



PROBUS CLUB Of AIRPORT DISTRICT INC.

PO Box 449, BROOKLYN PARK SA 5032

Newsletter

23rd March 2023

General Meetings: 09:45am for 10:00am start, on the fourth Thursday in the Month,
at Airport Over 50's Club, 18 Coral Sea Road, Fulham SA 5024.



Welcome to our AGM. A Big Thank You to
Mel Dayman for chairing our whole meeting
while our President is away.

**To all our Irish Friends, a
belated Happy St Patrick's Day
for the 17th March**



ROSTERS



MORNING TEA ROSTER for MARCH

Heather & Bill Scott,
Barb Shepherdson

MORNING TEA ROSTER for APRIL

Marlene & Bryan Dyke
Fae Haylock



OUTINGS COLLECTION - MARCH

Val Brook

OUTINGS COLLECTION - APRIL

John & Marilyn Wildy

GROUP OUTINGS
★ It's What We Do! ★



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In Loving Memory

of

***Maureen Joy
Marshman***

17.8.1944 ~ 20.2.2023

Aged 78 years

Much Loved Wife of Drew.

Loving Mum and Mother-in-law
of Karen, Craig and Bec.

Cherished Grandma of Jessica,
Dylan and Emily.



Sadly, Joy Marshman passed away on 20th February 2023.

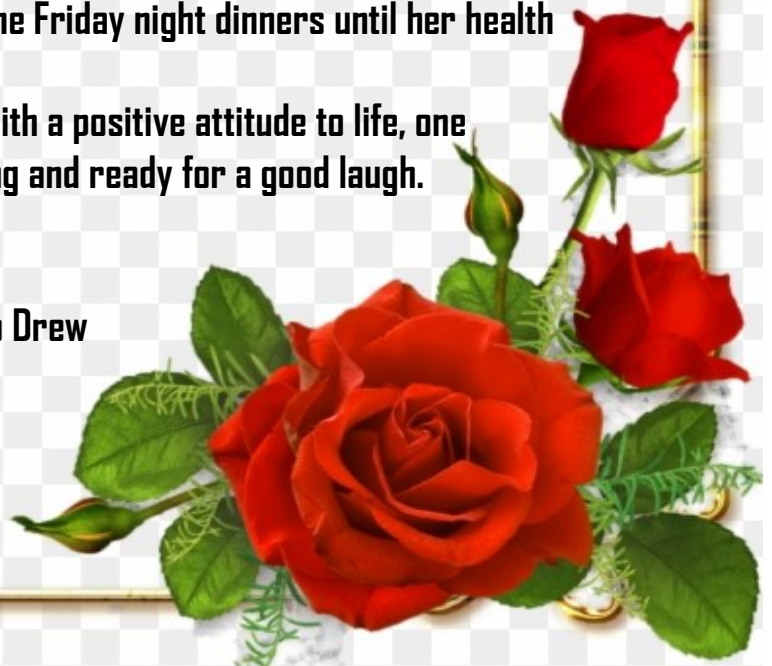
Joy joined our Club in 2003 and became a very active member. Joy was President in 2012, Minute Secretary from 2015 to 2017, Female Friendship in 2016 and Secretary from 2019 until the end of 2022 when ill health forced Joy to resign from the position.

Joy particularly enjoyed the Outings and regularly attended both the Does and Ladies at 10 morning teas. She also enjoyed the Friday night dinners until her health prevented her from attending.

Members will have fond memories of a lady with a positive attitude to life, one who never complained, and was always smiling and ready for a good laugh. Joy by name and Joy by nature.

We extend our sympathy and kind thoughts to Drew and their family.

~ Forever In Our Hearts ~



Birthdays

March 2023

Bev Turner 4th March

Elias Sandrussi 22nd March

happy
birthday

The 'Suggestion Box'

is now located on the
'Outing' folders Table.

Any suggestions / ideas for Club
Activities etc,
will be greatly accepted by the
Management Committee.



VALE



Sadly, Garth Palmer passed away
on
26th February 2023, aged 81 years.

Garth joined our Club in 2013.

Due to illness, Garth was unable to
attend our meetings for the last
twelve months.

However, he particularly enjoyed
staying connected with our Club by
receiving the Newsletter via email.
Garth kept in touch with Helen by
email up until Christmas Eve.



We extend our deepest sympathy
and kind thoughts to
Carolyn and their family.



We DO NOT have a 'Hot Weather' Policy. Up to each individual to decide if it's too hot/cold to attend. Over 50 's Airport Club building has very efficient air conditioning.

"Active Retirees"—the National Probus Magazine

You can access the "Active Retirees" magazine by going to the Probus South Pacific website and clicking on "Active Retirees".

Just A Friendly Reminder

Our Outings Policy is:

"Please pay within ONE MONTH of Booking.

Non-members MUST PAY when Booking



Please Wear Name Badges

To ALL OUTINGS

AIRPORT DISTRICT INC.



Outings



West Terrace Cemetery Tour

on 20th April 2023.

Time: 10am—12noon Cost: \$10.00 pp.

Parking available on site.

Lunch to follow at the Elephant Castle Hotel

Norfolk Island

8 day Ultimate Norfolk Island

Departs 26th October 2023

Approx Cost: \$3,500

Airfares Approx \$400

MY TRAVEL EXPERIENCE

Marty Lage will contact
'My Travel Experience' for more details
on '8 day ultimate Norfolk Island'

** "Norfolk Island Getaway" with 'Holidays of Australia' becoming too expensive.**

~ Watch this Space.~

PORT RIVER CRUISES



90 min Port River Dolphin Cruise

Cost: \$75. (prepaid to our Club)

When: October 2023 (TBA)

Time: 11:00am—12:30pm

This cruise will highlight the iconic Ships Graveyard, view the local dolphins, which are one of the only wild dolphin populations living within a city and visit the bird sanctuary where there's an opportunity to see migratory shore-birds. Learn about the Aboriginal connection to land.



"Bucks" MORNING TEA

(First Tuesday in the month)

4th April 2023, 10:30am, at Beachside

Restaurant, 5 West Beach Road, West Beach

"Does" MORNING TEA

(First Wednesday in the month)

No Morning Tea in April (Easter week)

"Ladies at 10" MORNING TEA

(Second Wednesday in the month)

12th April 2023, 10:00am, at Macchinetta,

528 Grange Rd, Henley Beach.

Guest Speakers

No Guest Speaker in March,
our AGM.

~ Extended Morning Tea.~

**Groups discussions, ideas to
make our Club better.**

April Meeting:

**Jill Wherry,
Irish Entertainer,
Poetess
writer &
story teller.**



May Meeting:

**Tony Elliott to speak
on**

"The Somerton Man"



Sully's Bar

**16 people attended and enjoyed
the Friday night Dinner, dining in
Sully's Bar at the Rex Hotel,
Marleston. Fri 10th February 2023**

FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER



**20 people attended and
enjoyed the Friday Night
Dinner at the Sailmaster
Tavern, North Haven.
Fri 10th March 2023**

NO FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER IN APRIL—EASTER



**It has been suggested that mid-day lunches would be more
appropriate during winter months.**





Shen Yun 2023

DANCE

6—9 April 2023

Festival Theatre

THEATRE




**The Arts Theatre,
Angas Street, Adelaide**
Sat 20th MAY 2023
2pm Matinee
Cost: \$29.

The Australian Ballet presents

Swan Lake

A dynamic new vision of a timeless classic

7—14 October 2023

Festival Theatre



- The barman says to Paddy, "Your glass is empty; fancy another one?" looking puzzled, Paddy says, "Why would I be needed two empty feckin glasses?"

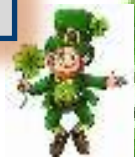
A flustered Irishman who wasn't able to find a parking space in a large mall's car park.

"Lord," he prayed, *"This is driving me mad. If you open a space up for me, I swear I'll give up drinking my whisky, and I promise to go to church every Sunday."*

Suddenly, the clouds parted, and the sun shone on an empty parking spot. Without hesitation, the man said, *"Never mind, I found one."*



Irish Jokes



Paddy rode his bike to the off-license to get some whiskey.

After choosing a bottle, he walked out to his bike.

He was just about to put the bottle in the basket on his bike for the ride home, but then he thought if it falls off, it might break.

So he drank it first... which turned out to be an excellent decision because he fell off seven times on the way home.

Paddy phones Ryanair to book a flight.

The operator asks, "How many people are flying with you?"

Paddy replies, "How the feck do I know? It's your plane!"

You Can't
Drink All Day
If You Don't
Start In The
Morning!

February 2023 Highlights

February 2023 Birthdays



L-R : Margaret Morgan, John Squire & Fae Haylock.
Absent: Nancy Bruer-Hufford, Celia Mills & Lee Vasileff.

100% General Meeting Attendees in 2022-23



L-R: Col Shepherdson, Barbara Shepherdson, Leah Olah, Kathryn Whittlesea & Cleone Oke.

CONGRATULATIONS

NEW MEMBERS INDUCTED INTO AIRPORT DISTRICT PROBUS CLUB



Kym Littler Introduced both Elias & Vera Sandrussi to our members.

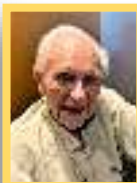


President, Laurie Smith inducted Vera Sandrussi into Membership with Elias looking on.



Laurie Smith, Congratulated our new members, Elias & Vera Sandrussi.

Guest Speaker, Joanne Ankor spoke on behalf of her Father, Norm Lewis.



Norm Lewis, "This Is Your Life"

Kel Burke introduced Jo Ankor, daughter of our own Centenarian Member Mr Norm Lewis, aged 106 years. Norm was unable to attend. Kel asked many questions about Norm, his life, growing up as a child and his working life etc.

Jo Ankor responded & answered Kel's questions about her father.





Two Irishmen, Pat and Murphy, saw a sign saying "Tree fellers" wanted. Murphy said to Pat, 'If only Seamus had been with us we'd have got that job.'



Murphy was arrested and sent for trial for [armed bank robbery](#). After due deliberation, the jury foreman stood up and announced, 'Not guilty.' 'That's grand,' shouted Murphy, 'Does that mean I get to keep the money?'

NOTE...

From our
Treasurer



Annual Subscriptions of \$40 per member are due now.

Please pay Drew Marshman. Thank you to everyone who has paid. Several people who have paid by bank transfer have paid their subs twice, so if you pay this way, please check your recent bank payments first. If you aren't sure, Drew can tell if you have paid.

PAYMENTS BY BANK TRANSFER

Account Name: Probus Club of Airport District Inc.

BSB: 015-214

Account No. 417529217



*** In the REFERENCE box, please put what you are paying for eg: Subs, which Outing /s. ***



APOLOGIES

Before the General Meetings, Please contact the Membership Officer, Helen Graetz on either: telephone: 8376 5280, mobile: 0409 673 561 or email: hgraetz@tpg.com.au

An **Apology Sheet** is available on the Membership Officer's table as you enter the building. This sheet is available until 12 noon at each meeting, if you wish to apologise for future meetings.

NEXT MANAGEMENT MEETING:

Thursday 13th April 2023, at 10am

19 Seafeld Street, Largs North.

NEXT GENERAL MEETING:

Thursday 27th April 2023, at 10am

Airport Over 50s Club, Coral Sea Road, Fulham.

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Our Club Website is maintained by Graeme Bond.

<http://probussouthpacific.org/microsites/airportdistrict>

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