

Ladies Probus Club of Valentine Bulletin - February 2024

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WE ARE BACK! WELCOME TO PROBUS 2024!

We begin with a very important notice:

Due to circumstances beyond our control we have had to change the date of our March meeting which is also our Annual General Meeting. Instead of it occurring on Monday, March 11th at 10.30 am as previously advertised, it will now be held on Tuesday, March 19th.

We hope you will still be able to attend as this is a very important meeting at which we will elect our new committee for 2024. And remember, you can still nominate for the committee by filling in a form and handing it to the secretary at our February meeting.

Fees for 2024 (\$35.00 per member) are due in March. Please ensure that fees are paid on time as the club has to pay capitation fees on time.

<u>Bank details</u>: BSB: 650 000; Account No. 961312505; Ref: your name, reason for deposit (e.g. fees)



To our January and February

birthdays: Rae Allanson, Sandy Collins,

Leonie Duggan, Olwyn Gore, Velta Hill, Irene

Kowaleczko, Dorothy Marshall, Barbara

Mitchell, Janet Sternbeck, Jan Campbell, Libby Dingle, Barbara Kentish, Colleen Merritt, Diane O'Brien, Julie Pauling, Margaret Petersen, Joy Tromans, Jeanette Watkins, Suzanne Wood.

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS MONTH AND NEXT

- Aunt Molly's Valentine's Day celebration (14th February) is our first function for the year and 20 members have paid to attend. We have been asked to arrive at about 10.45 and meet downstairs at VBC. It should be a great day with lunch and entertainment featuring Graeme Wright, who has featured in several award winning productions.
- The Mystery Bus Tour on **Wednesday**, **28**th **February** is ready to go with 48 intrepid adventurers setting forth into the unknown! Can't wait to hear where they explore!
- Tickets for the 11.00 am performance of the Seniors' Concert (**Thursday, 14**th **March**) will be available at our February meeting. Train arrangements include 2 possibilities: (1) 7.06 from Broadmeadow, 7.13 from Cardiff, 7.23 Fassifern arriving Sydney 9.44. (2) 7.31 Broadmeadow, 7.38 Cardiff, 7.49 Fassifern arriving Sydney about 10.00. The return special train leaves Sydney at 2.32 pm arriving back here at about 5.00 pm. You can choose which train you catch, but the group usually meets up in the second last carriage.



CHRISTMAS LUNCH 2023. What a great way to end the year!

After a short meeting we were entertained by the very funny lan Sergeant who had us all laughing as we sipped our bubbles. This was followed by a lovely traditional two course Christmas dinner. Some lucky members also went home with great raffle prizes. Allin-all a great event organised by our Hospitality Officer, Margaret Hobson and her assistant, Pauline Easter. Many thanks for the work you do!

Meetings:

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.

Tuesday, 19th March at 10.am for a 10.30 start. There will be no Guest Speaker at this meeting, as it is our AGM.

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

Monday. 25th March at 1.00 pm.