



Ladies Probus Club of Valentine Bulletin - December 2023

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HAPPY CHRISTMAS EVERYONE!



Our next meeting is our Christmas Lunch on **Wednesday, December 13th at VBC**. Come along from 10.00 for a short meeting starting at 10.30. Entertainment, provided by Ian Sergeant, will follow before we enjoy a traditional Christmas dinner. Drinks including bubbles, will be served on arrival and there will be another great raffle.

And just to get you in the mood for our Christmas lunch, how good are you at working out some cryptic Christmas trivia? If the clue, *Decorate the corridors* means **Deck the halls** what Christmas songs are referred to in the following? (1) Jubilation to the terrestrial globe; (2) No noise between 8.00pm and 6.00 am; (3) Listen, the celestial messenger is vocalising; (4) Small trio of royal men; (5) Distorted hot helm beef follows small urban settlement; (6) It arrived at 12.00 on a transparent day; (7) Removed in an animal feeding trough; (8) Summon the entirety of believers; (9) As ovine attendants looked over their charges in the hours of darkness; (10) A single time in the noble conurbation of Mr Beckham.

Once Christmas and the January holiday season is over, we need to be thinking about how our Probus Club will operate in the New Year and who will put their hands up to work on the Committee. Functions, events, outings don't organise themselves! Please give some thought to joining this hard-working group of members who, just like you, are retired, have family commitments and often health issues. Nomination forms are available today!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

To our December birthdays:
Lorraine Caldwell, Laurel George, Nola Glover,
Cheryl Lawson, Jan Minter, Laraine Noble and
Marilyn Shoemith.

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS MONTH AND NEXT

- ✚ Maxine's morning teas at the Sixteens will run through December and January. Make a note of the dates – **Friday, December 15th and Thursday, January 25th** at 10.30. Come along and join in the friendly chatter over a cup of tea or coffee.
- ✚ The Mystery Bus Tour on **Wednesday, 28th February** is fully booked. If you have paid a deposit, you must pay the full amount by December 13. Travellers' forms are available from Janet and she would like to know if you have any special dietary requirements.
- ✚ Aunt Molly's Valentine's Day celebration (**14th February**) now has only one vacancy. We have been asked to arrive about 11.45 and meet downstairs at VBC. If you have paid the deposit of \$10.00, the remaining \$45.00 must be paid by mid January.
- ✚ Tickets for the Seniors' Concert (**Thursday, 14th March**) will be available at our February meeting.

Bank details: BSB: 650 000; Account No. 961312505; Ref: your name, reason for deposit (e.g. Aunt Mollys)



lunch will be in March.

LUNCHING AT LEISURE. This is a photo from a lunch organised by Janet at the Gunyah Hotel. We were certainly enjoying ourselves! It was a lovely outing and we had quite a large number of members attending. Unfortunately, the last two lunches have been poorly attended and it is disappointing that some, who said they would attend, didn't turn up. Please let the organiser know, if you have to pull out at the last minute. The next

Meetings: N.B. There are no meetings In January.

Wednesday, 13th December at 10 am for a 10.30 start, followed by our Christmas Lunch.

Monday, 12th February at 10 am for a 10.30 start. Our Guest Speaker will be Wayne Cooper speaking about his early career, his life and his new book.

Committee Meeting dates are: Monday, 5th February at 1.00 pm
 Monday, 4th March at 1.00 pm.

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