

# COMBINED PROBUS CLUB OF BLACKBURN SOUTH INC.

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**Club Bulletin**

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The Club meets at 10.00am on the first Wednesday of every month (except Dec and Jan.) at the City of Whitehorse Horticultural Centre, 82 Jolimont Road, Forest Hill.

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## Diary Dates

Next Meeting	Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> May
Block Arcade Tour	Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> April
Current Affairs	Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> April
Ten Pin Bowling	Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> April
River Cruise	Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> April
Bistro	Wednesday April 24 <sup>th</sup>
Movies	Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> April
Golf	Friday 9.30 weekly
Coffee Club	Friday 3.15 pm weekly
Bulletin deadline	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> April

## **PRESIDENT'S REPORT – Harish Shah 9803-9724**

We had our Club's AGM during the March meeting. Motivated members have come forward and taken up various official responsibilities. All positions are filled and we now have a new Management Committee. I am sure that you will offer our New Management Committee the same support that you gave to our Past President Beryl Pakes and the Past Management Committee. The AGM was followed by a BBQ. We were indeed lucky to have good weather on that day, considering the frequent hot spells that we had to endure in the weeks prior to the BBQ. Our Probud Club was founded 30 years ago.

Today is the 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of that day and I am indeed fortunate that I get to start my term as your new President on this occasion. Today's monthly meeting will follow the Anniversary celebration and cutting the Cake. We will not have a Guest Speaker this month.

After the morning meeting, we will be going to the POPPIES ON CANTERBURY, 102 Canterbury Road, Blackburn South, for the 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration Lunch.



Harish has been a Club member since July 2004. During this time, he has served as Tour Leader – Guest Speaker – Auditor – Vice President and now finally -President. He is with the outgoing President Beryl Pakes, after being presented with the Presidents Collar.

**TREASURER Bob Grierson 9887-1431**

Club Bank Account: BSB 063197 Account No. 0090 1841  
Make sure that your name is registered with the deposit

**SECRETARY’S REPORT - John Hally 9874-2840 .**

**CORRESPONDENCE:**

**Inward – Rotary District Probus Newsletter for March (emailed to members)**

**Outward – Minutes emailed.**

**NEW MEMBERS: We welcomed two new members who were inducted to our Club last month:-**

**Trish Hogan, 44 Victor Crescent, Forest Hill 3131. TEL: 9878 9769**

**Email: johpa@bigpond.net.au**

**Graeme Brookes 6 Arlington Walk, Vermont 3133 TEL: 9873 8827**

**Email: brookesy@alphalink.com**

**30<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY LUNCH: Please bring your “OUTINGS NAME BADGE” to the lunch as there will be a number on new members and guests attending**

**FORWARD APOLOGIES: If you will not be attending a monthly meeting, please advise the Secretary by email: ailjohn@tpg.com.au or by telephone 9874 2840, 0411 314 218, 0412 302 269.**

**BIRTHDAYS APRIL**

**Best wishes to the following members.**

Trish Hogan 13<sup>th</sup> Diana de Forest 17<sup>th</sup> Gerry Burton 20<sup>th</sup> Dudley Adcock 21<sup>st</sup>



**PLEASE NOTE CHANGES TO ROSTERS**

**ROSTERS**

**MORNING TEA**

April	Bryan Paten	Yvonne Bohnstedt	Wolfram Bohnstedt	Vic McNamara
May	Bryan Paten	Jill Hannam	Lorna Moncrieff	Rolf Arnoldi
June	Bryan Paten	Phil Jean	Jennifer Birt	Bruno Rosaia
July	Bryan Paten	Gerry Burton	Diana de Forest	

**ATTENDANCE RECORDING:**

April	Jennifer Birt	Ree Dowling
May	Joyce Wickins	Keith Wickins
June	Beryl Pakes	Ken Pakes
July	Mary Burton	Yvonne Bohnstedt

**MENTORS:**

April	Gerry Burton	Jo Hocking	Lois Cheevers
May	Gerry Burton	Jo Hocking	Diana de Forest
June	Keith Booth	Peter Humphries	Mary Burton
July	Beryl Pakes	Dot Farr	Rolf Arnoldi

**WELCOME:**

April	Aileen Hally	Jill Hannam	Brenda Griffin
May	Aileen Hally	Joan Cocking	Brenda Griffin
June	Aileen Hally	Joan Cocking	Ree Dowling
July			

**AFTER MEETING TIDY UP:**

April	Kath Thompson	Aileen Hally	Doug Westcott
May	Kath Thompson	Aileen Hally	Col Rogers
June	Chris Stott	Aileen Hally	Ian Grandy
July	Kath Thompson	Aileen Hally	Ken Pakes

**If unable to attend Roster duty, please contact Aileen Hally A.S.A.P. ph. 9874 2840**

**Please arrive for duty by 9:15am**

**WELFARE & MEMBER LIAISON Aileen Hally 9874-2840**

We visited Arthur Hill who is content at Regis. He would be interested in borrowing any Georgette Heyer books.

Dudley Adcock is recuperating at home and is in good spirits. He hopes to attend meetings soon.

We had an entertaining time when we visited Fred Catlin. Fred is very accepting of his health problems. The Sullivans and the Stewarts visited David Danks.

**GUEST SPEAKERS MARY RASMUSSEN 9894-3680**

**SPEAKERS**

- April - Speaker cancelled. 30year celebration instead..
- May - Day Trippers representative.
- June - Lachlan McLeod - Documentary film maker.
- July - Brian Williams from Consumer Affairs. Shopper Rights..
- August - Robert Dawson – Puffing Billy
- September - Crestknit – clothing demonstration
- October - Keith Korlock – Clean Water

**PERIDOT THEATRE - Stephen Clifton 9808-1873**

- June 20<sup>th</sup>. “Crimes of the heart”
- August 22<sup>nd</sup>. “The Diary of Anne Frank”
- November 28<sup>th</sup>. “Stage Kiss”



**MOVIES – Jo Hocking - 21 Myrtle Grove Blackburn 9877-6787**

- Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> April at 1:15pm
- Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> May at 1:15pm
- Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June at 1.15pm
- Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> July at 1.15pm

**CURRENT AFFAIRS DISCUSSION GOUP – Bill Wallis 9874-3636**

The opening discussion at our March meet related to a Media report that the existing source of Gas for Victoria & southern NSW would probably dry up by mid- 2022. Due to the embargo on development of known on shore gas fields several suppliers have announced their intentions to construct Terminals at Five locations to Import gas from overseas sources. Two each in NSW & Victoria and one in S.A. Another topic covered was that the slight increase in emissions during the preparation of gas for export resulted in significant reduction in emissions in the countries using the gas in lieu of Coal. .A number of other items received some attention .

Next meeting is scheduled for the 8th April at Lindsay Whitrod's place at 6A Simpsons St. Mitcham commencing at 1.00pm

**SOMETHING ON SUNDAY:** So far twenty people have indicated they are interested in doing "SOMETHING ON SUNDAY". If you are interested in taking part, please place your name on the list.

**Bistro Night: Yvonne Bohnstedt 9877 4757**

Our next Bistro Night will be on **Wednesday April 24<sup>th</sup>**. We are going to the Wantirna Club located at 350 Stud Rd. Wantirna. Arrival time is 6.00pm to 6.30 pm. Seniors meals are available. Pay and order your meal/drinks at the bar. Put your name on the list today.

**AUGUST OUTING: Yvonne Bohnstedt 9877 4757**

**Tuesday August 13<sup>th</sup> 2019.**

We are travelling into the City to enjoy a tour, then have lunch at the William Angliss Institute The tour commences at 11.15am and finishes at 12.15 pm Which is for free !!

We are then going to have lunch which will cost between \$22.00 - \$29.00.

**Please note:** We are limited to a maximum of 25 persons, so be quick to add your name on the list. Further information will be in the June/July Bulletin

**FRIDAY COFFEE**

We meet at “Shingle Inn” which is located on the 2nd floor at Forest Hill, where tables are booked from 3.15 pm. See you there.

**WALKING GROUP Walk Leader: Wolfram Bohnstedt 9877-4757 Mob.0401156920**

**Please note,** there will not be a walk in April.

**TABLE FOR SIX (T6) - Mike Wite - 9878-7775 I**

If you are single and would like to dine out with a couple and 3 other singles, contact me and I will put your name on the roster, and you will be notified when your name comes up.

### **OUTINGS**

#### **TOUR BLOCK ARCADE – MELBOURNE**

**Val Nixon 9808-5740**

**Thursday April 4<sup>th</sup> at 11am.**

Cost \$15.00 per person for tour. Meet 10.45 under "The Dome".

After tour members may wish to get together for lunch

#### **MARIBRYNONG RIVER CRUISE.**

**Eric Sutherland. Tel. 9877-3307 -----Mel Ref 42 E.5.**

**Thursday April 11<sup>th</sup> 1 P.M.---\$30 p.p.**

It is not too late to join our group on this autumn cruise but you need to speak to me today if you are interested.

#### **TEN PIN BOWLING. ERIC SUTHERLAND Tel..9877- 3307**

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> April at 10 a m.**

We have bowled on 2 occasions and intend to continue on the second Wednesday monthly in future. Most have been surprised how easy and enjoyable it has been. All members are invited to come along and enjoy the fun and fellowship it provides. Forest Hill Chase is the venue and of course we are not affected by the weather. No list to complete, just ring me if you have a query.

### **GOLF.**

Come and join us at Waverley Golf course (near Jells Park) each Friday morning. We tee off at 9.30am.



A group of our members went on a visit to the RAAF Museum at Point Cook, where the RAAF commenced flying as part of the Army in 1913. It wasn't until 1921 that the Air Force was established as a separate entity. There are a number of aircraft from World War I through to the recently retired F III.

There is more on our web page – worth a look. It is sponsored by Bendigo Bank, Blackburn South.  
PAV Website: -- [www.probusvic.com.au](http://www.probusvic.com.au)

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