

PROBUS CLUB OF TEMPLESTOWE VALLEY Inc.
MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE CLUB
Held at Ajani Centre, Thompsons Road, Lower Templestowe
On Monday, 13th October, 2008 at 9:45am

1. President Ian welcomes members and visitors

Ian's Communicating Time

Ian welcomed all members to the 64th meeting of our club and asked if there were any guests attending today's meeting. There were none.

Ian expressed the sadness of the club in learning of the passing of Don Boyd and extended his and the club's sympathy to Ellen and her family.

Ian welcomed Liz Turner and George back from their 2 month holiday. Ian said that we would look forward to hearing about Liz's and George's adventure.

Ian thanked Doug Hayne for taking over the Secretarial duties in Judy's absence. Judy and Alan will be back for the November meeting.

Ian congratulated the "Craft Ladies" for their very successful Brunch" on September 9th and gave his thanks on behalf of the club to June and Ron Duncan for their hospitality. The financial support from the members and friends attending will go a long way towards the cost of materials for the pillows for cancer victims they so graciously support.

Ian reminded the members that recently, Daryl Knight called for volunteers to support the Rotary club sponsored opportunity shop and was pleased to advise that two ladies from our club volunteered and have been giving their time at the op shop.

Ian also told us of Lorraine Cooper, our membership officer, calling for volunteers for door duties at our meetings.

This would entail attendance by 0900 and being able to write and count to record members attendance. This job would be for a period of 6 months and if unable to attend, Lorraine would arrange temporary replacement.

Ian noted that October was going to be another busy month for club activities and hoped that attendances would be as good as September.

Ian mentioned that our "Dads Army" group participated in the "Seniors Multicultural Gathering" on Friday 10th and that he has heard that they were "brilliant and brought the house down"

He said that this made the effort in rehearsal well worth while. "Well done Dad's Army"

Ian told us that the group would be performing again at The Probus Concert on 12th November.

Ian then wished members and friends a great time at the Bright getaway at the end of the month.

2. General Business

2.1. **Speaker this month:** Chris McMillan Motivational magician and his topic "A magical Enterprise"

2.2. **Birthdays:** Hugh Cornell, David Dodds, Noel Hatton, Diane McIntosh, Kay Mithen, Andrea Thomas., please stand for your birthday song.

2.3. Lunch today at La Porchetta Doncaster Rd., Doncaster.

3. Attendance Report

Visitors: None

Attendance: 92

Apologies: 36 - John & Mary Wilson, Terry & Jane Pearlgood, Bev Wignall, Yvonne Boyall, Marjory Coronica, Alan & Judy Baker, Elsie Branchflower, Diane & Hugh McIntosh, Heather & Mike Bindon, Diane Burton, Gwen Young, Beryl Glover, Jeff Crosbie, Fay Ford, Lois Mason, Pat Sinclair, Norman Edwards, Margaret Cornell, George Thomas, Margaret Campbell, Rex Atkins, Jill Dickason, Pat Ajani, Laurel Bishop, Jennifer Eaton, Kay Mithen, Yvonne Shembrey, Ross Chapman, June Chambers, Dawn & Bob Anderson..

4. Treasurer's Report - Jacob Kerseboom

(As at 30/09/08)

Balance on Hand	\$17797.38.
Deposits Held for Activities	\$11,170.96
Club Funds as at 31/08/08	\$ 6,626.42

Moved: Ron McGregor Seconded: Wilma Pontefract Carried

5. Secretary's Report - Doug Hayne for Judy

The group photo with our Probus Polo Shirts will be taken at the November meeting so please wear your Probus polo shirts. If you wish to order a polo shirt please see me after the meeting.

As noted in the newsletter, we have received an invitation from Mens Probus of Doncaster Central to attend their meeting where a talk by Renata and Danka Scnrall entitled "The Holocaust Revisited", at 10.30am. on 21st October Call John Lewis on 9850 3937 If you wish to attend

Moved: Wayne Eames Seconded: Jenny Kerseboom - Carried

6. Activities Report - Ron McBain -

Bike Group	John Hudgson	Change of dates for bike rides – new sheet available.
Book Group	Helga Braun	No Comment
Book Swap	Pat Edwards	No Comment
Craft Group	Yvonne Boyall	No Comment
Entertainers	Margaret Campbell	No Comment
Exhibitions	Wendy Fishley	Thursday 16 October Concert Hall to Docklands, payment next meeting
Fine Dining	Hugh Cornell	Will be away for some time list will be available
Games	Marion Cummins	Trivia night 11 th November change of date
Garden	Faye Williams	Next meeting 17 November at Lynton's Mt Martha put your name down today.
Genealogy	Ray Lawley	–Genealogy November. See November newsletter
Getaway Group	Hudgsons/McBains	Expression of interest for South Australia trip in May 2009. Probus Perth rendezvous 13-19 September 2009, add your name to the list.
Golf	Lyn Crosbie	Golf getaway report and info on next year
Photography/	Doug Hayne	Excursion to Docklands November -13 th or 20 th TBA
Scrapbook	Verity Moore	No Comment.
Theatre	Ellen Boyd	Aida 17 th October . Last outing – New leaders 2009
Trips and Events	Elaine Hayne	Friday 21 November Healsville Sanctuary put your name down today. Kilmore races next year
Walks	Wayne Eames	Christmas break up for walkers/bikers 3 December.
Kerry McInerney advised of a meeting for King Island participants		

Moved: Marion Cummins Seconded: John Mugridge Carried

7. Fellowship Break

8. President Ian called on Margaret McGregor to introduce our Guest Speaker Mr Chris McMillan

Margaret's Introduction:

"Our Speaker today is Chris McMillan, a professional magician.

Chris started his Magic as a hobby 25 years ago. Now a professional Magician and full time entertainer - Chris McMillan has traveled the world lecturing on various aspects of this art form and has been in demand not only by Probus Clubs but also major companies, dinner parties, trade shows, Hotels and Casino's. Chris has also recently written and produced a series of new magic shows especially for all school age groups. I am sure Chris will today amaze us and we will be left wondering "How did he do that".

We are in for a fun time - Ladies and Gents – please welcome Chris McMillan with his "Magical Interlude".

9. Vote of thanks was given by Terry Cummins and a bottle of good wine presented to Mr McMillan

10. Next Meeting to be held on Monday 10th November, 2008, at the Ajani Centre.

11. President Ian declared the meeting closed at 12:00

President:

Date: