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President's Message

Welcome to everyone.

Another month has passed!

On the positive side, we are here, we are mostly healthy, among friends and should be happy.

The club desperately needs one or two volunteers to arrange trips away for us.

Do we have anyone who is familiar with group travel arrangements?

Please consider it, and I'm certain all of us would be very appreciative.

My thought for all of us: 90% of what's stressing you today will be irrelevant in a year.

So, don't lose sleep over petty things.

In friendship, Maggie

Guest Speaker

Barry Capuano

Our Guest Speaker for the June meeting will be Barry Capuano, a legend around the Essendon Football Club.

He will speak on his time around the Bombers grounds from the 1960's to present day. He has a room at the club named after him.

Wear your favourite football scarf or beanie if you have one. Any Australian Rules memorabilia will be placed on a display table.

Barry is happy to answer questions after his talk.

June Birthdays

Kate Noonan, Kathy Detering, Vic Ryall, Cathy Tackle, June Keats.

Movies



Eight members attended the May movie day to at the Palace Cinema in Puckle Street to see A Taste of Things followed by a meal at Brunetti's. The July movie day and venue to be announced closer to the date. Movie days are every second month. Cathy has to wait until the week before the movie date before she can announce the name of the movie.

June luncheon



Twenty-one members filled two tables at the Union Hotel in Ascot Vale for the club's June luncheon. It was cold outside but plenty of warmth was generated by the happy diners inside. Thanks to Marlene Watson for organising the event.

July myki outing:

The next myki outing is to Seaford on July 9.

Seaford is on the Frankston line and we meet near the coffee shops at 10.30am at Flinders Street Station.

After a stroll along the bay shore we will have lunch at the RSL at 17 Station Street, Seaford

Our website

Lin Rigby is now looking after the Melbourne North website.

The website address is: https://melbnprobus.org

The What's On page is: https://melbnprobus.org/welcome/whats-on-test-trial/

then click on the blue *i* information symbol (for info on meetings, films or trips).

There are other pages, but the What's On page will give up to date information on the immediate future.

Welfare

Bev Mason is the club's welfare contact and asks members to let her know of any members who may be unwell or have need of assistance or just a social contact call to say we are thinking of them. Her phone number is 0435 568 802.

Fancy a little ballroom dancing?

Our energetic member Rose Ho has volunteered to run a ballroom dancing group at Bowes Avenue Community Hall in Airport West. For any members interested in the chance to try out ballroom dancing the date to remember is Wednesday, July 17. The session will run from 1pm to 3pm. Dances include Old Time, New Vogue and Latin. Rose says dancing and music are the best food for the body, mind and soul. Those who don't want to dance can just show up to appreciate the music and social interactions. Rose is hoping to make it a weekly event if the response is strong enough.

Her number is 0422 266 199

Next meeting: Tuesday, June 25, 2024. Deadline for the next newsletter will be July 18, 2024



The Austral Salon of Music invites Probus members to Brunch and a Recital by students from the Victorian College of the Arts Secondary School at the College in Miles Street, Southbank Monday 24 June. 10.45 am to 1.00 pm. Cost \$25. Payment by Monday 17 June.

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