



# Probus Club of Hastings Point Tweed Coast

July  
2018

**Where we meet:** Tricare, 87- 89 Tweed Coast Rd, Hastings Point.

**When:** 3rd Tuesday of the month      **Time:** 10 am – 12 noon

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A warm welcome to our members, new members, and guests.  
Our Probus motto: “Friendship, Fellowship and Fun”

**The next meeting:**      **\*\* JULY 17<sup>th</sup> \*\***

Your continued enthusiasm and support for everything we offer, keeps our group active, and provides fantastic fun and enjoyment for all club members.

**Upcoming meetings:** August 21<sup>st</sup> September 18<sup>th</sup>

To meet and greet you this month:  
*Judy Zambelli and Di Mills*

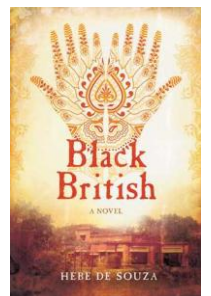


Probian Speaker: *No speaker this month, to allow more time for Nate, 'the Hurricane Chef'.*



What a wonderful replacement surprise Jan provided, for our June speaker. Congratulations to **Hebe de Souza** who kindly stood in for Kim Elderton who had a family emergency. Hebe is the author of '*Black British*', which she gives as the term used to describe the Indians with English language and customs. The story is of Lucy and her family, left behind as strangers in their own land, when the British deserted India. Once an affluent family, they became isolated from the hostile locals who see them as remnants of an oppressive regime, with Lucy growing up in the confines of their grand yet ramshackle home in the dry plains of Kanpur.

The novel is Hebe's stunning debut, based on her own childhood – "*Black British* is an unflinching and beautiful narrative about feminism, family and the search for identity".



**Great read!**



**July 2018:** Nathan Quinell – a chef with a difference –page 3 of June Newsletter.

**August 2018:** Dr. Elizabeth Hawkins, founding Director of Dolphin Research Australia returns with a presentation on whales – see page 3.

**September 2018:** Kim Elderton, Clinical Nurse Specialist – Mercy Hospital Ships

The new Probus meeting venue seems to be successful. Let the committee know of any problems. As guests in the Tri Care residents' home, we need to return everything to its allotted place. Thank you all for assisting.

**Your New 2018 - 2019 Committee**

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**Welfare.** The club would like to keep in touch with members who are unwell or incapacitated for any reason. Please let **Brenda** know on **6676 0090** if you are aware of any member who is not well.

**Birthdays for July:**  
 Rhonda Fegent, Conrad Gleeson  
 Des Miethke, Barbara Threlfall  
 Clive Cramb, Helen Philips  
 Glenn McKay, Elizabeth Harris

**Anniversaries for July:**  
 Alan & Carol Watts



**THANK YOU!**

Clive always provides a great morning tea .....with a little help from his friends, the dishwasher, and his chauffeur Jan.

**If possible please bring the correct money .... \$ 3 ... for morning tea.**




**Don't forget the SUGGESTION BOX on the front table - we appreciate your ideas.**

**TWEED VALLEY JAZZ & BLUES**

Condong Bowling Club - last Friday of every month  
 Members \$15 Visitors \$20  
 Crushers Restaurant 6672 2238  
 Bookings essential



Tri Care Community Village allows us to use it's wonderful venue for our monthly meetings - **PLEASE DO NOT** use the residents car spaces. You can drive in, drop off your passengers, then park outside on Tweed Coast Rd.

**Tri Care residents appreciate your consideration.**

17<sup>th</sup> July, there will be a separate table with **TRADE TRAVEL** future trips and outings as discussed by Rod Richardson. For details & booking forms call Freecall # 1800 034 439 and be placed on their mailing list at [groups@tradetravel.com](mailto:groups@tradetravel.com)



**the BLUE SKILLET ROVERS**

No pretence with the Skilletts, this is music played for pure pleasure, for fun, audience and musicians alike. They have played at many important venues, gigs, but never went overboard, never took themselves and their audiences too seriously losing their connection. Wandering minstrels 21c style. Refreshing, energising

**THIS FRIDAY**  
**at 7:30 after the Earlybirds**  
**From 6:00**



Jan has arranged a return visit by **Dr. Elizabeth Hawkins** – this time she will be talking to us about her observations of whales.

Dr. Hawkins has a PhD and Bachelor of Applied Science from Southern Cross University, and is the founding director and executive officer of marine conservation, education and the research charity, Dolphin Research Australia Inc. She has over twelve years experience researching the ecology of dolphins and whales in Australia, focusing primarily on coastal dolphins in Queensland and New South Wales.

Dr. Hawkins has led research projects, gives many public presentations and has published scientific papers and a book chapter, along with developing educational and training packages on dolphin and whale populations, health, habitat use, social and communication patterns.

She considers this to be a crucial time for our marine life. No doubt we will find ‘the whales’ to be as interesting as Elizabeth’s previous talk on dolphins.



Northern Rivers Symphony Orchestra

25th Anniversary concert **Reflections**  
 Sunday 29th July 2018 at 2.30pm  
 Tweed Heads Civic Centre

‘Tom Jones & the Divas’ Dinner Dance will be at Pottsville Beach Sports Club Saturday 14th July. Contact Di Mills if you want to join her group.



**Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> August** MUSEUM of AUSTRALIAN MILITARY INTELLIGENCE

\$25.00 each – minimum of 21 persons (17 already booked) **Must pay at July meeting.**

2 pick up points - depart Pottsville 9.00am at the Market site  
 and Casuarina in front of Coles 9.10am  
 arriving back home at 4.00pm

10.30am arrive at Kokoda Barracks, Canungra to visit the Museum. The \$3 entry is included in the \$25 total cost. Lunch will be at own expense at Canungra Hotel. Bistro meals are \$15 to \$20, with a very extensive menu to suit all gluten free, vegetarian, seafood steaks, etc.

The museum gives an insight into the intriguing world of the Australian Defence Force intelligence operations. Major Dennis Magennis will lead a guided tour and show a 25 minute film on Anzac Day history and for future generations. We are certain to learn something we did not know before in a unique Australian Museum.







### CHRISTMAS IN JULY - FULLY BOOKED

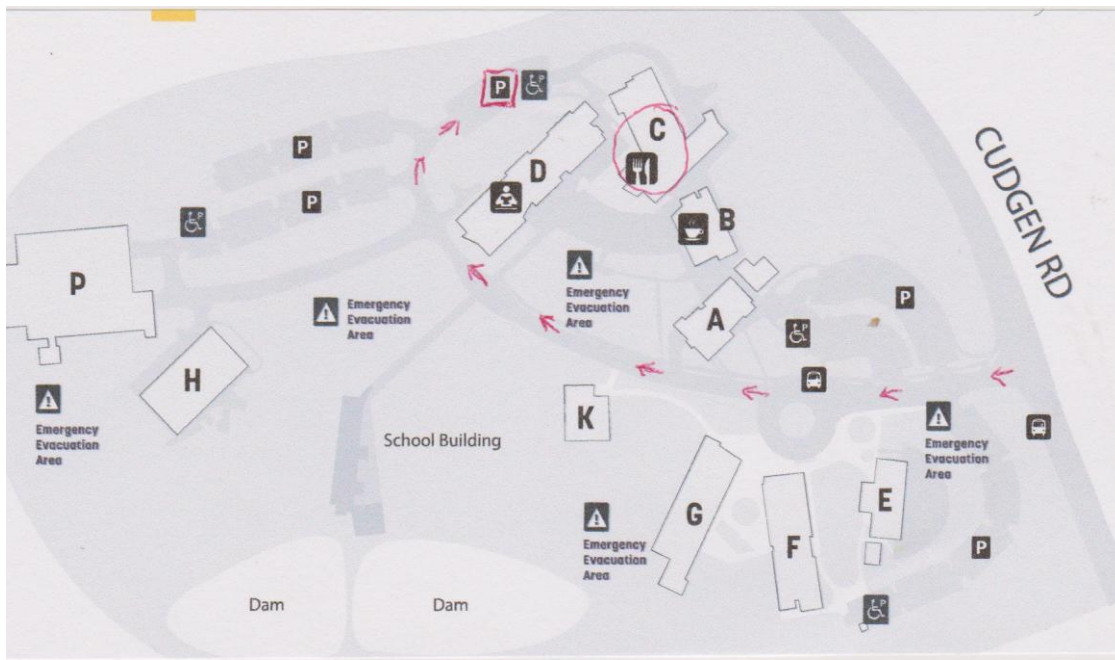
Date: Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2018 at 12 noon  
Venue: Caldera Restaurant, Kingscliff TAFE



**JAN HAS A WAITING LIST - PLEASE LET HER KNOW ASAP  
IF YOU CANNOT COME. GET YOUR REFUND AND ALLOW  
SOMEONE ELSE TO TAKE YOUR SEAT. Phone Jan 0431 909760**

Background Christmas Music..... Licenced bar open for drinks..... Xmas Trivia

Please check in at the door to have your name crossed off, and to be allocated your table numbers.



#### CAR POOL PLEASE

Hope this is helpful - enter from Cudgen Road, drive around a curve to the right. Parking lot is on the left and Restaurant on the right.

**See you there!**

### UPCOMING THEATRE DATES

- Sunday July 8<sup>th</sup> 2pm Tweed Civic Centre "Fred" (musical)

For more information, contact Jean Watson 6670 4072.

**September.** (Not yet booked). Northern Breezes to cost per person, for day trip to

**KOOROOMBA LAVENDER FARM, VINEYARD & RESTAURANT** Boonah,

Qld - a property of 6 hectares of vineyard and breathtaking lavender fields.

August/ September, the lavender is in bloom. With a minimum of 20 persons, the restaurant will provide a 2 course meal.



Sometime in **September or October** - another day at 'The Carratts'