


# *Wollongong City Ladies Probus Club Inc.*

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## BULLETIN NO. 324 – December/January

**PLEASE NOTE: OUR NEXT MEETING WILL BE HELD ON MONDAY 14<sup>th</sup> JANUARY at 10.00am in the function room at the Fraternity Club, Bourke Street, Fairy Meadow.**

### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Probus Friends,

We celebrated our 27<sup>th</sup> birthday in style with delicious food, wonderful entertainment and great company. Now we look forward to Christmas and New Year. Hopefully it will be a season filled with love and laughter shared with family and friends. The committee and I wish you all a very Merry Christmas. Please travel safely and we look forward to seeing you all next year.

Thought for the month: "Life isn't about getting and having, it is about giving and being."

Best Wishes to you all, President **Marjorie**

### MEMBERSHIP

There were 100 attendees at our birthday lunch including members and visitors. Flowers were presented to Noreen Clarke, Kathy Hanepen and Marjorie Struthers-Gee as they have reached their 90<sup>th</sup> year. Also Carol Chadban and Marjorie Struthers-Gee were each presented with an Esteemed Members badge, Dawn Mackey will be presented with her Esteemed Members badge at the December meeting.

Ria Ploss will be inducted into the Club at the December meeting.

Please give the names of any members needing a get-well card or cheerio call to Laine and also let Laine know of anyone who has a bereavement in their family or needs a helping hand.

Apologies for the meeting or requests for Leave of Absence can be emailed to [wclpc@outlook.com](mailto:wclpc@outlook.com)

Mary and Laine

### PROGRAMME

December - Extended Christmas Morning Tea

January – Dr Helen Woodward will be speaking to us about her recent trip to the **Arctic, Scandinavia and Russia.**

February – Barbara Street will speak on **A Scandalous Pastime** - a humorous History/Facts about surfing or swimming.  
Rae



**The next Committee Meeting will be held at the Fraternity Club on the 21st January 2019 at 10.00 am**

<b>Walking Group</b> <b>Katie and Janet</b>	Breakfast at Lagoon at 8.30am. <b>Friday 14<sup>th</sup> December 2019.</b> Maybe followed by a stroll <p style="text-align: right;"><b>All Walkers Welcome</b></p>
<b>Coffee'N'Chat</b>	Fraternity Club, Bourke Street, Fairy Meadow at <b>10.00am.</b> Held <b>4<sup>th</sup> Monday</b> of each month – the next event will be on <b>the 24<sup>th</sup> Dec 2018</b>



<b>Luncheon Group</b> <b>Janis Corry – 4283 1295</b> <b>Meet 12.15pm for 12.30pm</b>	<b>Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December Bulli Workers Club – Farrell Road , Bulli</b> <b>Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> January Steelers Seafood and Grill, 1/5 Burelli St W'Gong</b> <b>Park in Steelers car park and collect a tag to exit from the front desk</b> <b>Thursday 21st February Towradgi Bowling Club, Towradgi Road.</b>
	<b>SHOWS, TOURS AND TRIPS</b>
	

**PLEASE NOTE:- REFUNDS WILL NOT BE GIVEN AFTER FINAL PAYMENT DATE STATED. PLEASE REMEMBER WHEN PAYING FOR TICKETS FOR SHOWS OR OUTINGS TO LIST EACH INDIVIDUAL PERSON SEPARATELY ON THE FRONT ON THE ENVELOPE. PAYMENT MUST BE MADE BY DUE DATE OR BOOKING WILL BE CANCELLED**

Date	Venue	COST & OVERVIEW
<b>Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> December 2018</b>	<b>Literary Lunch</b>	Cost \$50 for members of Friends of the Wollongong Library, \$60 for non members. Meet outside Villa D'Oro where tickets will be distributed at 11.15am.
<b>Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> January 2019</b>	<b>Tour of Jewish Museum Sydney</b>	Cost \$12. Train departs Dapto 9.23, Wollongong 9.37, Thirroul 9.48. Change at Wollie Creek for train to Kings Cross and then an 8 minute walk. Lunch somewhere in the Cross before the tour which commences at 1.00pm. <b>Payment December meeting</b>
<b>Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	<b>Secrets of Female Orphan School tour Rydalmere.</b>	Cost \$10.00 + morning tea + bus hire (total cost to be finalised). Bus departs outside Fraternity Club at 8.30am and will arrive in time for morning tea at 10.30 and tour at 11.00am. This site is also home to the Whitlam Institute and the Margaret Whitlam Galleries. Tour explores the rich and complex history of the building, including its later use as part of the Psychiatric Hospital. <b>Payment January meeting</b>

 <b>EXTENDED TOURS</b> 		
Date	Venue	COST & OVERVIEW
<b>Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> Feb 2019 - Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2019</b>	<b>Great Ocean Road Tour</b>	Coach from Wollongong to Moss Vale, train to Albury. Travel Booking No RIY040. <b>Payment of balance (\$795.00 + \$210.00 S/S) by January meeting.</b> <b>EFT Details BSB 641 800 ACCT NO 200242785</b> <b>(payment reference should show your surname, initial and the code GO)</b>

Lynn and Janis

 <b>PERFORMING ARTS</b> 		
<b>BOOKINGS STILL OPEN</b>		
<b>Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2019</b>	<b>Capitol Theatre</b>	<b>Charlie &amp; The Chocolate Factory</b> Cost - <b>\$70.00</b> Time <b>1.00pm</b> Payment <b>February 2019</b>
<b>Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2019</b>	<b>Lyric Theatre</b>	<b>Saturday Night Fever.</b> Cost - <b>\$70.00</b> Time <b>1.00pm</b> Payment <b>March 2019</b>
<b>Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2019</b>	<b>Lyric Theatre</b>	<b>Muriel's Wedding</b> Cost - <b>\$90</b> Time <b>1.00pm</b> Payment <b>April 2019</b>
<b>DATES TO REMEMBER OF BOOKINGS ALREADY FINALISED</b>		
<b>Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> Dec 2018</b>	<b>Sydney Opera Hse</b>	<b>The Australian Ballet presents – Cinderella</b> Time <b>1.30pm</b>
<b>EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST</b>	<b>Coming in NEXT 2 Years</b>  <b>Arcadians shows 2019</b>	<b>Waitress    Chicago    Billy Elliot    Barnum</b> Please add your name to the lists to allow Sue and Elaine to gauge if enough people are interested to make a booking. <b>Bonnie &amp; Clyde</b> 11th-13 <sup>th</sup> January; <b>I Love You, Your Perfect, Now Change</b> 8 <sup>th</sup> -16 <sup>th</sup> March; <b>The King &amp; I</b> 14 <sup>th</sup> -29 <sup>th</sup> June; <b>Blood Brothers</b> 9 <sup>th</sup> -24 <sup>th</sup> August

Sue and Elaine

**Our website address is: - [www.probusouthpacific.org/microsites/wollongongcityladies](http://www.probusouthpacific.org/microsites/wollongongcityladies)**

For our Facebook page enter: - **Wollongong City Ladies Probus** to catch up on the latest happenings of events and members