

PROBUS CLUB OF BERMAGUI

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A Club for local retired and semi-retired professional and business people and others with a like background, who appreciate and value increased social contact and opportunities to meet others in similar circumstances.

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Lorraine's Log

Greetings members, spite the weather.

Well as you probably all know by now, we are in Perth for our annual AGM trip. Socialising with friends and finding out how the WA companies John is involved with are going.

I must say the weather has been a lot warmer here than the east coast so I am enjoying the sunshine and warm days. We have another week here before we get in the car and drive home.

I hear you had a great BBQ at Payne's Island last week de-

As we will still be away for the November meeting, Fergus will be chairing it, so please attend and support him and the committee in our absence. Peter Lacey will be the guest speaker and I believe his topic will be early boating in the area.

John and I should be back in Bermagui in time to join you for lunch at Club Narooma on 20 November, and we are hoping to catch up with you there.

The last activity for 2024 will be our Christmas Party on 9 December, so Annette, Ruth

and I will be busy putting together the final plans for our big night out in the 2 weeks before the party. Make sure you are down to attend, and if you have not already done so, please do it either at the meeting when the sheet comes around or email bermaguiprobust@gmail.com.

Lorraine
President,
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Meeting next Monday 11th November

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This space would have been reserved for the Music Group but like all good things, it has come to an end. We thank Ron Dawson who had guided this group over a great number of years. Those who attended this group will remember some wonderful days enjoying some great music.

Upcoming Activities: sheets will be out at the next meeting for the following

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Monday 11 November - monthly meeting

Wednesday 20 November - lunch @ Club Narooma

Monday 9 December (evening) - Christmas Party

Claiming the following Dates:

Wednesday 22 January - Movie/Pasta night with movie TBC

Sunday 26 January - Australia Day BBQ at 68 George Street

Monday 17 February - BBQ lunch at Handkerchief Beach Narooma Picnic Area

Thanks to our guest speaker , David Nichols, at our September meeting



News from the North



Bill and Jen have been staying at North Haven since leaving here in late September . This has not been completely to their liking but will have to do till their unit is completed. Their "unit" is still unfin-

ished but is making progress. The internal linings are being installed so it shouldn't be too long before they can move in, if there are no delays over Christmas.

While they are waiting they have been

exploring the region with some interesting results with some quaint little villages and some small towns.

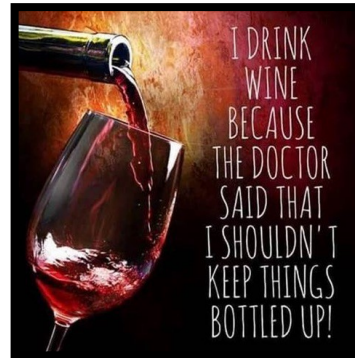
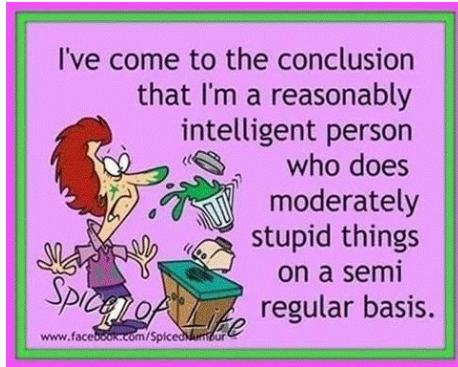
So it is still a waiting game for them, which they hope will soon end.

Paddy walks into the site office carrying a flask.
Murphy:
"What you got there then?"
Paddy:
"Tis a new flask"
Murphy:
"What's it do then?"
Paddy:
"It keeps hot tings hot and cold tings cold"
Murphy:
"So what you got in it then?"
Paddy:
"Two cups of coffee and an ice cream"



I told my wife I saw a deer on the way to work.
She said how do you know he was headed to work?





Leave it to the Judge

A judge was interviewing an Alabama woman regarding her pending divorce and asked,
 “What are the grounds for your divorce?”
 “About four acres and a nice little home in the middle of the property with a stream running by,” she replied.
 The judge, trying to clarify, said, “No, I mean what is the foundation of this case?”
 “It’s made of concrete, brick, and mortar,” she answered.
 The judge took a deep breath and continued,
 “What are your relations like?”
 “I have an aunt and uncle and 12 cousins living here in town, as well as my husband’s parents,” she said matter-of-factly.
 Exasperated, the judge asked, “Do you have a real grudge?”
 “No, we have a two-car carport, but we’ve never really needed one since we don’t own a car.”
 “Please,” he tried again, “is there any infidelity in your marriage?”
 “Yes, both my son and daughter have stereo sets. We don’t really like the music—too much hip hop and rap—but we can’t seem to do anything about it.”
 “Ma’am, does your husband ever beat you up?” he inquired, hoping for a straightforward answer.
 “Yes,” she replied. “He gets up every morning before I do and makes the coffee.”
 Finally, in frustration, the judge asked, “Lady, why in the world do you want a divorce?”
 “Oh, I don’t want a divorce,” she replied. “I’ve never wanted one; my husband does. The darn fool says he can’t communicate with me.”

