



PROBUS NEWS

Women's Probus Club of
Cambridge Riverside

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JUNE MEETING OF THE WOMEN'S PROBUS CLUB OF CAMBRIDGE RIVERSIDE HAS BEEN CANCELLED

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

(Barb Camilleri, Noreen Mikelsons, Stasia MacLeod, Annette Vaughan)

MAY 2020

In the last newsletter we asked for further nominations to positions open on the Management Committee for the year 2020-2021. Since there were no additional nominations sent in by the membership, all those who allowed their names to stand are acclaimed.

The following is your Management Committee for 2020-2021:

President.....Yvonne Yersh
Past president.....Alison Sanders
President-Elect.....VACANT
Secretary.....Aline Chan
Treasurer.....Suzanne Cline
Program Co-Chairs.....Jan Woynarski/Lyn Pinnington
Membership Chair.....Anne Cher
Travel Chair.....Lynda Berg
Newsletter Editor.....Germaine Glaves
Special Events Chair.....Moraig Waite
Public Relations.....Gloria Coppes
Facility Co-Chairs.....Patrice Wappler/Linda Stoltz

Our sincere thanks to Barb Camilleri, Jennifer Ghent-Fuller, Karen Barber, and Linda Sims for their contribution to the management team in 2019-2020. The new Management Team will commence duties effective June 1, 2020.

MEMBERSHIP FORM

FOR 2020-2021 IS ON

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NEWSLETTER.

PLEASE USE THIS FORM

**ONLY AS THERE HAVE
BEEN SOME CHANGES.**

(Details on Page 2)

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

*Portuguese
Club*

Next Meeting

*September 9th
(tentative)*

A MESSAGE FROM THE PAST PRESIDENT

Hello everyone!

We live in strange times but our fellowship, friendships and support for each other are key to the vibrant success of our Probud Club. Our monthly club meetings, Committees and Interest Groups allow us to interact with each other in meaningful ways once a month and more. Friendships are formed and enrich our lives.

Lately this has been at arms length but the interaction at a distance is now even very important. Until we are able to meet again in person telephone outreach is particularly meaningful. We have an Outreach Committee who will be making calls but random "how are you calls" throughout the summer to people you know and do not know will help to keep everyone's spirits up until we can meet again in person.

I have felt privileged and thankful for your support during my Presidency this year and I know you will give lots of support to Yvonne and her team who take over in June.



Alison

Membership Renewals

The Management Committee works very hard to ensure that we are on a firm financial footing and that club funds are spent wisely to provide interesting and stimulating activities for all our members, including engaging speakers, interesting meetings, social events, travel opportunities and a wide range of interest groups.

At our March meeting, the membership agreed that in order to have a reliable cash flow during the summer, rather than doing our annual membership renewals and collection of annual dues in September, we would do it in May/June. Membership renewal forms went out with the May newsletter and a large number of members have already sent in their renewals.

The situation with COVID19 has posed a lot of questions about when we will be able to meet again as a group, how that might work and when interest groups will be able to start up again. We are following all the recommendations sent out by Probus Canada, Public Health officials and municipal, provincial and federal levels of government. We will resume activities as quickly and as safely as we can, and that may incur unexpected costs for additional health and safety measures.

Rest assured that we are closely monitoring the situation and will keep everyone informed. Whatever the situation, if there is a surplus of funds at the end of the budget year (April 30, 2021), we will ensure that it is handled in such a way that the club's financial position is solid and that members are fairly treated.



IMPORTANT NOTICE

As the original candidate has had to withdraw

WE HAVE A VACANCY
FOR PRESIDENT-ELECT

THEREFORE

**Please consider volunteering for the
PRESIDENT-ELECT position**

OR

NOMINATING ANOTHER MEMBER

**Please contact a member of the
Nominating Committee**

Or

Management Committee

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL INFORMATION

Membership renewals can be paid by cheque or e-transfer. Fee is \$75. Renewal date is **June 30th, 2020**. Please indicate on your renewal form if you are paying by e-transfer. Your renewal form still needs to be sent to Anne Cher. Anne will accept renewal forms by email, mail or dropped off in her mailbox. Her address is:

583 Champlain Blvd., Cambridge N1R 7V2
(anne.cherwonogrodzky@gmail.com).

Instructions to pay by e-transfer are as follows:

You need to sign into your own bank account online. Then put in instructions for an eTransfer to Women's Probus Club of Cambridge Riverside

At the email address

camrivprob@gmail.com

TRAVEL UPDATE

HAMILTON—THE MUSICAL—Thursday April 23, 2020. CANCELLED

McMICHAEL ART COLLECTION—Thursday May 7, 2020. POSTPONED TO WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31, 2021

OH SO GRAND SIGNATURE TOUR -June 14-17, 2020 CANCELLED

PORT STANLEY TRIP with June Ayhart -Tuesday June 23, 2020. CANCELLED

MANITOULIN ISLAND—THE STORIED LAND - September 13-15, 2020. TENTATIVE

IMAGES OF THE MENNONITES: PAST & PRESENT -Wednesday October 21, 2020. TENTATIVE

** Women's' Probus Newsletters are posted on Aline Chan's website <https://www.alininspirations.com/probus-cambridge-riverside.html>*



PROBUS CLUB OF CAMBRIDGE RIVERSIDE

PROBUS MEMBER RENEWAL FORM 2020-2021

Please print:

NAME: _____

DATE: _____

Please indicate if you will be 90 years of age by September 1, 2020 by ticking box.

PLEASE FILL OUT THE FOLLOWING
WE NEED YOUR INFORMATION EVERY YEAR

ADDRESS:

(Unit & Street) (City) (Postal Code)

Phone #: (____) _____ Email Address: _____
(PRINT)

• EMERGENCY CONTACT _____ Phone #: (____) _____ / _____
(name)

PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU HAVE AN EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME AND NUMBER WITH YOU AT ALL TIMES.

• In what capacity could you help within our club? _____

• Please choose how you wish to receive your newsletter:

#1 - By email

#2 - Pick up your personal copy at the next meeting.

#3 - Send (or supply) 10 stamped self-addressed envelopes to: →

Cathy Rose
32 - 20 Isherwood Ave
Cambridge ON N1R 8P9

Methods of payment:
 Cheque sent by mail to Anne Cher.
 Cheque dropped off in Anne's mailbox.
 E-transfer to the Club: camrivprob@gmail.com

I consent to the use of my personal information gathered here for use exclusively by the WOMEN'S PROBUS CLUB OF CAMBRIDGE RIVERSIDE. I consent to the publication of my image (if photographed) in the Club newsletter.

Signed: _____

Dated: _____

Bring (or send) this form, accompanied by a cheque for \$75, Payable to PROBUS CAMBRIDGE RIVERSIDE to the meeting of June 10, 2020.

CHEQUE ONLY PLEASE!

CHEQUE MAY BE POSTDATED FOR June 20, 2020.

Or mail form and cheque to: **Anne Cher**
583 Champlain Blvd., Cambridge ON N1R 7V2

This form & accompanying cheque must be RECEIVED by the Membership Chair on or before June 30, 2020 OR your Membership will be deemed cancelled.

For Membership Chair use only: Cheque # _____ received receipt # _____ issued Date _____