



Adelaide CBD Probus Club Inc.

Newsletter – July 2025

WELCOME TO VISITORS -

Jenny Tuckwell
John Tuckwell

General Meeting

Monday, 7th July 2025

We had 31 Members present and received apologies from 19. We were pleased to welcome 2 Visitors, Jenny and John Tuckwell.

Thanks to Gaye and Tim for making lunch arrangements.

Guest Speaker: Kevin Nolan 'Trivia'

Kevin spoke about his interest in trivia and his start on collecting questions to publish his book. He then commenced with his questions, some of which 'our clever people' could answer and some we could not. There was a wide range of subject matter, with some questions leading to others and generating comments and general discussion as everyone got involved.

Kevin joined us for morning tea and also lunch, which provided an opportunity for further discussion.

Thank you Judy for arranging yet another very enjoyable talk.

The Speaker at our August Meeting will be Vincent Burke, an author as well as one of our Members. It will be interesting to hear from Vincent about his journey into writing.



A special thank you to Ros and Ian Gooley for volunteering to bring morning tea to the August Meeting.

Thanks to all those who helped in some way to ensure the smooth running of the Meeting. **Special thanks** to Cathy for volunteering to empty the dishwasher and put on the second load.



NEXT MEETING

Monday, 4th August 2025
commencing at 10.00a.m.

Venue:

UCity Club Lounge
13th floor
43 Franklin Street



Lunch after the Meeting –
To be advised

*Please remember to always let Gaye know if you will be going to lunch.
(gjfisher@ozemail.com.au)*



Membership

50 Members, which includes our Life Member, David Simpson

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WHAT'S ON:

Further info will be sent out prior to each date.

- ♦ **Thu. 17 July – 7.30**
Theatre – 'Shakespeare in Hollywood'
- ♦ **Mon. 21 July – 10am**
Committee Meeting
- ♦ **Mon. 4 August – 10am**
General Meeting
- ♦ **Wed. 6 August**
Recycling Plant Visit + Lunch
- ♦ **Thu. 14 August – 7.30**
Theatre – 'Come From Away'
- ♦ **30 Sept - 7 October**
Norfolk Island tour
- ♦ **Mon. 20 October**
Tour on 'Spirit of Coorong' out of Goolwa + Lunch & Afternoon tea
- ♦ **July 2026 – 7 Days**
'Our Cook Island Paradise' with Trade Travel



Thought for the month

"War should belong to the tragic past, to history: it should find no place on humanity's agenda for the future."

– Pope John Paul II
(Polish Pope 1978-2025 – first non-Italian Pope since 1522)



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Out and About with comments from Tim & Sandra

Sharing Tim's comments to me about recent activities, with some great photos from Tim, Lyn and Sandra. Also some comments from Sandra, slotted in with her photographs.

"I'm sorry you weren't at the very enjoyable Campbelltown tour. It was well run with an exceptionally good driver of the Campbelltown Community bus, Claudio and Amanda the tour guide. At \$70 the tour was very good value and many of us came away with doggie bags of left over food as well as a sample bag each and lots to eat and drink on the way all included in the price. Here are my photos to give you some idea of what you missed and some may be suitable for the next newsletter?

But first of all, Lyn was one of six on Thursday's PAAW walk in fine weather. We met at the Hercules statue where a friendly kookaburra and a plane also graced the snapshot."



"The statue of Hercules impressed us - from all angles!"

From Sandra.



"We were greeted at the start of our walk by this curious kookaburra."

From Sandra



"The first Church of Christ chapel with it's beautiful wrought iron gate in Kermode St was built for Dr John Verco."

From Sandra



"The glimpse of St Peter's cathedral contrasted with the modern lines of St Mark's college. We finished the fascinating stroll at the Good Samaritan cafe in the Cathedral Hotel."

From Sandra

Campbelltown Foodie Tour

comments and photos by Tim

"The morning coffee stop for the 16 of us was at Panini Brothers where we were offered pizza before our chosen drink and cake were delivered. The paper bag held the uneaten pizza!"



"The sign on the back wall:"



"Next stop was the Taralli Biscuit factory."

The biscuits are made there with a range of added herbs or spices to the basic flour, salt, olive oil and white wine ingredients. This was an amazing story of a family business which is growing rapidly. We got to sample all the varieties and many of us purchased extra supplies."



"Then there was the choice of a Gelato

... then over the road to the Menz Fruchoc outlet seen here taken at a site where it looks like people are coming off a conveyor.

The temptation for buying more there was too great for some with extra bargains for second grade or offcut products."



"Finally lunch was at the Rezz Hotel where I didn't get a photo but others did. One of the dishes was an amazing mushroom creation. We brought home a big doggie bag and I've just had the last of it on toast for lunch.

It wouldn't be out of the question to do this amazing trip again sometime.
Best wishes
Tim"

Many thanks to Tim, Sandra and Lyn
– the STARS of this Newsletter.



BITS & PIECES

MOVIE GROUP

Thank you Diane
for planning this activity for the Club.
It's great to have your contribution
to Club activities.

PAAW

Next Walk –
to be advised

*If you have any ideas for future Walks, or could help
Lyn with this, please have a chat with her.*

Bronwyn has very kindly provided some more questions for you.
More trivia, following on from Kevin Nolan's talk at the recent General
Meeting.

Honey on Kangaroo Island is produced by the
descendants of a bee colony imported in
1881.

Where did the original bees come from?

Italy

**Which South Australian product
was worn by the first American
astronauts on the moon?**

*Sunglasses developed by the company,
Sola Optical Proprietary Limited.*

*All I ask is the chance
to prove that money
can't make me
happy.*

~ Spike Milligan

Quote from Arthur Miller
(US dramatist whose plays include 'Death of a
Salesman' and 'The Crucible'.)

"Years ago a person, he was unhappy, didn't
know what to do with himself – he'd go to church,
start a revolution – something.

**Today you're unhappy? Can't figure it out?
What is the salvation? Go shopping.**