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NEWSLETTER No. 301 June 2022

Presidents Report

Is it just "Melbourne in Winter", Covid exhaustion (after two years of it) or just me being grumpy !! I find that I need to push myself harder to be active. When I do, of course the joy returns as I get to catch up with friends. When I attended the Probust Assn. of Victoria meeting we had great chat among the clubs and fab. morning tea! The Committee meeting was fun and we made some important decisions. A unanimous decision was to agree that our new monthly meeting venue (once the Bentleigh Club closes in August), will be the Glass House at Caulfield racecourse (see below). We also planned a discounted 2 course lunch at the Bentleigh club in July (see that notice below too).

Bentleigh Club Membership Transfer Offer.

If you were a member of the Bentleigh club on 17 September 2021 (prior to the announcement of its sale), the Melbourne Football Club has arranged to transfer your membership to either the Bentleigh RSL or the Brighton Bowling Club. No new club fees for 5 years! You should have received an email from the MFC with a link to take up this offer but if not please ask the Bentleigh club front desk for the form you will need to complete.

Our Club's Future Meeting Venue

While it is still a couple of months away, the Committee has now assessed numerous potential venues for our future meetings against the criteria endorsed by the membership at AGM. **The clear winner is the Glasshouse at the Caulfield Racecourse, where will meet from Friday Aug 26th. 10.30 am. In the meantime, lets enjoy the Bentleigh club.**

Probust Assn of Victoria (PAV) Meeting report.

This meeting of most Victorian Clubs happens only each quarter. Matters discussed included that many clubs are finding it difficult to get 20 members to fill a bus for a day outing (Covid and winter impact) but there are opportunities for members to join together to fill a bus trip including for longer outings and that would also relieve the pressure of individual club Committees. Small groups of friends can use these opportunities. Chat to the Committee on the options for you to consider. The PAV also sponsors Golf days and Friendship race days that might be of interest. To make best use of that resource our club needs a second delegate to attend these meetings each 3 months – and they have great morning tea sandwiches! Chat to Maureen if you are willing to help.....*Brian Cooney*

Past President's Report

Farewell Lunch !!

Our final meeting and lunch at the Bentleigh Club will be on Friday July 22nd it would be great if as many members as possible come and have lunch to celebrate our past years at the Bentleigh club....cost for members \$10.– *Pam Ryan*

PROBIAN MAGAZINE

We obviously cannot distribute the latest Probian magazine, but you can view it by clicking on the link below. If the link doesn't work for you, you may copy and paste it into your internet browser.

https://issuu.com/starnewsgroup/docs/2021-08-16_the-probian

THE TREASURER'S REPORT

As at the end of May 2022 Bank Statement
General A/C (1) Opening Balance end of April \$9,492.76. Income \$0.00 Expenditure \$92.00. Closing Balance end of May \$9400.76
Travel A/C (2) Opening Balance end of April \$1889.49 Income \$495.00 Expenditure \$450.00 Closing Balance end of May \$1934.49
Grant A/C (3) Opening Balance end of April \$3480.26 Income \$0.03 Expenditure \$0.00 Closing Balance end of May \$3480.29
Total Member Funds \$14,815.54

Jazz Museum Trip Fees \$495.00
Jazz Museum Cancelled Refund \$450.00
Guest Speaker Donation/Gift \$50.00
Probus Assoc Registration Fees \$26.00
Door Prize Chocolates \$16.00
Our club is in an excellent financial position. – Barry Wayman

MEMBERSHIP

At the meeting in May we recorded an attendance of 35 Apologies 15 and we welcomed 1 visitor Marilyn Stephens. Total registered membership is 65



BIRTHDAYS

The following members are Celebrating their Birthday in June 2022
Diana Chadwick,.Pam Melland, Judy Reardon, Eva Same, Lorraine Staggard, June Wayman and Erica Windmiller.

We wish you all a very Happy Birthday!!

DINE OUTS

The next dine out will be at the Elsternwick Hotel on 15th June **12.30pm** Contact Phyl on 0423 502 450 if you are attending..

UPCOMING SHOW PACKAGES

(Previously called Morning Melodies)

16th June Tribute to the Jersey Boys brought to you by Louie Lee Felton, Morning Tea, Lunch and Show \$22.50

21st July Brendan Scott. Morning Tea, Lunch and show \$22.50. Brendan is very popular so book early for this show.

You can book and pay Ailsa after the meetings or phone her on 0402 750 931

FUTURE MEETINGS;

June 24th (General Meeting)

July 22nd (Lat one at Bentleigh Club)

Please note: Meetings commence at 10.30 a.m. with a tea/coffee

OUTINGS

Outings will be on hold for a while until we get settled into our new Venue. More on that at the next meeting.

.....Helen Evans 0423 496 500

SPEAKERS

24th June Carol Stals from the Glen Eira Historical Society "Along the Line" a historic, nostalgic trip from Caulfield to Oakleigh Railway stations.

Maureen Cooney 0418 868 439

TREASURE



Still don't know if it is a boy or girl but it is certainly "A Treasure" So proud our club was chosen as the winner.

Vera Rochester..Editor

See you all at the next General meeting

Friday 24th June.

Please note: Meetings commence at 10.30 a.m. with a tea/coffee and chat.