



**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: 5452 6558**

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

**Visitors contacts  
Nurturing Coordinators  
Coral Horton  
0410 613 026**

**Kendra Stevens  
0409 172 299**

# Members Newsletter November 2024

## HIGHLIGHTS PEOPLE AND PLACES



The President spoke about the new Club Banner and commended Sonia Delaney on the hours and skill she had put into designing, digitising and constructing the banner.

Alison Wade and Maureen Dunn had also contributed to the financial costs involved in producing the banner.

A label is affixed to the back of the banner indicating the above and the date in which it was constructed.

The President unveiled the banner and asked for Sonia and Maureen to join her for an official photo.

### JOHN RAE PROFILE *[extract]*

John gave an interesting insight into his and Leonora's background and why they are now based on the Sunshine Coast. They both spent time in Ingham, a Sugar Cane Community. Both of their mothers were born in Italy. Leonora's dad came to Australia from Sicily in his late teens. Apart from the Italian background John has a Scottish/Irish heritage and he was born in Brisbane. John attended Charters Towers for his Senior Schooling, from there he studied science and finally had a career in Education, teaching at 3 Catholic colleges in Townsville, being Deputy Principal at two of them. Leonora has a business/finance background working in school offices becoming Office Manager. She has a brother in America, they have been married 50 years



### GUEST SPEAKER: Michelle Stafford

A representative from the Sunshine Coast Parkinson's Association gave us an excellent and informative presentation about Parkinson's Queensland. Her presentation included a lot of statistical information about Parkinson's, including the numbers diagnosed and how each individual's Parkinson's was unique to them. One interesting fact Michelle mentioned was the small window of time with dosing of medication and the significance of this on individuals, particular in a care situation. Michelle provided some interesting reading material and there is a further information available at [Parkinsonsqld.org.au](http://Parkinsonsqld.org.au).



### 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>

# HIGHLIGHTS PEOPLE AND PLACES

Members enjoying a dine out at Maroochydore High School [Tafe]



Our crafty ladies enjoying a morning making Christmas decorations

## Kawana Waters Probus Club Christmas Lunch 2024



Tuesday 3rd December - 12 Noon

**The cost to members will be \$32**  
Visitors, non-members and guests \$43 .

*The club will subsidise members \$5 towards the cost of their lunch.  
The club will provide a \$6 drink at no cost on arrival at the lunch.  
All attendees are automatically entered into the raffle draw.*

### Main Courses

Roasted Turkey and Ham with  
Roasted Vegetables, Potatoes, Cranberry  
Sauce & Gravy (GF)

### Dessert

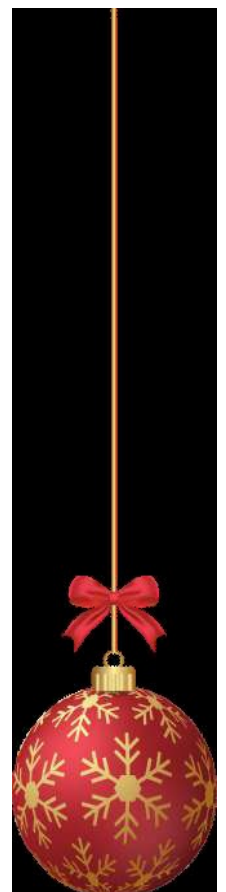
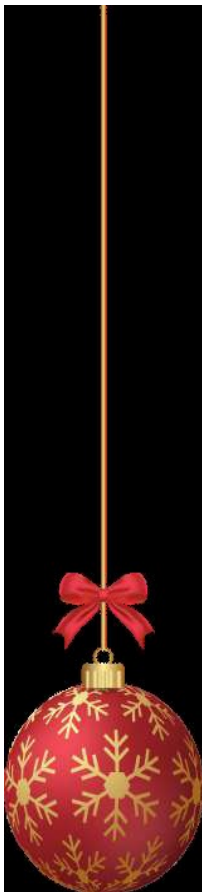
Christmas Pudding with Brandy  
Sauce and Vanilla Ice Cream

or

Lemon Tart with Sorbet

or

Chocolate Eclairs with Sauce and  
Ice Cream





From the President’s Desk – Alison Wade (October 2024)

Greetings fellow Probians.

The focus in this month’s message to all our members is “HOW CAN I HELP?”

As several Committee Positions will become Vacant with effect from our March 2025 Annual General Meeting, we (the Committee) are asking all members to consider how you can possibly contribute to the General running of our club. In particular, we are looking for a Treasurer, Secretary and Assistant (Minute) Secretary. Unfortunately, if we are not able to fill these positions, our Club is not able to function. So, please give this some thought – whether you are new to the club or have perhaps served on the Committee before – everyone is welcome and valued.



Please contact me if you would like to receive the Roles and Responsibilities for any of the positions, or just to discuss how you can help in general.

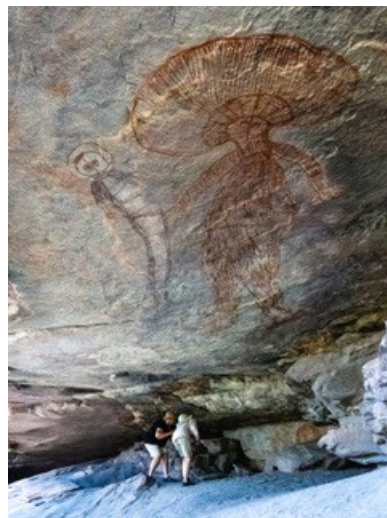
I look forward to seeing you all at our next meeting on Tuesday 12th November 2024.

Yours in fellowship—Alison Wade



Jenny and Leigh in Segovia

Where are they now, member around the world



John and Janet on their Kimberley Cruise



Nepal—Anna & Coral Pashupatinath funeral pyres in the background!



Lyn Peck on her nostalgic trip back to Bangkok and Vietnam



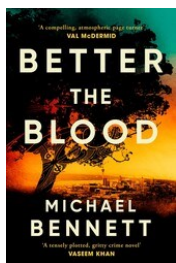
WEARING OF BADGES

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](mailto:GK@kronberger.com.au)

**BOOK CLUB — LORRAINE SAMIN**



**BETTER THE BLOOD  
Michael Bennett**

Hana Westerman is a tenacious Maori detective juggling single motherhood & the pressures of her career in Auckland’s Central Investigation Branch. She’s lead to a crime scene by a mysterious video and discovers a man hanging in a secret room. As Hana & her team work to track down the perpetrator, other deaths lead her to think that they are searching for New Zealand’s first serial killer.


Hana must use all her experience as a police officer to find a motive for these apparently unrelated murders. What she eventually discovers is a link to an historic crime that dates back to brutal times bloody white colonisation of New Zealand.

As a Maori officer, there has always been a clash between duty & culture for Hana but it is something that she’s found a way to live with, until now! When the pursuit becomes personal, she realises that her heritage & the past are the keys to finding the killer. As the murders continue, it seems that the killer’s agenda of revenge may include Hana & her family. It seems the past never truly stays buried.



INTEREST GROUPS		
<i>Members &amp; Guests Activities</i>		
Armchair Travel:	Anna Firmin	0427 611 174
Book Club:	Lorraine Samin	0402 080 683
Bus Trips:	Anna Firmin	0427 611 174
Cinema:	Mike Matthews Coral Horton	0416 325 763 0410 613 026
Brunch:	Pat Blakeman;	0409 901 176
Craft:	Lynne Rowell	0427 517931
Dining:	Mike Matthews	0416 325 763
Grumpy Old Men:	Brian Knight	0414 538 560
Local Theatre:	Lorraine Lintott	0417 120 540
Other Theatre	Mike Matthews	0416 325 763
Mahjong:	Kate Edwards	0428 326 446
Picnics:	Kay Cooper	0411 722 545
Walking:	Brian Knight	0414 538 560

**BUS TRIPS FOR 2025**



**TBA**  
**By Anna**

**DINE OUTS NOVEMBER 12 NOON**  
**Wednesday 6th November—Last dine out for the year.**  
**Chill Café 89 — 89 Esplanade Golden Beach**

**CRAFT MEETINGS**  
 Craft in November is on the 19th at Kawana Surf Club at 10 till 12noon

**BRUNCH**  
 Thursday 14th November 2024  
 11.00am  
 At La Balsa



**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](http://www.paqnetwork.com.au)  
 Secretary: [mail@paqnetwork.com.au](mailto: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 October 2024**

Opening Balance at at 1st October 2024 \$5,599.41  
 Total Receipts \$857.00  
 Total Expenses \$650.00  
 Closing Balance as at 21st October \$5806.41  
 Sonia Delaney

**November Birthdays**

Raymond MOORE 2  
 Michelle PARKS 8  
 Heather GLEN 15  
 Mary HUDSON 25  
 Kendra STEVENS 26  
 Kathy JACKSON 27  
 Leigh BAKER L.M. 28  
 Bev JAMIESON 28



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



**ARMCHAIR TRAVEL**  
 9.30am at Kawana Surf Club  
 Friday, 8th. November

December 13th Christmas gathering. With pictures. Anyone with pictures of Christmas overseas, please advise us so we can create a Powerpoint of them for next meeting.



**GUEST SPEAKER  
 NOVEMBER**

**Susie Maroney**

Long distance swimmer, originally from Sydney, but now living on the Sunshine Coast.

Susie was the first woman to swim from Cuba to USA with a shark cage. In her many achievements she has also swum from Mexico to Cuba

**DIRECTORY**

**MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE**

**Phone Contact**

<i>President:</i>	<i>Alison Wade</i>	0401 640 348
<i>Snr Vice-President:</i>	<i>Robyn Cole</i>	0400 599 885
<i>Jn Vice-President:</i>	<i>John Rae</i>	0438 148 447
<i>Secretary:</i>	<i>John Roberts</i>	0438 148 447
<i>Treasurer:</i>	<i>Sonia Delaney</i>	0412 909 340
<i>Registrars</i>	<i>Brian &amp; Julie Knight</i>	0414 538 560

**CLUB OFFICERS**

<i>Assist. Secretary:</i>	<i>Heather Glen</i>	0419 262 365
<i>Assist. Treasurer:</i>	<i>Maureen Dunn</i>	
<i>Assist. Registrar:</i>	<i>Dawn Wilson</i>	0439 372 977
<i>Past President (ex officio)</i>	<i>Peter Huthnance</i>	0400 756 773
<i>Nurturing Coordinators</i>	<i>Coral Horton</i> <i>Kendra Stevens</i>	0410 613 026 0409 172 299
<i>Welfare:</i>	<i>Ruth McDonald</i>	0448 001750
<i>Assist. Welfare:</i>	<i>Sue Goodman</i>	0402 850 691
<i>Newsletter:</i>	<i>Mike Matthews</i>	0416 325 763
<i>Guest Speaker:</i>	<i>Sue Penfold</i>	0413 470 494
<i>Media Officer:</i>	<i>Dorothy King</i>	0406 908 698
<i>Meet &amp; Greet:</i>	<i>Bronwyn Miller</i>	0402 566 226
<i>Assist Meet &amp; Greet:</i>	<i>Maggie Marsden &amp; Maureen Kelly</i>	
<i>Safety Officer:</i>	<i>Sue Penfold</i>	0413 470 494
<i>Verifier:</i>	<i>Gerhard Kronberger</i>	0409 500 091
<i>Website:</i>	<i>Gerhard Kronberger</i>	0409 500 091
<i>Facilities Officer:</i>	<i>Bill Delaney</i>	0427 817 320

**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



## THEATRE AND EVENTS FOR YOUR ENJOYMENT LORRAINE LINTOTT FOR NOVEMBER/DECEMBER

### SUNSHINE COAST JAZZ CLUB

Meets at the Power Boat Club Golden Beach on the 3rd Sunday of the month.

**Contact PRESIDENT: JULIE WALKER 0412789957** For further details of membership and forthcoming events: <https://sunshinecoastjazzclub.net.au>

### CALOUNDRA CHORALE AND THEATRE COMPANY (CCTC)

Wurtulla

Christmas Celebrations:

**DECEMBER - 4<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER.**

**(OUR BOOKING IS: - SATURDAY, 7<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER – 2.00 pm.**

**COST: - GROUP - \$23.00.**

**CONTACT: LORRAINE LINTOTT – 0417 120540.**

**PLEASE PAY. SONIA DELANEY – OUR TREASURER**

**AT NEXT MEETING - 12<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER OR BEFORE.**

[www.caloundrachorale.com.au](http://www.caloundrachorale.com.au)

### LIND LANE THEATRE – Nambour

**November 30 - LEONARD COHEN: His Life, Ladies and Lovers**

[www.lindlane.com.au](http://www.lindlane.com.au)

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

[www.batstheatre.com](http://www.batstheatre.com)

**VENUE – 114 – (Sportsman Parade, Bokarina)**

**23<sup>rd</sup> November**

Footworks Dance presents: Icons

**Phone: (07) 5413 1400**

### THE EVENTS CENTRE CALOUNDRA.

**Saturday –9<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER. 24 – 8.00 pm.**

LEE KERNAGHAN – BOY FROM THE BUSH. “THE CONCERT”

Sunday – 10<sup>th</sup> November, 24. 7.00 pm.

SONGS IN THE KEY OF MOTOWN.

**Wednesday -11<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER – 11.00 am.**

ANDREWS AND BING CHRISTMAS SWING/DAYTIME CONCERT SERIES.

Friday – 13<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER– 2.00 pm.

MERRY AND BRIGHT/CHRISTMAS WITH MIRUSIA.

[www.theeventscentre.com.au](http://www.theeventscentre.com.au)

### THE MAJESTIC THEATRE Pomona A great experience.

Silent Movies every Saturday at 12.00 pm plus Live Shows.

**NOVEMBER 1<sup>st</sup> – NOVEMBER 3<sup>rd</sup>.**

NOOSA GUITAR FEST – (ALL DAY).

**NOVEMBER – 2<sup>nd</sup> – SILENT FILM – “STRONG MAN” – BUSTER KEATON.**

[www.themajestictheatre.com.au](http://www.themajestictheatre.com.au)

### SUNSHINE COAST SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA Events Centre Caloundra

**SATURDAY – 7<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER , 24 –7.00 pm.**

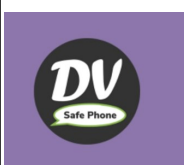
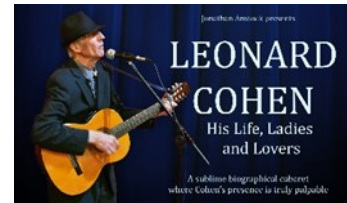
CINEMA ADVENTURES.

Box Office – 54914240

[www.sunshinecoastsymphonyorchestra.com](http://www.sunshinecoastsymphonyorchestra.com).

### SUNSHINE COAST CONCERT BAND – Kawana Community Hall – Buddina

**SATURDAY – 14<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER, 23 – 2.00 pm – 5.00 pm.**



**The box to deposit you old phones in will be at the November general meeting**

**Thank you for your support**

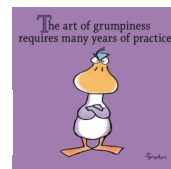


### RIP

**It is with sadness we announce that Pam Liddell lost her battle with cancer and passed away a short while ago. She will be remembered for her bright personality and smiling face. The clubs thoughts are with her friends and family at this sad time.**



**CLUB ACTIVITIES**  
**Check Calendar for times and Locations**



**CONVENORS REPORTS FOR SEPTEMBER 2024**

**CINEMA REVIEW—MIKE MATTHEWS**



I only saw one movie this month The Hopeful - Based on the true story of the founding of the Seventh Day Adventists: The Hopeful unfolds as a story of a man burdened with the knowledge of Christ's return. Miller's message resonates with some—even as it is scorned by others.

Aboard a steamship sailing across the Atlantic Ocean in 1874, widower John Andrews delights the restless minds of his two children with a tale of courage, hope, war and true love that begins with the end of the world.  
 [NOT FOR EVERYONE!]

**GRUMPY OLD MEN - BRIAN KNIGHT**  
**GOM Report 23rd October.**



This was attended by 4 to the Yandina Historic House & lunch at The Doonan Hotel. 10 am Morning Coffee with ginger scones at Yandina House, quick look at the museum & house, on to the nut Factory to buy ginger and then on to lunch at 12. Nice outing, meal and weather. Thank you Mike for driving us.

**PICNICS—KAY COOPER**

The Picnics have come to end for 2024.  
 Tuesday 5th November is Melbourne Cup so the Picnic is cancelled. December 3rd. is our Club Christmas Lunch. Next year's Picnic will be announced in the December Newsletter.  
 Thanks Kay Cooper.

**WALKING GROUP—BRIAN KNIGHT**  
**Walk Report 18th October**

5 attended this walk at Mt Coolum Marcoola track. This was to be only a distance of 2 kms but as we took the circuit around the back of the airport it became 4.5 Kms.



**BANKING**  
**PROBUS KAWANA WATERS**  
 Internet Banking details:  
**BSB: 638 070—Account No: 8576386**  
**Ref: Your name and event**



Day	November 2024	Time	Coordinators
Friday	1 <b>Walking:</b> Bancroft's Redgum reserve, Little Mountain	7.30am	Brian Knight
Saturday	2 <b>Cinema:</b> Venue TBA	TBA	Mike Matthews Coral Horton
Monday	4 <b>Mahjong:</b> Club Kawana 476 Nicklin Way, Wurtulla	10am	Kate Edwards
Tuesday	5 <b>Picnic:</b> <b>NO PICNIC—MELBOURNE CUP DAY</b>		Kay Cooper
Wednesday	6 <b>Dine Out:</b> Last dine out for the year. Chill Café 89 — 89 Esplanade Golden Beach	12—Noon	Mike Matthews
Friday	8 <b>Armchair Travel:</b> A FUN DAY	9.30am	Anna Firmin
Saturday	9 <b>Cinema:</b> Venue TBA	TBA	Mike Matthews Coral Horton
Tuesday	12 <b>GENERAL MEETING</b> Speaker will be Susie Maroney—Long distance swimmer, originally from Sydney, but now living on the Sunshine Coast.	10am-12noon	Brian & Julie Knight
Thursday	14 <b>Brunch:</b> La Balsa, always a Favorite	11.00	Pat Blakeman
Friday	15 <b>Walking:</b> Nambour Public Art Trail	10.00am	Brian Knight
Saturday	16 <b>Cinema:</b> Venue TBA	TBA	Mike Matthews Coral Horton
Monday	18 <b>Mahjong:</b> Club Kawana 476 Nicklin Way, Wurtulla	10.00am.	Kate Edwards
Tuesday	19 <b>Craft:</b> Kawana Surf Club	10am 12.00 noon	Lynne Rowell
Saturday	23 <b>Cinema:</b>	TBA	Mike Matthews Coral Horton
Monday	25 <b>Book Club:</b> Kawana Surf Club	9.30am	Lorraine Samin
Tuesday	26 <b>Management Committee Meeting Kawana Surf Club</b>	9.30am	Alison Wade
Tuesday	26 <b>Deadline for submission of Material for Newsletter</b>		Mike Matthews
Thursday	28 <b>Grumpy Old Men:</b> Lunch at the Imperial Hotel Eumundi	12 Noon	Brian knight
Saturday	30 <b>Cinema:</b>	10am	Mike Matthews Coral Horton



Day	DECEMBER 2024	Time	Coordinators
Monday	2 Mahjong: Club Kawana - beginners welcome	10.00	Kate Edwards
Tuesday	3 Club Christmas lunch at Twin Waters Golf Club	12 Noon	Lorraine Lintott
Friday	6 Walking: NO WALKS UNTIL JANUARY	7.00am	Brian Knight
Saturday	7 Cinema: Venue TBA	TBA	Mike Matthews
Tuesday	10 NO GENERAL MEETING: Merry Christmas	10am 12 Noon	Brian & Julie Knight
Thursday	12 Brunch : NO BRUNCH	11am	Pat Blakeman
Friday	13 Armchair Travel Group : CHRISTMAS CHATTER	9.30am	Anna Firmin
Saturday	14 Cinema: Venue TBA	TBA	Mike Matthews
Monday	16 Mahjong: Club Kawana - beginners welcome	9.30am.	Kate Edwards
Tuesday	17 Craft: At Kawana Surf Club NO CRAFT	10am-12.00	Lynne Rowell
Friday	20 Walking: NO WALKS		Brian Knight
Saturday	21 Cinema: RESUMES JANUARY	TBA	Mike Matthews
Monday	23 Book Club: NO BOOK CLUB	9.30am	Lorraine Samin
Tuesday	24 Management Committee Meeting TBA	9.30am	Peter Huthnance
Wednesday	25 Grumpy Old Men: NO GOM	10.00am	Brian Knight
Friday	27 Deadline for submission of Material for January Newsletter		Mike Matthews
Saturday	28 Cinema: RESUMES JANUARY	TBA	Mike Matthews