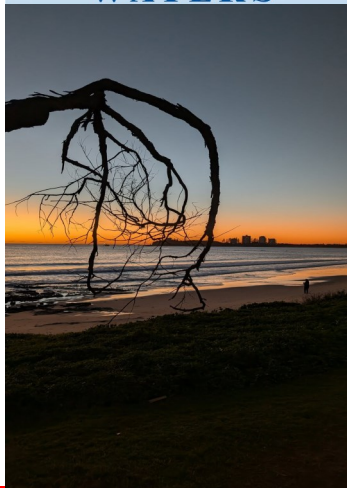




**PROBUS CLUB
OF
KAWANA
WATERS**



**GENERAL
MEETINGS**

Will be held on the
2nd Tuesday monthly

**Our General
Meetings are held at
KAWANA SURF CLUB
commencing at 10am.**

APOLOGIES

For non-attendance.
All Members should
Notify:

**Registrar Brian & Julie
Knight by email
bjfknight@bigpond.com.au
Phone: 07 5452 6558**

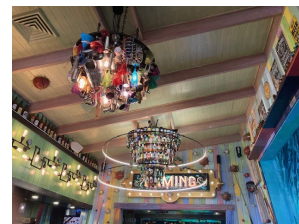
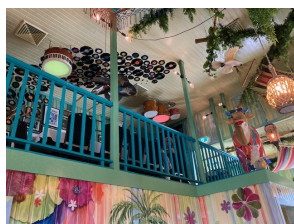
By Friday **AM** before the
day of the meeting to assist
with catering.

**Visitors contacts
Nurturing Coordinators
Heather Glen
Lyn Peck**

Members Newsletter September 2026



PEOPLE AND PLACES



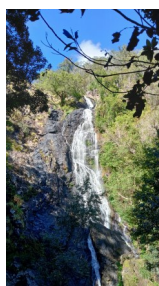
**Livley Lovely Ladies enjoying lunch at
The Banana Bender**



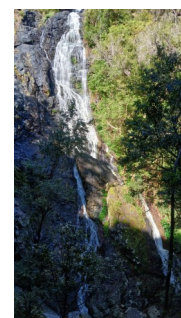
**Members enjoying
a morning of craft**



Grumpy Old Men At The Redcliffe Museum



Our walking group at Kondalilla Falls



CINEMA SATURDAY

Most Saturdays a group of Probus Members meet at either BCC Maroochydore or Kawana to enjoy each other's company and see a movie screening before 11am. The movie goers are normally notified of the chosen movie Wednesday night or Thursday, with a meeting time in the foyer. **No need to RSVP** just turn up by the allocated time. If you are interested in joining us please contact Mike 0416325763.



PROBUS CLUB OF KAWANA WATERS INC

P.O. Box 398, Buddina, Qld 4575 — Web Site: <https://www.probuskawanawaters.com>

**From President John Rea
President's Report – September**



Dear fellow Probus Club Members, Spring is almost upon us, which means that we only have one third of 2026 to look forward to. Hopefully, reflecting on the two thirds of 2026 that have passed, you can fondly recall the times you have appreciated the friendship and shared activities you have experienced in our Club.

Thank you to Di Daley and Maureen Irvine for organising the Birthday activities for our last Probus General Meeting celebration.

Many of us would know a Veteran from the Vietnam War (I had a cousin in the campaign). Unfortunately, many Vietnam veterans did not feel that the general Australian public appreciated the sacrifice and service they made for their country.

Recently, 60 years on from the battle of Long Tan, which coincides with Vietnam Veteran's Day, members of the community commemorated those who served in the Vietnam War and their families. "Lest we forget".

Our next Club celebration is the Probus 50 years Picnic on Tuesday 6th of October. A big thank you to Counsellor Joe Natoli who has supported the Picnic with a contribution of \$400. This will cover most of the costs for the Picnic.

**Yours in Friendship
John Rea**



DINE OUTS — 12 NOON

Wednesday 2nd September

Maroochydore State High School
12 Noon

CONTACT MIKE—0416325763

CRAFT MEETINGS

10am—12 Noon

Kawana Surf Life Saving Club.

Tuesday 15th September — All Welcome

BRUNCH

10th Sep—11am

Jamaica Blue

Shop 388 B, Kawana Waters Shopping World
(opposite Adairs)

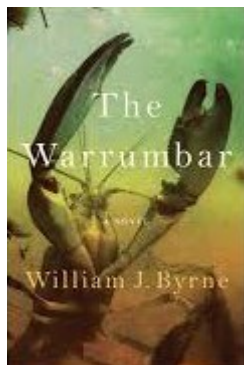


WEARING OF BADGES

A very necessary reminder that all members and visitors are required to wear their name badge at all times while attending Club functions. This helps visitors to interact with members – and vice-versa, helps newer members to get to know older members and – just as importantly - helps older members make newer members welcome.

If you forget to bring your permanent badge (or temporary badge if you are a visitor), a temporary stick-on badge

Club Web site: <https://www.probuskawanawaters.com> **For password to access Members only section contact Web Officer Gerhard at Email:** GK@kronberger.com.au

BOOK CLUB ONE
THE WARRUMBAR
William J. Burne

On the day man first walks on the moon, 13 year old Robbie Brennan meets Moses, an old man camped by the side of the road. Over the following months, Robbie is drawn to Moses' stories – tales of hardship, war and redemption – unearthing a past entwined with his own. When Robbie learns that Moses grew up at the Mission, the Aboriginal reserve that once existed on the outskirts of town, with his mother Delsie, Robbie's understanding of his family's history and identity is forever changed. In a small country town where a boy like Robbie – poor, on society's margins, and with 'some of that black blood in him' is rarely believed, does the truth matter? Set against the backdrop of 1969 Australia, is a compelling story about love, injustice and the courage it takes to do what's right.

Lorraine Samin

INTEREST GROUPS
Members & Guests Activities

Armchair Travel:	Mike Matthews	0416325763
Book Club 1:	Lorraine Samin	0402 080 683
Book Club 2:	Leonora Rea	0408 231 293
Bus Trips:	Robyn Cole	0400 599 885
Assisted by	Mike Matthews	0416 325 763
Cinema:	Mike Matthews Coral Horton	0416 325 763 0410 613 026
Brunch:	Kathy Jackson	07 5437 6061
Craft:	Sonia Delaney	0412 909 340
Dining:	Mike Matthews	0416 325 763
Grumpy Old Men:	Brian Knight	0414 538 560
Local Theatre:	Maggie Marsden	0411 144 343
Other Theatre	Mike Matthews	0416 325 763
LLL	Leonora Rea	0408 231 293
Mahjong:	Sue Penfold	0413 470 494
Picnics:	Vacant	
Walking:	Brian Knight	0414 538 560
Trips Away	Mike Matthews	0416325763

**THE BUS TRIP 2026**

CONTACT Robyn Cole

Bus Trip Scheduled for Thursday, 3rd September 2026

Maleny Botanic Gardens and Maple Street, Maleny Shopping Precinct

Cost: \$62.00 per person for bus and Garden entry.

Please note we do NOT have entry to the aviary in the gardens but can view it from outside the aviary. Anyone wanting entry to the aviary can pay separately on the day at the Gardens.

Lunch will be at members' own expense, probably at the cafe in the Gardens.

Departure time 9.30 from Longwood Street

10.30 Visit Gardens

12.30 - 1pm. Travel by bus to Maple Street for free time

2.30 - 3pm. Depart Maleny

**Computing Support contact:**

Leigh Baker - Windows PCs and laptops, Android phones and tablets

John Roberts - IOS PCs and laptops Apple phones.

Welfare & Support

Pat Blakeman—0409 901 176

Any members who are ailing or needing support please ensure that Pat knows about it so that the Club is able to provide whatever assistance it can.

Treasurer's Report for August 2026

Opening Balance at 1st August \$10,644.43
 Total Receipts \$1,338.00
 Total Expenses \$ 627.30
 Closing Balance as at 25th August \$11,355.13

Regards Kendra Stevens

September Birthdays

Keith MULHOLLAND 4
 Peter HUTHNANCE 12
 Beverly SHERWOOD 15
 Lynne Adele ROWELL 16
 Bronwyn MILLER 25

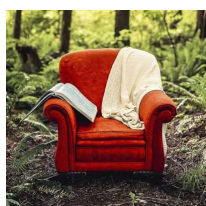


Wishing you all a very Happy Birthday from your fellow Probians.

ARMCHAIR TRAVEL

At the Kawana Surf Club.
 11th Sept—9.30am

Di Daley will take us on a tour of Silos and Country art in Australia.



All members and friends welcome
 Phone/Text Mike: 0416325763
 Email: mikemat62@gmail.com

SEPTEMBER GUEST SPEAKER

Our September speaker is from Mercy Ships

LYNNE EZZY

**DIRECTORY****MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE****Phone Contact**

<i>President:</i>	<i>John Rea</i>	0437 779 405
<i>Snr Vice-President:</i>	<i>Gary Brushe</i>	0421 327 864
<i>Jn Vice-President:</i>	<i>Di Daley</i>	0412 380 715
<i>Secretary:</i>	<i>Mary-Anne Brushe</i>	0421 313 160
<i>Treasurer:</i>	<i>Kendra Stevens</i>	0409 172 299
<i>Registrars</i>	<i>Brian Knight</i>	0414 538 560

CLUB OFFICERS

<i>Assist. Secretary:</i>	<i>Liz Grecian</i>	0419 200 355
<i>Assist. Treasurer:</i>	<i>Maureen Irvine</i>	0417 994 644
<i>Assist. Registrars:</i>	<i>Lynne Rowell</i>	0427 517 931
<i>Julie Knight</i>		0421 637 682
<i>Past President (ex officio)</i>	<i>Robyn Cole</i>	0400 599 885
<i>Nurturing Coordinator</i>	<i>Heather Glen</i>	0419 262 365
<i>Assistant Nurturing:</i>	<i>Lyn Peck</i>	0427 067 505
<i>Welfare:</i>	<i>Pat Blakeman</i>	0409 901 176
<i>Assist. Welfare:</i>		
<i>Newsletter:</i>	<i>Mike Matthews</i>	0416 325 763
<i>Guest Speaker:</i>	<i>Lynne Ezzy</i>	0410 488 894
<i>Media Officer:</i>	<i>Mary-Anne Brushe</i>	0421 313 160
<i>Meet & Greet:</i>	<i>Leonora Rea</i>	0408 231 293
<i>Assist Meet & Greet:</i>	<i>Maggie Marsden . Maureen Kelly</i>	
<i>Safety Officer:</i>	<i>Sue Penfold</i>	0413 470 494
<i>Verifier:</i>	<i>Gerhard Kronberger</i>	0409 500 091
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<i>Raffle Officer:</i>	<i>Mary Hudson</i>	0407 623 303

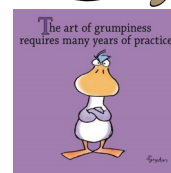
Suggestion Box

Don't forget to put suggestions in the box or email the Secretary with any item you wish to bring to the attention of the Management Committee:
 Email: kawanawatersprobus@gmail.com



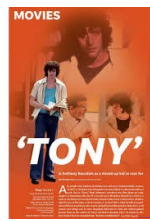
CLUB ACTIVITIES

Check Calendar for times and Locations



CONVENORS REPORTS ETC. FOR AUGUST 2026

CINEMA REPORT BY CORAL HORTON



This month we saw 'Tenor: My name is Pati', this is a documentary made about the extraordinary voices of brothers Pene and Amitai Pati, Samoans living in Auckland, New Zealand. They achieved a measure of success with their group Sol3Mio, but when Pene branched out on his own he was very quickly a star. I loved how the documentary was made showing his Samoan roots and family values. If you love Nessun Dorma then you are in for a treat. Is it recommended? YES with 5 stars!

The following week we went to see 'Holy Days', which I thought was going to be hilarious with Jacki Weaver, Miriam Margolyes, and Judy Davis, playing the Nuns. However it was chuckle worthy in places, but the storyline was the winner as it was touching and heartwarming. Just could have been a whole lot funnier! I must say however we all enjoyed this, so it's recommended.

The following week we didn't watch anything due to nothing worth seeing! So this week just gone it was 'Tony', a fictionalised account of the true summer of Anthony Bourdain's 19th year. The year was a turning point for the tearaway youth and he formed his love of cooking, starting with washing dishes in The Flagship, Providence, Cape-Cod. His later life is not portrayed in the film but as we know he went on to become executive chef at Brasserie Les Halles in Manhattan, later becoming a TV celebrity chef, sadly committing suicide aged 61 in 2018. This is a highly recommended movie and we all enjoyed it very much.

CRAFT—SONIA DELANY

Sonia Delaney Craft

Here is the craft group contribution for the month.

Despite the weather there was an excellent turn out to this month's craft group. The majority of the ladies worked on their own projects and only two took on the cross stitch, which was the set one for the month. Leonora, who has missed out on last month's learn to crochet, spent the morning doing that, whilst Di and Bev did cross stitch and Lyn spent the time creating some amazing Christmas cards.

Next month it was agreed that we work on our Ph D's (Projects Half Done) and that the decision as to Christmas projects for October and November would be discussed then. Please put forward any ideas for these and any future projects, so as the necessary materials and equipment can be organised.

LLL

This month our Lovely Lively Ladies went to Palmview for lunch at The Banana Bender pub (formerly The Ettamogah Pub) at Aussie World. This quirky venue has chandeliers made from bottles and mismatched glasses, portraits of well-known people decorated with fruits and vegetables, a hotch potch of painted furniture, and fruit mocktails with a ChupaChup in the straw. The food was very tasty and it was busy with end of work week diners. Definitely a place to show visitors a different side of the Sunny Coast.

THEATRE AND EVENTS FOR YOUR ENJOYMENT FOR SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER - 2026

CALOUNDRA CHORALE & THEATRE: (CCTC) Wurtulla.
 Sunday 2nd 2pm 8th November—Casablanca Tribute Night
Bookings to Maggie Marsden— 0411 144 343
www.caloundrachorale.com.au



LIND LANE THEATRE: - NAMBOUR
 Friday 3 July 2026 - Saturday 11 July 2026—Mother of the Maid
www.lindlane.com.au

BATS THEATRE: Buderim War Memorial Hall, Main & Church Sts Buderim.
BOOKINGS PHONE ALICE – 0427 856 680
www.batstheatre.com

QPAC
4 to 26 September 2026—Brisbane Festival [see web site for details]
<https://www.qpac.com.au/>
30 Sep to 18 Oct 2026—PRIDE AND PREJUDICE* (*SORT OF)

THE EVENTS CENTRE: CALOUNDRA
Fri 4 Sep, 8pm - Elvis an American Trilogy
Sun 4 Oct, 5pm - Burn The Floor—Feel the rhythm.
 Experience Burn the Floor this October!
 A hit on Broadway and loved in the West End!
13 & 14 Oct, 7pm—Fountain Lakes: Y2k
 They're gonna party like it's nineteen ninety nine!
www.theeventscentre.com.au



THE MAJESTIC THEATRE: Pomona A great experience.
SILENT MOVIE EVERY SATURDAY AT 12 NOON
 See site for other shows—www.themajestictheatre.com.au

SUNSHINE COAST CONCERT BAND: Kawana Community Hall, Buddina
www.sccb.org.au

SUNSHINE COAST SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA:
Sun 13 Sep, 2pm Symphonic Horizons
 Events Centre Caloundra
 Box Office – 54914240 – www.sunshinecoastsymphonyorchestra.com

**PLEASE REMEMBER TO TRY AND HAVE THE CORRECT MONEY WHEN
 REGISTERING AT GENERAL MEETINGS
 OR PAY TO THE CLUBS BANK ACCOUNT IN ADVANCE
 PROBUS CLUB OF KAWANA WATERS—BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS
 BSB: 638070 -- AC NO: 8576386
 Ref: Your name and event.**

Book Club 2
See Calendar for details

Will meet on the fourth Thursday of the month at Brightwater Tavern at 10am
New members welcomed.

**If interested in joining see Leonora at the next general
 meeting or send a text message to - 0408 231 293.**

Day	SEPTEMBER 2026	Time	Co-Ordinators
Wednesday 2	Dine Out: Maroochy High School	12.00pm	Mike Matthews
Thursday 3	Bus Trip: Maleny Botanic Gardens and Main Street adventure.	9.30am	Robyn Cole
Friday 4	Walking: Sunshine Cove Walk, Maroochydore	7.30am	Brian Knight
Saturday 5	Cinema Saturday: TBA	TBA	Mike Matthews
Monday 7	Mah-jong: Club Kawana New members and beginners welcome	10am	Sue Penfold
Tuesday 8	GENERAL MEETING AT KAWANA SURF CLUB Guest Speaker this month Mercy Ships	10.00am 12.00 noon	Brian Knight Julie Knight
Thursday 10	Brunch: Jamaica Blue Shop388 B, Kawana Waters Shopping World	11.00am	Kathy Jackson
Friday 11	Armchair Travel: Kawana Surf Club Di Daley will take us to look at Silos and Country Art,	9.30am	Mike Matthews
Saturday 12	Cinema Saturday:	TBA	Mike Matthews
Tuesday 15	Craft: Kawana Surf Club—All welcome	10am 12noon	Sonia Delaney
Wednesday 16	GOM: Lunch at Banana Bender Pub, Palmview	11.30am	Brian Knight
Wednesday 16	LLL: Bribie Island, Art Centre and Seaside Museum. Lunch Venue to be advised.		Leonora Rea
Friday 18	Walking Group: Jill Chamberlain Reserve Little Mountain	7.30am	Brian Knight
Saturday 19	Cinema	TBA	Mike Matthews
Monday 21	Mah-jong: Club Kawana New members and beginners welcome	10am	Sue Penfold
Tuesday 22	Management committee	TBA	John Rea
Thursday 24	Book Club 2: Brightwater Hotel	10.00am	Leonora Rea
Thursday 27	Deadline for submission of Material for Newsletter		Mike Matthews
Monday 28	Book Club 1: Kawana Library for details contact Lorraine	9.30am	Lorraine Samin

Day		October 2026	Time	Co-Ordinators
Friday	2	Walking: Yaroomba Bushland Park	7.30am	Brian Knight
Saturday	3	Cinema Saturday:	TBA	Mike Matthews
Monday	5	Mah-jong: Club Kawana New members and beginners welcome	10.00am.	Sue Penfold
Tuesday	6	CLUB PICNIC AT THE SPIT		Robyn Cole
Thursday	8	Brunch: Chill Cafe 89 - 89 Esplanade, Golden Beach	11.00am	Kathy Jackson
Friday	9	Armchair Travel: OSLO TO BERLIN WITH THE BAKERS	9.30am	Robyn Cole
Saturday	10	Cinema Saturday:	TBA	Mike Matthews
Tuesday	13	GENERAL MEETING: Speaker: Counsellor Joe Natoli	10.00am.	Brian & Julie Knight
Wednesday	14	Dine Out: Flaxton Gardens [Car Pool]	11.30am	Mike Matthews
Friday	16	Walking: Mooloolah River Reserve	7.30am	Brian Knight
Saturday	17	Cinema Saturday:	TBA	Mike Matthews
Monday	19	Mah-jong: Kawana Bowls Club New members and beginners welcome	10.00am.	Sue Penfold
Tuesday	20	Craft Group: At Kawana Surf Club All welcome	10am	Sonia Delaney
Wednesday	21	LLL: Caloundra. We will visit Art Gallery, Library and there will be time for some retail therapy. Lunch at Waves Bowls Club		Leonora Rea
Thursday	22	Book Club 2: Brightwater Tavern New members and beginners welcome	10.00am	Leonora Rea
Saturday	24	Cinema Saturday:	TBA	Mike Matthews
Monday	26	Book Club 1: Kawana Library for details contact Lorraine	9.30am	Lorraine Samin
Monday	26	Deadline for submission of material for Newsletter		Mike Matthews
Tuesday	27	Management Committee Meeting At Kawana Surf Club	9.30am	John Rea
Wednesday	28	Grumpy Old Men: . TBA	10.00am	Brian Knight