



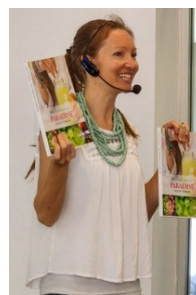
**PROBUS CLUB
OF
KAWANA
WATERS**



Members Newsletter October 2022

HIGHLIGHTS — PEOPLE AND PLACES

GENERAL MEETING



Our September speaker Honor Tremain

Congratulation to Phyllis Gerhardt receiving her 30th year membership certificate and Sue Goodman her 10th

DINE OUT

21 people once again enjoyed dinner at Tafe, one of the best meals we have had there.



GENERAL MEETINGS

Will be held on the
2nd Tuesday monthly

Our General Meetings are held at KAWANA SURF CLUB commencing at 10am.

APOLOGIES

For non-attendance.
All Members should
Notify:

**Registrar Jan Rowe by email
cats4ever7@bigpond.com
Phone: 54919287**

By Friday **AM** before the day
of the meeting to assist with
catering.

Visitors contact:

**Nurturing Coordinator
Trev Watkins
07 5477 5659**

WALKING GROUP

Our intrepid walkers enjoying the sights of Ewen Maddock Dam



DON'T YOU JUST LOVE THEM!

A grandmother was telling her little granddaughter what her own childhood was like. "We used to skate outside on a pond. I had a swing made from a tire; it hung from a tree in our front yard. We rode our pony. We picked wild raspberries in the woods." The little girl was wide-eyed, taking this all in. At last she said, "I sure wish I'd gotten to know you sooner!"

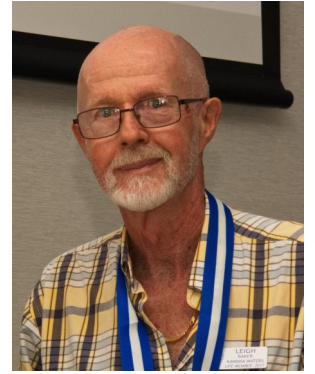
My grandson was visiting one day when he asked, "Grandma, do you know how you and God are alike?" I mentally polished my halo and I said, "No, how are we alike?" "You're both old," he replied.

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From the President's Desk

- The Regional Probus Day function is not far away and there will be a large contingent attending from our Club. This level of support and interest is great to see.
- With COVID still amongst us, it would be appreciated if you would alert the Convenor if you test positive shortly after a Club activity, for the benefit of other members
- There have been a number of enquiries regarding ideas for new interest groups. While the Management Committee welcomes them, it is important that our review and approval process is followed, so as to maximize the chance of success. The process is set out in a separate box.
- As mentioned at the last meeting, the nominations process for next year's Management Committee and Club Officers is about to be launched. See the separate notice for details.



My quote of the month:

"Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much"

HAVE AN IDEA FOR A NEW INTEREST GROUP? GREAT! WE'D LOVE TO HEAR ABOUT IT.

What should you do?

1. Test your idea on someone else
2. Send an outline to the Management Committee
(via the Secretary: kawanawatersprobus@gmail.com)
setting out the idea, the purpose and the plan.
3. Once approved by the Committee, you can announce the formation of the new interest group and commence operation.



Leigh Baker



A NEW COLLECTION PROJECT FOR OUR CLUB

The Lions Organisation's Recycle for Sight

The program sends some 450,000 pairs of glasses to developing countries every year.

You can bring your old glasses and sun glasses to a club general meeting and I will package them up and deliver to a Lions Club on the Sunshine Coast.

The Recycle for Sight program asks you not to include glasses cases. Instead, wrap them in bubble wrap

Mike Matthews

Internet Banking details: BSB: 638 070—A/c: 8576386

Ref: Your name and event.

Club Web site: <https://www.probuskawanawaters.com> For password to access Members only section contact Web Officer Gerhard at Email: GK@kronberger.com.au

Welfare & Support

Sue Goodman—0402 850 691

Any members who are ailing or needing support please ensure that **Sue** knows about it so that the Club is able to provide whatever assistance it can.

Treasurer’s Report for September

Opening Balance 1st September \$7898.11
 Receipts September \$1455.00
 Expenses September \$1683.05
 Closing Balance 30th September \$7670.06

October Birthdays

Gay MAECHESE 3
 Walter LANHAM 8
 Coral WILLS 18
 Raymond YOUNG 24
 John ROBERTS 25
 Peter ELLIS 26
 Pam LIDDELL 26



Wishing you all a very Happy Birthday.

Suggestion Box

Don't forget to put suggestions in the box or email Leigh Baker with any item you wish to bring to the attention of the Management Committee:
 Email: leighbaker88@gmail.com



OUR NEXT BUS TRIP

Thursday 17th November

TO TIN CAN BAY, DOLPHIN CRUISE TO RAINBOW BEACH FOR LUNCH AT QUAY CARLO

The trip is limited in numbers to 25 so it is first in best dressed. I will run a wait list in case of cancellations!

Phone Anna Firmin—0427 611 174

Payment due at October general meeting

Meal choice available contact Anna—I have your choice on file.

You may check it and change it at the General Meeting.



TIN CAN BAY FERRY
 DOLPHIN FERRY CRUISES

PRICE IS \$65 includes lunch.

Bring: hat, camera, jacket,
 comfortable shoes.



DIRECTORY		
MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE		Phone Contact
<i>President:</i>	<i>Leigh Baker</i>	0423 988 504
<i>Secretary:</i>	<i>John Roberts</i>	0438 148 447
<i>Treasurer:</i>	<i>Brian Knight</i>	5452 6558 0414 538 560
<i>Registrar’s Jan & Graeme Rowe</i>		0412 582 253 5491 9287
<i>Snr Vice-President: Peter Huthnance</i>		0400 756 773
<i>Jn Vice-President:</i>		
CLUB OFFICERS		
<i>Assist. Registrar:</i>	<i>Lyn Peck</i>	
<i>A/Assist. Secretary:</i>	<i>Gaye Marchese</i>	
<i>Assist. Treasurer:</i>	<i>Sonia Delaney</i>	
<i>Facilities:</i>	<i>Lenni Pritchard</i>	
<i>Guest Speaker:</i>	<i>Kay Cooper</i>	
<i>Media Officer:</i>		
<i>Meet & Greet:</i>	<i>Diana Armstrong</i>	
<i>Assist Meet & Greet:</i>		
<i>Ruth McDonald</i>		
<i>Sue Ellis</i>		
<i>Trish Meaney</i>		
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<i>Welfare:</i>	<i>Sue Goodman</i>	
<i>Website:</i>	<i>Gerhard Kronberger</i>	

BOOK CLUB

THE FRENCHMAN by Jack Beaumont



A spy thriller, written by a former French fighter pilot turned spy for the French foreign secret services. The hero of the story is Alex de Payns who is a senior operative in France's famed foreign intelligence service. His clandestine missions include responsibility for eliminating terror threats & disrupting illegal nuclear and biological weapons programs. His marriage is constantly under strain & in the back of his mind lurks the fear that the enemy will come after his family. After two aborted missions that almost cost him his life, he is forced to confront the betrayal of a fellow agent who was responsible for the failures. With a traitor in the ranks, he has to face his worst fear that one of the failed missions potentially allowed weaponised bacteria is to be used causing the potential destruction of Paris

Lorraine Samin

INTEREST GROUPS

Members & Guests Activities

Armchair Travel:	Anna Firmin & Gaby Kronberger
Away Trips:	Mike Matthews
Book Club:	Lorraine Samin
Bus Trips:	Anna Firmin
Cinema:	Mike Matthews Coral Horton
Coffee Mornings:	Pat Blakeman;
Craft:	Lynne Rowell
Dining:	Mike Matthews
Grumpy Old Men:	Brian Knight
Local Theatre:	Lyn Peck
Mahjong:	Pat Blakeman
Memoirs:	Paul Cockshaw
Picnics:	Kay Cooper
Walking:	Brian Knight

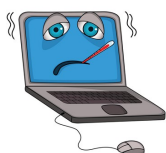


DINE OUT REMINDER

**MAROOCHEY HIGH SCHOOL LUNCH WEDNESDAY
OCTOBER 12th \$22.00**

**STILL A COUPLE OF PLACES AVAILABLE
PAYMENT DUE AT SEPTEMBER—OCTOBER MEETING**

**NOVEMBER DINE OUT
Waterfront Thai Nicklin Way
Park in Dan Murphys or Kawana Hotel**



Computing Support contact:
Leigh Baker - Windows PCs and laptops, Android phones and tablets
John Roberts - IOS PCs and laptops Apple phones.



Guest speaker
Leanne Clark from Safe Mate.
A Lifeline in Medical Emergency.

PAQ Web Site: enter the web site at www.paqnetwork.com.au
Secretary: mail@paqnetwork.com.au
President: president@paqnetwork.com.au



Invitation from
Probud Club of Pelican Waters
 They have arranged a group booking to



Carols in the Reservoir
 Spring Hill, Brisbane
 Saturday 10 Dec 2021 @ 1.30pm
 Group Prices: Concession - \$76.50
 Adults - \$85.50 Children - \$54
 Bus Hire (about \$30) – **please indicate if you will travel by bus**
 This is an Open Activity –
 you are welcome to include family/friends.

If you would like to attend, please email
 Valerie Thornton on thornskv@bigpond.net.au
 by 30 Sept. to secure your seat/s.
 Because the matinee performances are filling
 very quickly, we will finalise the booking and
 request payment as soon as possible after
 the end of the month.

**NOMINATIONS FOR 2023-2024
 MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
 AND CLUB OFFICERS**

The nominations process will be de-
 clared open at the **October General
 Meeting** and a list of positions and
 nomination forms will be sent to all
 members shortly afterwards.
**Don't wait to be asked – consider
 how you can best contribute to our
 Club's continued success. Contact
 any member of the Management
 Committee for further details.**

**President
 Leigh Baker**



THE EVENTS CENTRE

**COASTAL CARING CLOWNS
 CELEBRATE THEIR 21ST BIRTHDAY!**

SUN 6 NOV | 2PM

JOIN THE COASTAL CARING CLOWNS FOR AN
 AFTERNOON OF MUSIC, FUN AND SILLY CLOWN
 ANTICS!

The Coastal Caring Clowns have been active on the Sun-
 shine Coast for the last 21 years visiting Aged Care
 Homes and Hospital Wards. They do over 300 Clowning
 performances per year.

To celebrate 21 years of bringing excitement and joy to
 all, they're inviting you, your family and friends of all
 ages for an afternoon of fun, hosted by special
 guest, Channel 7 Presenter Rosanna Natoli.



**Sunshine Coast
 Concert Band
 INC.
 OCTOBER MAGIC**

Saturday 8th October 2.00pm

Kawana Community Hall Nanyima St BUDDINA



Music Director **CLAYTON FIANDER**

Vocalists **WENDY WEST** and **ALEX CHAMBERS**

Pixar Movie Magic Tribute to Gershwin

Man from Snowy River Rock n Roll Explosion

My Funny Valentine and many more....

Tickets \$20 available at the door-cash only-no eftpos available

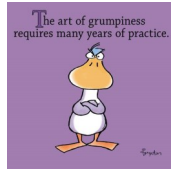
Home baked style afternoon tea

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CLUB ACTIVITIES

Check Calendar for times and Locations

**Away
Trips**



Memoir



CHRISTMAS IN JULY 2023 STILL AWAITING DETAILS

Expressions of interest are being taken for a Christmas in July trip, 3 nights to Tambourine Mountain Venue and prices TBA

We have 17 members interested at the moment, still room for a few more!

Date to be advised next month when venues have arranged their dates and prices!

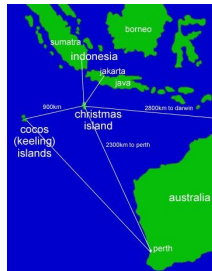
CHRISTMAS & COCOS ISLANDS

2nd—17th OCTOBER 2023

Expressions of interest are being taken for a most

unusual trip in October 2023 to Christmas and the Cocos Islands—Maximum 18 persons only.

Seven people are already signed up so a few more spaces available. This will be a very different trip so don't miss out. Further details with prices and itinerary will be posted as they come to hand!



CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS 2022

PICNIC (MEMBERS ONLY)

Date: Tuesday 29th November at 4pm

Venue: La Balsa Park

Cost: no cost, but you need to sign next to your name on the list at the General Meeting in September, October or November, to assist with catering.

CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON (MEMBERS & VISITORS)

Date: Tuesday 6th December – 11.30am for 12 noon

Venue: Caloundra Power Boat Club

2 Lamerough Parade, Golden Beach Qld. 4551

Cost: Members (financial as of 8 November): \$25
Visitors \$35

Please sign next to your name on the list at the General Meeting in September, October or November, to assist catering and venue arrangements.

Payment: You need to pay Treasurer Brian no later than the conclusion of the General Meeting on 8th November.

If you have any special dietary needs please notify Maureen Dunn via email – maursdunn@gmail.com



OCTOBER
NOVEMBER
DECEMBER

Armchair Travel Calendar

14 Mike Matthews Norfolk Island
11 Group Discussions
TBA CHRISTMAS PARTY

CONVENORS REPORTS FOR SEPTEMBER

CRAFT

Our craft meeting is 10am on 18th Oct at Kawana Surf Club and we will be continue doing the embroidery painting we started at our September meeting.

Many Thanks Lynne

MEMOIRES—PAUL COCKSHAW

After missing out in September, the memoirs group will meet again on Wednesday 19th October, 2.00 pm at the Kawana surf club.

Please bring your notebook (Electronic or otherwise). I have an activity planned.

THE AUGUST PICNIC—KAY COOPER

The September Picnic was held at Viridian Park Birtinya attended by 11 members. October Picnic will be at Midday Jessica Park Nicklin Way Kawana Tuesday 25th October.

SPEAKER—KAY COOPER

Our September speaker Honor Tremain a nutritionist was very well received she was very informative and helpful, I later received a thankyou message as she was grateful for the opportunity to meet and help our members

BATS THEATRE COMPANY, Buderim
PiCASSO AT THE LAPIN AGILE
 30 Sept to 8 October
 link: www.batstheatre.com

PLUS SAVE DATE
 Sat 3 December at 7 pm A NIGHT AT THE PROMS
 Tickets will be on sale in October for those interested in buying their own tickets.
 Cost: concession \$40 N.B. no discount for groups.



FUNNIES



I had to pass this along...my belly hurts from laughing!!!! How grandchildren perceive their grandparents

1. I was in the bathroom, putting on my makeup, under the watchful eyes of my young granddaughter, as I'd done many times before. After I applied my lipstick and started to leave, the little one said, "But Grandma, you forgot to kiss the toilet paper good-bye!" I will probably never put lipstick on again without thinking about kissing the toilet paper good-bye....
2. My young grandson called the other day to wish me Happy Birthday. He asked me how old I was, and I told him, 72. My grandson was quiet for a moment, and then he asked, "Did you start at 1?"
3. After putting her grandchildren to bed, a grandmother changed into old slacks and a droopy blouse and proceeded to wash her hair. As she heard the children getting more and more ram-bunctious, her patience grew thin. Finally, she threw a towel around her head and stormed into their room, putting them back to bed with stern warnings. As she left the room, she heard the three -year-old say with a trembling voice, "Who was THAT?"

Day	OCTOBER 2022	Time	Co-Ordinators
Saturday 1	Cinema Saturday:	TBA	Mike Matthews
Monday 3	Mah-jong: Club Kawana	10.00am	Pat Blakeman
Wednesday 5	Walking: Charlie Moreland Campground, Ibul State Forest, Kenilworth	8.00am	Brian Knight
Saturday 8	Cinema Saturday:	TBA	Mike Matthews
Tuesday 11	GENERAL MEETING AT KAWANA SURF CLUB	10am 12noon	Jan Rowe
Wednesday 12	Dine Out: Maroochy High School lunch	12.30pm	Mike Matthews
Thursday 13	Brunch: One Block Back 106 Nothling St Moffat Beach	11.00am	Pat Blakeman
Friday 14	Armchair Travel: Meeting room Kawana Surf Club	9.30am	Anna Firmin
Saturday 15	Cinema Saturday:	TBA	Mike Matthews
Monday 17	Mah-jong: Club Kawana	10.00am	Pat Blakeman
Tuesday 18	Craft Group: At Kawana Surf Club	10am	Lynne Rowell
Wednesday 19	Walking Group: Mooloolah River National Park	7.30am	Brian Knight
Wednesday 19	Memoirs: Kawana Surf Club	2.00pm	Paul Cockshaw
Saturday 22	Cinema Saturday:	TBA	Mike Matthews
Monday 24	Book Club: The Bakers'	9.30am	Lorraine Samin
Tuesday 25	Picnic: Jessica Park on Nicklin Way.	12 noon	Kay Cooper
Wednesday 26	Grumpy Old Men: Maritime Museum, South Bank 10am at museum	10.00am	Brian Knight
Thursday 27	Management Committee Meeting	9.30	Leigh Baker
Friday 28	Deadline for submission of Material for Newsletter		Mike Matthews
Saturday 29	Cinema Saturday:	TBA	Mike Matthews

Day	NOVEMBER 2022	Time	Coordinators
Wednesday 2	Walking: Parklands Conservation Park, Komine Circuit	7.00am	Brian Knight
	Dine Out: Waterfront Thai Nicklin Way	12.00	Mike Matthews
Saturday 5	Cinema: Venue TBA	TBA	Mike Matthews
Monday 7	Mahjong: Kawana Bowls Club	10.00	Pat Blakeman
Tuesday 8	GENERAL MEETING KAWANA SURF CLUB TRIVIA INSTEAD OF A GUEST SPEAKER	10AM	Jan Rowe
Thursday 10	Brunch: Harvest Café Kon Tiki Building Tower 3/55 Plaza Parade Maroochydore	11am	Pat Blakeman
Friday 11	Armchair Travel Kawana Surf Club	9.30am	Anna Firmin
Saturday 12	Cinema: Venue TBA	TBA	Mike Matthews
Tuesday 15	Craft: Kawana Surf Club	10am-12.00	Lynne Rowell
Wednesday 16	Walking: Mooloolah River National Park. Boronia Trail / Aemula Circuit	7.00am	Brian Knight
Wednesday 16	Memoirs: Kawana Surf Club	2.00pm	Paul Cockshaw
Thursday, 17	Bus Trip: To Tin Can Bay, Dolphin Cruise to Rainbow Beach for lunch at Quay Carlo	8.00am	Anna Firmin
Saturday 19	Cinema: Venue TBA	TBA	Mike Matthews
Monday 21	Mahjong: Kawana Bowls Club	9.30am.	Pat Blakeman
Tuesday 22	Picnic Venue: TBA	TBA	Kay Cooper
Wednesday 23	Grumpy Old Men: Amberley Aviation Heritage Centre 12.15 pm at Centre	12.15PM	Brian Knight
Thursday 24	Management Committee Meeting	9.30am	Leigh Baker
Saturday 26	Cinema: Venue TBA	TBA	Mike Matthews
Monday 28	Book Club:	9.30am	Lorraine Samin
Tuesday 29	Deadline for submission of Material for Newsletter		Mike Matthews
Tuesday 29	Club Picnic at La Balsa Park	4pm	Maureen Dunn