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President's Report

I think most people agree that it's hard to believe that it's already November and in a few weeks, we will be celebrating Christmas. During this year we have enjoyed another Caravan trip, many great outings, and listened to a wide variety of interesting guest speakers, whilst sharing time chatting and sometimes having lunch with our 'old' or 'new' Probus friends.

The Club's 'end of year' activities began with the annual picnic in Belair National Park. The forecast predicted a partly cloudy day with a temperature of 27 degrees. Surprisingly we didn't see any sun, coped with a few sprinkles of rain pre-lunch, and unfortunately, by about 2.30 it became too wet to enjoy sitting outside which brought the picnic to a close. However, despite the weather, it was an enjoyable day and thanks must go to the barbecue cooks, Des, Jim, Trevor and Doug, to Chris and Liz for making the delicious rissoles, and to everyone who brought salads and sweets for all to share. Our last event for this year will be the Christmas lunch at the Maid of Auckland Hotel where we can all enjoy the fun and friendship of being with our fellow Probus members.

I wish everyone a happy and safe Christmas Season, and look forward to seeing you all again in 2027. ***Judy Angus, President***

CHRISTMAS LUNCH MONDAY 7th DECEMBER

Maid of Auckland Hotel. South Road. Edwardstown

Payment for Christmas Lunch due today

Payment of $35/member can be made directly to the Club's account at the Bendigo Bank by EFT - this is our preferred method of payment. Please note your name on the payment. Payments can also be made at any branch of the Bendigo Bank. Account Name: Mitcham Hills Combined Probus Club Account Number: 195739685 BSB: 6333-000
Correct cash in an envelope (including payment slip) with your name on the front can also be paid at today's General Meeting.
Thank You Liz Brown, Treasurer



HAPPY BIRTHDAY to all Members celebrating your birthday in
NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER 2026

***NOVEMBER*: Tony Welsh, Pearl Benveniste, Brian Donnelley, Des Foster, Gwenyth Hewitt, Judith Lane, Dianne Letcher, Daphne Magor, Una Robertson, Cheryl Pascoe, Lorna Ward (FM)**
***DECEMBER*: Trevor Clark, Brian Ferris, George Robertson, Barbara Meathrel, Glenda Skjemstad, Beverley Thomson**

GUEST SPEAKERS
Today Nov 23rd Craniofacial Australia (Damian De Witt)
PROFILES
TODAY - Anne Sales
December – no profile (Christmas Lunch 7th Dec)

As we will have our Christmas Lunch on Dec 7th,
OUR NEXT Probus General Meeting will be JANUARY 23rd, 2027

OUTINGS

We have had very successful and interesting venues for outings this year and I have more places of interest for 2027. GERRY NEW, OUTINGS OFFICER.

PLEASE NOTE: Members are welcome to come and enjoy outings as they add to your enjoyment of being part of our great Club. Outings are advised in the monthly Bulletin therefore giving members prior notice to keep the date free in your diaries. Once again, thank you all for your support. Please consider car-pooling.



Any suggestions are very welcome. **GERALDINE NEW, OUTINGS ORGANISER**

NOTICE FROM BOB BRAMMY, The Probus Club of Marion – IT Conversation Group

The Marion Probus Club's NEXT IT Group session will be on ***Friday February 5th 2027*** (Emily) Club Marion starting at 10.30AM
All Probus members, partners and all Friends are welcome also other Probus Clubs are welcome, Coffee is available to purchase.
Hoping to see you at our next session.
Regards Bob Brammy -- Contact: 0417126200

Dave and Jim were a couple of drinking buddies who worked as aircraft mechanics in Melbourne, Australia. One day the airport was fogged in and they were stuck in the hangar with nothing to do. Dave said, 'Man, I wish we had something to drink!'
Jim says, 'Me too. Y'know, I've heard you can drink jet fuel and get a buzz.
You wanna try it?'
So they pour themselves a couple of glasses of high octane booze and get completely smashed.
The next morning Dave wakes up and is surprised at how good he feels. In fact he feels GREAT! NO hangover! NO bad side effects. Nothing!
Then the phone rings. It's Jim. Jim says, 'Hey, how do you feel this morning?'
Dave says, 'I feel great, how about you?'
Jim says, 'I feel great, too. You don't have a hangover?'
Dave says, 'No that jet fuel is great stuff - no hangover, nothing. We ought to do this more often..'
'Yeah, well there's just one thing.'
'What's that?'
'Have you farted yet?'
'No.' ....'Well, DON'T - cause I'm in New Zealand '

OUR NEXT Probus Meeting is JANUARY 23rd, 2027

At the Club Marion, 262, Sturt Road, Marion

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