



# Probud Club of Hastings Point Tweed Coast

**May 2023**

**Upcoming meeting:**

**May 16<sup>th</sup> & June 20<sup>th</sup>**

**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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**Postal Address:** 516 Round Mt Rd, Round Mountain. NSW 2489

**Let's start lunching again after meetings! May 16<sup>th</sup> is at Pottsville Tavern. Some meals are \$15.**

A warm welcome to our members, new members and guests. Our Probud 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".**



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

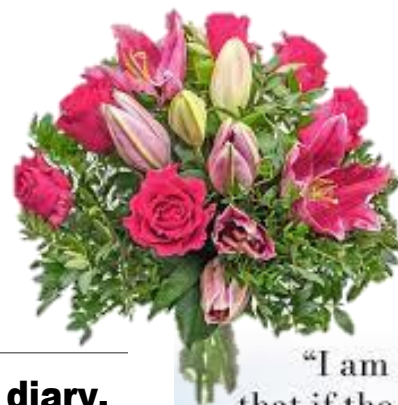
**MEMBERS - please remember to wear your ID.**

**STAY SAFE AND  
HEALTHY.**

Ensure that you have your **normal flu shots** and Covid boosters as soon as available – most GPs and many pharmacies are vaccinating **NOW**



**Put the 14<sup>th</sup> May in your diary.**



**"I am sure  
that if the mothers  
of various nations  
could meet, there  
would be no  
more wars."  
– E. M. FORSTER**



**MANY THANKS TO THOSE WHO HAVE  
ACCEPTED COMMITTEE POSITIONS**

**Your NEW 2023 Committee**

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**Appointments**

**Auditor:** Conrad Gleeson  
**Public Officer:** Steve Carratt  
**Hospitality:** Clive Cramb

**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.

**MAY 2023**

**Birthdays:** Carol Christiansen  
 Tony Cosgrove  
 Brenda Crossley  
 Jacquilynne Dixon  
**Anniversaries:** Judy Zambelli  
 Erica Bebendorf



**Condong Bowling Club**

Last Friday of every month  
 Members \$15 Visitors \$20  
 Crushers Restaurant 6672 2238  
 Bookings essential



**Friday 28th April 2023 at 7.30pm** - Harry Lynn And The Warblers - In April we welcome back club favourite, Harry Lynn, with years of experience on keyboards, including as leader of the 'house' band in the Jazz Basement of the Gold Coast Arts Centre. Equally talented John Edwards is on bass, and Les Kafoa on drums + vocals. Beth Hamilton and George Harvey, will also give the vocalist's microphone a good workout.  
**Early Birds start at 6pm**  
**Friday 26th May 2023 - Trombone Kellie Gang**

**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.*



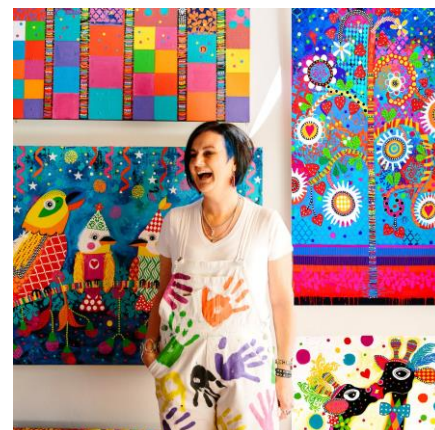
Clive always provides a great morning tea, with a little help from his friends. Thank you all.

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



**Our first bus trip in a long time is booked for Tuesday May 2<sup>nd</sup>, at the Donna Sharam Art Gallery- 621 Pearces Creek Rd, Alstonvale 2477**

Shirley Gill has arranged for Rob and his bus to pick up at Tricare 8.45am and the Pottsville Market site in Philip Street at 9.00am. Cost - \$23.00 per person (Rob's morning tea included).



Thank you Shirley for organizing this outing – her contact (07) 5523 2404. The lucky draw of a bus ticket was won by David Hobbs, at the April meeting.

Donna has a vibrant collection in her gallery – lots of great gifts. Lunch will follow the studio visit, at your own expense. It is fantastic to see that our members are supporting our own Probus club, and local businesses, while we check out some of our wonderful countryside once again.



*Performances May 11<sup>th</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup>*  
*Tickets on sale from 11<sup>th</sup> 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!



# Celebrating PROBUS 1 - 31 October 2023 Month

## Early Planning.....

It looks like we could be having a party - Clive is already planning to acquire the sponge cake and cream, and Di is planning on her traditional fruit cake. This might be a time for everyone to practise their culinary skills, by resurrecting the idea of 'bring a plate' .....

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

**How would we like to  
celebrate – put on your  
thinking cap now!**

As winter approaches, we have an exciting line-up of concerts –

- 30<sup>th</sup> April 2.30pm, at Tweed Heads Civic Centre 'Jupiter Rising' featuring Haydn & Mozart, by the Northern Rivers Symphony Orchestra. Tickets online: [www.nrso.com.au](http://www.nrso.com.au) or Murwillumbah Music (6672 5404) or at the door if not sold out. Adults \$50, Concession \$45
- 7<sup>th</sup> May 2pm, at 288 Stokers Siding Road 'Music in the Meadow' with familiar classics by the new Caldera Chamber Ensemble led by Barry Singh. Bring your picnic, and dress in 1800s apparel (perhaps an overcoat). Tickets online: [www.trybooking.com/CGLPZ](http://www.trybooking.com/CGLPZ) or buy at Murwillumbah Music or Andersons Treasure Store. Adults \$50, Concession \$40
- 14<sup>th</sup> May 2.30pm, at Murwillumbah Civic Centre 'Souvenirs' featuring Vivaldi and Tchaikovsky, by the Gold Coast Chamber Orchestra. Tickets [www.gcco.com.au](http://www.gcco.com.au) Adults \$45, Conc \$40

**None of us should be bored. Our local Tweed Valley Weekly is full of interesting and varied entertainment options.**

**Further afield in Brisbane, watch QPAC for upcoming shows, Mama Mia, Wizard of Oz, and The Mousetrap by Agatha Christie.**

**And for something completely different -**



BCEC is the Brisbane Convention and Exhibition Centre

[Tickets are now on sale with Lateral Events.](#)



Where - the lower ground floor at Queens Plaza in Queen Street (below David Jones) Brisbane Mondays to Sundays from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tickets from Feverup