

# Ellenbrook Combined Probus Club Bulletin November 2020

# **President Pete's Piece**

#### Dear Probus Friends,

Ellenbrook Combined Probus Club members, have indeed been busy during October and yes, our annual Melbourne Cup Meeting is upon us as we continue a turbulent year.

I had the pleasure to present, on behalf of the Club 10 year plus ,Certificates of Appreciation and a special gold membership badge that recognises members long service to the Club. See some of the photos in this issue. 20 Members have been in the Club for more than 10 years, well done!!

Our membership is growing to its highest level since formation in 2007, we now have 84 members. Woodlake Community Centre Social distancing permitted numbers is 67, whilst when this requirement is lifter 137 will be allowed !!

It was great to 32 members attend Padbury's . This heritage Building was built in 1871 with some fabulous stain glass windows.

I look forward to inducting Jeff, Trish, Arthur and Henny at out November meeting.

Yours in Friendship, Fellowship and Fun

#### Pete



Where is this picture taken

Small Prize first to email me pete@gdaygday.com The winner will be announced at our November meeting



# From the Secretary's Desk - Evelyn

- Has been liaising with City of Swan relating to the use of the Hall for 2021
- Been busy with the processing and ordering of badges for the new members
- Distribution of PSPL Staying Connected and PAWA News and Notes to members
- Was pleasing to welcome Marlene Perriman as visiting member to the October Management Committee meeting– Thank you for your contribution.
- Agenda and Minutes for our General and Committee Meetings were distributed
- We are still required to wipe down before and after our meetings the chairs and tables. Any help would be appreciated.

# **LIAISON - Vivien**

Our invitation to join us at our November meeting has been accepted by Col Whiteman PAWA President and his wife Anna Whiteman PAWA Assistant Treasurer.

# **MEMBERSHIP - Edna**

We now have 84 members.

We had 71.6% of our total membership attended our October meeting.

# **Christmas Raffle**



All are reminded that we are again holding the Xmas Raffle

Donations to Bev Clark, Val Beckett and Rhoda Counsel

If you get a friend request from someone named Jeremiah, it's ok, accept it. He's a bullfrog. He's a good friend of mine.

I'M SO OLD I REMEMBER MULTIPLICATION WAS CALLED "TIMES TABLES"







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20 Members in all have been in the Club for more than 10 years SERVICE well done!!

# **Guest Speaker**

**October** : Our speaker was Photography Judge (Mike Dunne) who gave some excellent tips how improve our photography skills Mike agreed to let the Bulletin reproduce some of his slides. See below.

Ed will have some great speakers to start the new year as November and December we are having FUN



Mikes tip

## Vacant space

A sizable part of the photograph is empty or has no meaningful content, to an extent that the view appears wanting.



Can you see the dolphins?

# **Current Photographic Competition !!!**

- SUBJECT: The Best of Greater Ellenbrook
- May include Henley Brook, The Vines, Aveley and other satellite suburbs surrounding Ellenbrook

### Closing date 25th November 2020

- Winners announced at Xmas breakfast
- Please upload your images now to email: photoellenprobus@gmail.com
- Hilton has got together some great prizes
- For those wishing to enter and unsure of how to send in photo the web site links shows you how:-

Apple—https://support.apple.com/en-au/HT209462

Android—https://www.lifewire.com/how-to-send-a-picture-on-email-4584368

### Time is running out get the images in to the above email—big prizes

WHEN WE'RE YOUNG, WE SNEAK OUT OF OUR HOUSE TO GO TO Parties. When we're old, we sneak out of parties to go home.



THE CAR YOU Passed Your Drivers test in Was A \_\_\_\_\_

# CARING — Carol

Please phone Carol if you are aware of any member who is not well

Carol continues to keep in touch with members with phone calls and sending cards from the club despite caring for Alan - Thanks Carol.

Carol gives a more detailed information about individual members problems to the Management Committee so we are aware.

### **OUTINGS** Diane

#### PADBURY'S GUILDFORD 13TH OCTOBER 2020

#### GOOD FOOD NICE SETTING GOOD COMPANY -32 MEMBERS ATTENDED



Once upon a time there was a non-conforming sparrow who decided not to fly south for the winter. However, soon the weather turned so cold that he reluctantly decided to fly south. In a short time ice began to form on his wings and he fell to Earth in a barnyard, nearly frozen solid. A cow passed by where he had fallen, and crapped on the little spar-

row.The sparrow thought it was the end, but the manure warmed him and defrosted his wings!

Warm and happy, able to breath, he started to sing.

Just then a large cat came by, and hearing the chirping he investigated the sounds. The cat cleared away the manure, found the chirping bird, and promptly ate him.

The Moral of the Story:

Everyone who craps on you is not necessarily your enemy

Everyone who gets you out of crap is not necessarily your friend.

And if you're warm and happy in a pile of crap, you might just want to keep your mouth shut.



### **OUTINGS** Diane

### 2 November—Melbourne Cup Meeting and FUN

There will be prizes for the 6 races, the Grand final, Best outfit, best Hat and the Booby prize. <u>Start Planning for this special annual event.</u>

**November 13<sup>th</sup>** Morning Tea at Waldecks (Garden Centre) 173 Wanneroo Rd, 9.45. Pay on the day when you order.

**7th December** Christmas Breakfast—same venue as last year (Equestrian Centre Brigadoon) Outings Officer is handling bookings for this special Event. Gluten free and Vegetarian meals are available \$5 Dollars extra which must be ordered before with payment. Diane will have the menu at the next meeting. All meals must be paid before 15<sup>th</sup> November. The cost of the meal is \$20 but the club will subsidise each member by Ten Dollar's.. **GET IN EARLY** 

### 20th January (planning so keep the date in diary)

As everyone will probably like an outing in mid/late January, we will do a lunch at "The Woodbridge Hotel", Affectionately known as "The Woody" in Guildford. I have picked the date of Wednesday 20th January at 11.30. Parking is a bit of a premium so if car pooling is appropriate, we should do it. The menu is great and ranges in price from \$12.00 to \$15.00 for the senior choices. The main menu will also be available and due to price variations, each member can order and pay for themselves (perhaps with a drink). I will be placing the expression of interest board.



I LOVE WHEN PEOPLE GET MAD AND SPEED PAST ME, ONLY TO END UP AT THE SAME RED LIGHT.





# WALKERS—Rhoda and Edna





# Who waddles!!

## Birthdays—Happy Birthday to you !!!

November Birthdays		
Val Ashby	Florian Coombes	Jan Marie Hammond
Marlene Perriman	Henny Theunissen	Robyn Zanetti

Treasurer—Hilton

The Bank balance is \$4955.69

The Petty Cash \$ 78.75

Funds Available to the Club: \$4864.44

# **Kitchen Roster**

### November

**Barb Kennedy** 

Jenny Ward

**Pat Sergeant** 

I DON'T NEED A PERSONAL TRAINER AS MUCH AS I NEED SOMEONE TO FOLLOW ME AROUND AND SLAP THE UNHEALTHY FOODS OUT OF MY HAND



Sometimes I need expert advice.



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Take care PETE,