

# CURRIMUNDI PROBUS



*Currimundi - place of the flying fox.*



Foundation Year 1999

***PROBUS CLUB OF CURRIMUNDI COMBINED INC.  
MARCH 2021 --- NEWSLETTER***

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GENERAL MEETINGS are held the second Wednesday of each month (February to November) 9.00am for 9.30am start.

Contents of this newsletter are for the sole use of Probus members and should not be passed on to anyone other than a Probus member.

**INFORMATION:** All email correspondence to the Secretary Glenn Birch  
to [currimundiprobus@gmail.com](mailto:currimundiprobus@gmail.com)

## **PRESIDENT'S PEN**

Greetings Fellow Probians, It was a spectacular start to our calendar year 2021 with a record number of visitors at our first general meeting for the year. Thank you to Laurel who did so well in organising a team so that all visitors were welcomed and looked after. Making new people feel welcome and befriended is the key to growth in our club. It would appear that present seating restrictions are going to be with us for a while yet so we will continue to work hard on making visitors feel welcome.

During the month we have worked on improving our audio and the final test last week worked very well. We have also had discussions with a local web designer. As you know we had \$500.00 set aside for this project and we have received a costing of \$442.00 so I hope we can start this project soon. We need to apply for our domain name first and upon registration work can begin.

We still have several positions on the management committee without any nominee. If you are considering helping to support your club please give me a call on 0408870811.

Yours in Probus

Daryl

*We express our best wishes for a speedy recovery  
to all who are in hospital or ill at home.*

Please contact Sue Rae 0421 318 024 if you know of anyone who would appreciate a cheerio.

## *February Birthdays*

Our Probus Club sends best Wishes to all members celebrating Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries during March 2021 If anyone's birthday is missing please advise the Editor.

Dianna Pollock , Marilyn Schiffer 6<sup>th</sup> , Roslyn Carlsson 13<sup>th</sup>, Glenda Cox 18<sup>th</sup>, Gail Blair 21<sup>st</sup>, Heather Fetting 26<sup>th</sup>.

**Probus Club General Meeting Dates for 2021 9.00 am for 9.30am start**

**Wednesday**

**10<sup>th</sup> March, 14<sup>th</sup> April, 12<sup>th</sup> May, 9<sup>th</sup> June, 14<sup>th</sup> July, 11<sup>th</sup> August, 8<sup>th</sup> September, 13<sup>th</sup> October, 10<sup>th</sup> November**

## **GUEST SPEAKERS – 2021**

**Guest Speaker Officer MARY MITCHELL**

**No Speaker AGM**

## **ACTIVITIES/TRIPS – Guidelines to bookings, attendance and refunds.**

**Please have the correct money in an envelope marked with your name, the name of the outing and the amount enclosed.** To ensure the bank will accept your cheque,

**PLEASE MAKE ALL CHEQUES PAYABLE TO.....PROBUS CLUB OF CURRIMUNDI COMBINED INC.**

**Money can also be direct deposited details:**

**BSB: 638-070**

**Account No: 007232357**

**Account Name: Probus Club Currimundi**

**Description: your name + Activity (eg VP lunch or Trip Code )**

**Separate cheque or cash payment for each activity. Please do not combine cheque or cash payments in the same envelopes, each activity has to be reconciled and banked separately.**

**CANCELLATION OF YOUR BOOKING: A SEPARATE NOTICE FOR FINAL DATE OF PAYMENT AND REFUND CUT-OFF DATE WILL BE GIVEN FOR EACH APPROPRIATE ACTIVITY.NO REFUNDS WILL BE POSSIBLE AFTER THAT DATE.**

## **MEMBER MATTERS**

I would like to thank the members who responded and assisted me in greeting such a large number of visitors at last month's meeting. It was a great relief to have willing helpers at hand with twenty two new visitors to welcome to our club.

Grateful thanks Laurel Dixon. Membership Officer.

**Should there be any changes to your address, phone number or any other details, please EMAIL, OR write this down and hand it to our Membership Officer, Laurel Dixon so that the master records can be adjusted.**

### **Changes to member contacts:**

The Indoor Bowls Hall has been well prepared for users but there are some conditions that we have to abide by:

**ENTRY IS BY ONE DOOR ONLY WHERE SANITIZERS WILL BE AVAILBLE AT THE REGISTRATION DESK PRIOR TO TAKING YOUR SEAT**

**ENTRY BY QR CODE IS NOW AVAILABLE SO IF YOU ARE ABLE TO USE THIS FACILITY LOG IN THEN COIMPLETE THE FORM ONCE YOU ARE AT YOUR TABLE.**

**THE TABLES HAVE BEEN SPREAD OUT AND ONLY 4 PEOPLE ARE ALLOWED PER TABLE-TABLES AND CHAIRS ARE NOT TO BE MOVED**

**SOCIAL DISTANCING MUST BE ADHERED TOO AT ALL TIMES AND THIS IS PARTICULARLY IMPORTANT AS WE ARE SERVED OUR MORNING TEA**

**PRIOR TO DEPARTURE TABLES AND CHAIRS THAT WE USE ARE TO BE WIPED DOWN WITH DISINFECTANT WIPES-THESE WILL BE PROVIDED AND WE ASK MEMBERS WIPE THEIR OWN TABLE AND CHAIR PRIOR TO DEPARTURE**

**EXIT WILL BE BY 2 DESIGNATED DOORS**

**ONCE ALL MEMBERS HAVE LEFT THE BUILDING I WILL WIPE ALL LIGHT SWITCHES, FAN CONTROLS, DOOR HANDLES AND THE SECURITY CODE PAD PRIOR TO SECURING THE BUILDING**

### **SET UP OF HALL FOR MEETINGS:**

Laurel Dixon as membership Officer, is responsible for the recording of your attendance

at each meeting for record keeping and insurance purposes. To do this some re-arrangement of tables is required before and after the meeting. As we rent the premises, we have to leave it in the same conditions as when we arrive Laurel would like some volunteers to arrive early each meeting day ( **at 8.30am**) and stay a short time after the meeting to achieve these requirements. Any members willing to assist in this task please notify Laurel.

### **LEAVING A MEETING EARLY**

**FOR YOUR SAFETY:** Members who are leaving the meeting early are reminded that they are required to advise the Membership officer either personally, or by using the designated signing-out procedure. This is to ensure that all members can be traced should the building need to be evacuated. The Membership Officer will take charge of the Attendance/Sign out Register in any emergency.

The Probus South Pacific Website offers a range of information from Competitions, Travel, Insurance, Lifestyle issues, Club News, Magazines etc. Publicity about our club can be found on [http://www.probusouthpacific.org/f63f2804/Currimundi\\_Combined\\_Probus\\_Club\\_Outings](http://www.probusouthpacific.org/f63f2804/Currimundi_Combined_Probus_Club_Outings).

**IMPORTANT – HEALTH CARDS:** For your own protection, you should carry your health card with you at all times, especially on Club trips.

### **CAR POOLING TO FUNCTIONS OR MEETING**

Car-pooling was set up to assist any member unable to drive themselves to a meeting/outing/event, either permanently or in a temporary situation perhaps due to illness, surgery or injury. **PLEASE NOTE** the driver is to take a member **ONLY** from his/her home to the outing and return **DIRECTLY** home this is very important with regard to Probus Insurance. As always, Joan is looking for members to share the duty. Please offer to assist if you can.

**Contact: JOAN WESTON – 5492 1703**

**Members please note that if you are to be absent from a meeting, apologies would be appreciated. If you require leave of absence for 2 or more consecutive meetings please advise the Secretary, to apply for Leave of Absence.**

### **Up Coming Activities**

**Bar B Que**

**21<sup>st</sup> April**

**BSB: 638-070**

**Account No: 007232357**

**Account Name: Probus Club Currimundi**

**Description:** your name + Activity (eg VP lunch or Trip Code )

Having transferred you \$5 could you then inform Kay of your intention to attend by telephone 0404 098 262 or email [kitchenerandyoung@bigpond.com](mailto:kitchenerandyoung@bigpond.com). Kay and Ed need to know numbers as early as possible to be able to purchase and prepare for the BBQ. Ed has also mentioned that volunteers are needed to help on the day of the BBQ and requests that those volunteering be at Kings Beach by 6-30 am.

### **TRIPS**

**Cruise On Mooloolaba River 19<sup>th</sup> March**

Meet at the wharf Mooloolabah Sea Life at 10:30. Boat leaves at 11:00

Self-drive to Mooloolabah, plenty of parking. Cruise one and half hours duration.

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2021**

Meet at bus stop in Rinaldi St opposite Norfolk's Resort at 8:15 am. Please ensure you have your **Go Card for the bus**. 600 Bus, leaves at 8:25am for Maroochydore, arriving Sunshine Plaza we change buses for Noosa –arriving at Noosa at 10:30am ready for morning tea shopping and lunch. Departing Noosa at 2:00 pm, arriving back around 4:00pm.

**Friday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2021 Newstead House (25 – 30 people)**

Leave Currimundi Market Place at 8:00 am on the bus and travel to Brisbane, stopping at Carseldine Park for morning tea along the way. We will arrive in Brisbane at NEWSTEAD HOUSE at 10:30 am for a guided tour. Board the bus to travel to Hamilton Hotel for lunch. Cost per person \$70 which includes morning tea, ravel to Newstead House, Seniors Meal including cake and coffee. Return to bus arriving back at approx. 4:00pm

Payment please by 21<sup>st</sup> April: Direct Debit :

**BSB: 638-070      Account No: 007232357      Account Name: Probus Club Currimundi**  
Reference Newstead House

**Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July, 2021. CHRISTMAS IN JULY LUNCH**

This will be a carpool event.

We will have a lovely Christmas Dinner at Secrets on the Lake.

Cost and Menu TBA

**Please note Payment Details**

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**CRAFT NEWS**

Craft will be held at home of:

**March** Sandra Dolan, **April** Merveen Barnes, **May** Gail Blair ,

Anyone willing to host craft please put your name down on the sign on sheet

Merveen Barnes.

**“ Coffee and Chat”** Please inform your host if you cannot attend and me on 5492 1703, or 0409 658 659 as I often have a waiting list.

New visitors please note: everyone or couple, takes a plate to share. There will also be a sign on list for Tuesday 30 March at the March 10<sup>th</sup> meeting.

Enjoy the friendship!

*Joan ...Coffee and Chat co-ordinator. “*

**Walking: Convener needed -**

Delisse Crawford was going to take this on but has hurt her leg so unfortunately is unable to walk now. So we are now looking for someone to take over as the Walking Convenor.

Marilyn Schiffer ActivitiesCo-Ordinator

**A big thankyou is extended to all convenors for their great work in 2020 and 2021**

<b>ACTIVITY</b>	<b>CO_ORDINATOR</b>	<b>DATE AND COST</b>
<b>B.B.Q. BREAKFASTS:</b>	<b>Ed Kitchener &amp; Kay Young 5438 2324 Mobile 0404 098 262 Please note if 60% chance of rain Bar B Que will be at the Annex Indoor Bowls</b>	<b>21<sup>st</sup> April Please advise Kay and pay by direct deposit</b>
<b>BOOK CLUB</b>	<b>4th Monday of the Month Home of Sue Rae Sue Rae Phone: 5491 2004 Mobile: 0421 318 024</b>	<b>At home of Sue Rae 22<sup>nd</sup> March ' The Curious Incident of the dog in the night time' by Mark Haddon</b>
<b>COFFEE &amp; CHAT:</b>	<b>Joan Weston – Phone: 5492 1703 Mobile: 0409 658 695 Morning tea –Hosts provide tea and coffee and guests bring a plate. Dates and venues as advised.</b>	<b>30<sup>th</sup> March</b>
<b>Dine-Outs</b>	<b>Lunch Heather Fetting 0414 491 875  Dinner Monika Buchman 0488 440 349</b>	<b>8<sup>th</sup> April Kings Beach Tavern 17<sup>th</sup> March Pelican Waters Tavern 5:30 for 6:00pm</b>
<b>GOLF</b>	<b>David Taylor: 0408179386 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday and 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of each month 8.00am for 8.15am HIT OFF Glenview Golf Club Steve Irwin Way, Glenview.</b>	<b>Mon 15<sup>th</sup> March Wed 7<sup>th</sup> April Cost: Green Fee \$ 14.00 Game Fee \$ 2.00</b>
<b>TENNIS</b>	<b>Brian Whatman 0466 976 079 Wednesday each week at Arthur Street courts</b>	<b>Every Wednesday 2.30pm to 4.00pm</b>
<b>TRIPS</b>	<b>TRISH SHUTTLEWORTH DENISE JOHNSON 0408236592 0412297063</b>	<b>19<sup>th</sup> March Cruise On Mooloolaba River 23<sup>rd</sup> April Noosa 21<sup>st</sup> May Newstead House</b>
<b>WALKS</b>	<b>4th Friday of the Month Laurel Dixon – Phone: 0447 926 665 Kathy Robinson Mobile: 409 521 423</b>	<b>Friday March 26 Ivadale Lakes Meet 8.30am Night Owl car park Crn Parklands Blvd &amp; Ivadale Blvd. Discover the lakes of this area. Morning tea at local café.</b>



Thank you to everyone who contributed to the newsletter -

**If anyone has anything they can add to the newsletter to keep all members informed / happy it will be very welcome we all need to support each other in this difficult time**

**Articles/Photos** Any photos or articles you wish included in the newsletter please email:  
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