



**PROBUS CLUB**  
**of**  
**AIRPORT DISTRICT INC.**

PO Box 449, BROOKLYN PARK SA 5032

**newsletter**

**24 NOVEMBER 2022**

**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.



# ROSTERS

## MORNING TEA ROSTER for NOVEMBER

**No Help Required—Christmas Meeting at the  
Lockley's Hotel**

## MORNING TEA ROSTER for DECEMBER

**Pam Stewart, Marilyn Wildy, Helen Yeates**



## OUTINGS COLLECTION - 24th NOVEMBER

**Beverley Turner, Margaret Dayman**

## OUTINGS COLLECTION - 15th DECEMBER

**Val Brook Barbara Shepherdson**

**GROUP OUTINGS**  
★ It's What We Do! ★

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**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.**

# Birthdays

## November 2022

Bill SCOTT	8th November
Margaret DAYMAN	9th November
Kathryn WHITTLESEA	25th November
Vicki MILLER	29th November
Garth PALMER	30th November

Happy Birthday



**Joy Marshman has resigned as Secretary, due to health reasons. The Management Committee asks All Members to seriously consider taking on this position.**

Without a Secretary, our Club cannot continue to function. Please speak to President Laurie or anyone on the Management Committee as soon as possible, if you can assist. *Thank You*

## Guest Speakers

**24th November 2022 Meeting  
(Lockley's Hotel)**

**Our Christmas Meeting / Luncheon  
with Father Christmas & Mary Christmas**

**(Seniors' Christmas 2 course meal for \$30**

**includes**

**a drink)**



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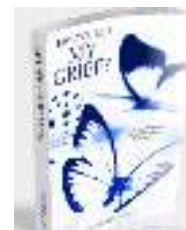


## December Guest Speaker

*Re-scheduled from our October meeting*

**Jodie Atkinson**

**"Have you met  
MY GRIEF?"**



The '**Suggestion Box**' can be found each meeting, at the President's Table .

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



## Upcoming Events



### "Bucks" MORNING TEA

**Tuesday 6th December, 10:30am, at Beachside Restaurant, 5 West Beach Road, West Beach**

### "Does" MORNING TEA

**Wednesday, 7th December, 10:30am, at La Vita, 342 Grange Road Kidman Park**

### "Ladies at 10" MORNING TEA

**Will NOT meet again until February 2023.**

## Some

## Light Hearted Humour

what did the traffic light say to the traffic light?  
Don't look, I'm changing.

If women ruled the world there would be no wars. Just a bunch of jealous countries not talking to each other.

Relationships are like fat people... Most of them don't work out.

I failed my driver's test today. The instructor asked me "What do you do at a red light?" I said "I usually check my emails and see what people are up to on Facebook."

Old people at weddings always poke me and say "you're next". So I started doing the same thing to them at funerals.

Running away doesn't help you with your problems... unless you're fat.

Whatever you do, always give 100%. Unless you're donating blood.

I'm so good at sleeping that I can do it with my eyes closed.



## MONTHLY DINNERS—2nd Friday in the Month



**2nd December 2022, CHRISTMAS LIGHTS  
WEST LAKES PRINCESS BOAT CRUISE**

**Boarding at 6:30 pm for 7:00 pm Departure**  
park in the West Lakes Hotel car park and walk down the side of the hotel to the boat

**2 hour cruise plus 2 course meal—choice of:**  
*battered barramundi or crumbed chicken breast with salad and chips.*

**Dessert: Christmas pudding and custard. Drinks available for purchase at the bar.**

**\$50.00 per person to be paid to  
AIRPORT PROBUS CLUB by 24th November  
at the latest.**

**Sheet will be available at the November meeting to record your name & pay should you wish to attend.**

**There will be NO DINNER in January 2023**



## OUTINGS

No Outings in January 2023

Norfolk Island Trip Planned for 2023, if enough interest.







## Dinner at The Morphett Arms Hotel



On 14th October  
12 members attended the Friday Night  
Dinner at  
The Morphett Arms Hotel.  
A good time had by all.

## CLUB OUTING TO THE SOUTH AUSTRALIAN MARITIME MUSEUM, PORT ADELAIDE

On Thursday, 20th October 2022, 16 members & 1 visitor attended the Maritime Museum, followed by Lunch at the Alberton Hotel, 124 Port Road Alberton SA.



'Star of Greece' Display



On **July 13, 1888**, in the early *hours* of the morning, *Star of Greece* was wrecked just off the beach at Port Willunga. 'Star of Greece' was part of the Calcutta jute trade for most of its time, and established a sailing speed record that was never broken. The ship was remarkable for the amount of brass on deck, and was thought to be the handsomest ship to ever enter Port Adelaide.



Figurehead from  
the 'Star of Greece'



# OCTOBER MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Peter Hubbard was Inducted into Probus Club of Airport District Membership



Peter introduced by Kel Burke



Peter Inducted into Membership by Immediate Past President, Vicki Miller



## September Birthdays



L-R: Beverley Harvey, Barbara Shepherdson, Jan Schulz, Rosalie Bridges & John Wildy. Insert: John Little. Absent: Ross Webb & Marlene Dyke.

## October Birthdays



L-R: Graeme Bond, Val Brook, Alison Thomas. Absent: Doris Keenan

## Guest Speaker - John Woodside

Guest Speaker, John Woodside, a Structural Engineer for over 50 years, spoke and gave a presentation on Australian Earthquakes.

Associated with seismic design from about 1982 over the past 40 years.

He personally had never been through an earthquake, however inspected damage from earthquakes in Newcastle (Australia) and Kobe (Japan).

He has been involved in 3 Australian Standards involving seismic design including AS 3600 (Concrete), AS 1170.4 (Seismic Actions) and AS 2785 (Ceilings).



John Woodside



Mel Dayman gave a vote of Thanks

### 1954 Adelaide SA Earthquake (Magnitude 5.4)

- First to hit the city in 100 years
- Centered at Darlington, 12km south of Adelaide (3:40am)
- Some Buildings were demolished due to cracking
- 3 Serious Injuries & Damaged 3,000 Buildings

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### **1954 Adelaide SA Earthquake (Magnitude 5.4)** - continued

- Insurers paid approx., three million pounds, Estimated at about \$50 million Today.
- 30,000 Insurance claims, but many were Not Insured.
- Seismologists and Geology Experts say No Surface Rupture was found after the Earthquake which happened at a shallow depth and had one small aftershock.
- Amplification Reduced by Adelaide's Heavy Clay/Rock.



### **Past Earthquakes**

		Magnitude
1. NEWCASTLE NSW	28 Dec 1989	5.6
2. BEACHPORT SA	10 May 1897	6.5
3. MECKERING WA	14 Oct 1968	6.9
4. ELLALONG NSW	6 Aug 1994	5.4
5. ADELAIDE SA	1 Mar 1954	5.5
6. WAROOKA SA	19 Sept 1902	6.0
7. MEERBERRIE WA	29 Apr 1941	7.2
8. TENNANT CREEK NT	28 Jan 1988	6.3-6.7
9. KALGOORLIE WA	20 Apr 2010	5.0
10. CADOUX WA	2 Jun 1979	6.1

# EARTHQUAKE

## **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](mailto: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.



### **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. \*\*\*

**NEXT MANAGEMENT MEETING:** Thursday 1st December, at 10am  
19 Seafeld Street, Largs North.

**NEXT GENERAL MEETING:** Thursday 15th December at 10am  
Airport Over 50s Club, Coral Sea Road, Fulham.

Our Club Website is maintained by Graeme Bond.

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

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