie, ***Backyard Ashes***

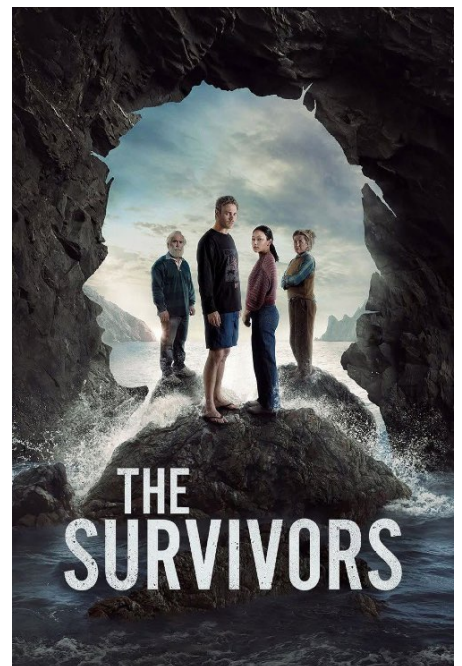
Dougie Waters loves nothing more than a weekend barbie and a cricket match with his mates. His paradise is destroyed when his best mate and neighbour, Norm, is forced to leave town.

On **Netflix** her recommendations are the series ***Territory***:
When the world's largest cattle station is left without a clear successor, generational clashes threaten to tear the Lawson family apart.

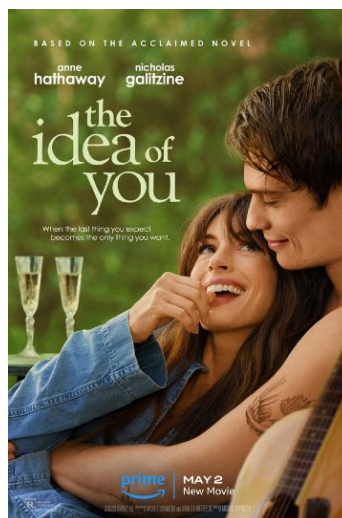


and

The Survivors - Series (au.) a six part Australian mystery series centred on the loss of three young people 15 years ago, that tore a sleepy seaside town apart.



And on **Prime** the movie ***The Idea of You***





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Reading

Carole has also recommended these two novels: **The Limestone Road** and **Run For Your Life**

And Helen Keys recommended the following before she took off on holidays for two months

One Hundred Years of Betty by Debra Oswald.

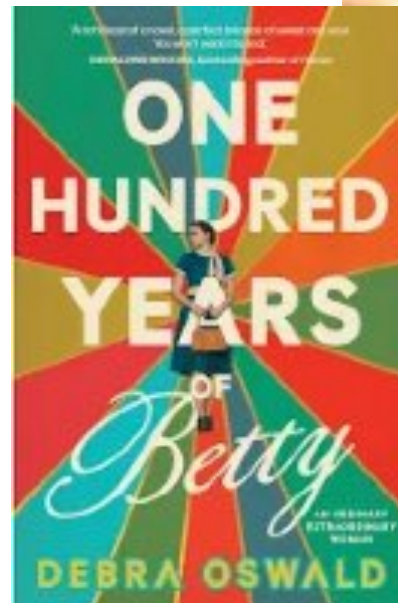
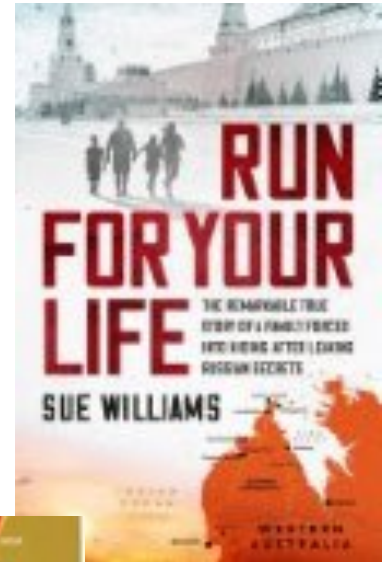
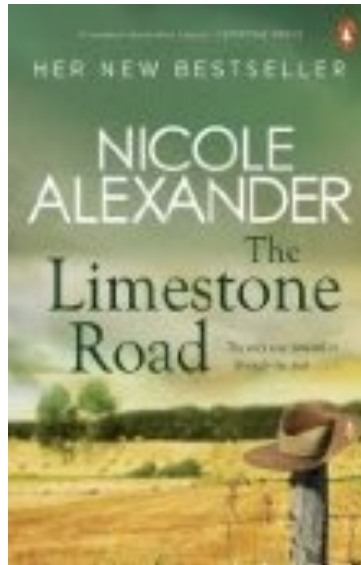
I have just finished this book and as an 80 year old I have no hesitation in recommending it to other readers.

Betty, the storyteller, on the eve of her 100th Birthday sweeps us from her life of poverty in pre war London, her trip to Australia as a Ten Pound Pom and her attempts at survival in Sydney.

She describes a century of upheavals and world events which we can all relate to but more especially she outlines the difficulties for women over these years and the very gradual changes that occur .

Betty defines motherhood, families and relationships and all the joy and sorrows these bring.

This novel is a rich blend of sweet and sour, life and love. I highly recommend it to all.



Carole rounds off her recommendations with her suggestion of taking in one of the many morning concerts at the **Shoalhaven Entertainment Centre**
Next up is Viva Pavarotti with Paul Tabone on 20 August at 11.00am and tickets range from \$25.00 to \$32.00.

On 2 December 2025 JD Smith formally of the Ten Tenors and special Guest Shandelle Cooke, is a Christmas Celebration with tickets ranging from \$25.00 to \$32.00.



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Travelling

Kim and Luke Oborn recently completed a 12-week European journey featuring a four-week river cruise from Antwerp to the Black Sea, with visits to Romania, Italy, Spain, and France. The first two weeks included stops in Brussels, Antwerp, Amsterdam, with its famous Keukenhof Gardens, and several German towns along the Romantic Rhine, such as Cologne, Rudesheim, Heidelberg, Mainz, Frankfurt, and Rothenburg, known for inspiring Pinocchio's House, as well as a brief visit to Strasbourg in France.





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Greek-style lemon chicken rice with feta

Serves 4

Ingredients

8 large chicken thigh fillets
1 teaspoon dried oregano
1 teaspoon finely grated lemon rind
4 cloves garlic, crushed
2 tablespoon extra virgin olive oil
1 large (300g) brown onion, chopped finely
1½ cups (300g) long grain rice
2½ cups (600ml) chicken stock
1/3 cup (80ml) lemon juice
¾ cup (120g) pitted kalamata olives, halved
2 tablespoons fresh oregano leaves, to serve
100g Greek-style feta crumbled, to serve



Preheat oven to 180°C (160° fan-forced). Combine chicken, dried oregano, lemon rind and garlic in a small bowl. Toss well to coat and set aside to marinate for 10 minutes or overnight if you have time.

2.Heat oil in a large shallow casserole pan over medium heat. Add chicken and cook for 4 minutes each side, until golden. Transfer to a plate and set aside.

3.Add onion and cook for 6-8 minutes, stirring until softened and golden. Add the rice and stir to combine, then the stock and lemon juice. Place chicken back on top of the rice.

4.Bring to a simmer, cover with a lid. Place in the oven and bake for 30 minutes, until rice is tender. Set aside, covered, for 10 minutes.

5.Sprinkle over the olives and oregano and fluff with a fork.



Lemon Blueberry Cake

125g unsalted butter, at room temperature
1 cup (220g) caster sugar
2 eggs
½ cup (40g) desiccated coconut
1 lemon, rind finely grated and juiced
1 ½ cups (225g) self-raising flour
1 cup (250ml) milk
125g fresh blueberries
1 cup (160g) icing sugar mixture
Extra blueberries, for decorating

For the icing, combine the icing mixture and approximately 2 tablespoons of lemon juice. Stir to combine and remove any lumps. When the simple lemon cake is completely cold, drizzle the icing over cake and decorate with extra blueberries.

Preheat oven to 180°C (160°C fan forced).

Grease and line a 20cm x 30cm lamington pan.

2.In an electric mixer, cream the butter and sugar until light and fluffy. Add the eggs one at a time, beating well after each addition.

3.On low speed, add the coconut and lemon rind, then half the flour and half the milk. Scrape down sides of bowl and add the remaining flour and milk.

4.Spread the batter into the prepared pan. Sprinkle the blueberries over the top and pressing them gently into the batter. Level the mixture with the back of a spoon.

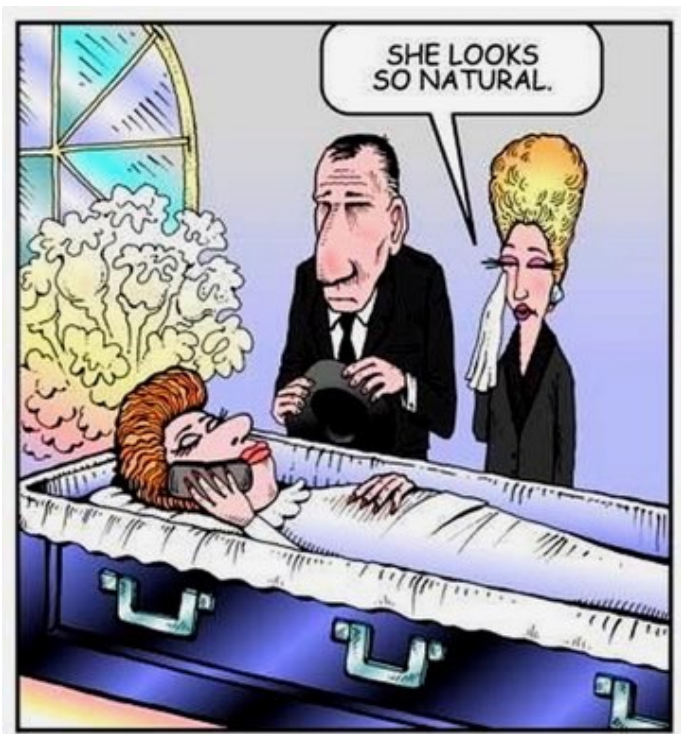
5.Bake for 30 minutes or until lemon cake is browned lightly and springy to touch. Cool for ten minutes then turn out onto wire rack to cool.



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PROBUS HUMOUR by Jim



A man asked me for a dollar. I told him I only carry big bills. He said give me one of those. I gave him my electric bill.



My wife didn't order anything off Amazon yesterday & the delivery driver just knocked on our door making sure she's ok 😊



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Christmas in July by Jim



Q: What says
Oh Oh Oh?

A: Santa walking
backwards!
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Q: What do Santa's elves
like to eat on cold days?

A: Elf-abet soup!

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Q: What do reindeer
hang on their
Christmas Trees?

A: Horn-aments!
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Q: What do Santa's little
helpers learn at school?

A: The elf-abet!

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Q: What do elves use to
clean their hands?

A: Santa-tizer!

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Q: What do Santa's little
helpers learn at school?

A: The elf-abet!

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Q: What do you get if you
cross santa with a duck?

A: A Christmas Quacker!

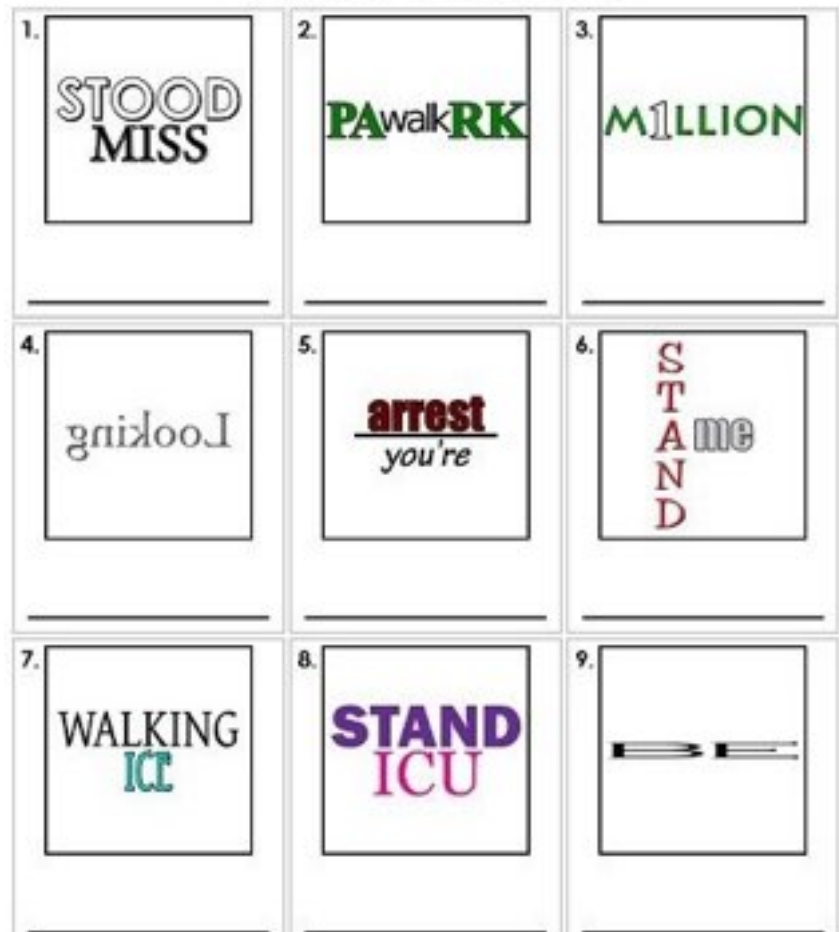
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Probud Mind Benders by Jim



10. Put a coin into an empty bottle and insert a cork. How can you remove the coin without removing the cork or breaking the bottle?

11. Fourteen of the kids in the class are girls. Eight of the kids wear blue shirts. Two of the kids are neither girls nor wear blue shirts. If five of the kids are girls who wear blue shirts, how many kids are in the class?

12 Four people arrive at a river where there is a narrow bridge which can hold only two people at a time. It is night time and they have only one torch which needs to be used when crossing the bridge. Person A can cross the bridge in one minute, B in two minutes, C in five minutes and D in eight minutes. When two people cross the bridge together, they must move at the slower person's pace. Can they all get across the bridge in fifteen minutes or less?



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ANSWERS:

1. Walk in the park
2. One in a million
3. Misunderstood
4. Looking backwards
5. You are under arrest
6. Stand by me
7. Walking on ice
8. I see you understand
9. Belong
10. Push the cork into the bottle and shake the coin out
11. 19 kids in the class
12. Answer: Yes, they can cross in exactly 15 minutes.
First, A and B cross the bridge, and A brings the light back. This takes 3 minutes. Next, C and D cross, and B brings the light back. This takes another 10 minutes. Finally, A and B cross again. This takes another 2 minutes.

Photo Showcase

Our Next Photo Showcase will be.... PETS

Send photos of your, or someone else's favourite pets in jpeg to Ali and Graeme Relf at info@jamberooprobud.com.au by September 13th

