



PROBUS Club of Milton



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A SOCIAL CLUB FOR RETIRED PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS PERSONS,
FORMER EXECUTIVES AND OTHERS

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NOVEMBER 2020						
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**Next Meeting: Wednesday Nov. 4th
10:00 am - Zoom Meeting**

Greeters: N/A

Coffee & Tea: N/A

Speaker: Ellin Bessner- Canadian Jews,
the Military and World War 11

Member experiences: Diane Miller

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From our President:



I am scribbling this message several weeks after Thanksgiving, yet I am still firmly in a thankful state of mind. When I search for the reason, I discover that the culprit is the season. It is Fall. The “Goldilocks” season – not too hot; not too cold – just right. The weather is of course very changeable. But to my mind, that just makes the intermittent warm, sunny days all the more glorious. The trees have abandoned their uniform green for a full spectrum of red, orange, and yellow. Walking our treasured Bruce Trail, I breathe in clean air and celebrate the sounds of wind in the trees above me and waves on the shore below. Everywhere, farmers’ fields are abuzz with the bustle of harvest. We feast on local produce and take pleasure in piles of pumpkins and gourds that decorate doorways and driveways. In cities and towns, the once lonely school playgrounds ring with the unadulterated joy of children at recess play.

The arrival of autumn marks the resumption of regular Probus activities. With great speakers in September and October, we have stepped out, “zooming” in the right direction. Our Walking Group is striding strong in the crisp air of autumn. The Suds Sippers hoisted their Oktoberfest steins and asked the existential question, “what happens when ale and pumpkin collide”? Our card players have visions of being blessed with a Grand Slam, a Lone Hand or a Euchre, knowing that good fellowship is always freely dealt out at monthly gatherings.

Yes, I have a cornucopia of gifts to be thankful for. Collectively, our daily experience invites us to express our thankfulness through a positive relationship with our families, our friends and our community. I am thankful that Canada’s designated holiday of Thanksgiving occurs in the glories of October and not the chill of late



November! Yes, turkey, mashed potatoes and gravy, dressing, brussel sprouts and cranberry sauce and pumpkin pie have once again turned our tables into “groaning boards”! At my house, roast turkey isn’t just a meal for Thanksgiving and Christmas. For years, Kathy and I have roasted a bird whenever the spirit (and hunger) moved us. In a small way, this has reminded me that you don’t need a special excuse to be thankful.

My November hope for each of you is that a focus on the people and events for which you give thanks will buoy you up in the closing months of the year.

David Wentzell
President

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From the Secretary (Walter Eadie 905-691-5100 (walter.eadie@cogeco.ca))

Your Management Committee now meets monthly by Zoom videoconferencing. The team has adapted well to the new format and the meetings are friendly and productive.

The most recent meeting was on October 19th

- The Club bank balance is over \$8200 as a consequence of significantly reduced expenditures.
- The October general meeting again attracted about 60 participants. The ‘breakout rooms’ were judged to have been a success and the October format will be retained for November
- Surprisingly few people watched the on-line recording of the meeting. We will continue to promote this to make members aware of this option.
- A new membership application has been received, together with another expression of interest. It was agreed to extend next year’s \$25 new membership fee to those joining in the balance of 2020.
- We would like to see our members engage in some ‘out-of-the-box’ thinking and suggest some new activities or events that would be suitable for our current ‘virtual’ operations.

From our Vice President (Shirley Mathews 905-636-8680; mathews@sympatico.ca)

Greetings everyone and Happy Hallowe’en!

We are in need of members to participate in a Member Experience during our Zoom General Meetings.

It could be your favourite trip away, a hobby, a life or work memoir, etc.

It’s an opportunity to contribute to the enrichment of the Club, and potentially to sharpen your public speaking skills and learn a little more about how Zoom works.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Naming our Newsletter

In the early 70's, the band America rode through the desert on a horse with no name. Loblaw's "No Name" grocery product line that launched with 16 items in 1978, now has over 2900 products packaged in yellow and black. There are roads and streets in Hackensack, Minnesota; Carbondale, Illinois; and even in downtown Squamish, B.C. that are purposely named "No Name".

Your Management Committee has decided that what is good for song lyrics, grocery sales and municipal addresses just won't do any longer for the Milton Probus Club Newsletter. Yes, we want a Newsletter with a Name. And we are looking to our members' creative talents to come up with that moniker. All you have to do is submit your suggestions for an appropriate appellation to any member of management before the end of November. We already have a number of entries, but we welcome more. The December issue of the Newsletter will be the last one "With No Name". Together with the December issue will be a ballot with the best names and members will have until Boxing Day to vote for their top choices.

We all know there are challenges with naming contests. A British polar exploration ship dubbed "Boaty McBoatface"; "SS Should Have Been a Bridge" for a BC Ferry" and "Mister Splashy Pants" for a Greenpeace protected humpback whale are just a few of the celebrated naming contest fiascos. We can do better! Have some fun, enter your Name for the Newsletter. Help us Give our Headlines a Handle.

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From the Editor: (David Hunt 905-875-0350 (angela.hunt@cogeco.ca))

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Finally!



A reminder that it is easy to view a recording of our general meeting from the comfort of home if you are unable to join on the first Wednesday of the month.

The internet link below provides easy, safe access to a video recording. We ask you to register so we can see how many people have watched the recording.

The October General Meeting is available for viewing until November 3rd at which time it will be removed. The Link below will take you to the site.

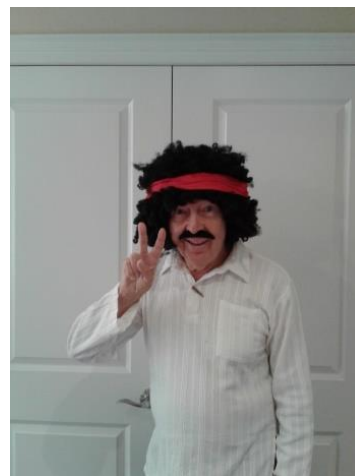
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Once you click on the link it takes you to a menu of Web Sites to use to open the Presentation.

I also used Google to down load by copying the Link to the Task Bar and again had no issues.

Zoom training is still available by contacting Bob Streeter (streeterb52@gmail.com). Whether it is to check your equipment or learn how to access Zoom, Bob can help.

A huge call out to Joe and Zina for their fantastic introduction and thank you to Daniel Aonso. Daniel's presentation on Woodstock was great and made all the more memorable by the Yaworski's in character support.



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Upcoming Speakers

November Speaker



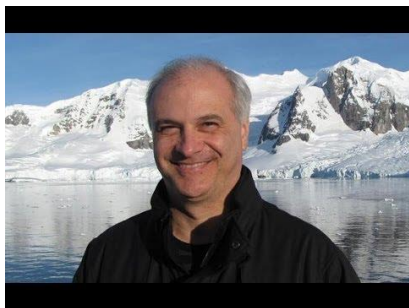
Ellin Bessner will be speaking to our Probus group November 4.

Ellin is a Canadian journalist and accomplished speaker based in Toronto. She is the author of a new book about Canada's Jewish servicemen and women who fought in the Second World War. The book is called *Double Threat: Canadian Jews, the Military, and World War II*.

We hope to raffle a copy of Ellin's book at our meeting.

Ellin will provide a general talk about the book's story as we prepare to mark the first ever Virtual Remembrance Day in November due to COVID.

December Speaker



Mark Terry is an Environmental Studies instructor at York University. He is one of Canada's real life explorers whose vast global travels have enabled him to make a documentary on every continent in the world.

He is the author of many books that address innovations in climate communications technologies as well as the COVID19 pandemic.

Mark recently wrote the book *Pandemic Poetry* that applies his varied life experiences and provides some hope and comfort for the world during the pandemic.

We look forward to an uplifting presentation by Mark.

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Upcoming Member Experiences:

November: Diane Miller

Diane will be talking about Memoirs and an approach to getting started at writing YOUR Stories.

December: Linda and Dan Reid

Reminiscence about 15 Years of the Milton Probus Club.....Happy Anniversary everyone!

From our Membership Director: (Anne Eadie 905-878-7143; eadies@cogeco.ca)

Prospective New Members Welcome!

Although we are not able to meet in person during Covid 19 the Milton Probus Club is alive & well and “Zooming”. We had a very successful September General meeting via Zoom with approximately 60 members enjoying a very entertaining presentation by the guest speaker.

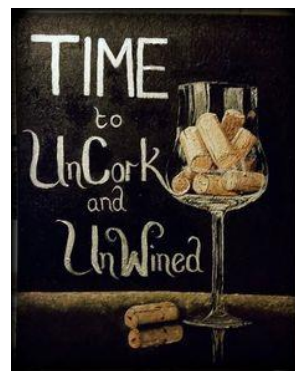
Now that the season of meetings has started, it is the time to invite your friends to join and enjoy the benefits of Probus. If you have any prospective members that you know would like to meet us you are encouraged to invite him/her/them as your guest(s) to a meeting. They can be introduced by you and welcomed in the same warm manner as always – albeit faces on a screen instead of in person.

They can still enjoy many of the benefits of membership, admittedly not the friendly hugs at the door or the coffee break chats, but interesting speakers are being secured for the general meetings (anticipated to be on Zoom for the foreseeable future) and many of the special interest groups continue to meet via Zoom or, in the case of the Monday morning “Happy Hikers” group, have a weekly social-distanced walk to keep their steps total growing. There is a second book club coming and some other new special interest groups just waiting in the wings for new members to join & enjoy.

In light of the fact that expenses for adding a new member are slightly lower during Covid 19, and to maintain the ongoing viability of our Club, Management Committee has decided to adjust the new member fee for 2021 to \$25. (Inclusive of the initiation fee).

So, come Zoom with us and if you intend to invite a guest to attend the October meeting send an email to David Wentzell so he can prepare the agenda to include them.

Anne Eadie, Membership Chair



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From our Fellowship Directors: (Marlene Murphy 905-659-2288; marlene_murphy@hotmail.com
Jim Miller 905-876-3105; jimmiller@rogers.com)

Greeting Cards



If you know of a member who is ill, hospitalized or lost a loved one, please advise the Fellowship Director or a member of the management committee.

If you or a fellow Probus member is moving out of the area, please inform us.



Travel

May 12 -18 2021 - Nashville and Memphis
(Terry Cole- Probus trip coordinator 905-875-0171)

Update:

Jane and Terry have been in regular contact with the folks at TOUR DESIGN.

The dates have been changed but the itinerary remains the same.

If anyone has any questions they can feel free to call us (905) 875-0171 or E-mail us at terryjane@sympatico.ca

Terry and Jane Cole

Special Events: (Susan Popp 905-876-3241; susulucky66@icloud.com and
Henry Popp 905-876-3241; hpopp1891@icloud.com)

As you know, all social events have been cancelled, and this will continue until the Probus Club of Milton is permitted to resume such activities. At this time, we do not know how long this will continue. When we are in a position to resume events, we will start off with some events that will seem appropriate and simple to arrange to get the ball rolling. While we wait for the situation to change, should anyone have ideas of events that they would like us to arrange, please email one of us with your suggestions, and we will look into whether or not they are feasible for our club.

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Special Interest Groups

1 Bits and Bites on Thursday night (Carol Elliott 905-875-3980; celliott7@cogeco.ca)

Bits and Bites continue in isolation mode. Just hoping everyone is staying safe and healthy. Hopefully we can get together when this virus passes. Miss all of you.

2 Bridge (Kathy Sellers 647-227-7036; kathleensellers@hotmail.com)

Two tables of bridge played some lively hands of cards on October 29th. We are having so much fun that we are not even bothering to keep score this year. We are all winners because we enjoy good cards, good fellowship and many laughs (but, alas, no bridge snacks....). The Bridge Group meets on the fourth Thursday of each month at 1:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome no matter your level of experience.

3 Canasta (Alice Carey 905-336-6309; carealic@sympatico.ca)

Canasta continues in isolation mode. The Canasta Group do not play Canasta In December.....our Canasta date in December is too near to Christmas.

Cannot believe I am actually mentioning "Christmas".....where has the Year gone.

When we were going through the year of Covid restrictions it seemed to drag out forever. Now that it's behind us the year seems to have flown past.

Strange????

4 Euchre (Darel & Carol Crawford 519-836-1985; dcraw4d@sympatico.ca)

There is no Report for the Euchre Group.

5 Friday Bid Euchre (Joe & Zina Yaworski 905-878-3959; joe_zina@hotmail.com)

Friday November 13th 1pm, Host John Williams.....cancelled

We were all looking forward to a ride to Collingwood to see how John and Carroll have settled in. However due to Covid 19 the trip has been cancelled.

Friday December 11th, 1pm, Host Zina Yaworski TBA

6 Wednesday Bid Euchre (Myra Faichnie 905-878-6615; billmyra@sympatico.ca)

Wednesday Bid Euchre continues in isolation mode.

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7 The Hiking Club (Co-Leader Terry Cole 905-845-0171; terryjane@sympatico.ca Leader Marilyn Morita 905-854-5046; george.morita@sympatico.ca)

To begin with, I have taken on the task of recording our weekly step count as well as writing the report for this newsletter. I must thank Alice Carey for the number of years she put into doing this job in such a diligent and classy manner. I know all members of the PWG will join me in offering our thanks for a job well done.

It has been a strange yet momentous month of October 2020. We of the PWG started the month with a major milestone. As the picture show we had 22 people attend to ensure that we reached the 80,000,000 steps. Thanks to participants. This also included several that did not attend the celebration but still faithfully reported their steps while maintaining social distancing. We have managed several group hikes (observing protocol for Covid) one was our community hike from the sport Centre, and a rather small group of brave souls (6) to Robert Edmondson CA during a damp morning. We were able to add to the numbers with people walking in their own neighborhoods. All in all we had a good turnout (averaging close to 20 participants) in both community walking and conservation area hiking.



8-1 Joker (Linda Reid 905-878-7717; dlreid@sympatico.ca)

The Joker players are in isolation mode

8-2 Jester Joker (Peter Sneyd 905-693-1708; psneyd@sympatico.ca)

The Jesters continue to be in isolation mode.

8-3 Wee Joker (Brian & Marlene Murphy 905-659-2288; brian_e_murphy@hotmail.com;



marlene_murphy@hotmail.com)

On the 75th Anniversary, let us remember those that lost their lives for our great country. Lest we forget.

We hope that everyone in Wee Jokers is doing well, staying safe and keeping busy.

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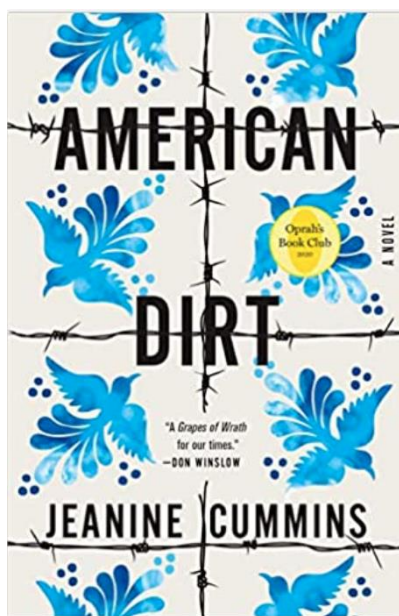
9 Spinecrackers (Nancy Lynn 905-319-0191; dhlynn@sympatico.ca)

September



Anne Deoni chose, **American Dirt** by Jeanine Cummins as our book for this month. It is the story of a Mexican bookseller and her son who have to escape their homeland after cartel-related violence. In the telling, we learn of the difficulties undocumented immigrants have travelling through Mexico to the United States and the lengths a mother would go to protect her son.

Once again we thank Dan for uploading the video of “The Beast” and to Walter for hosting an opportunity for our group to get together.

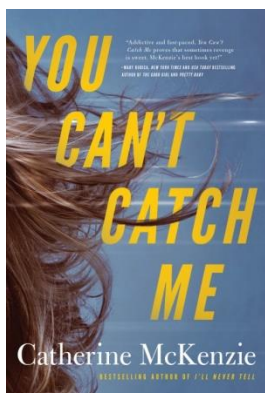


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October

Zoom has once more offered the opportunity for our group to discuss a novel as well as check in with each other. We shared Thanksgiving plans, commented about the chat room feature in the recent Probus meeting and here and there the ‘Trump’ word was heard.

Our consensus on the choice of book was generally that the premise was interesting but the author didn’t follow through. **You Can’t Catch Me** by Catherine McKenzie is a story of identity theft and a woman’s plan to catch the thief. Our exchanges morphed into the value and reasons for boarding schools, cult culture, and securing personal credit cards and information. Thanks once again fo Walter and Dan for facilitating all the techie stuff.



10 Grape Expectations Wine Club(Tom & Alice Carey 905-336-6309; carealic@sympatico.ca)

At our “Zoom Tasting” on September 22nd, the Carey’s chose, as their Theme, “Buy a Bottle of Wine That You Have Never “Tasted” Before (EVER!).

On “Zoom” we saw each Member taste their Wine of choice, be it red or white and give a short dissertation on “Aroma”. “Taste”, “any Aftertaste” etc., what they thought of their choice and whether they would recommend itor not!

The comments were varied from “ooh! I would buy that one again” to “Yuck ! not on your life”.

Some of our choices are shown below.

After our Tasting we all enjoyed chatting with one and other, catching up on how everyone was faring and contemplating on when our tastings would be back to normal, basically we are all missing the “around the table” discussions over Tea/Coffee and those scrumptious goodies.

Who will host in November??



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11 Suds Sippers Beer Tasting Club (Walter Eadie 905-691-5100; walter.eadie@cogeco.ca)

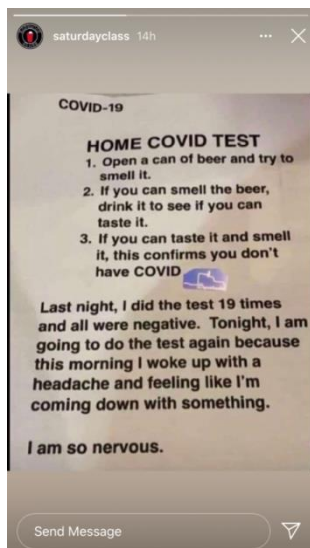
The Suds Sippers held their virtual Oktoberfest meeting on October 20th.

Each person brought one or two beers which suggested either Oktoberfest or Fall. That resulted in an interesting mix of ‘pumpkin ales’ and German beers which generated lots of opinions, comparisons, and accompanying stories. How about ‘Tales from the Pumpkin Patch’ or Hockey Mask’ for sipping on Halloween? If that’s not your style, we also heard about a Barge & Bike trip on the Rhine with lots of beer choices at each stop.



Did you know that only beer conforming to specified Bavarian purity rules and brewed within the city limits of Munich, can be served at the Munich Oktoberfest? (No, neither did we!). Did you know that brewers typically use 3-5 lbs. of mashed pumpkin for each 5 gallon batch? We didn’t know that either.

The point is that we are not beer experts, just a bunch of guys and gals who like to drink beer while sitting around chatting about everything under the sun. We’d love to have you to join us. Next meeting is November 17th.



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12 The Bookies (Diane Miller; dianemiller@rogers.com)

We just finished our second all be it first (*because only 3 including Walter showed up for the first one*) Probus Zoom Book Club meeting.

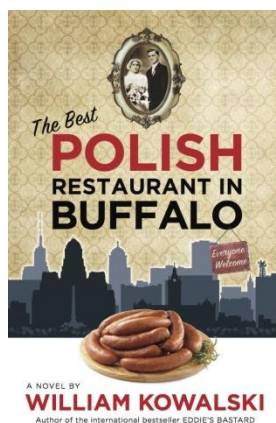
We have decided to call ourselves “**The Bookies**”.

We meet on the 3rd Wednesday of the month at 1:30 PM.

Our next meeting is: November 18, 2020

Our first book is titled: "**The Best Polish Restaurant in Buffalo**" by Willam Kowalski.

We will read it and then discuss it at our November meeting on November 18, 2020.



I will be the Bookies Book Club coordinator, if you want to call it that. Sending out the reminders and ZOOM link.

I haven't yet learned to keep my mouth shut... hahaha

If anyone would like to join us please have them contact me, I'm in the Probus directory.

NOTE: ...between us.

The first book can be obtained from me...

I got them from the distributor for \$5. each. Regular \$15.95, or even more on Amazon.

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13 Photography—(905-878-5862; david.g.wentzell@gmail.com)

The new Photography Special Interest Group met over zoom on October 27 to get things rolling. Our objective is to learn from each other, have fun with some Photo Challenges, hear from guest presenters, enjoy some photo hikes and generally polish our photography skills. We have a wide range of experience from Point-and-Shoot to Ambitious Amateur to Seasoned Professional. We meet on the third Tuesday of the month at 2 pm. Our November meeting is planned as our first Photo Challenge. Members will share their photos in three theme categories chosen by the group. All members are welcome to join us, whether you take pictures with your iPad, phone or DSLR. Email David Wentzell to receive the meeting invitation and the November Photo Challenge categories.



14 Classical Music—(905-878-5862; david.g.wentzell@gmail.com)

The new Classical Music Special Interest Group held its first gathering on October 26. Zoom technology brought us together to share a melodic afternoon. Participants contributed some samples of their favourite music. Highlights included piano from the fugues of Bach to the impressionism of Ravel, songs from the cathedral to the opera stage and a Beethoven movement that "made" a Hollywood movie. Angela Hewitt on piano provided "Can-con" and Thomas Dunford (aka: "Eric Clapton of the Lute") dazzled us with the 24 strings of his baroque instrument.

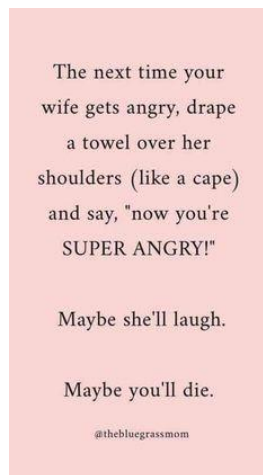
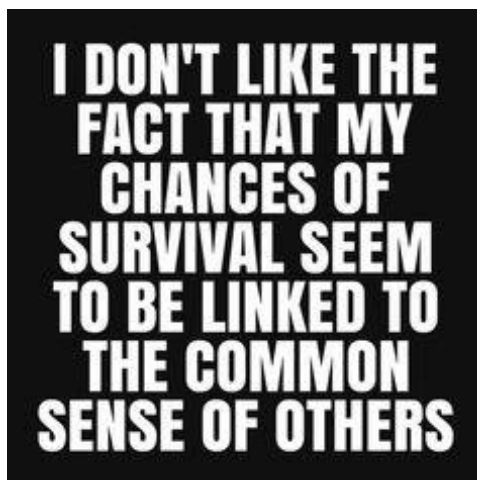
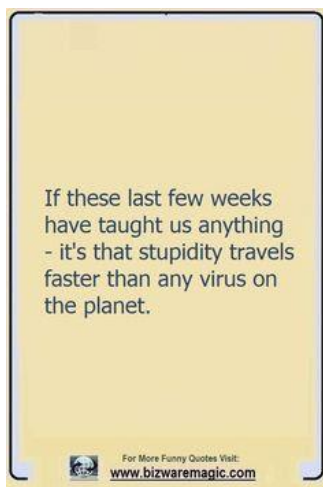
If any of this piques your interest, plan to join us at our next meeting on November 11, at 2 pm. Email me to receive the zoom invitation.



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Club Activity Schedule

Club	Date/Time	Convenor	Telephone	Email
Board Games – Jokers - <i>Joker</i>	1st Fri. - 1:30 pm	Linda Reid	905-878-7717	dlreid@sympatico.ca
Board Games – Jokers - <i>Jester Joker</i>	2nd Tues.- 1:30 pm	Peter Sneyd	905-693-1708	psneyd@sympatico.ca
Board Games – Jokers – <i>Wee Joker</i>	3rd Fri. - 1:30 pm	Brian Murphy	905-659-2288	b_e_murphy@hotmail.com
Book Club - <i>Spinecrackers</i>	2nd Thurs. - 1:30 pm	Nancy Lynn	905-319-0191	dhlynn@sympatico.ca
Book Club – <i>The Bookies</i>	3 rd Wed – 1:30 pm	Diane Miller		dianemiller@rogers.com
Classical Music	2 nd Wed. – 2:00 pm	David Wentzell	905-878-5862	david.g.wentzell@gmail.com
Cards - Bid Euchre - <i>Friday</i>	2nd Fri. - 1:00 pm	Zina Yaworski	905-878-3959	joe_zina@hotmail.com
Cards - Bid Euchre – <i>Wednesday</i>	4th Wed. - 1:30 pm	Myra Faichnie	905-878-6615	billmyra@sympatico.ca
Cards - Bridge	4th Thurs. - 1:00 pm	Kathy Sellers	647-227-7036	kathleensellers@hotmail.com
Cards - Canasta	4th Fri. - 1:00 pm	Alice Carey	905-336-6309	carealic@sympatico.ca
Cards - Euchre	3rd Wed. - 7:30 pm	Carol Crawford	519-836-1985	dcraw4d@sympatico.ca
Dining – <i>Bits and Bites</i>	3rd Thurs. - 5:00 pm	Carol Elliott	905-875-3980	celliot7@cogeco.ca
Photography	3 rd Tues. – 2:00 pm	David Wentzell	905-878-5862	david.g.wentzell@gmail.com
Probus Info Network - PIN	Online only - no meetings	Bill Turnbull	905-878-9573	turnbullwt@yahoo.com
Tastings – Beer – <i>Suds Sippers</i>	3rd Tues. - 7:00 pm	Walter Eadie	905-691-5100	walter.eadie@cogeco.ca
Tastings – Wine - <i>Grape Expectations</i>	4th Tues. - 7:00 pm	Alice Carey	905-336-6309	carealic@sympatico.ca
Travel – Event Coordinator		Zina Yaworski	905-878-3959	joe_zina@hotmail.com
Walkers – <i>The Hiking Club</i>	Every Mon. - 9:30 am	Marilyn Morita	905-854-5046	george.morita@sympatico.ca



Thanks Diane

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NOVEMBER CALENDAR

EVENT	DATE	TIME	LOCATION	CONVENOR
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Activities

General Meeting	Nov 4	10:00 AM	Zoom	David Wentzell
Executive Meeting	Nov 16	2:00 PM	Zoom	David Wentzell

Clubs

Probus Info Network - PIN				Bill Turnbull
Walkers – <i>The Hiking Club</i>	Nov 2	9:30 AM	E-mail notification	Marilyn Morita
Board Games – <i>Jokers - Joker</i>	Nov 6	1:30 PM	TBD	Linda Reid
Walkers – <i>The Hiking Club</i>	Nov 9	9:30 AM	E-mail notification	Marilyn Morita
Board Games – <i>Jokers – Jester Joker</i>	Nov 10	1:30 PM	TBD	Peter Sneyd
Classical Music	Nov 11	2:00 PM	Zoom	David Wentzell
Book Club - <i>Spinecrackers</i>	Nov 12	1:30 PM	Zoom	Nancy Lynn
Cards - Bid Euchre - <i>Friday</i>	Nov 13	1:00 PM	cancelled	Zina Yaworski
Walkers – <i>The Hiking Club</i>	Nov 16	9:30 AM	E-mail notification	Marilyn Morita
Photography	Nov 17	2:00 PM	Zoom	David Wentzell
Tastings - Beer – <i>Suds Sippers</i>	Nov 17	7:00 PM	Zoom Meeting	Walter Eadie
Dining – <i>Bits and Bites</i>	Nov 17	5:00 PM	TBD	Carol Elliott
Cards - Euchre	Nov 18	7:30 PM	TBD	Carol Crawford
Book Club – <i>The Bookies</i>	Nov. 18	1:30 PM	Zoom	Diane Miller
Board Games – <i>Jokers – Wee Joker</i>	Nov 20	1:30 PM	TBD	Brian Murphy
Walkers – <i>The Hiking Club</i>	Nov 23	9:30 AM	E-mail notification	Marilyn Morita
Tastings - Wine – <i>Grape Expectations</i>	Nov 24	7:00 PM	Zoom	Alice Carey
Cards - Bid Euchre - <i>Wednesday</i>	Nov 25	1:30 PM	TBD	Myra Faichnie
Cards - Bridge	Nov 26	1:00 PM	TBD	Kathy Sellers
Cards - Canasta	Nov 27	1:00 PM	Cancelled	Alice Carey
Walkers – <i>The Hiking Club</i>	Nov 30	9:30 AM	E-mail notification	Marilyn Morita



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DECEMBER CALENDAR

EVENT DATE TIME LOCATION CONVENOR

Activities

General Meeting	Dec 2	10:00 AM	Zoom	David Wentzell
Executive Meeting	Dec 21	2:00 PM	Zoom	David Wentzell

Clubs

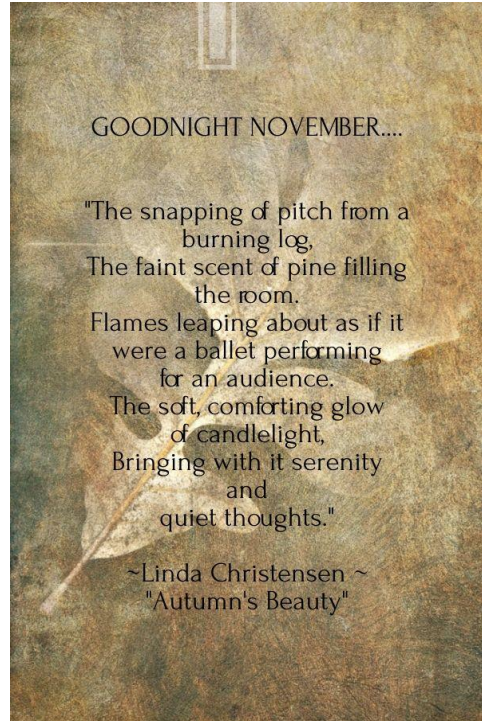
Probus Info Network - PIN				Bill Turnbull
Board Games – Jokers - <i>Joker</i>	Dec 4	1:30 PM	TBD	Linda Reid
Walkers – <i>The Hiking Club</i>	Dec 7	9:30 AM	E-mail notification	Marilyn Morita
Board Games – Jokers – <i>Jester Joker</i>	Dec 8	1:30 PM	TBD	Peter Sneyd
Classical Music	Dec 9	2:00 PM	Zoom	David Wentzell
Book Club - <i>Spinecrackers</i>	Dec 10	1:30 PM	Zoom	Nancy Lynn
Cards - Bid Euchre - <i>Friday</i>	Dec 11	1:00 PM	cancelled	Zina Yaworski
Walkers – <i>The Hiking Club</i>	Dec 14	9:30 AM	E-mail notification	Marilyn Morita
Photography	Dec 15	2:00 PM	Zoom	David Wentzell
Tastings - Beer – <i>Suds Sippers</i>	Dec 15	7:00 PM	Zoom	Walter Eadie
Cards - Euchre	Dec 16	7:30 PM	TBD	Carol Crawford
Book Club – <i>The Bookies</i>	Dec 16	1:30 PM	Zoom	Diane Miller
Dining – <i>Bits and Bites</i>	Dec 17	5:00 PM	Zoom	Carol Elliott
Board Games – Jokers – <i>Wee Joker</i>	Dec 18	1:30 PM	TBD	Brian Murphy
Walkers – <i>The Hiking Club</i>	Dec 21	9:30 AM	E-mail notification	Marilyn Morita
Tastings - Wine – <i>Grape Expectations</i>	Dec 22	7:00 PM	Zoom	Alice Carey
Cards - Bid Euchre - <i>Wednesday</i>	Dec 23	1:30 PM	TBD	Myra Faichnie
Cards - Bridge	Dec 24	1:00 PM	TBD	Kathy Sellers
Cards - Canasta	Dec 25	1:00 PM	cancelled	Alice Carey
Walkers – <i>The Hiking Club</i>	Dec 28	9:30 AM	E-mail notification	Marilyn Morita



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JOKES AND WISE WORDS OF THE MONTH

(Send your submission for possible inclusion in a future newsletter)



“But there is always a November space after the leaves have fallen when she felt it was almost indecent to intrude on the woods...for their glory terrestrial had departed and their glory celestial of spirit and purity and whiteness had not yet come upon them.”

— L.M. Montgomery, *Anne of Windy Poplars*

