



The Probussouthpacific Club of Frenchs Forest Inc.

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NEWSLETTER

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Presidents Report:

Hello to you all. Another month has flown by and we have once again had a very successful outing thanks to Margie who organised a trip to ANSTO where we learned all things Nuclear. All who went thoroughly enjoyed it.

Your committee will be busy over the next month revisiting our Constitution at the request of PSPL our governing body. At our next meeting you will be asked to vote on the finished constitution and the Standing Resolutions. All clubs are being asked to do this.

See you Thursday

Kaye Lines.

Men's Coffee and Chat is celebrated on the second Tuesday of the month at 10am,

Im Bue café, 6/2 Yindela St, Davidson NSW 2086.

Good coffee and great company, come along and enjoy the company, maybe a laugh or two.

November gathering will be on 11-11-2025 10am. Remembrance Day.

Put the date in your diary now.

Inductions: Jan Evans, Wendy Douglas, and Pam Pasch will be inducted at our October meeting.

Robyn Netting was inducted at our September meeting. Congratulations Robyn and welcome to our wonderful club.

August: Visitors: Wendy Douglas, Pam Pasch and Jan Evans.

It is always good to see new member's coming along.

Did you know that visitors are welcome to join our activities, before they become full members.

Treasurers Report: by Gwen Hunt.

Funds Available –

At September 30 2025 \$5,830.08

Payments for Membership Renewals and Outings may now be made **by EFT**.

Please make sure your Name and what the payment is for, are in the Description.

The bank details are:

The Probus Club of Frenchs Forest Inc

Westpac Bank

BSB 032123 Account number 750916

You are still able to pay by Cash or Cheque,

Sue Clement

sueclement2346@gmail.com

Gwen Hunt

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It is imperative to advise Gwen Hunt (Treasurer) and cc Sue Clement when paying for an outing by EFT.

Welfare Directors Report:

Pat McGarrity has stage 4 cancer and is in Palliative care at the San.

Please do get in touch with Bernadette Chapman or Wendy Speakman if you know of any member who is unwell, or in hospital etc. When ringing Bernadette or Wendy, for anyone who is unwell, please leave your name and phone number as Bernadette does not answer to any calls she does not know, due to too many scams now a days.

Program Director's Report: By Ariela Honour.

October: Hans Kunnen, Topic-“Demystifying Dementia and Support Homes”

Social Director's Report – by Sue Clement

Past Events

October 16th (Thursday) Lucas Heights Discovery Centre – Margie

An interesting and enjoyable day. Thankfully the coach performed well as did our driver John Trip! As for the tour of the research facilities at Lucas Heights - *‘Our education officers will take us on an exciting journey into the world at the sub-atomic scale..’*- I found parts very interesting but there was a lot that went over my head!! The guide who took the group I was in certainly knew and loved his subject but went on too long and into too much depth for me. Consequently, he made us late for our lunch at Bundeena RSL which meant the staff there had to rush around to get us all fed in time to meet the ferry across to Cronulla. We did make it in plenty of time and enjoyed the rest of the afternoon making our way back to Belrose.

Dates for your Diary

November 13th - Hawkesbury River train trip, Lunch at Anglers Rest - Gill

This is our \$2.50 outing! A train trip to Hawkesbury River followed by lunch at the Anglers Rest (own choice of meal and expense).

We will catch the 10.50am train from Chatswood to arrive at Hornsby at 11.14 am, change for the 11.26 train to Hawkesbury River arriving at 11.49am.

Please register at the October meeting so we have an idea of numbers to book in for the lunch

December 4th – Christmas Lunch @ Cromer Golf Club. - Margie

Save the date for our Christmas lunch which is at a new venue this year giving Terry Hills a miss. Details will hopefully be available in next month's newsletter.

Please register your intention to attend so we have an idea of numbers to book for.

January 22nd – 'Picnic' lunch after our meeting – options to be discussed at the October meeting.

November Birthdays



7th Robyn Netting
12th Graeme Honour
12th Merilyn Scott
29th Wendy McNeilly

NB. When paying for outings, please see EFT details. If paying by CHEQUE– made out to 'The Probus Club of Frenchs Forest Inc. – or CASH please have the correct money; either method, cheque or cash, to be in an envelope with your name and the name of the outing(s) on the front. Thank you.

September Lucky Door Prize: was won by, **Lyn Stuart.**
And second prize to **Sylvia Pearce.**

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Please give your email particulars for Newsletter delivery to Bruce Pearce:

bruce.pearce.74@gmail.com

Upcoming Meeting Dates 2025:

General meeting: Thursday 23rd October at 10.30am at Belrose Hotel.

The fourth Thursday of the month.

Hotel opens at 10am. No entry before 10am.

Committee Meeting: November, Thursday 6th at 10.15am.

Board room, Belrose hotel.

All members are welcome to attend our committee meetings, to sit and observe if they desire.

