



**Probud Club of Kincumber Inc.**

Established 1984

**NEXT ACTUAL MEETING 27<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER**

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

**Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> October** – 11.00 meeting at Davistown RSL – followed by optional lunch at the Club Bistro at 12.30. **MORE DETAILS IN THE NEWSLETTER**

**Tuesday 8th December** – Christmas Luncheon At Davistown RSL

**Newsletter**

**OCTOBER, 2020**

**FROM THE PRESIDENT**

Well, I am so pleased to announce that your hard-working management committee and in particular Pam Spencer have organised our first meeting since the start of Covid-19. This will be held on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> October at the Davistown RSL Club. The meeting will be followed by a lunch at the club. Hard to believe that we have missed out on seven meetings! Our last meeting at Kincumber Uniting Church was on 25<sup>th</sup> February.

I sent out on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> a very detailed email giving an explanation of the requirements we need to follow for the meeting to take place. Also included with my email was an attachment of the motions to be voted on at the brief AGM we will hold during the course of the meeting.

If you haven't done so I would urge you to please read my email. In addition, it will help to make the meeting proceed as smoothly as possible. Time will be tight as the meeting needs to be finished by 12:30 pm so lunch can be ordered. Again, full details are set out in my email.

If you are not already a member of the RSL Club it might be worth considering joining before the day of the meeting. This will considerably speed up entry to the club on the day. Annette and myself have already done so for a cost of only \$8.00 and \$7.00 respectively!

Please remember at this meeting it will be your last chance to pay, **in cash** your annual membership fees and the Christmas luncheon.

I am so looking forward to catching up with you so until the 27<sup>th</sup> please.... Stay safe and "Namaste".

*David Minshall*

**MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE**

<b>President</b>	David Minshall	0418 966 944
<b>Vice President</b>	Peter Mear	0410 346 824
<b>Jnr. V. President</b>	Carol Greenan	0437 418 809
<b>Secretary</b>	Peter Park	0400 233 080
<b>Treasurer</b>	Ann Dillon	4368 2003
<b>Social Convenor</b>	Pam Spencer	0400 396 542
<b>Speakers</b>	Vice Presidents	
<b>Membership</b>	Carla Hurley	4323 9823
<b>Editor</b>	Annette Lutze	0414 731 653

**LIFE MEMBERS**

*Fred Leake      John Orme  
Richard Collins      John Rudd*

**Sub-Committee and Convenors**

<b>Assist Membership</b>	Phyl Hill
<b>Bushwalking</b>	<b>VACANT</b>
<b>Golf</b>	Peter Mear
<b>Historian</b>	Diane Rudd
<b>Assist Historian</b>	Carla Hurley
<b>Book Share</b>	Jenny Baker
<b>Photographers</b>	Bill Clark & Diane Rudd
<b>Debates</b>	Peter Park
<b>Theatre</b>	Diane Rudd
<b>Webmaster</b>	David Casey
<b>Venue Officer</b>	Bill Clark
<b>Catering Officers</b>	Jan Gee, Jan Costigan Kay Cochrane, Yvonne Kelly
<b>Auditor</b>	Alan Hurley



# GREAT NEWS:

## KINCUMBER PROBUS MEETS AGAIN!

**Mark** your calendars for a return to fellowship and fun with a reuniting meeting followed by lunch.

- DATE:** Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> October
- TIME:** -- 11:00 am arrival for 11:10 meeting start  
-- 12:30 pm optional lunch from Davistown RSL Bistro
- WHERE:** Davistown RSL in a large private room
- WHAT:** A short meeting, lunch and time to reconnect with each other
- WHO:** All members and guests
- HOW:** We will have our temperature taken on arrival at the Club and mask wearing is encouraged. We will observe social distancing at spaced-out tables, have hand sanitiser and wipes available.

We'll conduct a general meeting and a brief Annual General Meeting (AGM). Afterward you can grab lunch from the RSL bistro and bring it back to our private room for more socializing and catch up.

Getting our Probus Club of Kincumber back together has been the top priority for President David Minshall and your management committee ever since we were forced to suspend meetings due to COVID-19.

While we hope that eventual easing of restrictions will enable us to return to Kincumber Uniting Church at some point, and while our cost of conducting a meeting at a venue like Davistown is more than ***triple*** the cost of the church, the opportunity to meet and see our fellow Probus members is, we hope you will agree, worth it.



**Probus Club of Kincumber**

**1984 - 2020**

36 Years of Friendship, Fellowship  
and Fun in Retirement

**2009 - 2020**

11 Wonderful Years As A Mixed Club



## **MEMBERS TO RECEIVE 50% CREDIT ON 2020 MEMBERSHIP DUES**

At the 22<sup>nd</sup> September meeting the Management Committee voted to retroactively cut 2020 dues by 50% from \$47.00 to \$23.50. We have needed funds to cover ongoing expenses such as PSPL Fees, the Post Office box, Website subscription renewals, COVID-19 Sanitiser etc., and Hamper Raffles.

Although we have not been able to meet face to face, your Committee has tried to keep in touch with members, through our monthly newsletter, as well as trying to keep our members' spirits up with the regular Hampers.

The forty-three members who have paid the \$47.00 club 2020 dues will see a credit toward next year's dues of \$23.50.

Members who have not had the opportunity to pay their dues will only owe \$23.50 for this year which they can pay in cash or cheque at the next meeting/lunch at Davistown RSL on 27<sup>th</sup> October.

If you do not think you will be able to attend the meeting **please mail a cheque** for \$23.50 payable to '**Probus Club of Kincumber**' to Treasurer Ann Dillon at 444/1 Brentwood. 1 Scaysbrook Drive, Kincumber NSW 2251. **Or**, please use Electronic Funds Transfer with details as follows:

### **PROBUS CLUB OF KINCUMBER**

St. George Bank    BSB 112-879  
Account #            039558351

### **PROBUS Dues**

Your name/s  
\$23.50 single / \$47(for a couple)



**PLEASE NOTE**  
**SEPARATE CHEQUES FOR**  
**DUES AND CHRISTMAS LUNCH.**  
**AS THEY ARE 2 SEPARATE BANK ACCOUNTS.**

*Ann Dillon, Treasurer*





# Christmas Luncheon

PROBUS CLUB OF KINCUMBER



*Come join with fellow Probud members to celebrate the holiday season*

**When:** Tuesday 8 December      **Time:** 12 Noon      **Cost:** \$27 per person / \$54 couple

**Where:** Davistown RSL, 19 Murna Rd, Davistown

**Choice:**      Main:              Pork or Turkey (alternative drop)  
                 Dessert:          Pavlova or Xmas Pudding (alternative drop)  
                 Drinks:              Purchase from the bar

Sign-Up and Pay Now – Must be paid in full by 17 November

**Payment:**      -- Because of COVID-19 EFT is the Probud Club Preferred Safe Option  
                      -- No refund for cancellations after 17 November

**Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) to Probud Social Account:**

**Bank:** St George Bank      **BSB:** 112-879      **Account:** 001693785  
**Reference:** Your Name(s) - *very important*      **Amount:** \$27 Single or \$54 Couple  
**Note:** This same information is on the plastic card you should have

**Cheque:**      **Payable to:** Probud Club of Kincumber  
**Send to:** Pam Spencer, Social Convenor, 52/9 Bungoona Road Kincumber 2251

**Cash:**      Pay at 27 October meeting to Pam Spencer, Social Convenor  
                 Amount: \$27 Single or \$54 Couple

**Questions or to Advise Dietary Restrictions:** Social Convenor Pam Spencer  
Email: [pamela.spencer2017@gmail.com](mailto:pamela.spencer2017@gmail.com) Tel: 0400396542

**Donation:** We will be collecting items for Coast Shelter – Details in next newsletter



**PROBUS CLUB OF KINCUMBER INC**  
**FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR SEPTEMBER**  
**2020**

**ST GEORGE BUSINESS ACCESS ACCOUNT**

Balance at 31 August 2020	\$ 1711.54
Balance at 30 September 2020	\$ <u>1711.61</u>

**ST GEORGE BUSINESS CHEQUE ACCOUNT – PLUS**

Balance at 31 August 2020	\$ 1952.15
Credits	\$ 94.00
Bank Balance at 30 September 2020	\$ <u>2016.15</u>

Many thanks to all those members who have paid their membership fees by Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT). If you have not yet paid your fees the details are on your plastic card, or as shown below:

**PROBUS CLUB OF KINCUMBER**

St George Bank  
 BSB 112-879  
 Account # 039558351  
 PROBUS Dues  
 Your Name/s  
 \$23.00 single \$47.00 double

**I urgently encourage all members who can pay by EFT to do so, as we are required to limit personal contact as much as possible by the NSW Government, due to COVID-19.**

Of course, if you are unable to pay by EFT, I am happy to receive your fees by Cash or Cheque at the meeting in an envelope marked with your name/s.

Thank you.....*Ann Dillon*, Treasurer

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

**Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> October**

**11:00 am - MEETING FOLLOWED BY LUNCH at the Davistown RSL** — see details in this newsletter

**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> December – CHRISTMAS LUNCH**

**At Davistown RSL** – more details to follow.

*All this is subject to COVID restrictions at the time.*

**Best wishes to our members who celebrate their birthdays in NOVEMBER**

Elizabeth Butler  
 Alan Drew  
 Jill Willis  
 Ruth Mills  
 Sandra Field  
 Anara Porter



**Best wishes to our members who celebrate their anniversaries in NOVEMBER**

David and Cheryl Dennison  
 Tony and Yvonne Kelly  
 Barbara and John Orme  
 Edward & Christine Castle



**PRO-ARTS**

Hopefully, the talented amongst us have started their works of art for exhibition at this year's Prob Arts competition. If you haven't, then roll up your sleeves, smock up and get creative - time is galloping away  
 Remember it's just for **FUN!**

*Peter Mear*





### OCTOBER COVID VIRUS RAFFLE

The monthly Covid Raffle will be drawn at the conclusion of our meeting at the Davistown RSL Club.

*Peter Mear*



### GOLF REPORT

Thank goodness for Spring. It's a wonderful time to play golf out in the fresh air with a mix of people who can play reasonably well and some who wish they could. It's not all about the prize, it's more about the journey (but I wouldn't mind a prize at the end of my journey once in a while). Still at least some of us have something to look forward to and it's good that we get help and encouragement from those who are talented or is it blessed. Thank God for friends and Fridays so we can aspire for the greatest prize of **2 GOLF BALLS FOR WINNING.**

*Peter Mear*, Golf Co-ordinator 0410 346 824

### TRIP TO TASMANIA SET FOR MARCH 2021

Many people thought Tasmania sounded like a good holiday. Aurora tours, whom we travelled with last year have new owners and will be doing the Tassie holidays in March next year. I have approached them, and they have reserved their coach for us leaving on the **18<sup>th</sup> March 2021** for approximately 13 days, returning on 30<sup>th</sup> March.

Their itinerary from this year is close to what will be planned for March 2021. See details of itinerary by clicking [HERE](#)

The cost is \$3,890 pp with \$790 single supplement. Members who travelled with Aurora know that everything is included in this cost and is organised extremely well. To reserve your seat on the coach a deposit of \$200 pp is required ASAP. First in best dressed! Our new hosts will be Scott and Holly

A deposit of \$200 pp should be paid to Scolly Trading Pty Ltd (Aurora Coach Tours)

BSB: 062 827

Account: 1033 8725

Reference your Surname and Tas 2

**This is their new bank account details from 1<sup>st</sup> June 2020**

Contact *Diane Rudd*- Phone 4326 1326 or Mobile 0438 464 616

**SEATS ARE VERY LIMITED**  
email: [djrudd@optusnet.com.au](mailto:djrudd@optusnet.com.au)

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