A WELCOME TO SPRING

Spring certainly came into bloom at the September General Meeting of the Combined Probus Club of Belmont Central. Flowers in abundance, displayed on the 'Welcomed Table', greeted members as they came into the meeting. Bunches of flowers were also arranged in various locations in the room, and on the tables, small vases of camellias and potted tubs of primula and Forest Lilly from South Africa plants, (to be won by a members at each table) all added to the Spring theme.

Being early September, Fathers' Day was not forgotten and the gentlemen in our club received a lucky draw ticket as they entered the room. A long-time club member, **Vanessa O'Toole,** relayed a humorous tale about how women would like men to be in the decades from youth to advanced aged. Vanessa then drew the lucky ticket, the prize being a large bottle of red wine, generously donated by **Graeme Wood** and gladly won by a former President **Richard Phillips.**

A big thank you to **Bev Coomber** for sourcing and arranging the flowers, to **Margaret Neill** for the potted plants and a thank you to both ladies for helping with the setting up of the room.

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