



PAPAKURA MEN'S PROBUS CLUB

Est: April 1989

Newsletter October 2025. Update on the patching of my lawn folks; the new young grass has finally decided to poke its stems above ground. I just have to remember to water them now. Please see below the dates for upcoming events on our calendar.

Friday the 28th of November is our next club meeting at the Papakura club. Greeter will be Chris Johnston and the Raffle sold by John Anderson. Our speaker is David Hooker.

Friday the 12th of December at Ishtar is our next **Romeo** lunch.

Wednesday the 14th of January at Maxwell's Golf retreat. Again please note these dates on digital devices or the calendar on the wall.)



Xmas lunch was a great success with 65 in attendance. The open seating arrangement was much appreciated. The food and service on the day was good. We had 38 members in attendance with

20 prizes of wine and chocolate available. The unclaimed raffle tickets were in fact a failure by the management of the raffle and not due to our members displaying signs of senility. Unplaced raffle ticket stubs had inadvertently been included in the draw. The tightly folded ticket stubs only added to the tension when announcing the winners. The event and catering was well received including the seating which allowed greater freedom of movement.

Romeo lunch will be Friday the 12th of December at Ishtar. They appreciate our custom and so will provide one free main meal to our group. An optional secret Santa event will be held at the luncheon. Those wishing to be involved should spend only between \$8 to \$12 on a wrapped gift to be placed in Bob's colourful Santa bag. Bob to announce these details and display Santa's bag at this next meeting.

Most people have forgotten about the yellow and residential phone books. Lynn has told us an internet search for phone books will allow you to order them, but only online. He has found, they are delivered by Courier within 10 days. A few phone listings have both cell phone and land line numbers against their name.

November's lunch at the lovely Green Park Café was attended by 16 members including one of our newest but yet to be inducted.



November birthdays are for just two members; Bill Wilson and Colin Cartwright. As our club continues to grow, we will be inducting yet another three members this month. Errol Alcock, Chris Natrass and Dave Parnell.

President & outings	John Partridge	021 583 100	Newsletter	John Barnes	021 832 980
Vice President	Ron Kaagman	021 182 9360	Entertainment & outings	Bob Rumball	027 213 5990
Secretary	John Barnes	021 832 980	Romeo	Bob Rumball	027 213 5990
Treasurer & President (elect)	Dave Connell	027 427 9166	Club Services	Bill Wilson	021 258 1209
Membership & outings	Pip Batty	021 159 5533	Club Services	Neil Andrews	09 299 7775
Speakers & outings	Ross McLachlan	021 182 0904	Publicity	Ron Kaagman	021 182 9360
Welfare	John Anderson	021 944 221	Bank Account	12-3031-0713680-00	

'For those members with welfare issues and being unwell, we wish you a speedy recovery. To members who have recently lost someone near and dear to them, we send our sincere condolences'

And now please turn over for the part you have all been waiting for.

(This newsletter has not been produced with **AI** but has with a great deal of plagiarism. With thanks to all you contributors.)

**YOU ARE ABOUT
TO EXCEED THE
LIMITS OF MY
MEDICATION**



When I'm bored I go around putting these stickers on paper towel dispensers **Voice Activated** Say loudly, 'paper towel'



I married
my wife for her looks..
but not the ones
she's
giving me lately.



**MOST PEOPLE
DON'T THINK I'M
AS OLD AS I AM
UNTIL THEY HEAR
ME STAND UP**

**Sometimes I get
road rage
walking behind
people at the
grocery store.**

INSANITY
does not run in my family.
It strolls through
taking its time
getting to know
everyone personally.

**I only do
what the
voices in my
wife's head
tell her
to tell me
to do**

**EXERCISE
MAKES YOU LOOK
BETTER NAKED.
—❖❖❖—
SO DOES WINE.
YOUR CHOICE.**

