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Official Newsletter of the Altona North Combined Probus

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Our Chosen Charity This Year is HELPING HAMPERS

And at our November meeting we have a drive to get together goods that they can use to make up Hampers for deserving people.

Pantry items ----

Canne corn/ veg

Canned Fruit or fruit cups.

Cordial

Cereal

School snacks

Long life milk

Canned Spaghetti.

Pasta sauces.

Jam or spreads.

Coffee or Tea Sugar

Baked Beans

Canned tomatoes

Cooking oil

Pancake or cake mix.

2 Minute noodles

If you intend to donate, can you bring your donation to our November meeting on the 26th of November 2025

Jill's luncheon

~~Altona RSL Sargood Street Altona~~

*FOOTSCRAY / YARRAVILLE
BOWLING CLUB*

On the 8th of October 2025 at 12.30 Pm

If you wish to attend, please confirm with Jill by the 6th of October 2025

On 0429984642 or 93984642

And if after confirming, could you please contact her on the same numbers if you are unable to attend.

Jill is once again running a Melbourne Cup Sweep the method, is you select a number not a horse and upon drawing you will get the horse that corresponds to that number. The cost of participation in the sweep is either a \$2.00 number or a \$5.00 number.

Once again thank you Jill.

Vale Please be advised that Estelle Beaumont passed away on the 27th of August at Mecwacare, Hoppers Crossing after a lengthy illness.

Loved sister of Susan and Chris. Much loved aunt of Brett & Tanya, Carey & Craig and Mark (and Linda).

Loving aunt of Rhiannon, Lachlan, Jaz, Maisie, Brinley and Hayden. Former wife of Colin and step mum of Jackie and Samantha.

Estelle was one of the founding members of our Probus club. Rest in peace Estelle.

Activities October 2025

Morning Melodies 1st October 2025

Brendan Scott

Bookings are essential Cost \$5.00

General meeting

22nd October Altona Sports Club

Sun Theatre

Movies and Lunch on the 23rd October Downton Abbey

Grand Finale Cost \$27.00

2025 Speakers

September 2025 Bunnings Garden Department Alison is the speaker

October 2025 A speaker from Stroke Safe Program

November 2025 possibly Peter Roberts on protecting our selves at home and out and about

ZOO OUTING

The committee are looking at an outing to Werribee Zoo in March 2026 the cost of a senior's entrance is from \$49.00 there appears to be no golf carts or the like to take us from exhibit to exhibit. There will be guided assistance if we book and pay the month before.

But every one gets to ride in the Safari wagon/ trucks when we go to look at the elephants and all the other savannah animals, lunch is at your own cost and getting there will be by your own transport.

A show of hands, today will give us an indication of how many are prepared to go.

Birthdays October 2025

Jeanette Harris

Joan Edwards

Margaret Goudie

Happy Birthday to you all

From Diane Dilks

25th of September Movie Lunch and trivia the movie is Downton Abby, Grand Finale

Cost is \$27.00

In the summer of 1930 Gus and Mary are mutually attracted and sleep together. They travel to Downton Abbey, where Harold, to Cora's dismay, reveals that he squandered their mother's inheritance on poor investments. He wants to invest Downton's remaining assets to recoup his losses and repay his debt to Gus.

Two ladies from Hobsons Bay City Council came to our August meeting. They outlined the services which the Council provides and members were able to ask questions pertaining to their particular needs. Their attendance and information provided was much appreciated, and thank you to Lesley Williams for arranging the visit.

Meeting Schedule 2025

10.15AM Altona Sports Club

24th September

22nd October

26th November.

Christmas 10th of December Michael is arranging our usual luncheon.

Member Speakers

A number of members have expressed an interest in the past of giving their fellow members brief talks on items of interest, past careers, family achievements or awards.

The Committee think that this a great way for us to better get to know each other. If you would like to participate in this initiative, could you please leave your name and your potential subject at the next meeting.

It is thought each talk with questions would be about five minutes.

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