

Combined Probus Club of

Blackburn South Inc. No.58109

Reg. No A0029946T

MINUTES: Minutes of Monthly Meeting 3rd July 2024

HELD: Whitehorse Horticultural Centre, 82 Jolimont Road, Forest Hill.

PRESIDENT: opened the meeting at 10:00 am and welcomed all present and reminded all members to please turn off their mobile phones.

APOLOGIES: Lorraine Low-Shang, Joyce Wickins Keith Wickins, John Hally, Mary Rasmussen, Sue Needham, Cushla Appelby, Mary Burton, Gerry Burton, Ree Dowling

VISITORS: President Harish welcomed our visitor Sheila and invited her for lunch

PRESENT: 54 Attendance, Apologies 10,

BIRTHDAYS JUNE: Bruna Rosaia 5th, Keith Wickins 5th, Alan Hunter 8th, Beryl Pakes 13th, Doug Westcott 23rd, Jan Roche 29th

VALE: A minute's silence was held for Fred Caitlin who passed away 26th April 2024. Fred became a member on 7th of May 1997 and was a long-time member of the club.

MINUTES PREVIOUS MEETING:

The secretary asked that the minutes of the monthly meeting held on 5th June 2024 with amendment for Men's and Ladies Lunch be accepted as a true and accurate record of June Meeting.

Moved: by Gillian George,		Seconded: by Val Nixon	Carried:
CORRESPONDENCE:	IN:	Positive Ageing Team – Movie	
	OUT:	PSPL Capitation fees Probus Victoria	

REPORTS:

SECRETARY: – Reported on the new contact detail forms available on front table or can be sent electronically if you advise.

Someone forgot to pay their bill at Sofias please see secretary if this was you.

Probian Magazine has been ordered for all members.

Competition for names on new flyer on notice board.

Equip4Life forms are still available for those wanting to take part in the program that last month's speaker spoke about.

TREASURER: – Reported that the current bank balance is \$2943.99 with \$500 of this amount comprising of an amount paid as a deposit for the Christmas Lunch, so bank balance is \$2443.99.

GUEST SPEAKER: – BERYL PAKES advised that the speaker for today will Terry Roche, who will speak on Classic Cars. Beryl also advised the meeting that the next meeting our guest speaker will be Ken Pakes speaking on the Kimberley's by Land and Sea. September will be Mercy Ships

WELFARE: No one has advised of any welfare needs. A note of thanks received from Kath was read, thanking the club for the card sent to her on the death of her brother.

BULLETIN: As published.

OUTINGS: -Young and Jacksons Tram Safari, 21st August. Sheet on bench. All welcome to attend. Parking at Vermont South Shopping centre. No. 75 tram meandering through suburbs on the way into city. Leaving approx. 10.30am. If you are going in another way we will meet at approx. 11.45am for 12.00 lunch second floor. We will have lunch in the dining room of Young and Jacksons. \$38 Main 4 choices, small desert/tea or coffee, glass of wine. Please contact Ree for further information.

APOLLO BAY TRIP: – Gillian spoke on Mary's behalf re a trip being organised to Apollo Bay. Interest forms are on the bench as well as a flyer with all details. This is to be held $24^{\text{th}} - 28^{\text{th}}$ March 2025. Please see Mary if you require further information.

SUNDAY LUNCH: We are having a Sunday lunch on 28th July at the Wantirna Hill Club 12.00noon all welcome please place name on form on bench.

EXERCISE CLASSES: Kath spoke on "Roll back the Clock" classes being held at VSC in Livingstone Rd, classes are \$10 per class which includes morning tea. Gentle exercises and presentation on topics related to good physical and mental health for both men and women. Currently 4 of our members attending. Group size is about 15 with the other participants. All Welcome. 11.30am to 12.30pm.

DISCUSSION GROUP: MIKE BAMPFIELD advised that all members are invited to attend the discussion group and give it a try, the discussion time is then followed by a short quiz, afternoon tea and social time. The venue the VSC club in Livingston Road, New time is 3rd Tuesday of the month 16th July. 2pm -4pm,

BOOK EXCHANGE: There are books on the table in the foyer please take them to read. This month there are also some DVD's. Please take the books that are left home if you brought them as we do not have anywhere to store them.

WEBSITE: DOUG WESTCOTT: - All working well

FRIDAY COFFEE: – Moon & Spoon, Level 2, Forest Hill Shopping Centre, each Friday afternoon 3.15pm. All welcome to attend.

AFTER MEETING LUNCH: – will be at Mitchum Hotel. President asked for show of hands on who is attending, with about 22 people showing their wish to attend.

GENERAL BUSINESS:

Book club has started, and the participants had a great time. Next book club meeting will be on the 6^{th of} August at 3 Howqua Ct Vermont all invited to attend. Please place your name on the sheet if you are interested.

The books on display that some members had brought to the meeting were discussed and Stephen Clifton spoke on the books he had from his childhood. He also showed the book that was given to Trish when she was a child. Thank you to those who brought books for the display.

Eric spoke on Ten Pin Bowling and asked if anyone is interested to please speak to him in the hope this can be re-established once again.

The meeting then had morning Tea which we were advised by Kath included chocolates provided by Doug Westcott as it was World Chocolate Day.

The meeting reconvened for the guest speaker at 11.05am:

SPEAKER: Beryl introduced our speaker Terry Roche who spoke on Classic Cars. Terry had a great knowledge of these and had a PowerPoint presentation to show us. He had also brought his car to the meeting which was a 1974 Triumph TR6. Question and answer time followed.

After the presentation Beryl Pakes thanked the speaker and handed him a small gift and thanked him for his interesting presentation.

President Harish then closed the meeting at 11.53am and thanked everyone for attending and invited everyone to the lunch at The Mitchum Hotel and advised the next meeting is 7th August.

President. 7th August 2024