



Ellenbrook Combined Probus Club Inc.

Bulletin July 2021



In "The Chair"

Greetings and Salutations to all Members

This month I had the pleasure of inducting three new members to our club:

Terry and Jean Ormsby and Rob McLachlan.

We all hope that you continue to enjoy the Fun, Friendship and Fellowship. Welcome to our club and remember, what you put into a club is what you get out of it.

We are roughly half way through our year and heading towards the "pointy" end.

It is time for all members to start planning for next year and considering our long term future.

And YES, it is a plea for members to think about standing for a committee position for 2022- 2023.

Under our existing constitution , a committee member can only serve for 3 years.

All positions will become vacant at the AGM held in March 2022.

If you have had previous skills or if you have had some skills but think you need help please apply. There are plenty of "past" members to guide you. You will not be left hanging out to dry!

If you wish to step up please contact any committee member as we need to start the succession process for the various roles.

If you need a better understanding of the various roles of the committee, I can prepare a brief outlining the position. **Please ask me.**

Remember, without a committee – there is NO club



On a sad note we wish to pass onto the families of Cormac Kennedy and Ed Reed our deepest sympathy and prayers.

May they both Rest In Peace.

Spread the word about



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CARING — Carol

There are a number of our members on the Sick List and we all wish them a speedy recovery.

Please let Carol know .. Thanks all

14th Birthday—The Swans Birthday Lunch



If you get a friend request from someone named Jeremiah, it's ok, accept it. He's a bullfrog. He's a good friend of mine.

I just paid for a 12 month gym membership. My bank called to see if my credit card was stolen.

Two things to make your day better:

- Do not watch the news.
- Stay off the bathroom scales.



Guest Speaking — Vivien



Our Guest Speaker at our July Meeting was Rev. Rob Healy ... His topic was the history of the Swan Valley 1800's An excellent speaker with a vast knowledge. His talk was enjoyed by all members.

He covered a very interesting period in the history of the Valley and indeed the early establishment of the Swan and Perth. Some of the interesting facts included the following

When the Dutch explorer, Willem de Vlaming, ventured up the river as far as Perth in 1697, he noticed the large number of black swans there and named it the Swan River. Although the French travelled up the Swan River as far upstream as Whiteman Bridge in 1801, it wasn't until 1829 that European settlement occurred, following Captain James Stirling's exploratory voyage in 1827.

Initially the Swan River was the only transport route, and locations to settlers were long and narrow to give everyone a river frontage. The input of convict labour in the area between 1850 and 1868 was critical for the establishment of roads and the building of Barkers Bridge and the Upper



Swan Bridge

The expansion of the railways in the 1880s, the increase of population in the 1890s after the gold rushes and European immigration saw the start of the subdivision of many of the large estates in the Valley in the 1900s.

Land grants in the Swan Valley were issued and Guildford founded within months of the arrival of the first settlers in June 1829. Guildford became an inland port, as the river was the main means of transport. Buildings from this era include All Saints Church, Upper Swan, St Mary's Church, Middle Swan and the Rose and Crown Hotel, Guildford. It was during this time that viticulture was established.

John Septimus Roe (8 May 1797 – 28 May 1878) was the first Surveyor-General of Western Australia. He was a renowned explorer, a member of Western Australia's legislative and executive councils for nearly 40 years. His statue is the zero point for Perth—Adelaide Terrace) - Septimus = Seventh Son)

Thank you Vivien our Guest Speaking Officer for this interesting speaker at our meeting.

Remember silence is often the best answer.

Don't buy a cheap mattress

Don't think you can relax your way to happiness. Happiness comes as a result of doing.

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Walk July 2021 Cancelled

Owing to the weather conditions we had no choice but to cancel the July walk

The forecast for the morning was "No reprieve from the grey skies with possible storms expected for the Metro area" It was the right decision, and just after 8 30 we had a huge downpour. Hopefully the August walk will go ahead. See photo of my windscreen ??



NEXT WALK

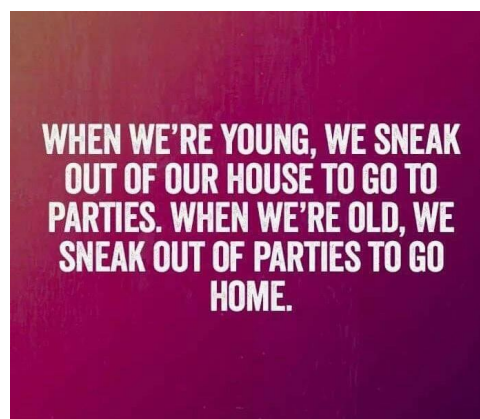
DATE—THURSDAY 12TH AUGUST 2021

MEETING PLACE: - WOODLAKE SHOPPING CENTRE NEAR LIQUOR BARONS. PLEASE BE AT MEETING PLACE AND READY TO LEAVE BY 8 30AM.—BRING A THERMOS COFFEE/TEA FOR A QUICK MORNING TEA STOP.

The direction for the walk will not be decided till we know what the weather conditions will be for the day.

Edna has several walks in mind so you can be assured of a very interesting morning.

IF YOU REQUIRE MORE INFORMATION RING EDNA ON 0400 085 595.



Don't dismiss a good Idea simply because you don't like the source

Don't be a person who says , Ready, fire, aim.

Don't be a person who says, Ready aim, aim, aim

Win without boasting.

Lose without excuses

WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS



L_R President John, Rob McLachlan , Terry Ormsby, Jean Ormsby and Secretary Diane Deppeler

Membership - Jilly

With the induction of the above new members we now have 87 members.

With the COVID restrictions currently we are able to in the total Woodlake Community Centre 137 people. We have 87 members at present. It is important that that every member, Committee or not **MUST LOG THEIR ATTENDANCE AT MEETINGS FOR INSURANCE AND EMERGENCY COVID PURPOSES.** The Meet and Greet at the door will prompt you on this matter when you arrive for the meeting. This login will also form the "COVID registration".



OUR SAFETY OFFICER—Keith Deppeler.

Keith is a key member who demonstrates our safety measures at each meeting and set up of our audio visual equipment.

ARE you ready for a mock evacuation??

We all thank you Keith !!

From the Secretary's Desk - Diane

Meeting Dates for remainder 2021-2021

General Meeting Dates	Committee Meeting Dates
August 2nd	August 16th
September 6th	September 20st
October 4th	October 18th
November 1st	November 15th
December 6th	Nil

Please add these dates to you diary and **if you can not attend let the Secretary know so an apology can be registered.**

LIAISON - John Gale

Visitors and Guests

We are expecting Ken Thompson and Robyn Withers from Noranda Club at our August meeting.

We have received an invite from Rossmoyne Club. They meet on 7th September, commencing at 9.30am. Peter and John will attend representing our Club.

Photographic Competition—Hilton

- ◇ Get your Entries IN!!!
- ◇ Please upload your images to email: photoellenprobus@gmail.com
- ◇ Competition runs until our October meeting i.e. Entries close on 4th October
- ◇ Topic—Clouds



Romance novels written during COVID 19 will be like as she slowly slipped her mask down and removed her gloves.

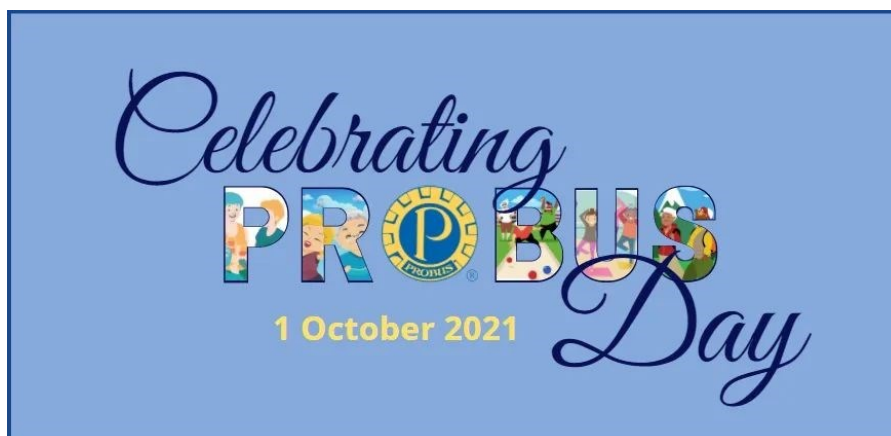
A police recruit was asked during an exam, "What would you do if you had to arrest your own mother?" The reply, " Call for backup".

Remember that it's a good price is not necessarily what an object is marked, but what its worth to you

13th October (note some celebrations will occur on 1st October)

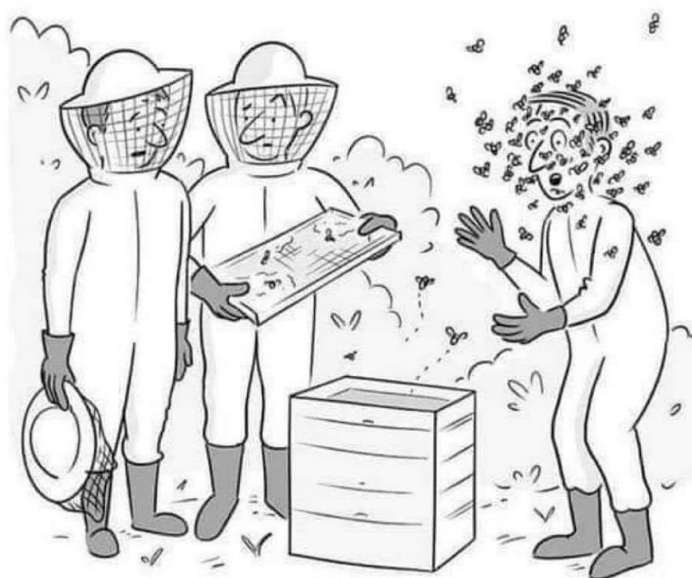
Whiteman Park Probus Day Celebrations

Hilton is Club Contact for this Event—Probus Day Barbeque.- sausage sizzle. The cost will be a Gold Coin. After all the costs taken out we will give the remainder (if any) to the Cancer Council. 23 Members names are down to assist as volunteers.



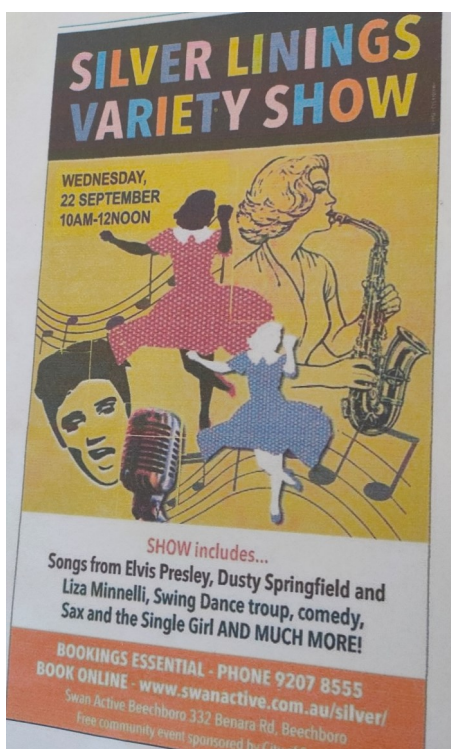
Greatest Motown Songs

1. I Heard It Through The Grapevine - Marvin Gaye
2. My Girl - Temptations
3. Reach Out I'll Be There - Four Tops
4. Where Did Our Love Go? - Supremes
5. What's Goin' On? - Marvin Gaye
6. Dancing in the Street - Martha & The Vandellas
7. I Want You Back - Jackson 5
8. Superstition - Stevie Wonder
9. Please Mr. Postman - Marvelettes
10. My Guy - Mary Wells
11. (Love Is Like a) Heat Wave - Martha & The Vandellas
12. Do You Love Me? - Contours
13. Let's Get It On - Marvin Gaye
14. Ain't No Mountain High Enough - Marvin Gaye & Tammi Terrell
15. The Tracks of My Tears - Smokey Robinson & The Miracles
16. Shotgun - Jr. Walker & The All Stars
17. I'll Be There - Jackson 5
18. Baby Love - Supremes
19. Papa Was a Rollin' Stone - Temptations
20. Uptight (Everything's Alright) - Stevie Wonder



"I told him as an expert in the field I strongly recommend wearing it, but he just kept bringing up his 'rights'."

Theatre Group



The Management Committee have been investigating the formation of a Theatre Interest Group. We are still seeking interest from member/s to trial the leading / coordinating of such a group

I have attached a list of some Theatre Web sites .

<https://www.ptt.wa.gov.au/venues/his-Majesty's-theatre/>

<https://bsstc.com.au/> . Black Swan

<https://www.crownperth.com.au/entertainment/live-theatre>

Hilton is collecting names of interested Members

Anybody interested in this show 22 September at Beechboro see flyer.

Hilton has the interest list.

Web site Pete

Have you looked at the Clubs Website lately

<http://ellenbrookprobus.org.au/>

Click on this link

Comments welcome—email me please pete@gdaygday.com

HINT

Have you got your phone number on back of your membership badge (in fine permanent marker)

Did you know PSPL have Medical cards for carrying in your purse or wallet??

BOOKS

Who has borrowed books from our Book table lately?

Greg Simpson looks after this great service to members.

Guest Speakers Vivien

August: - Mystery Speaker

September:- Michael Bleus, Retired RFDS Pilot

October:- Brian Burke

OUTINGS Jenny

DATE	EVENT	DETAILS
19th August—Thursday	House of Honey Morning Tea 867 Great Northern Highway (Corner of River Road) Hearne Hill, WA 6056 .	Morning Tea at 10am. Pay on day 45 Names down so far
30th August—3rd September	KALGOORLIE TRIP Full—23 members booked and paid deposit	We have the numbers now for the Kalgoorlie trip . Those going 7 15 AM don't be late train does not wait.
23rd September	Riverside Café Woodbridge Hotel 8254 Ford Street Woodbridge	10 AM Self Catering. 43 names down so far.

Great Xmas in July was held at The Yanchep Inn on Thursday 29th July, 42 attended. See the great photographs taken at Yanchep National Park by newly inducted member Rob McLachlan

[Special thanks to Jenny for organising this Trip](#)



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