



Probud Club of Glen Osmond Newsletter 479 5th February 2024

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From the President

Our February meeting was the first for 2024, a year with much to be looked forward to with Probud in accord with our "Fellowship, Friendship and Fun" philosophy. Quite apart from our "first Monday of the month" meetings, there will be a variety of other entertaining events for members to enjoy.

In 2023 the news was largely dominated by the war in Ukraine, which sadly was followed by the catastrophe in Gaza. Extensive fires and flooding in many parts of the world gave emphasis to the importance of reining in climate change. In much of the world, inflation made life difficult for many. Against this background, we are fortunate to live in South Australia far away from Ukraine and Gaza. Although we are experiencing some of the effects of climate change, not one has been of the magnitude of the major floods and fires experienced elsewhere. The rate of inflation has been a worry in South Australia but now it appears to be decreasing.

Thus, Glen Osmond Probud members should look forward to another year of pleasant interactions through our activities. And finally, as my presidential term comes to an end, I would like to thank the members of the committee and all general members for putting their trust in me as president – a great honour.

Steve Lincoln

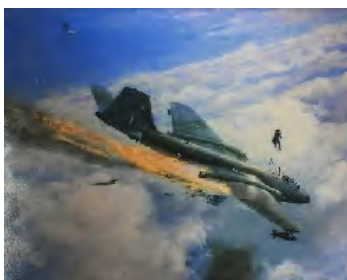
Next Meeting

The Annual General Meeting and the next General Meeting will be held 10.00am at the Beaumont Bowling Club on Monday 4th March 2024.

*Please direct any **apologies to Attendance Officer Bev Webber** on 0467 543 811.*

Speaker; John Downing

Ex RAAF pilot



Magpie A84-228 takes fatal hit

Topic: "My time with #2 Squadron in South Vietnam"

Morning Tea: Bet Read Eva Kreminski

Happy Birthday to our members who celebrate a birthday during January/February.



Charles Gristi
Robin McKay
Margaret McKinnon
Penny McTaggart
Ian Mould
Jill Oliver
John Sheat
Marg Wagner
John Thornley

Activities

We are endeavouring to have an activity on the third Wednesday of each month. Hopefully many of you will join us.

Please add Monday July 8th to your diary for our Christmas in July lunch. More details will follow at the next meeting.

If you have a suggestion for an activity please let me know

Kaye Leaker

Glen Osmond Probus Club Inc. Website

Information regarding our Club from its inception in 1982, is available for you to peruse on the internet at [https://probussouthpacific.org/microsites/glenosmond/GOPC Internet Web Sites](https://probussouthpacific.org/microsites/glenosmond/GOPC_Internet_Web_Sites).

The latest Calendar and Guest Speaker Program are available and make sure to have a look at the Photo Gallery and the Historical Documents sections which make interesting reading. We also have a Vale section for members no longer with us.

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