

# *Wollongong City Ladies Probus Club Inc.*

<b>President</b> Marjorie Booth  <b>Vice President</b> Di Alcorn  <b>Past President</b> Veronica Vanzinnen <b>Performing Arts</b> Sue Meehan  Elaine Charker	<b>Secretary</b> Patricia Mackey  <b>Minute Secretary</b> Louise Campbell  <b>Tours</b> Lynn Terrey  Janis Corry	  <b>CLUB POSTAL ADDRESS</b> <b>PO BOX 1346</b> <b>WOLLONGONG</b> <b>NSW 2500</b>	<b>Treasurer</b> Carole Dixon  <b>Asst Treasurer</b> Dian Paterson  <b>Program</b> Rae Barrett-Foye	<b>Membership</b> Mary O'Sullivan  <b>Welfare</b> Laine Johnson  <b>Bulletin</b> Colleen Suddery  Margaret Formigoni
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## BULLETIN NO. 323 – November/December

**PLEASE NOTE: OUR NEXT MEETING WILL BE HELD ON MONDAY 10<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER at 10.00am in the Sunken Lounge on the Ground Floor at the Fraternity Club, Bourke Street, Fairy Meadow. A Committee member will provide directions.**

### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Probus Friends,

Our club is 27 years old in November. So much has changed in the past 27 years. We are all 27 years older, a lot of us have retired in that period; we have lost family and friends and we have welcomed new children, grandchildren and great grandchildren into our lives. Many of us have fought illnesses. We have met new people and travelled to many parts of the world.

The internet has entered our lives, along with smart phones and smart TV's and email, Google and Amazon plus online shopping. Most people don't send birthday or Christmas cards any longer – we just email or message or post on Facebook. I'm sure you can think of many other changes.

Thought for the month: "Let us remember the past with gratitude, live the present with enthusiasm and look forward to the future with confidence."

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

### MEMBERSHIP

At the September meeting there were 82 members present, 6 visitors, 29 apologies and 22 absentees.

A warm welcome was given to **Rosemary Steward** who was inducted as a new member.

Please give the names of any members needing a get-well card or cheerio call to Laine and also please let her know of anyone who has 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 Greenwood will be speaking to us about her recent trip to the Arctic, Scandinavia and Russia.

**RAE**

**The next Committee Meeting will be held at the Fraternity Club on the 26<sup>th</sup> November 2018 at 12.00 noon**

<b>Walking Group</b> Katie and Janet	The walking group will assemble at the Lagoon car park on <b>Friday 16<sup>th</sup> November 2018</b> at 9.30am. <b>All Walkers Welcome</b>
<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 26<sup>th</sup> Nov 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>
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### SHOWS, TOURS AND TRIPS



**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
November		No activities are planned due to the Birthday Luncheon and some members will be on a cruise to Tasmania
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> December 2018	Literary Lunch	Cost \$45 for members of Friends of the W’Gong Library, \$50 for non-members. 2 course lunch is at Villa D’Oro, 11.30am. Guest author is Australian Matthew Riley, whose books include The Six Sacred Stones, Scarecrow, Ice Station. Meet outside Villa D’Oro where tickets will be distributed.
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> January 2019	Tour of Jewish Museum Sydney	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. Payment <b>December meeting</b>



### EXTENDED TOURS



Date	Venue	COST & OVERVIEW
Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup> Feb 2019 - Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup> March 2019	Great Ocean Road Tour	Coach from Wollongong to Moss Vale, train to Albury. Travel Booking No will be obtained shortly. <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



### PERFORMING ARTS



#### BOOKINGS STILL OPEN

Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April 2019	Capitol Theatre	<b>Charlie &amp; The Chocolate Factory</b> Cost - <b>\$70.00</b> Time <b>1.00pm</b> Payment <b>February 2019</b>
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July 2019	Lyric Theatre	<b>Muriel’s Wedding</b> Cost - <b>\$90</b> Time <b>1.00pm</b> Payment <b>April 2019</b>

#### DATES TO REMEMBER OF BOOKINGS ALREADY FINALISED

Saturday 24 <sup>th</sup> Nov 2018	Lamplighter Theatre Corrimal	<b>Arcadians “Catch Me If You Can”</b> Cost - <b>\$26.00</b> Time <b>2.00pm</b> Payment <b>October Meeting</b>
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> Dec 2018	Sydney Opera House	<b>The Australian Ballet presents – Cinderella</b> Time <b>1.30pm</b>

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST	Coming in NEXT 2 Years	<b>Saturday Night Fever</b> <b>Waitress</b> <b>Chicago</b> Please add your name to the lists to allow Sue and Elaine to gauge if enough people are interested to make a booking.
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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