

Probus Club of Maple Ridge FACT SHEET #4

JANUARY 2019

FACT #1. Costs

The Probus Club of Maple Ridge is a Not-For-Profit club. We just have to ensure that our expenses are covered by the Initiation Fee and the Annual Dues.

The charges are:

1-time Initiation Fee: \$40.00 per person

Annual Dues: \$50.00 per person

FACT #2. Meetings

The Probus Club of Maple Ridge meets on the third Thursday of each month, from 10 am to noon, excepting August and December. We meet at:

**Meadow Gardens Golf Club, 19675 Meadow Gardens Way
Pitt Meadows BC, V3Y 1Z2. (604) 465-5474**

FACT #3. Meeting structure

All Probus members receive a meeting Agenda by email. Typically, members arrive for the meeting early, using the time for social interaction. At 10:00 am, the President will start the meeting. Business matters are discussed succinctly. When required, there are short updates from the Special Interest Group Convenors. After a second socializing period has taken place, members and guests listen to the invited speaker. The speaker's presentation and Q&A segment typically lasts around 45 - 60 minutes. After the meeting closes, members and guests can enjoy lunch at the Golf Club.

FACT #4. Links to Probus websites

Probus Club of Maple Ridge

<<http://www.ProbusClubOfMapleRidge.org>>

Probus Canada

<<https://www.probus.org>>

FACT #5. Past Principal Meetings

THE FOUNDATION MEETING was held on
Thursday, January 18th, 2018

THE CHARTER MEETING took place on
Thursday, February 15th, 2018

FACT #6. Special Interest Groups

Augmenting the monthly meetings, Probus offers additional activities. *Special Interest Groups* suggested by members, can include: Bridge, computers, hiking, photography, bowling, walking, book club. Visits organized by Probus to local manufacturing or research facilities are also very popular.

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