



PROBUS NEWS

Women's Probud Club of
Cambridge Riverside

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MANAGEMENT TEAM 2019-2020

President	Alison Sanders
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President-Elect	Yvonne Yersh
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Secretary/Communications	Aline Chan
Program Co-Chairs	Jan Woynarski/Lyn Pinnington
Membership Chair	Anne Cher
Travel Chair	Lynda Berg
Newsletter Editor	Germaine Graves
Special Events Co-Chairs	Moraig Waite/Karen Barber
Public Relations	Linda Sims
Facility	Suzanne Cline

*Meeting is 2nd
Wednesday of
each month at
9:30 am*

Next Meeting

February 12th

Portuguese Club

***Greeters will be Mary
Ann Hubert and Mary
Ann Poland***

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

*Winter has arrived and the snow is welcome (but not the shoveling)!
Weren't we lucky to have good weather locally through our holiday season!*

*Let's remember those who have mobility, isolation and transportation
issues during the winter. We are an organization of seniors where some
need an extra hand or a chat at this time of year.*

*Do you know members, especially new ones, who live nearby or could be
introduced to members who live in their neighborhood, for a friendly
connection? Your membership list could help you with this task!*

We are rich in members who provide a helping hand. Thank you to all of you!



Alison

digital intelligence



Chris Vollum bio

FEBRUARY'S GUEST SPEAKER

Social Media has created a global shift in communication, engagement and access to information.

Educating and inspiring more than 700,000 participants to think differently about the online content they post, Chris Vollum illustrates the power, reach and influence that Social Media plays in their lives, and in the world today.

Through the lens of adding value to others first, expressing gratitude and cultivating empathy, Chris demonstrates that social media can be used as a force for good, and a viable tool for all.



NOTICE FROM NOMINATING COMMITTEE

This message is intended to ensure that ALL members are up-to-date on the proposed changes for the Membership Team in 2020-2021. Please note that the following two positions will be voted on at the AGM. Any member can present their name for consideration up to and including the AGM meeting in June.

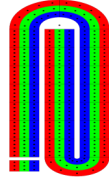
1. President-Elect—Cathy Coyle has agreed to place her name as a nominee
2. Public Relations—Linda Sims is resigning at the end of this year. Gloria Coppes has agreed to place her name as a nominee

Also, Karen Barber is resigning at the end of the year as co-chair of Special Events. Moraig Waite has agreed to continue as Chair. No vote is required for this change.

BREAKFAST CLUB

Next Probus **Saturday Breakfast Club** will be Feb 1st 10 am at **Symposium Café** 500 Can-Amera Pkwy.

Contact **Marg Johnstone**
margjjj@gmail.com to
reserve your spot.



CRIBBAGE

Cribbage group meets on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at **Queen's Square Terrace** from 1:30-3:30. The next date is **Feb 11th**. All are welcome, any level of play. For more information please contact **Suzanne Cline** at sclinearmstrong@gmail.com

Thinking of You Cards

If you know of a Probus member in need of a card, please contact **Marg DeBrusk**



The **Probus Breakfast Club** met for its January breakfast at **Queen's Restaurant, Hespeler.**

MYSTERY WOMAN

Sue Sturdy was January's Mystery Woman. Congratulations Sue !



PROBIAN PROFILE

Lynda Berg



I have been a member of Probus for 12 years. I was born in Carluke & have one sister & one brother. I've worked at Ryerson & Tait St. Public Schools & was a Primary lead at Sandhills, Kitchener. My daughter is a physiotherapist & my son is an actor. I have lived in Kitchener with my best friend Bob for 27 years. My interests are cooking, hiking, wine touring, book club, travelling & singing. I am happy to have a loving, successful family, an amazing teaching career, good health & great friends to share a glass of wine with.

EXCITING TRIPS

June 14-17, 2020 OH SO GRAND SIGNATURE TOUR Come along on our first **MYSTERY TOUR**. All you need is your passport. Cost per person: Twin \$999

September 13-15, 2020 MANITOULIN ISLAND—THE STORIED LAND Discover the stories of Manitoulin Island as told by the Anishinabek people. Cost per person: Twin \$779

Come join us on these great trips. Phone Kelly Fields to book 519-894-8087

DAY TRIPS

Thursday May 7, 2020 McMICHAEL ART COLLECTION—CELEBRATING 100 YEARS OF GROUP OF SEVEN Come along as we take in the sights & history on a guided tour through the McMichael Gallery. Cost per person: Twin \$105

Tuesday June 23, 2020 PORT STANLEY TRIP with June Ayhart
Shopping, History Walk & visit to June's home.

Wednesday October 21, 2020 IMAGES OF THE MENNONITES: PAST & PRESENT A Cultural Learning Experience lead by Warren Stauch.

Contact **Lynda Berg**



Probus Special Interest Groups

COMMITTEE	CONTACT	MEETING TIME
Travel	Lynda Berg	<i>Third Wednesday at Lynda's home</i>
Book Club #1	Marg Johnstone	<i>Fourth Thursday, Donaldson Room, Centre for the Arts</i>
Book Club #2	Diane Day	<i>Fourth Wednesday, 1 pm, rotating members' homes</i>
Book Corner	Cathy Coyle	<i>Table at every Probus meeting</i>
Bridge #1	Elizabeth Long	<i>First Thursday, 1 pm, rotating members' homes</i>
Bridge #2	Elizabeth Long	<i>Second Tuesday, 1 pm, rotating members' homes.</i>
Bridge #3	Elizabeth Long	<i>Third Friday, 1 pm, rotating members' homes</i>
Bridge #4	Elizabeth Long	<i>Third Thursday, 1 pm, rotating members' homes</i>
Bridge #5	Elizabeth Long	<i>Fourth Thursday, 1 pm, rotating members' homes</i>
Euchre	Norma Johnston/ Brenda Innanen	<i>Every Monday, rotating members' homes.</i>
Sharps & Flats	Marg DeBrusk	<i>First Wednesday, 12 pm, Galtview Restaurant</i>
Walking Club	Merrily Walker	<i>Every Monday 9:30 am, local trail hike followed by coffee. Location emailed</i>
Lunch Bunch	Julia Boyd	<i>Third Thursday, 12:30-2:30 pm, various locations, sign up at meeting</i>
Computer Club	June Ayrhart	<i>Check flyer on bulletin board at Probus meetings</i>
Purls Craft Group	Dot MacMillan	<i>First Thursday, 10:30-12, Fabric Arts Studio, Floor 2A, Centre for the Arts</i>
Greeters	Linda Sims	<i>Volunteers welcome</i>
Bowling	Sally De Leonardis	<i>First Wednesday 3:30-5, Kingpin Bowling Cambridge Centre</i>
Quilting	Aline Chan	<i>Last Thursday 9:30-11:30, St. James Church, Ellis Rd. Hespeler</i>
Board Games	Ethel Craig	<i>First Friday 1-4, St. James Church, Ellis Rd., Hespeler</i>
Cribbage	Suzanne Cline	<i>Second Tuesday 1:30, Queen's Square Terrace, Activity Room</i>
Breakfast Club	Marg Johnstone	<i>First Saturday 10 am, various locations</i>

INCLEMENT WEATHER

It's that time of year again to start planning for foul weather. In the event that a Probus meeting is cancelled due to weather conditions, an email will be sent out to **all Probians on the membership list by 7:00 am the morning of the meeting.** If you do not have email, please ensure that you buddy up with someone who does.



Final Submissions for March's newsletter is February 20th 2020.