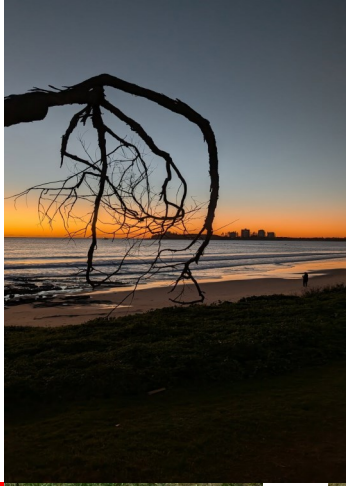




PROBUS CLUB
OF
KAWANA
WATERS



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
Coral Horton**

0410 613 026

Members Newsletter October 2025

PEOPLE AND PLACES

INDUCTION OF NEW MEMBERS

Lynne Eddy was welcomed by Senior Vice President John Rea as a new member.

SELF PORTRAIT BY LILY DICKSON

Lily Dickson on gave us an interesting intro to her early life in Rabaul in PNG and her change when she went on a high school scholarship Catholic Ladies College in Katoomba in the Blue Mountains. She met her husband and had 3 boys. She worked in administration and business through her life and her family ended up on the Sunshine Coast. The Sunshine Coast is a lovely place to live when you love fishing!

GUEST SPEAKER:

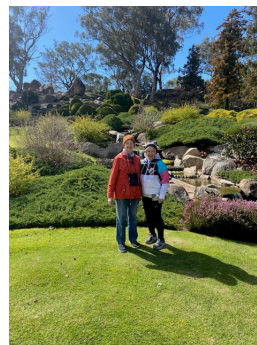
Physiotherapist Sebastian Dearle spoke about two important muscles groups' Latissimus dorsi and Psoas that help us with daily movement and how one exercise can help improve both muscles

ON THE ROAD AGAIN

Sue Goodman and Lyn Peck enjoying another trip away

BUS/BOAT TRIP

Tin Can Bay to Rainbow Beach trip on 17th September



Mike, Coral, Brian and Julie enjoyed a day out at The Blackbutt Avocado Festival



CINEMA SATURDAY

Most Saturdays a group of Probud 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 the President's Desk – Robyn Cole

Hello Fellow Probians

Kendra Stevens and I had a very nice holiday but, as always, it's nice to be home. My grateful thanks to John Rea for chairing September's meeting. We, the Committee, are starting to look at the question of Succession for the year 2026. Several people have already made offers to fill positions which have been gratefully accepted, however, more people are needed to step forward. To put it very bluntly, without people filling roles within the Club, the Club will cease to exist.

At this stage we are looking for an Assistant Secretary, a Nurturing officer, a Welfare Officer and a Facilities/Equipment Officer. Please think about you might be willing to take on next year to help the Club.

Meanwhile Anna Firmin has put together another bus trip, this time to the Outback Spectacular on Sunday, 30 November 2025. This trip has been costed and ratified by the Committee and Anna will give you full details at the next General Meeting on 14 October.

It promises to be a great trip.



People have always named
their children after expensive
things like Chardonnay,
Mercedes, Chanel...

Now get ready for Petrol,
Lettuce and Electricity!



GOLD 242

Funnies to enjoy



I'M NOT AGEING,
I'M RIPENING TO
PERFECTION.



DINE OUT — 12 NOON

WEDNESDAY 1st OCTOBER

Three Restaurant Bar and Grill Caloundra

LAST FOR 2025—WEDNESDAY 5th NOVEMBER

Sunshine Krua Thai - Shop 7/63 Karawatha St, Buderim,

CRAFT MEETINGS

Kawana Surf Life Saving Club.
21st October, 10am at
Kawana Waters Surf Club.
ALL WELCOME

BRUNCH - 11am

Thurs. 9th October Velo Project 19 Careela
St, Mooloolaba
Thurs. 13th Nov. One on La Balsa
1 Harbour Pde, Buddina



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 - LORRAINE SAMIN

THE ROSE CODE
by
Kate Quinn

1940, Bletchley Park, Buckinghamshire.
In wartime England, three very different women – aristocratic Debutante Osla, Londoner Mab a shy local girl, Beth - are recruited to the mysterious Bletchley Park, where the best minds in Britain train to break German military codes.
1947, LONDON

Seven years later, on the eve of the royal wedding between Princess Elizabeth & Prince Philip, one of the three women is facing a terrible fate. Their friendship has been torn apart by secrets and betrayal. They now need to reunite in a terrifying race against the clock and crack a final code before it's too late for them and their country.

INTEREST GROUPS*Members & Guests Activities*

Armchair Travel:	Anna Firmin	0427 611 174
Book Club:	Lorraine Samin	0402 080 683
Bus Trips:	Anna Firmin	0427 611 174
Cinema:	Mike Matthews	0416 325 763
Coral Horton		0410 613 026
Brunch:	Kathy Jackson	07 5437 6061
Craft:	Lynne Rowell	0427 517931
Dining:	Mike Matthews	0416 325 763
Grumpy Old Men:	Brian Knight	0414 538 560
Local Theatre:	Pat Blakeman	0409 901 176
Other Theatre	Mike Matthews	0416 325 763
Mahjong:	Sue Penfold	0413 470 494
Picnics:	Kay Cooper	0411 722 545
Walking:	Brian Knight	0414 538 560

THE BUS TRIP 30TH NOVEMBER 2025

On Sunday 30th November we will leave 2 Longwood St, Minyama on the Mystic Mountain's new 27-seat bus and travel to **THE OUTBACK SPECTACULAR** on the Gold Coast.

The cost will be \$115* per person which includes the 3-course lunch and drinks [beer wine or soft].

This trip will book out quickly, so, at the current date 20/9/25 I have **15 confirmed passengers!**

If you want to join us on this trip please contact me by text to: **0427611174** or email to: **ammf42@gmail.com**.

There is a choice of meal so please indicate which you would like: **Steak, Chicken or Vegetarian.**

ANNA



Computing Support contact:

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

John Roberts - IOS PCs and laptops Apple phones.

PAQ Web Site: enter the web site at **www.paqnetwork.com.au**
Secretary: **mail@paqnetwork.com.au**

Welfare & Support*Ruth McDonald — 0448 001750*

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

Treasurer's Report for September 2025

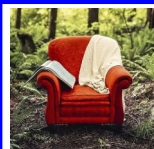
Opening Balance at 1st Sept \$12,957.42
 Total Receipts \$1,528.25
 Total Expenses \$4,922.15
 Closing Balance as at 23 Sept \$9,563.52

Kendra Stevens**October Birthdays**

Mel JACKSON 4
 Kate EDWARDS 16
 Maureen IRVINE 17
 Coral WILLS 21
 Claire JONES 21
 Jane IRWIN 22
 John ROBERTS 26
 Jan CARPENTER 30



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

**ARMCHAIR TRAVEL**

On October 10th Coral and I will be presenting on our trip to East Africa.

We flew together to Nairobi and were together for the first week then we split – Coral went to Zanzibar to follow her family history and I spent the next 3 weeks, with my niece introducing her to where her father (my brother) grew up.

See you at the Kawana Surf Club on Friday 12th at 09:30.

Don't forget, coffee, tea (and hot chocolate) will be available from the "café".

**PETER HUTHNANCE
GUEST SPEAKER**

Dr Thomas Pace
 His topic is
"Healthy Brain for Life"

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

President: Robyn Cole 0400 599 885

Snr Vice-President: John Rea 0437 779 405

Jn Vice-President: Vacant

Secretary: Maureen Dunn

Treasurer: Kendra Stevens 0409 172 299

Registrars Brian & Julie Knight 0414 538 560

CLUB OFFICERS

Assist. Secretary: Michelle Parks 0410 277 673

Assist. Treasurer: Sonia Delaney 0412 909 340

Assist. Registrar: Lynne Rowell 0427 517 931

Past President (ex officio) Alison Wade 0401 640 348

Nurturing Coordinators Coral Horton 0410 613 026

Welfare: Ruth McDonald 0448 001750

Assist. Welfare: Sue Goodman 0402 850 691

Newsletter: Mike Matthews 0416 325 763

Guest Speaker: Peter Huthnance 0400 756 773

Media Officer: Vacant

Meet & Greet: Bronwyn Miller 0402 566 226

Assist Meet & Greet: , Maggie Marsden . Maureen Kelly

Safety Officer: Sue Penfold 0413 470 494

Verifier: Gerhard Kronberger 0409 500 091

Website: Gerhard Kronberger 0409 500 091

Equipment Officer: Bill Delaney 0427 817 320

Lucky Door Prizes: Mary Hudson 0407 623 303

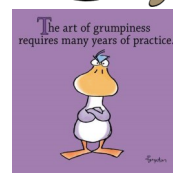
Suggestion Box

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



PROBUS CLUB OF KAWANA WATERS

BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS

BSB: 638070 -- AC NO: 8576386
REF: NAME AND EVENT.

CONVENORS REPORTS FOR SEPTEMBER 2025

CINEMA—CORAL HORTON



This month we have seen 'Kangaroo Island' starring Rebecca Breeds and Erik Thompson to name just a couple of our good Aussie actors. The plot revolves around Lou returning home from being an LA actress to confront her past life and loves on Kangaroo island. Beautiful scenery and a great watch.

Secondly this month we saw 'The Roses', with Olivia Coleman and Benedict Cumberbatch! The loving relationship falls

apart over the years with jealousy at his wife's success, with hilarious black humour thrown in! Last week we saw "Downton Abbey-the Grand Finale", a record number of us turned up for this viewing at Kawana! Needless to say it lived up to my and everyone's expectations and did a great job of tying up the loose end of this long running series. I was reduced to tears at the sight and appropriate farewell to Maggie Smith at the end. A Must Watch.

NEW BOOK CLUB

Book Club



Contact Leonora Rea if you wish to join a new book group. This one will be run as follows: you bring along a book you have read and you talk about it without giving away the whole plot or ending! Afterwards, a coffee and chat about books and authors. Contact Leonora if you wish to join on : 0408231293 - ring, text or leave message if no answer.

THURSDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER—GOM VISIT TO NOOSA HINTERLAND BREWERY.
This was attended by 4 GOM.



Lunch / beer was at the brewery & on the return to the coast we stopped at Pomona for a coffee. The brewery has a typical old country style atmosphere, food was excellent & the staff friendly. A place we will visit again next year.

THEATRE AND EVENTS FOR YOUR ENJOYMENT—PAT BLAKEMAN FOR OCTOBER & NOVEMBER- 2025

CALOUNDRA CHORALE & THEATRE: (CCTC) Wurtulla.

Sunday 12th October 3.00pm Sound of Music

Group \$35

Bookings to Pat Blakeman

www.caloundrachorale.com.au

LIND LANE THEATRE: - NAMBOUR

October 24-November 1- Clue On Stage -

Adapted from the screenplay by Jonathan Lynn

www.lindlane.com.au

BATS THEATRE: Buderim War Memorial Hall, Main & Church Sts Buderim.

26th September—5th October—Sex Please, We're Sixty,

FOR BOOKINGS PHONE ALICE – 0427 856 680

www.batstheatre.com

VENUE – 114: (Sportsman Parade, Bokarina)

Please check website for further details.

<https://venue114.com.au/events>

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Sun 2 Nov, 2025—Oriana Choir 20th Anniversary Gala Concert

Please check website for further details.

<https://venue114.com.au/events>

THE EVENTS CENTRE: CALOUNDRA

Sat 4 Oct, 8pm John Waters Radio Luxembourg

Sat 10-12 Oct, 7.30pm Mamma Mia!

Wed 29 Oct 11:00am—Keith Potger - Celebrating the Seekers: 60 Years

www.theeventscentre.com.au

THE MAJESTIC THEATRE: Pomona A great experience.

SILENT MOVIE EVERY SATURDAY AT 12 NOON

October 4, SILENT FILM FOR SENIORS WEEK

GRANDMA'S BOY – 1922

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:

Events Centre Caloundra

November 15th "Summer Serenades" .

Box Office – 54914240 – www.sunshinecoastsymphonyorchestra.com



DATE CHANGE FOR NOVEMBER GENERAL MEETING

To Tuesday 18th November. As Tuesday 11th November is Remembrance Day our venue, Kawana SLSC, is not available for our Probus meeting. Please change your diaries. Apologies for the inconveniences.

DATES TO NOTE IN YOUR DIARY

2nd December 2025 - Christmas Luncheon—11am at Twin Waters Golf Club.
Entertainment by The Chandons

October is Probus Month— No formal activity planned this year to be quietly celebrated.

Internet Banking Details: BSB: 638 070
A/c: 8576386—Ref: Your name and event.

Day	OCTOBER 2025	Time	Co-Ordinators
Wednesday 1	Dine Out: THREE RESTAURANT CALOUNDRA	12 NOON	Mike Matthews
Friday 3	Walking: Charlie Morland, State Forrest walk followed by lunch in Kenilworth 12.30pm	9.30	Brian Knight
Saturday 4	Cinema Saturday:	TBA	Mike Matthews
Monday 6	Mah-jong: Club Kawana	9.30am.	Sue Penfold
Tuesday 7	Picnic: JESSICA PARK Nicklin Way Kawana	12 noon	Kay Cooper
Thursday 9	Brunch: Velo Project 19 Careela St, Mooloolaba	11.00am	Kathy Jackson
Friday 10	Armchair Travel: Coral and Anna will be presenting on our trip to East Africa.	9.30am	Anna Firmin
Saturday 11	Cinema Saturday:	TBA	Mike Matthews
Tuesday 14	GENERAL MEETING Guest Speaker: Dr Thomas Pace (Thompson Institute Community Health Educator) Topic: Healthy Brain for Life	10am 12noon	Registrars Brian & Julie Knight
Friday 17	Walking Group: Emu Mountain Summit Walk	7.00am	Brian Knight
Saturday 18	Cinema Saturday:	TBA	Mike Matthews
Monday 20	Mah-jong: Club Kawana	9.30am	Sue Penfold
Tuesday 21	Craft Group: Kawana Surf Club—All welcome	10am 12.00	Lynne Rowell
Wednesday 22	Grumpy Old Men: Woodford Museum 11.00am followed by lunch.	11.00am	Brian Knight
Saturday 25	Cinema Saturday	TBA	Mike Matthews
Monday 27	Book Club: Kawana Surf Club	9.30am	Lorraine Samin
Tuesday 28	Management Committee Meeting	9.30am	Robyn Cole
Tuesday 28	Submission of Material for Newsletter	PM	Mike Matthews

Day		NOVEMBER 2025	Time	Co-Ordinators
Saturday	1	Cinema Saturday:	TBA	Mike Matthews
Monday	3	Mah-jong: Club Kawana	10.00am	Sue Penfold
Tuesday	4	Picnic: Kevin Asmus Park, Nanyima St. Buddina	12 noon	Kay Cooper
Wednesday	5	Dine Out: Sunshine Krua Thai - Shop 7/63 Karawatha St, Buderim	12.00pm	Mike Matthews
Friday	7	Walking: Mooloolah River Reserve	7.00am	Brian Knight
Saturday	8	Cinema Saturday: TBA	TBA	Mike Matthews
Tuesday	11	Craft: Note change of date and venue! At Sonia Delaney's house.	10am 12noon	Lynne Rowell
Thursday	13	Brunch: One on La Balsa 1 Harbour Pde, Buddina	11.00am	Kathy Jackson
Friday	14	Armchair Travel: Kawana Surf Club Gabby and Gerhard Kronberger	9.30am	Anna Firmin
Saturday	15	Cinema Saturday:	TBA	Mike Matthews
Monday	17	Mah-jong: Club Kawana	10.00am	Sue Penfold
Tuesday	18	GENERAL MEETING AT KAWANA SURF CLUB Guest Speaker: Fabiana Franco & Jen Corsbie Topic: Fire Ant Eradication is a National Priority	10.00am	Brian Knight Julie Knight
Friday	21	Walking Group: Mountain Creek Reserve (other side of the creek)	7.00am	Brian Knight
Saturday	22	Cinema Saturday:	TBA	Mike Matthews
Monday	24	Book Club: Last meeting for the year at Kawana Surf Club	10.30am	Lorraine Samin
Tuesday	25	Management Committee Meeting	9.30	Robyn Cole
Wednesday	26	Grumpy Old Men: TBA	10.30am	Brian Knight
Thursday	27	Deadline for submission of Material for Newsletter		Mike Matthews