

Fri 21st Feb 2020 “Future Planning, Websites, Communication, Speakers”

- Future Planning is intended to take a step back and view our own Clubs. What areas can be improved? How will it/they look in three years time?
- In Websites, we'll discuss the opportunities available through use of the Web. Who currently has a Club website. View samples. View Facebook sites and consider the results gained through making information available on the Web. If you have a laptop, please bring it along.
- Communication: Does our Committee work well together? Are our Committee Meetings open to Club Members? Do the President and Secretary plan together? Does information from PSPL get conveyed to the Committee Members and (if appropriate) Club Members? Does each member of your Management Committee receive a copy of the quarterly Probus Community News from your Secretary? Do Members read the monthly eNewsletter from PSPL and the bimonthly Magazine? Do you have a Club Bulletin or Newsletter? How long are your Club records kept?
- Guest Speakers and sourcing same was discussed in 2018 and 2017. However your experiences and input would be appreciated. Recommendations?

Since we now have 20 Clubs in Citywest Probus Group, I was wondering how you'd feel if the Cluster was split into two (half the Clubs at one meeting and half at the other). This may allow better participation of the Clubs, and more opportunity for those at the meeting to share and learn. There would still only be one quarterly Cluster meeting for your Club. Well attended, smaller meetings can often be more beneficial. At one meeting last year we had 23 attendees, at another there was only ten with five Clubs represented. What do you think? Are the Cluster Meetings meaningful? What can be done to improve them?

Clusters can be helpful to our own Clubs and Probus as our Clubs work together in our Local Communities.