



CLUB NEWSLETTER

FEBRUARY 2023

REGULAR HAPPENINGS

FUNCTIONS PRECEDED BY **FD** ARE FINE DINING WITH LIMITED NUMBERS WHICH WILL USUALLY BE DURING THE 1ST WEEKEND OF EACH MONTH.

BOOKINGS FOR ALL LUNCHEAS ARE ESSENTIAL BY THE WEDNESDAY PRIOR

FOR MORE DETAILED INFORMATION ON ANY OF THE **HAPPENINGS** PLEASE CONTACT THE CO-ORDINATORS

9.00am **WALKS BY THE RIVER EVERY TUESDAY AND THURSDAY MORNING**
Meet near Yacht Club WEATHER PERMITTING Walk at your own pace
Coffee afterwards optional
Co - Ordinators PAM MAKEPEACE 5449 0018 RHODA DENISSEN 0429 997 651

10.00 - 12 noon **BOOK CLUB IN THE BISTRO AT THE RSL .**
SECOND WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH EXCEPT JANUARY
PLEASE NOTE START TIME CHANGE Lunch Optional afterwards
Co - Ordinator CHRIS HARTLEY 5442 7397

EVERY MONDAY **MAH-JONG FOR BEGINNERS**
9.00 to 11.00 Location 8 Tallgrass Ave. Tewantin. Co-ordinator Joan 0419 670 771
EVERY FRIDAY **MAH-JONG FOR EXPERIENCED PLAYERS**
9.30am - 12.30 Location 8 Tallgrass Ave. Tewantin. Co-ordinator Joan 0419 670 771

MOVIE MORNINGS AT NOOSA EVENT CINEMAS
MOVIE MORNINGS WILL RESUME ON FEBRUARY 14TH AFTER SCHOOL HOLS
Co - Ordinator DOROTHY McCARTNEY 0418 477 699

PROBUS HAPPENINGS FOR FEBRUARY

Saturday 11th Feb **FD LITTLE HUMID BAR AND RESTAURANT** 235 Gympie Terrace Noosaville
12.15 or 1.00pm Order and pay on the day No BYO
WHICH SITTING WOULD YOU PREFER ??????????

Tuesday 14th Feb **MOVIE MORNING AT NOOSA EVENT CINEMAS .**
Times and Movie TBA 1 week before
Dorothy 0418 477 699

Sunday 19th Feb **LUNCH AT IZZY CHAI** BYO \$6.00 PER BOTTLE **ALL WELCOME**
AFTERWARDS AT 2.00PM MATINEE OF "SHORTS ON STAGE"
@ NOOSA ARTS THEATRE
ORDERING PRIOR TO 12.00 NOON IS IMPORTANT.
NON THEATRE GOERS VERY WELCOME TO JOIN FOR LUNCH

Saturday 25th Feb **LUNCH AT THE BAREFOOT BAR AND GRILL** 269 Gympie Tce Noosaville
12 noon or 1.00pm Order and pay on the day No BYO
WHICH SITTING WOULD YOU PREFER ??????????

Tuesday 28th Feb **PROBUS GENERAL MEETING** followed by game of Trivia if time permits.
10.00 for 10.30 Lunch in Bistro afterwards Trivia & Lunch are both optional

PROBUS HAPPENINGS FOR MARCH

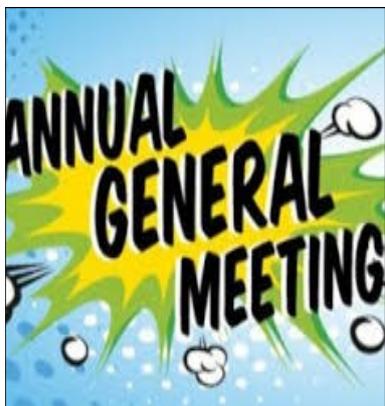
***THE PROBUS CLUB OF TEWANTIN- NOOSA, INC
NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY MARCH 28TH, 2023
AT TEWANTIN NOOSA RSL CLUB
COMMENCING AT 11.00 A.M.
FOLLOWING THE GENERAL MEETING BEING HELD ON THAT
DATE***

A G E N D A

1. President opens meeting and welcomes members.
2. Apologies
3. Confirmation that a quorum is present
4. Confirmation of the Minutes of last year's AGM
5. Business arising from last year's AGM Minutes
6. Correspondence (addressed to this year's AGM)



**THE MINUTES OF THE 2022 ANNUAL
GENERAL MEETING WILL BE AVAILABLE
FOR PERUSAL AT THE AGM**



**REMEMBER THAT AT THE AGM ALL COMMITTEE
POSITIONS ARE DELCLARED VACANT**

**Are you thinking of nominating for a
position on the committee for 2023/24???**
Please talk to Gay re nomination forms.

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DAVID MOSLEY

NON COMMITTEE

BOOK SWAP & REVIEW

PAM MAKEPEACE

CLUB HISTORIAN

WANDA BOYLES

MEETERS AND GREETERS

RHODA DENISSEN

PAM MAKEPEACE

TREASURER'S ASSISTANT

JUDY SAULTRY

LUCKY DOOR PRIZE

JOAN TULLO

AUDIO VISUAL ETC

GEOFF BAILUE 0418 14 50 34

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE-



President's Message

I enjoyed the Lunar New Year Lunch on Thursday the 2nd. My food was delicious. The service was a little slow but we have to expect that with limited staff and a big table.

Activities planned for the rest of February and March are printed in this Newsletter. Why not make a note of the dates in your diary now to avoid disappointment as some of the lunches are restricted to just twelve guests at two sittings.

Nominations close on February 28th for positions on the Management Committee. Whilst good computer skills are needed in some of the positions, there are always jobs for people who enjoy chatting on the telephone and generally helping out. If you would like to become involved, please give me a call on 0419 670 771 and we can discuss suitable roles.

The annual Membership fee of \$35 per annum is due for payment on or before April 1st. It can be paid on line. BSB is 633000 and the Account No. is 184184273. Please make sure you include your name. If you would prefer to pay in cash, please place your \$35 in an envelope with your name printed on the envelope and give it to Judy Saultry at the next meeting.

As it is so close to the end of the Probus year, the Management Committee has agreed that any new members joining between now and April 1st will have membership through until the end of March, 2024.

Rummikub lessons start on Wednesday 8th in the bistro of the RSL from 1 to 2.30. If this time doesn't suit you, there will be other opportunities shortly.

I have been asked to explain that the \$6 entry charge is not just for morning tea. It covers our exclusive use of the area where we meet, the use of the audio video equipment plus associated costs such as cleaning and insurance. The Management Committee has looked at other venues but the RSL is the most suitable and cost effective. It has a large underground car park and is convenient for members who rely on buses for transport.

Have you noted in your diary yet that the April meeting will be on the 18th of April this year as the fourth Tuesday of the month is Anzac Day?

Looking forward to see you at the next meeting, if not before.

Joan Page

PROBUS HAPPENINGS FOR MARCH

- Sunday 5th** **FD FRENCHIES BRASSERIE 4 THOMAS ST NOOSAVILLE** **NO BYO**
TIME TBA
- Wednesday 8th** **RUMMIKUB LESSONS FOR BEGINNERS IN THE RSL BISTRO**
1.00 - 2.30pm
Lunch before hand optional
Temporary co-ordinator Joan Page 0419 670 771
- Tuesday 14th** **MOVIE MORNING AT NOOSA EVENTS CINEMA**
Time and movie to be advised one week prior
- Sunday 19th** **LUNCH AT THE NOOSA GOLF CLUB**
12.30pm
46 Cooroy Noosa Rd Tewantin Seniors meals from \$14.00 pp
- Thursday 23rd** **BREAKFAST BRUNCH IN THE PARK BY THE NOOSA RIVER**
9.30am
in the large Picnic Shelter near the stage more details to follow
- Sunday 26th** **LUNCH AT GRENNY'S RESTAURANT 197 GYMPIE TERRACE** **NO BYO**
Time TBA
- Tuesday 28th** **MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING FOLLOWED BY THE**
10am for 10.30
DUE TO THE AGM THERE WILL BE NO SPEAKER
AT THIS MEETING
Trivia to follow & Lunch in Bistro afterwards
Both of which are optional ??????????



MEMBERS BIRTHDAYS

Feb:- Joan Page

March:- Joan Tullo, Tom Connop, Hilary French

April:- Pam Makepeace

Members and visitors be advised that the \$6 charged for morning tea also covers room hire, use of audio-visual equipment, cleaning and insurance. Whether or not people partake in the morning tea offered is entirely up to them.

SAVE THIS DATE



Members of the Tewantin-Noosa Probus Club
You are cordially invited to celebrate the coronation of
King Charles the 111 and Queen Camilla
and our Probus Club's 21st Anniversary
on Thursday, May 18th, 2023

VENUE:- *The Royal Pavilion next to the stage in the park beside the*
Noosa River

Happy Chinese New Year 新年快乐

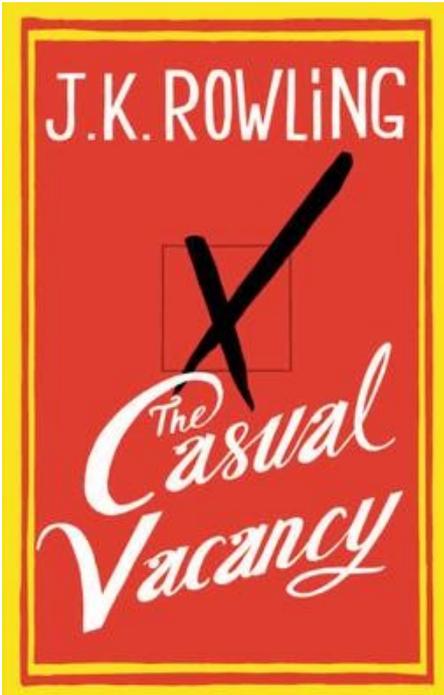


The Thomsons and visitor Tschutcha





THE CASUAL VACANCY by J K ROWLING



The Casual Vacancy

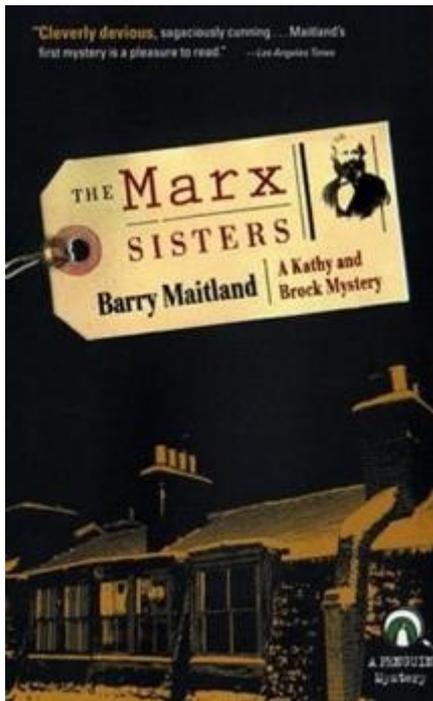
Is a 2012 novel written by J. K. Rowling. The book was published worldwide by the Little, Brown Book Group on 27 September 2012. A paperback edition was released on 23 July 2013.

It was Rowling's first publication since the *Harry Potter* series, her first apart from that series, and her first novel for adult readership.

The novel is set in a suburban West Country town called Pagford and begins with the death of beloved parish councillor Barry Fairbrother. Subsequently, a seat on the council is vacant and a conflict ensues before the election for his successor takes place.

Factions develop, particularly concerning whether to dissociate with a local council estate, 'the Fields', with which Barry supported an alliance. However, those running for a place soon find their darkest secrets revealed on the Parish Council online forum, ruining their campaign and leaving the election in turmoil.

Major themes in the novel are class, politics, and social issues such as drugs, prostitution and rape.

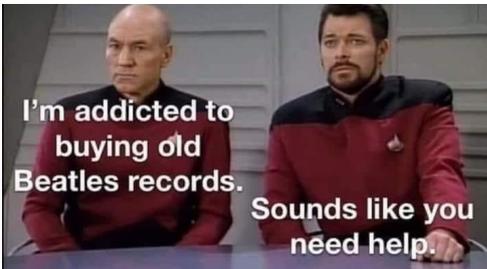


The Marx Sisters by Aussie author Barry Maitland is a great crime/mystery novel – first in the Brock and Kolla series, The twist at the end surprised me as I thought I'd worked it out! I have thoroughly enjoyed this author's work in the past and this one didn't disappoint. *Highly recommended.*

The death of the elderly Meredith Winterbottom could easily have been from natural causes – but lead investigator Detective Sergeant Kathy Kolla was suspicious. Living with her two sisters, Eleanor and Peg, the three women were refusing to leave their apartment in Jerusalem Lane in London, where developers were gradually buying everyone out in the surrounding area. But the ladies were determined to stay where they had been for many years. Partnering Kathy for this case was Scotland Yard Inspector David Brock – which seemed odd in itself – but Kathy found herself getting along with Brock and when they bounced ideas off each other, came up with some sound answers. But when papers came to light connected to the late Karl Marx, both Kathy and Brock wondered if there was more to the case than there seemed...



Bev apologises if she missed out saying cheerio to anybody but in the end everything in their move happened so quickly, but rest assured that she will be back in Noosa from time to time and will hope to catch up with you then. Editor



Pete the serial flasher was thinking of retiring...



But he's gonna stick it out for another year



I visited a monastery and as I walked past the kitchen I saw a man frying chips. I asked him "Are you the friar?" He replied "No, I'm the chip monk..."



When I lost the fingers on my right hand in a freak accident, I asked the doctor if I would still be able to write with it. He said, "Probably, but I wouldn't count on it" 😂

