



Probus Club of Hastings Point Tweed Coast

April 2023

Upcoming meetings:

April 18th & May 16th

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”

Your continued enthusiasm and support for everything we offer, keeps our group active, and provides fantastic fun and enjoyment for all club members. Let's encourage more friends to join us.



Our Probian members are always encouraged to take on a role as a speaker at any of our future meetings – share your story and entertain us for approx 10 minutes.



They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old:
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun and in the morning,
We will remember them.



Check local press for march & service times.

**Jenny Engle and Rhonda Fegent
are our “Meeters & Greeters”.**



**MEMBERS - please remember to wear
your ID badges.**

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING - 2023

Each year, the Annual General Meeting for the Probus Club of Hastings Tweed Coast is held in March, however this year many committee members will be absent, so a decision was made to hold the AGM and elections at the **APRIL General Meeting.**

All positions will be declared vacant at the AGM, and all applications will be voted upon.

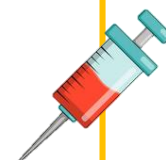


Currently there are nominations for most of the essential Committee positions.

**ANNUAL FEES REMAIN AT \$25,
AND ARE NOW DUE, PLEASE !!!**

**STAY SAFE AND
HEALTHY.**

Ensure that you have your **normal flu shots** and Covid boosters as soon as available – most GPs and many pharmacies will be vaccinating from mid April.



Your 2022-23 Committee

President: *Tony Cosgrove*: 0409872773

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Other Committee Members

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Karen Stanford *Mob: 0418 749 636*

Appointments

Auditor: *Conrad Gleeson*

Public Officer: *Steve Carratt*

Hospitality: *Clive Cramb*



WELFARE OFFICERS

Please contact one of the members below to ensure that we keep in touch with any of our members who are unwell or incapacitated.....

Cheryl Ellis	0421 184 165
Rhonda Gleeson	0431 912 864
Karen Stanford	0418 749 636

APRIL 2023

Birthdays: *Norma Speight*

Jill Thompson

Anniversaries: *Diana Lawson*



WHAT A SPECIAL BIRTHDAY!



Tri Care Community Village allows



us to use its 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.



Clive always provides a great morning tea, with a little help from his friends. Thank you all.

If possible please bring the correct money ... \$3 ...which includes morning tea.



Many thanks to the sunny students from St. Ambrose Primary School, for providing the entertainment at the March General Meeting.



Our first bus trip in a long time is planned for Tuesday May 2nd, so let's get going to - Donna Sharam Art Gallery- 621 Pearces Creek Rd, Alstonvale 2477

Shirley Gill has arranged for Rob and his bus to pick up at 3 points – Casuarina, Tricare and the Pottsville Market site in Philip Street. Cost - \$23.00 per person (Rob's morning tea included).

Payment & names will be collected by Shirley Gill at the next meeting 18th April. Please bring correct money.

A booking for 18 persons is preferred – your friends are welcome to join us.



Thank you Shirley for organizing this outing.

All Probus members attending the April meeting, will be given a lucky door ticket – the prize will be a donated ticket for the 2nd May bus trip.

Donna has a vibrant collection in her gallery – lots of great gifts. Following the studio visit, we will lunch in Alstonville at your own expense. Please support our own Probus club, local businesses, and check out some of our wonderful countryside once again.



Performances May 11th to 26th
Tickets on sale from 11th April ON-LINE



Girl's Night Out

Why has Tony recently been spending lots of time in his room, playing Rod Stewart hits at top volume?

His mum Ivy doesn't see anything strange in this, at least until Ivy organises a hen night for the heavily pregnant Jane, Tony's fiancée Nicola and the worldly Sara at the 'Feast of Flesh' male strip club, where all - or nearly all - is soon revealed. It turns out to be a hen night Jane will never forget. When mothers, wives, sisters and fiancées are confronted with revelations of an altogether different kind, can their lives ever be the same again? And will Jane still be having a wedding in the morning?

The laughter, energy and friendship of the characters creates a vibrancy that adds a touching poignancy to the tears, confusions, and painful honesty that the night reveals!



Condong Bowls Club, McLeod Street, Condong, on the last Friday of each month.



'Slips and the Flaming Whippersnappers' make their first appearance at Condong Bowls Club on Friday 31st March.

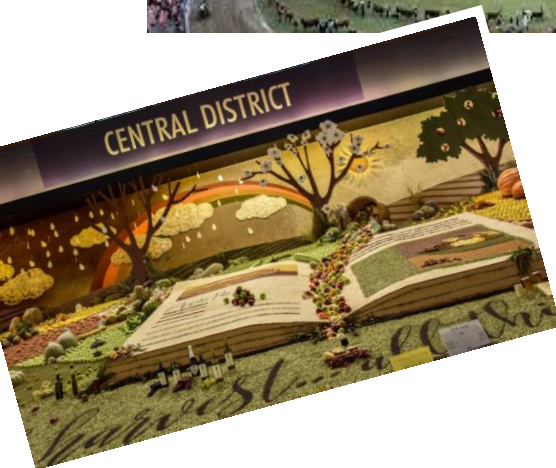
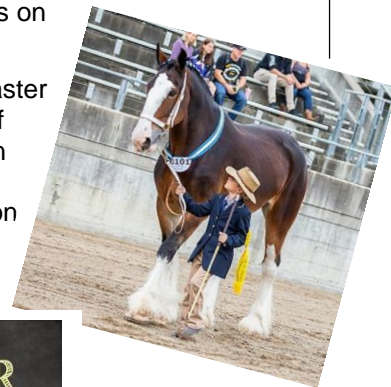
They serve up platters of authentic New Orleans fare, from early Blues to Ragtime, all the way through to the more traditional offerings. The Early Birds open up as usual, at 6.30 pm, with the main band from 8 pm. Members \$15, Visitors \$20. Due to limited seating, bookings are essential: please phone Virginia on 0432 914 539



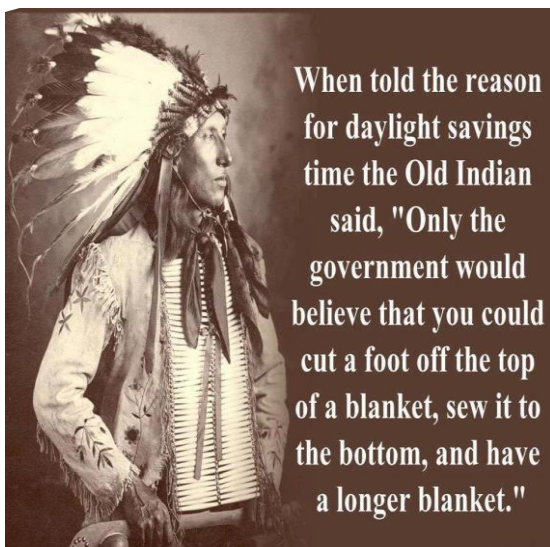
6-17 April
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If you are in Sydney in April, put a trip to the Easter Show on your bucket list. Apart from sideshow alley, there are animals, displays, entertainment, free concerts, produce and food of every description. Don't miss the Grand Parade of prize winning animals on the Wednesday.

First held in 1823, the Royal Easter Show is an iconic celebration of Australian culture and has been recognized for its significant economic and social contribution to NSW, with the bush showing itself off to the city.



EASTER
The only time
it's okay to
put all of your
EGGS
in 1 basket!



When told the reason for daylight savings time the Old Indian said, "Only the government would believe that you could cut a foot off the top of a blanket, sew it to the bottom, and have a longer blanket."

**DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME finishes this Sunday
2nd April, in the wee small hours of the morning.
Will it mean that the curtains will stop fading?**