



The PROBUS LANTZVILLE CLUB NEWSLETTER

July 2017

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P.O. Box 514, Lantzville, BC, V0R 2H0

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



We are so lucky to live in such a beautiful place. Our club excursion down the Alberni Inlet on the Frances Barkley last Sunday was such fun. We saw bright sunshine, clouds, fog banks and some of the most beautiful scenery on the planet. Special thanks go out to Lynda Farrell for organizing the trip.

The summer has started with a bang with no rain since June 20th. Sadly the extreme heat has caused many destructive forest fires and some of our fellow BC citizens have had to evacuate their homes and some have lost them. Our thoughts go out to them at this time.

Our summer Bar-B-Q is on Tuesday August 22nd at the Cottonwood Golf Club. **Make sure you bring your chequebook to the General Meeting on July 20th**, and get your tickets for this fun event, as this will be the last meeting before the event.

Summer is when our friends and family love to come visit us. Our daughter and her family are arriving from Sherwood Park, Alberta on July 28th. We are very excited to spend about 10 busy days with them. They just love to come home for their holiday.

I hope everyone enjoys the rest of the summer.

Barry Chapman, President

Thursday 20th July – General Meeting

9:30 am – Costin Hall

(Please Remember To Bring Your Coffee Cups)

No Promotion, Advertisements Or Solicitation For Non-Probus Related Causes Is Permitted At Our General Meetings Or Our Activities

MEMBERSHIP

As of July 11th we had **198** members. A copy of the current members list is available upon request by email from Dan Tettamanti (dstettamanti@hotmail.com).

MEETING NOTICES

JUNE 22nd (last meeting)

Click [here](#) to open the minutes.

JULY 20th (next meeting)

Speaker – Mike Hooper

July's speaker will be Mike Hooper, President and CEO of the Nanaimo Airport. He will speak to us about his job, and about issues facing the airport.

AUGUST – No meeting (Summer barbeque, August 22nd)

BIRTHDAYS

JULY

Adele Klatt, Alan Whittall, Dan Hopkins, Don Day, Edna Coté, Eric Kjerulf, Joan Moody, John Halliwell, John Yurichuk, Judy Schell, Leslie Sorsdahl, Mary McCafferty, Nick Becir, Norman Myden, Valorie Wakelin.

AUGUST

Barry Chapman, Bev Johnson, Carole Bullock, Don Johnston, Earl Johnson, Eleanor Langer, Helen Lemmon, Joan Lapointe, Joan Sawicki, Lawrence Johnson, Linda Freeman, Lola Denesyk, Maura Maguire, Ray Hudson, Ronald Medd, Sandy Rodgers, Tom Ellis.

ACTIVITY NOTICES

Walking Group (Wednesdays)

The walks all start at 10:00, unless noted below. Try coming a little earlier, as we leave promptly at 10:00am.

- July 19** Morrell Sanctuary – off the Parkway take the 5th Street exit; at Wakesiah turn right, and then right again at Nanaimo Lakes Road. Meet in the parking lot at Morrell Sanctuary.
- July 26** Cable Bay / Dodds Narrows – follow Cedar Road to McMillan Road. Right on Holden Corso and watch for the small red Cable Bay sign on the left side of road. Meet at the parking lot at Cable Bay. Bring a lunch to eat at the Narrows.
- August 2** Harbour Front – meet in the parking lot at Maffeo Sutton Park.
- August 9** Rath Trevor Park, Parksville – Meet in the public parking lot at Rath Trevor.
- August 16** Neck Point – Meet in the parking lot at Neck Point.
- August 23** Westwood Lake – Turn right off the Parkway at the second Jingle Pot Road. Turn left and follow the signs to Westwood Lake.
- August 30** Englishman River – As you enter Parksville, turn left at the first light (tourist centre) and right on the first road. Parking is on the left side of the road right after you make your turn.

Coordinators: Doreen Schaefer, 250-729-8007 and Phil Wilson, 250-468-9418.

Dining Out Group

Saturday, July 29th @ 6:00 PM

Fish Tales café

3336 W Highway Qualicum Beach (1 250 752-6053)

Coordinator: Helen C Lemmon, 250 753-6681 kenlem@telus.net

Pub Night

- July 18** Rocking Horse, Nanoose
- Aug** *No pub night*
- Sept 19** Landlubber, Nanaimo
- Oct 18** Wheatsheaf, Cedar
- Nov. 21** Longwood Brew Pub, Nanaimo
- Dec** *No pub night*

Coordinator: Alan Whittall, 250 729-3108

Summer Barbeque

Our annual Probus Summer BBQ will be held Tuesday, August 22, 2017 at Cottonwood Golf Course. Some members like to take advantage of the location to play a round of golf before the afternoon's organized activities. The activities will begin at 2:00pm followed by a buffet dinner at 5:30pm. We hope you will come out and enjoy some fun and friendship in this lovely location.

Blocks of golf tee times have been made beginning at 9:39am for 18 holes (\$45 tax included with optional cart seat at \$15 tax included), and at 11:36am for 9 holes (\$25 tax included with optional cart seat at \$10 tax included). Those wishing to play golf are asked to sign up at the meeting when they purchase their tickets. Golfers then simply turn up at those tee times, pay their own green fees and enjoy a round of golf. Golfers will be back in time to participate in the fun activities if they wish to do so.

The Buffet Menu consists of a **single** choice of AAA New York Striploin, **OR** 5 oz. Chicken Breast **OR** Salmon. The rest of the buffet consists of Caesar Salad, Baby Spinach Salad, Montreal Herb Roasted Potatoes, Glazed Carrots and Parsnips, fresh baked Buns and an assortment of Dessert Squares and Fruit Tarts.

The cost will be \$25 for members and \$31 for guests. Tickets will be available at the General Meeting on July 20th. **Note that this is the last meeting before the event.**

CLUB NOTICE

Notice of Call for Nominations

As your Past-President it is my duty to chair the Nominating Committee for 2017 and to issue a call to the general membership for nominations to the Management Committee. The other members of the Nominating Committee are **Trevor Cradduck** and **Gary Brothers**. In accordance with the Club Policies and Procedures the positions of **Vice-President**, **Secretary** and **Treasurer** are open for nomination effective immediately. Nominations made on the forms below must be received by the Nominating Committee **before August 21st, 2017** and must include the nominee's signature confirming their willingness to serve in the capacity for which they are nominated. Those elected will take office effective September 28th, 2017, following the General Meeting on that date.

Please note that nominations will **NOT** be accepted from the floor at the Annual General Meeting.

Phil Wilson

Past-President, Chair – Nominating Committee

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ELECTION OF OFFICERS -- Annual General Meeting – September 28, 2017

NAME of person nominated: _____ Phone: _____

POSITION: (Please check one) Vice-President ____ Secretary ____ Treasurer ____

I consent to my nomination for the above position

Signature of Nominee:

Nominated By: _____ Phone: _____

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