



TENERIFFE PROBUS

newsletter



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Probud club of Teneriffe
(private group)
Teneriffe Probud Club
(publicity & promotion)

Committee Meetings

All members welcome
10am 2nd Thursday
Vicki Howard's Office

Next Meeting

Thurs 19th February
9.45 for 10am
Merthyr Road
Uniting Church Hall

Guest Speaker:
James Lergessner
Snippets from a Baby
Boomers Diary

President's Report February 2026

Once again, I am visiting family in Newcastle, and I am very grateful for the support of the current committee which means that I can miss a meeting with confidence that the happy work of Probud will continue in my absence.

In reality the majority of the work the committee does continues very well without me, and that is how I believe any committee should function in an organisation such as ours, focussed on providing stimulation, interest and fun for its members.

While I have been in Newcastle, I have had time to attend some functions of the Merewether Seaside Probud Club, and I have found this to be an enjoyable way to spend time not devoted to my family. None of you will be surprised to hear that the members of this club have similar interests and activities to our own club, with the emphasis on social interaction interspersed with some cultural and educational activities. (And yes, lunches are very popular here too!)

Interaction with other clubs is another benefit of belonging to Probud and it is great to see that the New Farm Probud Club has invited our members to join with them for a day trip. This type of interaction between clubs will probably increase as the date of the Probud Fiftieth Anniversary draws closer later this year.

As we approach this important milestone in Australia, I feel indebted to those founding members from Rotary that saw a need for a group that catered to those in the community that were no longer engaged in full time employment but still wished to have contact with other people in the wider community outside their immediate circle of family and friends.

As the year progresses, there will be further activities that will mark this important anniversary, and anyone with an interest in helping the club fulfil its aim of making all our lives more enjoyable, please let someone on the committee know, or even offer to help organise an activity in an area that interests you. If you would like it, there are probably other members of the club that would like it too, and if you get together with one or two other people, you can share the fun with us all.

I look forward to meeting up with you all again soon.

Faye Fowler
Club President



BRISBANE PORT TOUR



Monday March 23rd 9.45am
followed by lunch at
The Royal Qld Yacht Squadron
please put your name on the
expressions of interest sheet at the February meeting

Current cost \$15 per person for the tour bus.
Meet at the Port of Brisbane Office at 9.45 am, tour approx 90 minutes.



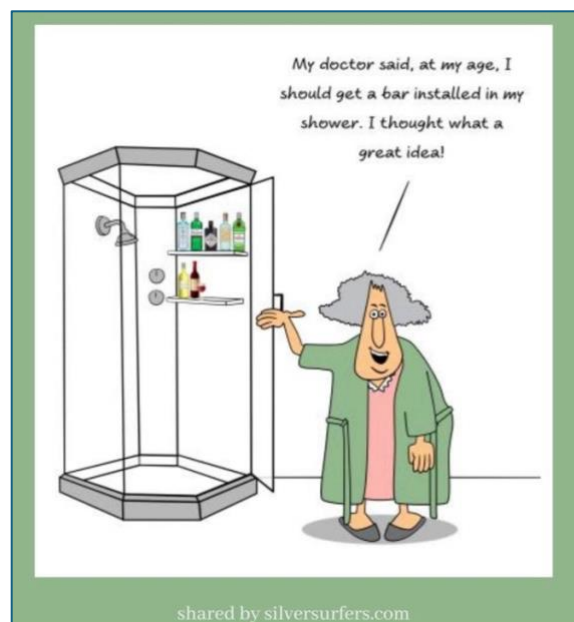
NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

The Newsletter will be sent out
by email each month on the
weekend prior to the meeting.

Contributions by the 2nd Monday
of the month.
Email photos from phones

**A WARM WELCOME
TO OUR
NEW MEMBERS**

Angela Polle



Please note date change

**INVITATION TO JOIN PROBUS NEW FARM
Mystery Day Tour to Locate the Rose and Thorn Outhouse**

**Now Thursday April 9th 2026
Departing New Farm Park 8am
RSVP – 28th February 2026**



- Scenic Drive in the Countryside – **Start time 8am**
- Morning Tea option at a Scenic Lookout - **9.45am**
- Casual walk around a Country Village – **11.10am**
- **Lunch in a paddock at a Farm Café** – **1pm to 3pm**
- Return to New Farm Park by **4.30pm**

The cost per Person is \$63.00 which includes the Coach Fare of \$28 and Lunch \$35, which, due to our expected numbers, will need to be pre-ordered so that we receive efficient delivery on arrival and allow quality time at The Farm.

Accordingly, would you mind selecting from the Options below when confirming your booking by nominating 1,2 or 3 from the selection below-

Menu offering for Lunch: -

1. Slow cooked beef nachos, sweetcorn salsa, herbed yoghurt dressing (GF)
2. Sticky Pork noodle salad with sticky sauce and local slaw.
3. Seasonal Frittata with fresh garden salad (V,GF)

Plus – One Bundaberg soft drink of choice . Other drinks such as Coffee / Tea may be purchased separately. Wine/Beer /Cocktails available - Licenced Premises

Payment to our Probus Club Bank details as follows -

WESTPAC ACCOUNT – PROBUS CLUB OF NEW FARM

BSB : 034065

ACCOUNT # 273304

Ref : Mystery – YOUR SURNAME

Monthly Book Club

1.30pm, 2nd Tuesday

At Member's homes

Txt Sandra 0400 966234 for address

March book:

Wifedom by Anna Funder

All welcome



March	Wifedom	Anna Funder	Biography
April	The Riders	Tim Winton	Magic Realism
May	Lola in the Mirror	Trent Dalton	Contemporary Fiction
June	Narrow Road to the Deep North	Richard Flanagan	Fiction
July	O Man Called Ove	Frederick Backman	Humorous Fiction
August	Testament of Mary	Colm Toibin	Literary Historical Fiction
September	Seven Little Australians	Ethel Turner	Young Readers Classic
October	Home & Always Homesick	Hannah Kent	Memoir
November	Hamnet	Maggie Farrell	Historical Novel
December / January	No One Saw A Thing	Andrea Mara	Mystery

2026 reading list

Probus Calendar 2026

February		
Monday 16th		Movie Group
Thursday 19th		2026 Committee Nominations Close
Thursday 19th	9.45am for 10am	Monthly Meeting -Speaker James Lergessner Snippets from a Baby Boomer
Thursday 19th	12midday	Lunch at the Brunswick Hotel
March		
Monday 2nd		Movie Group
Tuesday 10 th	1.30pm	Book Group at Sandra's
Thursday 12th	10am	Committee Meeting
Monday 16th		Movie Group
Thursday 19th	9.45am for 10am	Annual General Meeting
Monday 23rd	9.45am	Brisbane Port Tour
April		
Monday 6th		Movie group
Tuesday 14th	1.30pm	Book Group at Merrilyn's
Thursday 16th	10am	Committee Meeting
Monday 20th		Movie Group
Thursday 23rd	9.45am for 10am	Monthly Meeting – Ngaire Douglas “Pacific culture & cruising”

MEMBERSHIP CARDS

The membership Card entitles you to many benefits.
Follow up with Cathy our Membership Secretary if you have not received your card.
For more information
Search the Probus South Pacific Website

