



Probus Club of Hastings Point Tweed Coast

June 2023

Upcoming meetings:

June 20th & July 18th

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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June 20th lunch after the general meeting will again be at Pottsville Tavern. Some meals are \$15.

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.



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



MEMBERS - please wear your ID.

ANNUAL FEES REMAIN AT \$25

STAY SAFE AND HEALTHY.

Ensure all your vaccinations, including **normal flu shots** and Covid boosters are up to date – GPs and pharmacies are vaccinating NOW.



Just what you wanted to know.....

The Queen's Birthday public holiday will officially be known as the King's Birthday public holiday from 2023, so the King's Birthday public holiday will fall on Monday June 12, despite his actual birth date being 14th November 1948.

The Public Holidays Act 2010 amendment has been gazetted and will be effective as of January 13, 2023.

Although Queen Elizabeth II's actual birth date was April 21 1926, in keeping with Royal tradition, official celebrations in the UK were held in June when there was a greater likelihood of fine weather for the Birthday Parade or Trooping of the Colour.

NSW followed in that tradition, with the holiday falling on the second Monday in June.



YOUR 2023 COMMITTEE

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WELFARE



Please contact our welfare officer, Karen Stanford on 0418 749 636, if you know of any member who is unwell or incapacitated. It is important that we continue to support each other.

JUNE 2023

Birthdays: David Hobbs
 Maureen Spykers
 Beryl Hollingworth
 Jusy Zambelli



Anniversaries: None on record

Condong Bowling Club

Last Friday of every month
 Members \$15 Visitors \$20
 Bookings essential: phone Virginia
 0432 914 539



Save the date – Friday 26 May– for the welcome return of Club favourites the Trombone Kellie Gang, with special guest the ever-popular Martha Baartz. An evening of blues-inspired ‘street’ music guaranteed to get your feet tapping and keep your toes warm.

The Earlybirds open at 6pm, and the main band cast off from their moorings at 7.30pm.



Friday 30th June 2023 – Gold Coast Big Band

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.



The May bus trip to the Donna Sharam Art Gallery was reported to be a great success. Thanks Shirley.

There is some interest in an overnight trip to the **Toowoomba Carnival of Flowers** which will run from 1 – 30 September, including Festival of Food & Wine Fri 8, Sat 9, Sun 10 and Central Floral Parade Saturday 16. **Give it some thought!**



May's guest speaker was local resident and author Lance Colbert Smith, who talked about leukemia patients from the Sydney Children's Hospital being given positive experiences through enjoyable holidays and train trips, provided by a programme that ran for approximately 20 years. He demonstrated how positive rather than negative thinking could fool the brain's senses resulting in better outcomes.

Guest speaker for 20th June will be Craig Hobart, a Gold Coast pilot for Angel Flight.



Angel Flight was established in 2003 by pilot and businessman Bill Bistrow, to service rural and remote communities. This is a charity that provides non-emergency flights free of charge for disadvantaged patients needing travel to/from distant medical treatment, or transport of medical products.

The service does not supply medical staff or services, as an alternative to those provided by the Royal Flying Doctor Service or Air Ambulance.

Angel Fight is funded by private donations and philanthropic organisations. And flights are provided by volunteer pilots using their own aircraft.

Sounds like an amazing service that we know very little about!





Northern Rivers Symphony Orchestra

WINTER DREAMS

Date: Sunday 4th June 2023

Time: 2.30pm

Venue: Tweed Heads Civic Centre

A special presentation of chamber music by the **NRSO Ensemble**, with the program including:

– **Frederic Chopin: Two Nocturnes, Op. 62**

Pianist – Jonah Patuto

– **Franz Doppler: Andante et Rondo for two flutes and piano, Op. 25**

Flautists – Noelle McAllister and Louise Emery

Pianist – Jonah Patuto

– **Franz Schubert: The Trout Quintet in A Major D667**

Musicians – Ayesha Gough (piano), Hugh Won (violin), Dawn Bennett (viola), Katherine Hopkins (cello), and Elias Kokkoris (double bass)

This charming ensemble concert will be served with a complimentary afternoon tea, to be enjoyed during the interval. We envisage a delightful event with our community of music lovers getting together, relishing tasty treats, great company, and sublime music.

Tickets:

General – \$50 | Concession – \$45 | Student – \$20

Children under 18 years of age – free (when accompanied by a concert-going adult)

Tickets are available at Murwillumbah Music (credit card) – Phone 02 6672 5404

Tickets are also available at the door if not sold out (cash or credit card)

For enquiries please phone 0478 012 324



**This year's theme is –
Good Friends,
Great Times,
New Adventures!**

This reflects what our Probus group is all about, as we emerge from our Covid cocoon.

For something different – visit Vivid in Sydney until 17 June 2023.

It fuses mesmerising art displays and 3D light projections with exhilarating live performances,



YOUR IDEAS and input are very important, so please fill the suggestion box on the front table, or speak to a committee member.

