



PROBUS CLUB
OF
KAWANA
WATERS



Newsletter May 2020

Maureen's Thoughts for May 2020

Trust that this brief Newsletter finds you all healthy and coping with the effects/restrictions that we are currently experiencing due to COVID-19.

The Management Committee is conducting the monthly meeting via a conference call set up courtesy of Registrar John Roberts. The April meeting was held on Tuesday 28. Items raised that may interest members include:

Venue 114 – currently closed until further notice. Opening of the venue is dependent upon government & council policies changing to enable it to open. We will notify members when we have official written notification that we can utilize the venue.

PSPL Newsletter is now an eNewsletter. Members should have now received the April edition.

Queensland Probian “Staying Connected with Probus” – also now a eNewsletter. Members should have received Issue 4 – the May edition on the 28/4/20.

Unfortunately in the last month we have received 3 member resignations from the club, namely Nanette & John Buttenshaw and Valerie Murphy. This leaves us with 76 ordinary members and 5 life members. Hence we will have 9 vacancies available to interested visitors who meet club requirements when we return to full operation as a club.

Welfare Officer Dorothy King has been busy during the last month making contact with various club members. In order to ensure that as a club we maintain contact with all members, Management Members will be joining Dorothy in making calls. Each management member has been allocated a number of members to call, to ensure that all members are contacted and members are not subjected to a multiple of calls.

Joe and Margaret Leaman – as most members are aware Joe is very unwell. Thank you to Dorothy for following up on Wendy's notification regarding Joe's state of health. It is very encouraging to see how supportive our members are, especially in this time of isolation.

Earlier in April coordinators and conveners, should have received an electronic copy of Roles and Responsibilities for their particular role. Review of these statements would have been on the Agenda of the May 5 meeting for Coordinators and Conveners. Therefore once we have the opportunity to return to normal club activities, if coordinators and conveners could review the statements for their activity/role and notify me via email of relevant updates.

Christmas Luncheon has been booked for the same venue as 2019. The craft group are busy making table decorations during our enforce isolation.

Book Club is still operating due to the outside the square thinking of conveners Jenny & Leigh Baker. The Walking Group is looking forward to restrictions on entry to National Parks being lifted. Brian will be in touch with group members when that definitely occurs to see how they feel about a limited return to that activity.

Club Constitution and By Laws – the Management Meeting acknowledges the need to ensure that changes to the constitution and by-laws are undertaken in a methodical manner. Therefore discussion has been suspended until we can meet face to face with all suggestions fully documented. Once all tasks associated with this review has been completed, the suggested changes will be presented to members.

Please take care of yourself whilst we discover how resourceful we can be to entertain ourselves during this period of isolation. Technology is a tool to reduce the effects of isolation as is sending/receiving a letter or card via snail mail. Please reach out to each other.

Yours in friendship, Maureen Dunn

MEETINGS

Are held on the 2nd Tuesday monthly (except December) at **Venue 114**, 114 Sportsman's Parade, Bokarina,

Venue 114 is closed until further notice, so unfortunately our monthly meeting are suspended.

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

Treasurer's Report for May Newsletter

Opening Balance 31-03-20	\$6574.21
Receipts April	\$595.00
Expenses April	\$678.59
Closing Balance 30-04-20	\$6490.62

May Birthdays

Gabrielle KRONBERGER	9
Robin CLAIR	16
Phyllis GERHARDT L.M.	18
Paul COCKSHAW	19
Gordon LATTIMER L.M.	20
Margaret MAIR	20
Pat BLAKEMAN	22
Sue GOODMAN	25



Wishing you all a very Happy Birthday from your fellow Probian, Have a great day and many more happy days to come.

I do hope you are all finding lots of activities to do at home during our enforced isolation. We are all missing not seeing and catching up with one another. The good times will return, until then "Stay Safe". All the very best Mike Matthews.



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