



**PROBUS CLUB OF GREENWAY INC.**

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**If for any reason you are unable to attend the meeting, please call or text Carol Martin**  
on 0401 574 427 to pass on your apologies

(All pictures and the report on Jaqueline Gibb’s talk are courtesy of Tom Anderson)

***PRESIDENT’S AUGUST MESSAGE***

Dear Members

I have recently been reminded how important community is when I contracted Covid. My thanks to our many PROBUS friends who either phoned, texted or called to check on my progress and offer assistance. Also, I am grateful of the help and support offered by our friends and neighbours. My thoughts are with any members who are currently experiencing Covid and I hope that you are receiving the care and support that you need. Don’t forget that a PROBUS friend is only a phone call away.

I would also like to thank the Committee for being so willing to step in and fill various roles during Peter’s and my absences. My daughter called the other day and said that I was the only person that she knew who managed to be excited

about attending a Committee meeting. I told her the reason why was because I really enjoyed the people I worked with and was looking forward to seeing them after being absent for a month.

On behalf of the club, I would like to extend a very warm welcome to our new members. I hope that you enjoy the fun and friendship that I have experienced being a member of the Greenway PROBUS Club over the past fifteen years.

In the meantime take care, stay safe and keep smiling.

Sandra

**Upcoming Outings**

Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> August	Lunch at the Eastlake <b>Calwell</b> Club. We have booked a table for noon.
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> August	Friendship Lunch @ Deakin Football Club - \$45 –We will be entertained on the day by "the Bush Poet", Bob Bush
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> September	Greenway Probus Birthday lunch - See below
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Probus Day Tulip Top Visit– more details to come
11 <sup>th</sup> October	Trip to see Phantom of the Opera in Sydney
17 <sup>th</sup> -19 <sup>th</sup> November	Riverboat Postman Cruise
24 <sup>th</sup> -26 <sup>th</sup> November	Gungahlin Probus Club has a trip for 3 days to Christmas Lights in the Hunter Valley. Please contact Noela or Gail for further information
December	Christmas Party

**Greenway Probus Birthday lunch - REMINDER**

- Let Gail or Noela know at our **9<sup>th</sup> August** meeting if you will be coming and select your meal options –  
**NOTE:** - this is a change from the original advice and you can now choose your meal options!
- Bring **\$25** to pay for your meal, this is being subsidised by \$10 for each meal by the Greenway PROBUS Club,
- You can pay Treasurer Glenda, OR make suitable arrangements with Glenda, for payment no later than Thursday 1st September
- Alert us if you have any particular dietary needs.

Please contact Noela or Gail for further information - Gail - 0417 432 474

## Future Guest Speakers

Date	Speaker	Talking About
August 9 <sup>th</sup>	Caroline Le Couteur	Caroline, Canberra, and Climate
September 13 <sup>th</sup>	Jenny Mobbs	COTA (Council on the Aging) ACT: What We Do
October 11 <sup>th</sup>	Kellin Kristofferson and Craig Phillips	Estate Planning in The Digital Age
November 8 <sup>th</sup>	Dr Claire O'Brien	Food For Thought. Gut Health
December	<b>Christmas Party</b>	-
January 10 <sup>th</sup>	Joan Munroe	The Return of Two Truths and A Lie
February 14 <sup>th</sup>	Tim Kilby	That Old Time Rock'n'Roll Schtick
March 14 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Annual General Meeting</b>	-

### Jacqueline Gibb



Jacqueline Gibb was our speaker for July and spoke on the "Confessions of a Counsellor". Jacqueline outlined her role as a Counsellor and the fact that she did home visits exclusively. This brought with it challenges in some home visits while for others it was welcomed and made resolving several of these easier.

Jacqueline also gave a few examples of her Counselling and encouraged those present to reach out for Counselling if they thought they needed it. A vote of thanks was given by Noela Power.

### Welfare

Members with ongoing health problems or other issues that prevent them from attending meetings are not forgotten and we send them our positive thoughts and best wishes.

### Greenway Sunday Dining Group

Members meet on the first Sunday of each month at various venues for lunch. Why not come along and give it a try and then decide if you want to join? Please contact Sandra on 0429 133 363 for more information.



### August Birthdays

We only have one Birthday in August and that is Marti Varsanyi.

***A very Happy Birthday Marti from us all***



July Birthday Members receiving their Chocolate Frogs from Jeanette Wentworth.



Chris Finch being inducted as a new Member by "Stand in President" Glenda Sullivan.