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EAST MALVERN COMBINED PROBUS CLUB INC.

Meets at Uniting Centre, 54 Serrell Street. Malvern East 1st Wednesday of the month 9.15am for 9.45am start.

This meeting August 5th
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Next Meeting September 2nd

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PRESIDENT'S CORNER



I am looking forward to my chocolate from Maree this month as it is my Birthday. I still love Birthdays. My aim each year is to make the Celebration last at least a week. Dining out is wonderful but my family knows my favourite Birthday tea is Party Pies (Clancy's) and passionfruit sponge from the Deli in Ashburton. I know some do not like getting older but to me as long as I can remain reasonably fit, I'm happy. Birthdays were not made a fuss of when I was a child, but to my delight my parents gave me a surprise 21st birthday at the Pacific Hotel in Lorne. To those who are Collingwood fans may remember Ron Todd. He owned the Hotel. As a North Melbourne supporter I overlooked that sin on the night. Birthday wishes to all my fellow August children. Sandy Brigham President

TIGERS



We are deeply saddened by the passing of our friend John McBeth. He was a founding member of our Probus Club and a great Committee Member. He loved his football and he loved Probus, he was a life member. John was our Coach convener and planning was for John the most important part of the day out. He is now somewhere in the heaven, I bet he is stressing out trying to fill the heavenly coaches. John you are missed, Days out wont be the same. We send our love to Lorraine and their family.
From all your Probus Friends

CHRIS GRAFEN - SNOWY RIVER TRIP PAYMENT DETAILS.

Code 73 Deposit Bendigo Bank $100 Square -This amount already paid and not included figures below

Code73Bpp Per Person Balance Bendigo Bank $1210 (Direct deposit) **or** Square $1230

Code 73Spp Single Sup Bendigo Bank $1450(Direct deposit) **or** Square $1474 Higher charge for using Square payment to cover fees for Square.

Amount Still Due - to be paid by **September 4th**



For those of you who have kindly donated gourmet items for us to put together hampers for prizes at the dinner dance we thank you. Mary Ziebell will be collecting and has organised a box for you to put your item in. Please note that this is not compulsory but your help would be greatly appreciated.

Friday 7 August	**Saturday 5 September**
Communication Museum	Malvern Theatre
Sunday 9 August	**Sunday 13 September**
Sunday Roast East Malvern RSL	Sunday Roast East Malvern RSL
Friday 14 August	**Thursday 17 September**
Boundary Hotel Lunch	Beleura House
Wednesday, 19 August	**Thursday 1 October**
Retirement Village Tour	Picnic in the park
Friday 21 August	**Saturday 10 October**
Mystery Train	Dinner and Dance

MAREE SPEAKERS CORNER 2026

August: "Donna Campisi from Cottage by the Sea, a not-for-profit organisation which supports many disadvantaged children in Victoria. Based in Queenscliff, this cottage is where children can go for fun, inspiration and opportunities provided through camp programs."

September: "Community Crime Prevention". Michael O'Brien is a Crime Prevention Officer from Prahran Police Station. His presentation will focus on current crime trends affecting the local community, with a particular emphasis on issues impacting older residents. He will provide practical advice on personal safety, home security and how to reduce the risk of becoming a victim of crime."

DINNER AND DANCE



We are very excited to announce that members price for the Dinner Dance this year will only be $25 per person. This is because of the generosity of the Community Bank of East Malvern. If you have already paid you will get a $10 refund. This is a great deal for our members.

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COUMMUNICATIONS MUSEUM



MUST BE PAID TODAY

Communications Museum

Friday 7 August

CODE 71 Cost $18.50

The National Communication Museum is a new museum in Hawthorn based in a historic 1930's exchange building. Visitors are invited to consider everyday items that have become essential to our lives in a new light. NCM invites visitors to contemplate new and old technology, interact with the items on display and explore old communication concepts as well as look toward the future of communication technology. The museum is located at 375 Burwood Rd, Hawthorn (adjacent to Swinburne University). There is 2 hour free parking at the Hawthorn Town Hall opposite the museum. Lunch afterwards will be at the Malvernvale Hotel, 1321 Malvern Road, Malvern. Lunch will be at your own expense.

Sundays ROAST & VEG

Sunday Roast Lunch at the East Malvern RSL. It will be on the second Sunday of every month. The Next 2 will be -

Sunday August 9. & Sunday September 13. Starting at 12 noon

Please put your name down as it helps Dawn with the numbers to let the RSL know. This is a pay as you go.

FRIDAY 14 AUGUST BOUNDARY HOTEL

THE BOUNDARY HOTEL

On the Friday 14 August we will be having lunch at the Boundary Hotel 730 Centre Rd, Bentleigh East. We meet at 12 noon. This is a pay as you go. See you there

LUNCH & TOUR 19 AUGUST

COMPLIMENTARY LUNCH AND VIEWING OF CLASSIC RESIDENCES RETIREMENT VILLAGE, EAST BRIGHTON - 19 AUGUST, 11.30AM – 1.30PM

We have been invited by Keyton for the above guided tour and lunch. For the visit our club will receive a $500 digital card. We require 20 people to attend to be eligible for the $500 card. Classic Residences is at 3 Brewer Rd. East Brighton.

MYSTERY TRAIN 21 AUGUST

Mystery train Friday 21 August. Meet at Southern Cross station at 11am. Short walk from the station to Lunch venue and time to shop!! We have lots of fun and friendship on these days out, and Dawn always surprises us when we reach our destination. Please put your name down on the list for numbers. This is a pay as you go.

COFFEE & CAKE FRIDAY AUGUST 28 AT MOMA SOCIAL 255 WAVERLEY RD EAST MALVERN ORDER AND PAY AS YOU ARRIVE

MALVERN THEATRE



Malvern Theatre "When The Rain Stops Falling"

Saturday 5 September 2PM CODE 74 $27.50 Alice Springs in the year 2039. A fish falls from the sky and lands at the feet of Gabriel Lord. It's been raining for days, and Gabriel knows that something is wrong. Eighty years earlier, his grandfather had predicted that fish would fall from the sky, heralding calamity. Written by award-winning Andrew Bovell ('Lantana'), the action takes place between the worlds of these two men, spanning continents and generations.

BUS TRIP TO BELEURA HOUSE



Community Bus trip to Beleura House, Mornington

Thursday 17 September -

Code 72 Cost $70.50

Enjoy a full day beginning with a morning tea followed by an introductory talk about the story of Beleura with a guided tour of both the garden and house followed by an informal light lunch including dessert. The bus will leave Serrell St at 9am and drive to Mornington Golf Course Car Park where we will be picked up by shuttle bus and taken to Beleura for a 10am start of the tour. The tour finishes at 2pm and we should be back between 3.30-4pm. Only 3 seats available on the bus.

PAV AFTERNOON TEA DANCE

The Probus Victoria "Afternoon Tea Dance"

Wednesday September 23.

At the Chadstone Sports Centre.

We have filled 2 tables and have a waiting list. Put your name down on the waiting list because I am sure that I will be able to swing some more places after all I am running it. $30 per person, drinks at bar prices. Time 1pm to 4 pm. We are celebrating Probus Australia 50th Birthday

3 places still available

PICNIC IN THE PARK OCTOBER 1

We are holding a "Picnic In The Park" On Thursday 1 October to help lots of Australia & New Zealand Probus Clubs who are also holding a picnic on this day to celebrate Probus Australia turning 50. We would love to see a great turn up of our members and friends to help with the Fun & Friendship. It starts at noon at the park opposite the East Malvern RSL the big timber shelter.Its BYO everything.

WALKING GROUP Our Probus Club's walking group is on every Monday rain, hail or shine. The walkers meet at 8:30am. You can do the full walk starting from East Malvern RSL Car Park or the half walk starting from Brixton Rise Glen Iris.